

MEN'S STUDY GROUP. . .

Where: Wild Eggs at English Station Road
When: First & Third Tuesdays of the Month
What Time: 8:30 a.m.

What: Bible Study and fellowship

Who: All men of all ages connected in any way with Trinity Presbyterian Church



All men are invited; come informally, come as you are,
come for one Tuesday, come for them all.

In May, we will meet on the 5th and 19th.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Trinity's Vision Statement

"We are a welcoming church family, developing disciples who joyfully minister to others in the name of Christ."

TRINITY TIMES

May 2015

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Pastor's Pen

Making and Multiplying Disciples

"And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ."
Philippians 1:6

"And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved."
Acts 2:47b

Growth is a constant when it comes to the effect God's work has upon any person (and any people) that is claimed by the Lord Jesus Christ. When God begins a work of grace in a person's heart, the constant and definite effect is that they will grow; they will become more like Jesus Christ. When God begins a work of grace in His people, the constant and definite effect is that we will grow; we will bring more disciples of Jesus Christ into the family of God. This is the effect God has...growth in stature (Christian maturity) and growth in size (Christian membership).

Knowing that this is the way God works, knowing that this is the effect God will have in our walks with Christ and our collective witness for Christ, I ask you to join me...

Join me in praying for God to lead us in His good and pleasing and perfect will.

Join me in praying for God to increasingly bring to completion the work of His grace in our individual hearts.

Join me in praying for God to expand our speaking and spreading of the Gospel hope to those who do not yet know Jesus Christ.

Join me in praying for the mission and ministry of Trinity Presbyterian Church, that we would ever become more like those described in the early days of the church, where God adds daily to our number those who are being made known through faith in Jesus Christ.

