

10 a.m. Service

The Work of the People for May 28, 2023

The liturgical color is red, symbolizing the fire of the Holy Spirit that descended on the crowd at Pentecost

Gathering For Praise

Choral Call to Worship 'As the Deer' (by Nystrom) Chancel Choir

Opening Reading Acts 2:1-11 Rev. Christine Matthews

Hymn of Praise 'Holy Spirit, Come Confirm Us' (Tune: ODE TO JOY) UMH 331

Welcome & Announcements

Honoring Debra Lusk

Salkehatchie/TR-hatchie Blessing

Anthem 'Somebody's Praying for Me' Andrew Bryant

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading John 20: 19-22 (Common English) Donna Koegler

Hymn of Preparation 'The Servant Song' (Tune: BEACH SPRING) TFWS 2222

Series *The Church on the Trail'*
Sermon 'Serving God' Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

Responding to God's Word

Time of Anointing

Doxology UMH 94

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Going Forth to Serve God's World

Hymn of Sending 'The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve' TFWS 2241

Sending Forth

*Our service of worship has now ended.
Now our worship through service begins.
Go to serve God and neighbor in all that you do,
and may those to whom love is a stranger
find in you, generous friends.*

*Worshiping here for the first time?
Stop by one of our Hospitality Stations on your way out of the sanctuary for a welcome bag
and a greeting from one of our Hospitality Team members.*

UMH: United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS: The Faith We Sing Hymnal

*The PrayerGround Table is for children Kindergarten-age and younger.
During the sermon time, they are invited to come and work on a puzzle, play a game, read a book, or color.
Parents, please sit near the table to assist if need be.*

Pianist: Debra Lusk
*Note: Our 11am Music Director Jann Howell is taking a Renewal Leave until June 11th.
We wish her a well-deserved time of rest!*

Stewardship Report

One Fund Monthly Goal 2023	\$43,620	Date	Online	In-Person	Sunday School
		5.07	117	202	81
One Fund Actual MTD	\$15,677	5.14	103	200	88
		5.21	TBD	174	-
Deposits week ended	\$ TBD				

Building Project Fund as of April
\$1,330,449

Thank you!

E-giving available at trmethodist.net or scan QR code —>

Text-to-Give: text the amount you wish to give to (833) 948-2135, wait for response to guide you through the process.



Prayer

HOMEBOUND

George Adamson
James White
Dee Hughes
Pam Miller
Patrick O'Dell
Reggy O'Dell
Frances Lockaby
Barbara Floyd
Martha Foster
Mary Greene

TRUMC

Fred Dyal
Myra Robitalle
Richard Goodall
Sandy Bailey

FRIENDS

Chuckie Mituzas
Simon and Emma Webster
Peace in Somalia
Greenville School Students
Roger Tompkins

Submit a prayer request to our Prayer Team:

prayer@trmethodist.net

(Please indicate if you would like it to be on

TRUMC is a Stephen Ministry Congregation. If you could benefit from having a Stephen Minister, please contact Patti Crenshaw (864)380-8421 or Dave McAda (864)380-5867

Pray for Peace in Ukraine and for all affected by the war



Upcoming Events and Announcements

For full events schedule, see the monthly *Pew & Pulpit* Newsletter (paper or online)

Whether you are worshipping with us in person, online, or in your cars on 88.9FM, we are grateful you have joined us! Let us know you're worshipping with us & stay connected during the week

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Help Lead Worship

Acolytes/Bible Bearers; Scripture Readers; Greeters/Ushers:
Sign up online www.trmethodist.net/online-sign-ups

Email List Sign Up



Cardboard Testimonies

A majority of the sermon time on Sunday, June 4th, 10am service, will be devoted to our congregants' sharing of their own cardboard testimony. More info and sign up here: <https://bit.ly/3LOHHMu>

Celebration Lunch

Plan to bring a dish and eat together on Sunday, June 4th after our 10am service to celebrate 10 years of ministry together with the Tompkins family. Sign up to bring a side dish or dessert in the sanctuary entranceway.

TR-Hatchie

Our younger youth have an opportunity to serve this summer: Middle Schoolers (11-13yrs) will stay in town for TR-Hatchie, a local service project during the days of June 19th-21st. Talk with Pastor Christine for more info!

