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May 17, 2026

Ascension Sunday



Worship With Us

Traditional Sunday Services at 8:30 am and 11:00 am

Contemporary Worship Service on Sunday at 9:45 am

Our Mission Statement

"Life in the Son"

Loving, Inviting, Faithful Examples, Serving Our Neighbors

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 17, 2026

Ascension Sunday

Welcome to Trinity. We are so glad you are here to worship today.

During the prelude, let us prepare our hearts for worship.

Where indicated (), please stand in praise of God if you are able.*

PRELUDE	"Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)"	arr. by Atlantic Lights
CHIMING OF THE TRINITY		
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		Lily Aiken
INVOCATION		
GRADUATE PROCESSION (11:00 am)	"Pomp and Circumstance"	Edward Elgar
*OPENING HYMN	"Firm Foundation"	
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	"This I Believe (The Creed)"	by Hillsong Worship
CHILDREN'S TIME (11:00 am)		Jordan Bryant
PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER		Ann Aiken

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the
power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Reckless Love"

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*READING OF THE WORD **Mark 4:35-41** (8:30 am)

³⁵ Later that day, when evening came, Jesus said to them, "Let's cross over to the other side of the lake." ³⁶ They left the crowd and took him in the boat just as he was. Other boats followed along.

³⁷ Gale-force winds arose, and waves crashed against the boat so that the boat was swamped. ³⁸ But Jesus was in the rear of the boat, sleeping on a pillow. They woke him up and said, "Teacher, don't you care that we're drowning?"

³⁹ He got up and gave orders to the wind, and he said to the lake, "Silence! Be still!" The wind settled down and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰ Jesus asked them, "Why are you frightened? Don't you have faith yet?"

⁴¹ Overcome with awe, they said to each other, "Who then is this? Even the wind and the sea obey him!"

Reader: This is the Word of God, for the people of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON (8:30 am)
(11:00 am)

Faith in the Middle of the Storm
God's Symphony

Finn Miller & Drew Fort
Jenna Zamrik

Next Sunday's Scripture: Numbers 11:24-30

*CLOSING HYMN

"Gratitude"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"May the Road Rise to Meet You"

Lee Turner

Irish Blessing

*May the road rise to meet you, May the wind blow at your back,
May the sun shine warmly on your face, May the rain fall softly on your field;
And until we meet again, until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.*

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*POSTLUDE



Trinity's Graduating High School Class of 2026

Jenna Zamrik, North Myrtle Beach High School
Future Plans: Penn State University

Trinity's College Graduates of 2026

Tanner Young Collins, College of Charleston
Degree in International Business and Spanish

Lily Howie, Coastal Carolina University
Doctorate of Philosophy in Marine Science

*The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God for His many blessings and in honor of
Dan and Cindy's 28th wedding anniversary today.*

Given by Dan & Cindy Baughman



The pastors and congregation will be in prayer this week for the following persons:

Marie Peacock Alice Peterson Margaret Philemon
Greg & Judy Phillips Dawn Potter Walter Powers

Please also keep our armed forces, police officers, first responders and teachers in your prayers.

Calling Trinity Kids!! Today is Youth Sunday, and our awesome youth are leading the worship services! We invite all Trinity Kids to stick around and support our youth leaders today. If you have little ones aged three (3) and under, the nursery is open in the AG Greene building. Let's make some joyful noise together!

Next week is Loose Change Sunday.

Our Gifts: Weekly Offering Week of May 10, 2026

Needed each week:	\$ 17,753.29
Sunday offering cash:	\$ 1,249.00
Sunday offering checks:	\$ 5,903.00
Received online:	\$ 4,659.57
Total received	\$ 11,811.57

Year to date

Received:	\$ 253,464.89
Expenditures:	\$ 270,510.39
Total Difference	\$ (17,045.50)

Hearing amplification devices are available for anyone needing assistance hearing throughout the service. Please see an usher for assistance.



Capital Campaign BF Contributions

Sunday offering:	\$ 284.50
Received online:	\$ 970.00
Total received	\$ 1,254.50

Building Fund

Weekly Building Fund Offering:	\$ 1,254.50
Current Bldg. Fund Bank Balance:	\$ 121,823.30
Current Bldg. Fund Bank Loan Balance:	\$ 517,275.43

Attendance for Sunday,

May 10, 2026:

8:30 am: **106**

9:45 am: **68**

11:00 am: **160**

In-Person Total = 334

Online Total: 527

Facebook Total: 535

ASAP: Peanut butter and jelly donations can be left in the ASAP box located in the hallway by the Volunteer Office. Thank you!

Administrative Council Meeting

The council will meet on **Monday, May 18** at 6:00 pm in the **Sanctuary**. All committee chairpersons are requested to attend; all other members of the church are welcome to attend.

If members have items they would like to have added to the agenda, please contact Daisy Stiebel, Administrative Council Chair, at dwlee30@aol.com.

Exciting Ways to Get Involved in Worship—AV Volunteers Needed

As we transition into the new home of our Contemporary Worship Service in Trinity Hall, we are currently looking for volunteers to assist with audio, video, and livestream production. This is a great opportunity for anyone who has always had an interest in sound, video, technology, or production or for someone looking to learn a new skill and serve the church in a hands-on way. No professional experience required; training will be provided. Speak with Kyle, sign up on today's signup sheet or call the church office.