Graciously in Christ,

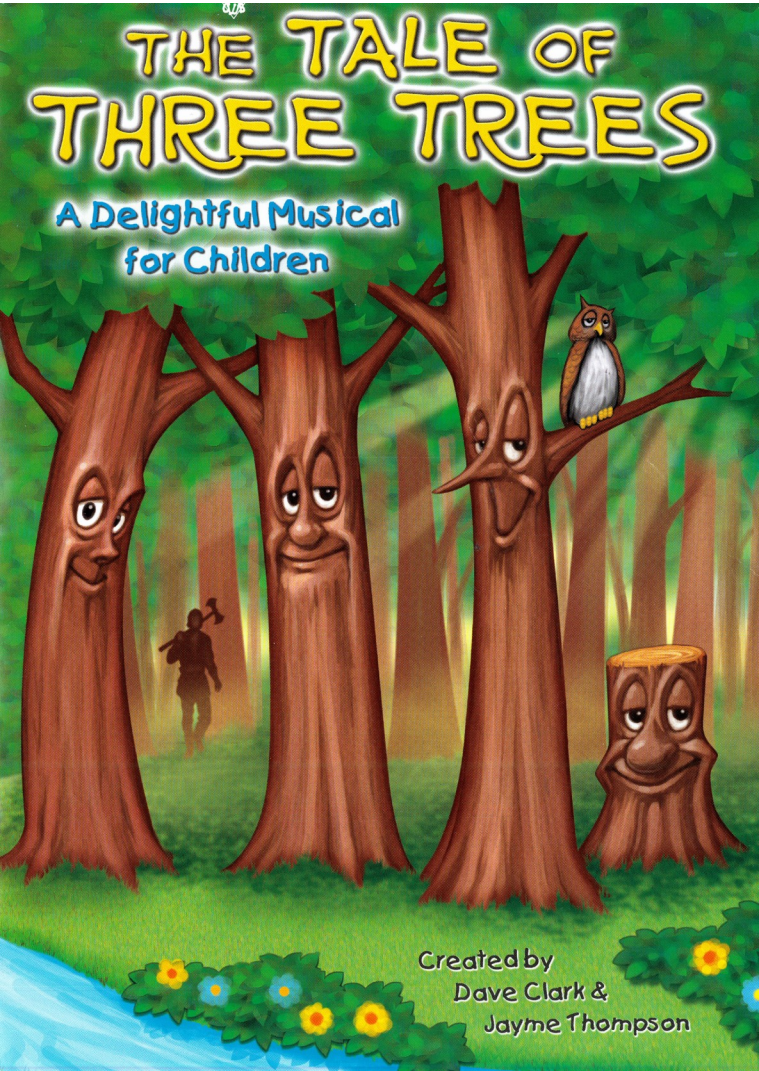
Pastor Steve



THE TALE OF THREE TREES. . .

Friends, please join the children's choir in our production of *The Tale of Three Trees*.

This musical brings to life the traditional story of some trees with a dream and a God with a plan. Follow the adventures of Annabelle, who dreams of holding great treasure, Bud, who longs to become a mighty ship, and Gabrielle, who just wants to stay in the forest and point people toward God. *The Tale of Three Trees* reminds us that even when we can't see the forest for the trees, there is no prayer that is too small for God.



When: Sunday, May 3rd, 2015
Where: Sanctuary
Time: 11:00 am worship service

Starring:
Patrick Jewell as Bud
Maggie Jewell as Annabelle
Rachel Shumate as Gabrielle
Garrett Bushue as the Woodcutter
Joshua Kratt as Stumpy
Sydnei Hacker as Dreamer Tree
Brooklyn Hacker as Happy Tree
Emily Loleng as Woodsworth

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE. . .

	2015	2014
04/05:	232	140
04/12:	130	143
04/19:	127	240
04/26:	148	165

MAY ANNIVERSARIES. . .

05/12: Drs. Bhakta V. & Aleyamma Chetty Bill & RoseMary Hambleton	05/22: Ray & Jacqueline Ludwick 05/26: Bill & Ida Vaughn 05/27: Sean & Shelley Shumate
05/15: Kyle & Bonnie Mullin 05/17: Marc & Sheri Bushue 05/21: David & Ann Douglas Brad & Mary Harville	



MAY BIRTHDAYS. . .

05/01: Kate Bonar 05/04: Erin Tenkman 05/05: Ted Kozak 05/06: Scott Koukola 05/07: Brad Harville Henry Meyer 05/08: Dorothy Amundsen Beth Bloss Bird 05/09: Gary Watson 05/11: T.C. Mathew Dorothy Southard 05/12: Emily Bird Bill Lewis Makanly Dolce	05/15: Abraham Joseph 05/16: Ed Gayhart Rachel Ann Shumate 05/17: Richard Ross 05/19: Harry Frye 05/20: Julie Hinson 05/22: Jay Charnes 05/23: Kevin Keyser 05/24: Patrick Hayden 05/26: Collette Sangster 05/31: Alex Barnum Doris Syms
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MAY NURSERY VOLUNTEERS. . .

05/03: Sandy Koukola and Mary Charnes 05/10: Lynne Wood 05/17: Phyllis Santos Sauer and Steve Kratt 05/24: Elizabeth Latham and Bonnie Mullin
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EVANGELISM. . .

The Evangelism Committee would like to thank Bob Williams-Neal and Brad Harville for their efforts every Sunday in capturing the sermon and the 11:00 worship service. Bob is handling the audio recordings, and Brad is handling the livestreaming. Bob and Brad have provided steps (below) on how to access the sermons and services. Feel free to pass this information along to others who would be interested in hearing Pastor Steve's passionate message and in experiencing our worship service each Sunday.

AUDIO RECORDINGS OF SERMONS ARE AVAILABLE!

Audio files of sermons preached at Trinity are available on the church website.

All you have to do is click on the "Sermon Audio Archive: link on the main page (upper right corner). You can also access them by means of the "About Us" drop down link. It is the first item.

When the new page opens, you will see a table with sermons listed by date, title, and recording. Use the arrows to move up and down any of the lists to access the sermon you wish to listen to. Then click on the large arrow on the recording bar.