Hero Hotline Vacation Bible School

Calling all heroes! Children and adults needed for our week of fun serving God together. June 26th-29th, 6pm-8pm. Children and adults, register on our website: trmethodist.net

Love Offering

We would like to provide the Tompkins family with a special love offering of appreciation at our church-wide lunch on June 4th. You may give through the church: Make checks out to TRUMC and include in the memo "Tompkins Love Offering" or through E-giving on our website (find the 'Give' tab, select 'Tompkins Love Offering').



Scripture: John 20:19-22

19 It was still the first day of the week. That evening, while the disciples were behind closed doors because they were afraid of the Jewish authorities, Jesus came and stood among them. He said, "Peace be with you." 20 After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. When the disciples saw the Lord, they were filled with joy. 21 Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father sent me, so I am sending you." 22 Then he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit.

Jesus is the Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God!

Trail Blazes (thoughts and ideas to guide you)

Next Steps for the Journey

How have you experienced the Holy Spirit? Wind? Fire? Breath? Other?

How have you felt the Holy Spirit's presence/companionship on your journey?

What gifts has the Spirit given you that you can use to serve God? How do you serve like Jesus?

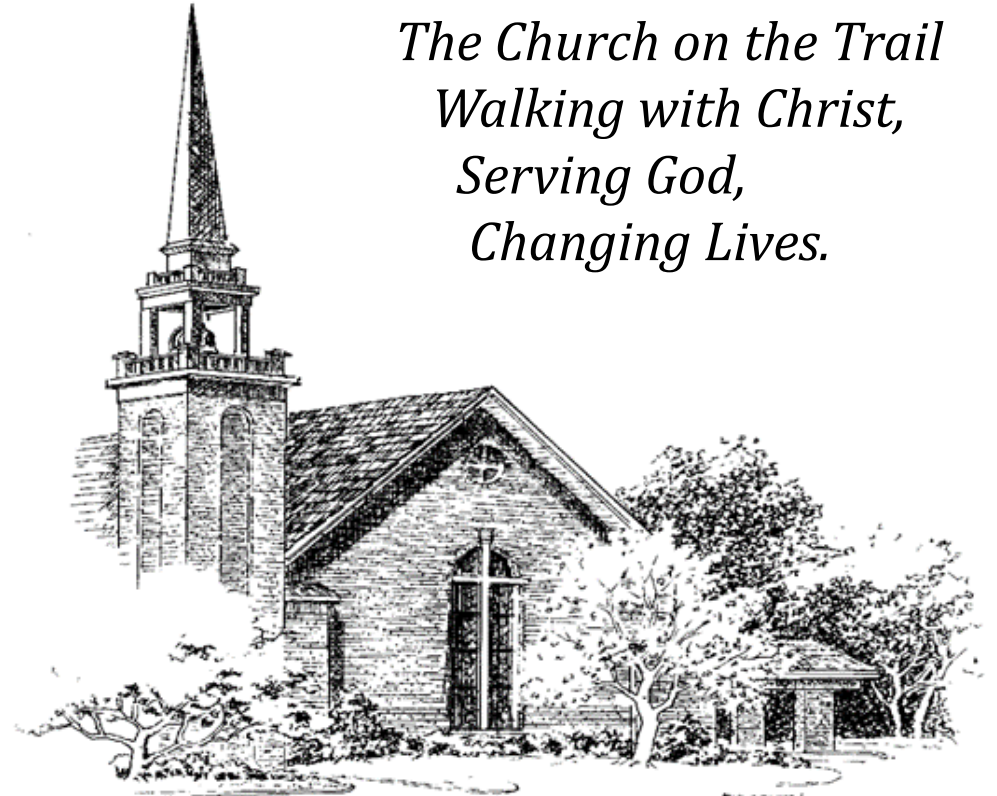
What does it mean for TRUMC to be a 'church full of hands,' a community of the cross?

Prayer for This Week's Walk

*'Brother, sister, let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too'*
(from 'The Servant Song')

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*The Church on the Trail
Walking with Christ,
Serving God,
Changing Lives.*

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Pentecost

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