

**News update for February 15, 2024**

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**Update:**

Please help us welcome out new pastor; Rev. Elizabeth, when she comes to Trinity in March!

**This Week at Trinity**

- Thursday** (February 15th)
- Friday** (February 16th) *Office Closed*
- 7:00pm N.A.
  - 7:00pm Candlelight N.A.
- Saturday** (February 17th) *Office Closed*
- 4:00pm N.A Event
- Sunday** (February 18th)
- 8:30am Donuts and coffee
  - 9:00am Sunday Worship
  - 10:30am Fellowship Scout brunch
  - 6:00pm N.A.
- Monday** (February 19th) ***PRESIDENT'S DAY***
- 7:00pm N.A
- Tuesday** February 20th)
- 7:00pm N.A.
- Wednesday** (February 21st)
- 10:00am Upper Room Study
  - 6:30pm Cub Scout Pack Meeting
  - 7:30pm Scouts BSA

Come see us on Facebook at  
<https://www.facebook.com/TUMCIF/>  
 We livestream every service!

## Looking Ahead

- **February 18**, 9 am Worship lead by Mosey Moran from St. Paul's
- **February 25**, 9 am Worship with Rev. Kathleen Weber. District Superintendent Crest to Coast Missional District

## Charge Conference

Trinity will hold a Charge Conference for the purpose of determining the pastor's compensation for the coming year at 6:30pm on Wednesday, February 21. This will be a blended meeting and **you may come to Trinity in person or join by Zoom**. Our normal Administrative Board meeting will follow.



## Homeless Services

In December there were 97 homeless services supplied in the 12 days we were open. This represented services to 35 unique people. The services provided included 83 showers, and 24 loads of laundry. We also gave away some hygiene kits and provided pastoral counseling. The clients ranged in age from 10 to 72 with an average age of 47. Time in the church varied from 2 min. to 165 minutes with an average of 35 minutes. 2 visitors were new clients for us. 70% have cellphones and 90% have valid ID

## UWF News



United  
Women  
in Faith

The United Women in Faith had a great February Unit meeting welcoming new members Joyce Miles, Judy Rupe, Maria Harrison and the transfer of membership of Jeanie Hughes. Kathy Gaskil gave the program about membership and United Women in Faith. Marilyn Taylor and Kay Pottorff hosted. Mary Nagel is taking reservations for the EMEE program March 9th. This will be a zoom meeting held in the Trinity library (downstairs). So far six members are registered but more are welcome.

The program is "Food for the Soil - Food for the Soul". A Treasure Valley farmer will speak as will a BSU faculty member about pesticides and farming. The meeting will start at 9:30 and close at 2:30. Attendees are asked to bring their lunch. Snacks will be provided. To register contact Mary Nagel (208-522-9880) before March 1. EMEE is always a fun, educational and an entertaining event. The fellowship in our local unit and throughout our conference during the day is such a great experience. Happy Valentine's Day!!!



## Sunday Morning Fellowship

There is always food and fellowship after church

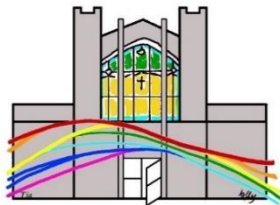
- **Every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday: Soup Potluck**  
Bring your favorite Soup.
- **Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday: Regular Brunch**  
Bring your favorite dish
- **Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday: Scout Brunch**  
This is a fundraiser for Troop 6 and a wonderful meal to share as we visit.
- **Every 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday: Regular Brunch**  
Bring your favorite dish

## Trinity Leadership

Below are the leadership positions for the next leader year.

