

The Arts in Worship

Just as the Word of God is read from the Bible and proclaimed in the sermon, so can the arts, including music, drama, colors, etc., be helpful in our understanding God's message to us in Scripture.

✠ **The lighting of candles on the altar** signifies the presence of Christ. Each time we gather for worship, the light of Christ is brought into the Sanctuary. The light is taken out at the close of worship, symbolizing our call as Christians to carry the light of Christ into the world.

✠ **The Banners:**

Today we display the **Witness Banner** and the **Teach My Commandments Banner** with the "Rich History-Bright Future" mantle. They remind us of our calling to be Christ's witnesses to the World.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Remember to pray always for one another. Pray also for these Trinity people whose names have been lifted up—*Myrta Berger, Lila Bradford, Will Butler, Barbi Fitz, Lu Graham, Charlie Thomas, Marian Wainwright*

REMEMBER TO WEAR YOUR TRINITY NAMETAG on Sunday mornings. There is nothing like a nametag to convey a sense of friendliness and openness. Make the first move by wearing yours, then leave it in the Welcome Center hallway where you can pick it up each week.

ONLINE GIVING—Contributions can now be debited automatically from your checking or savings account or processed using your credit or debit card. To establish an online account and make an online gift, go to Trinity's website at <http://www.trinityumc.net> and click on "Resources" and then "Online Giving" in the drop down menu. You will find written directions on how to proceed using Access ACS. You can access the internet via Trinity's guest wireless service [*Network ID—TrinityUMC_Guest; Password—John3:16.*] Because giving of our tithes and offerings is an act of worship, for those who are giving electronically or online, "Giving Cards" cards are available in the pews so you may participate in the offering during Sunday morning Worship. For help navigating the online system, contact Kim Tingler at ktingler@trinityumc.net or 288-6057 ext. 202.

TO OUR VISITORS... It is a joy to have you share in our worship service today. We invite you to enjoy fellowship time in the Welcome Center between our services each week. There you can enjoy a cup of coffee or lemonade, find information for upcoming events, and be greeted by some of our members—look especially for the yellow lanyards!

It is our prayer that you would experience God's presence and discover God's will for your life. At Trinity our mission is "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." We invite you to journey with us as we **Connect to God, Grow in faith, and Serve the world.**

If you are looking for a church home, we hope that you will find it here at Trinity. As a large, west end church we offer many programs and opportunities for all ages. We would be happy to talk with you about uniting in membership. Please call 288-6057 to talk with Drew Willson, Associate Pastor, (ext. 205) or myself (ext. 204).

We hope to see you here again soon!

Larry Lenow, Pastor

Please Sign the Attendance Book located in each pew. Whether a visitor or member we would like to know that you worshipped with us this morning, and which of our services you attended.

Prayer Concerns - Trinity members and staff pray for the concerns and joys of your heart. If you have a request, fill out a green Pastoral Care Card (*located in the Attendance Book*) and drop it in the offering plate.

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone," 1 Timothy 2:1.

Children's Worship Discovery Bags for sermon time are available in the Foyers. Please return the bags to the bins after each service.

Our Homebound Members can call on Sunday mornings and be connected to the Worship Service—dial **726-8800** and you will be able to listen to, and participate in, worship! Call Paula Cadden (288-6057 ext. 201) with questions.

Prayer Chain Ministry... To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, call Judy Oguich (*288-6057 ext. 206*). We have over 30 persons who have committed themselves to praying for our community.

OUR STAFF TO HELP YOU

Bishop - Richmond Area..... Sharma D. Lewis
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Pastor..... Larry E. Lenow
Associate Pastor..... Andrew B. Willson
Director of Operations..... Bill A. Pike
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Minister of Adult Ministries..... Judy C. Oguich
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Director of Music Ministries..... Charles M. Staples
Modern Worship Leader..... Jay L. Johnson
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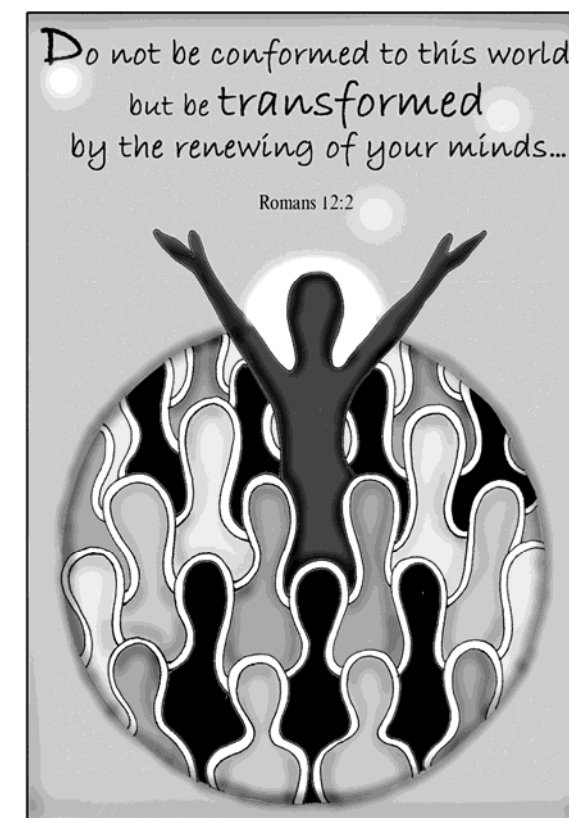
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