Pep Club Thursday, May 21st at 11:30 am in Trinity Hall

Come join us for our end-of-the year celebration. This will be our last get together until the end of summer. Come help us celebrate another successful year together. Food, fun, and fellowship are always our goals. Stress-free get together with worries and stress left at the door. If you had a birthday this year, we will be celebrating your milestone. Come share your stories with everyone.

If your last name begins with A -L, bring a side dish to share.

If your first name begins with M -Z, bring a dessert to share.

Wear a comfy summer outfit. Bring a friend and make a friend. All are welcome. Please sign up for this gathering so we can be sure to have enough food for everyone. Any questions, call or text Rhonda Thompson at 843-655-1922. See you there.

TUMM Annual Scholarship

The Trinity United Methodist Men offer a \$500 scholarship to graduating high school and returning college students. Applying students must have a family member who attends Trinity United Methodist Church in NMB and must complete the online application. The link to the application can be found on the TUMM page of our website or by scanning the QR code.



Prayer Shawls

Calling all prayer shawls, cap robes, and blankets for Blessing of the Prayer Shawls on May 31. Please turn in all items to the volunteer office as soon as possible.

Meetings This Week

- Today* *Worship Service: 8:30 am (Sanctuary & Live Streaming Online)*
- 5/17* *Contemporary Band Rehearsal: 9:00 am (AG Greene Choir Room)*
Adult Sunday School Classes: 9:45 am (Second Floor, Rm. 2 & Trinity Hall Mtg. Room 2)
Contemporary Worship Service: 9:45 am (Sanctuary & Live Streaming Online)
Worship Service: 11:00 am (Sanctuary & Streaming Online)
Children's Sunday School: 11:00 am (AG Greene Choir Room)
Youth Group: 5:00 pm (Youth Room)
- Monday* *Weight Watchers: 9:30 am (AG Greene Choir Room & New Kids' Room)*
- 5/18* *TUMM Breakfast Meeting: 8:30 am (Trinity Hall)*
Cookbook Committee Meeting: 10:00 am (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 2)
Monday Golf Outing: 2:30 pm (Azalea Sands Golf Club)
Administrative Council Meeting: 6:00 pm (Sanctuary)
J1 Training Session: 6:00 pm (Trinity Hall)
Gamblers Anonymous: 7:00 pm (AG Greene Choir Room)
- Tuesday* *Bridge: 9:30 am (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 1)*
- 5/19* *SpiritShore UMC Clergy Luncheon (Trinity Hall)*
Staff Meeting: 12:00 pm (Library)
Contemporary Worship Rehearsal: 4:00 pm (Sanctuary)
New Member Class: 6:00 pm (Trinity Hall)
SAG Meeting: 7:00 pm (AG Greene Choir Room)
- Wednesday* *Crafters: 9:30 am (AG Greene Choir Room)*
- 5/20* *Bible Study-**James-What You Do Matters**: 10:00 am (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 1)*
Master's Meal: 12 noon (Trinity Hall)
Trinity Kids: 4:30 pm (AG Greene Building)
Handbell Choir Rehearsal: 4:30 pm (Sanctuary)
Festival of Salads: 5:30 pm (Trinity Hall)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 pm (Sanctuary)
- Thursday* *PEP Club: 11:30 am (Trinity Hall)*
- 5/21* *Gamblers Anonymous: 7:00 pm (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 1)*
- Friday*
- 5/22*
- Saturday*
- 5/23*

To find out more about what is going on at TUMC and to register for upcoming events, check our website at www.trinitynmb.com. Click the **EVENTS'** tab to see the latest events. To view the entire calendar, click the **Full Calendar Link** at the top of the page.

Welcome to Trinity United Methodist Church!
Volunteers this Week

Ushers: Youth from TUMC Youth Group will be ushering at all of our services today.

Altar Guild: Beth Cornwell/Marilyn Whipp & Patti Ballard

Trinity Staff

Ministers:	The Congregation
AV Technician:	Kyle Frankman
Child Care:	Tera Velez
Church Sexton:	Lee Ann McDonald
Director of Contemporary Music:	Richard Schellinger
Director of Traditional Music:	Dr. Kenneth S. Klaus, Ph.D.
Financial Secretary:	Heather Ensor
Office Manager:	Jennifer Piccolo
Organist/pianist:	Melanie Welborn
Pastor Emeritus:	Rev. Edmond Daniel
Youth Director:	Jordan Bryant
Pastors:	Rev. Gene Aiken; Rev. Stephanie Schellinger

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

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The Nursery with professional child care is available during all of the Sunday services.

Nursery (ages 0-3) AG Greene Nursery

Children/Youth Sunday School (4 yr. old - 5th Grade)

9:45 am during Passing of the Peace in the AG Greene Building's Trinity Kids' Room

11:00 am following the Children's Sermon in the AG Greene Building

Adult Sunday School Classes

9:45-10:45 am

Young + Young at Heart 2nd Floor, Room 2

XYZ Young Adults Library - 2nd Floor, Room 4

Trinity Kids (Grades 1-5) meets Wednesdays from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in the AG Greene Building.

Youth Group (Grades 6-12) meets Sundays from 5:00 to 6:30 pm in the Youth Room.