### Chair of Admin Council;

Gene Summers  
[Joke2boy@Aaol.com](mailto:Joke2boy@Aaol.com)



### Chair of Staff/Parish Relations

Bev Kemp-(208)569-6149  
[bevmkemp@gmail.com](mailto:bevmkemp@gmail.com)

### Chair of Trustee

Don Rohde (860)810-3227-  
[donrohde@aol.com](mailto:donrohde@aol.com)

### Chair of Finance

Scott Taylor (208)201-5593

## Financial Statements

Our church's financial status January 1 - December 31 30, 2023



Income	\$190,141
Expenses	<u>\$169,341</u>
Current net income	\$ 20,800

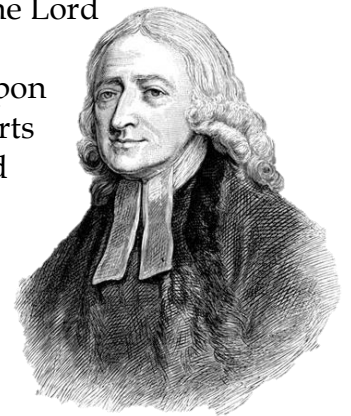
## Birthdays

### February

Byron, Ruth	02/16
Oar, Ruth	02/22
Bottcher, Hayden	02/23
French, Tim	02/23
McBurney Jesse, T.	02/25
Mower, Savon	02/25
Oliver, Daniel	02/25
Pickens, Logan	02/25

## John Wesley Quote

“Come, let us magnify the Lord together, and labour to promote his Kingdom upon the earth. Let us join hearts and hands in this blessed work, in striving to bring glory to God in the highest, by establishing peace and goodwill among men, to the uttermost of our power.”



~ Sermon at the Foundation of City Road Chapel

## Welcome Rev. Elizabeth!



Dear Family and Friends of Trinity and St. Paul's United Methodist Churches, Much sooner than we expected, Bishop Bridgeforth has appointed the Rev. Elizabeth McVicker to serve St. Paul's and

Trinity UMCs at  $\frac{3}{4}$  time beginning March.

That's a mere 4 weeks away! I know how much we all love change, and this will give us plenty of time to practice thanking God for sending us challenging situations to grow our discipleship skills! Below you will find the official letter announcing the appointment. You will hear much more from the church leadership about ways we will make this transition a healthy and productive one for Rev. McVicker and our churches. I will be overlapping with Rev. McVicker for the first two weeks of March to help her get settled in. I look forward to serving y'all in February and early March. I see a party in our future to celebrate all the good work we have done!

Blessings,

~Pastor Kathy

## OFFICIAL LETTER


Bishop Cedrick D. Bridgeforth announces the appointment of Rev. Elizabeth McVicker to Trinity & St. Paul's United Methodist Churches in Idaho Falls, Idaho, effective March 1, 2024, in a three-quarter time position.

Rev. McVicker is an ordained elder in the Mountain Sky Conference of The UMC.

Rev. Kathy Neary, will continue her part-time, interim ministry through the end of March. The GNW cabinet's commitment to provide leadership in Idaho Falls once each month will continue through May.





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			14 <del>Ash Wednesday                      Valentine's Day                      10:00am Upper Room Study                      6:30pm Cub Scout Pack Meeting                      7:30pm Scouts BSA</del>	15 <del>Office Closed</del>	16 Office Closed  7:00pm Candlelight N.A 7:00pm N.A	17 Office Closed  4:00pm N.A. Event
18 8:30am Fellowship Coffee & Donuts 9:00am Worship 10:30am Fellowship Scout brunch  6:00pm N.A	19 <u>President's Day</u>  7:00pm N.A.	20  7:00pm N.A	21 10:00am Upper Room Study  6:30pm Cub Scout Pack Meeting  7:30pm Scouts BSA	22   7:00pm Candlelight N.A 7:00pm N.A	23 Office Closed  7:00pm Candlelight N.A 7:00pm N.A	24 Office Closed
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10 <u>Daylight Saving's Time</u>  8:30am Fellowship Coffee & Donuts 9:00am Worship 10:30am Fellowship Potluck brunch 6:00pm N.A	11  7:00pm N.A.	12  7:00pm N.A	13 10:00am Upper Room Study  6:30pm Cub Scout Pack Meeting  7:30pm Scouts BSA	14   7:00pm Candlelight N.A 7:00pm N.A	15 Office Close	16 Office Closed