TRINITY IS NOW LIVESTREAMING!

If you can't make it to church, are out of town, or just want to experience again our Sunday worship service, you can watch it on a computer with good internet connection.

Just go to our website: www.tpclouisville.net

Look for this message on the home page:

Watch our Livestream channel! Starting March 8, 2015, click the link below to view our Sunday morning worship services at 11:00 am:

<http://new.livestream.com/tpclouisville>

Then just click on the link. You will be taken to Trinity's Livestream channel where you can watch the service live on Sunday morning. Or, you can watch it later, anytime you want!

Thank you for supporting Trinity's Livestream ministry!

CE. . .

From the Director of CE...

Thanks to everyone who donated and/or volunteered for the Ester Egg Hunt. We had so many families join us and many of them were from the preschool.

We would also like to thank all of you who volunteered or attended the Preschool Dinner. We had over 100 adults and children sharing a meal in the fellowship Hall. It was a great evening with a lot of smiles!

FAITH & ART. . .

Peace and Grace to all from the Faith & Art Center.

Fun has been had by all this month as we made surprise gifts for the preschool moms and dads. As well as a couple of WoW Jr. classes in clay. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped out to make this possible.

April will be the last Tuesday of Open Studio until fall.

PRESCHOOL. . .

News from the 5 day 4's Green Room

We recently had a visit from the "Dirt Lady". She showed the children how worms help make compost. She taught them that compost helps plants grow. The children planted pinto beans in a baggie and watched them grow, from seed to plant.

For Easter, the children decorated a paper cutout of an egg and we had them displayed in our hallway. Due to the weather, our Easter party was cancelled, but after we returned from Spring Break we held our Egg Hunt and the children really enjoyed finding the eggs to put into their Easter baskets.

Miss Jana and Miss Gail

THE KNOX CHOIR. . .

The Knox Choir is comprised of youth in grades 7 through 12 and is one of eight choirs of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Dayton, Ohio. This summer the group is embarking on a six-day concert tour. In addition to presenting concerts in churches, the group will be exploring local points of interest in Indianapolis, St. Louis, Nashville and Louisville. A wide variety of music will be sung, including works by Pachelbel, Handel and William Boyce, as well as music from the gospel tradition, and songs from around the globe. Trinity will host the choir's concert on **Friday, June 19th at 7:00 p.m.** in the Sanctuary. We invite all to attend this evening of beautiful music and fellowship.

KNOX CHOIR TOUR
Westminster Presbyterian Church ~ Dayton, OH



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PRAYERS FOR COVENANTS OF GIVING. . .

Prayers for Covenants of Giving

Sometimes in our hurried, "get it done today" lives we forget to slow down and remember the things in our lives that are provided for us without which we would not be as comfortable, happy or content. So it is in our spiritual lives that we sometimes overlook God's generosity and God's passion for us to lead abundant and fulfilling lives.

Let's take a moment now to remember and acknowledge where our comfort and peace comes from by thanking God in prayer.

Gracious and loving God, you are giver of all that is good and true and beautiful and life-giving. The pledges we make each year are but tokens of the awesome gifts that have been given to us and they are committed in thanksgiving for all we have received, for all we have been inspired to be, for all we are challenged to become, in this place.

We have heard your call to live generous lives. Your call comes to us in our sanctuary, our homes and also in our community, our neighborhoods and our places of work and play.

May we join in your work in our church to seek your Holy Spirit, and may our giving always be generous, overflowing and abundant in response to all that is provided for us.

Amen.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE—MAY 20TH. . .



The deadline for the June/July Trinity Times is May 20th. Please email articles to tpclouisville@att.net or leave them in the secretary's mailbox.

NEW ADDRESSES. . .

Here are a couple new addresses to update your TPC Directory:

Larry & Carol Hartmann 10627 Eagles Pines Lane, Louisville, 40223

Deanna Smith 1111 Davenport Drive, Louisville, 40245