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GREENS
Necessary



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Sunday Worship Services

7:14 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.
(Praise Service begins
15 minutes prior)

Youth Church

7:14 a.m., 10:45 a.m.

Bible Discovery Hour

9:45 a.m.

Weekly Praise/Prayer Service

11:30 a.m. - Prayer Service
6:00 p.m. - Prayer Service
7:14 p.m. - Wednesday @ The Well

Saturday Church School

9:00 a.m.

CFABS Bible Study

773-966-1507
For current schedule,
Visit www.trinitychicago.org

LIVE Sunday Webcasts

7:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.
www.trinitychicago.org

Television Broadcast

Sundays, 1:30 p.m.
(WJYS, Check local listings)
Prayer Line: 866-962-5650

Radio Broadcast

Sundays, 6:00 p.m.
WVON 1690 AM

Church Hours

Monday – CLOSED
Tuesday through Friday
11:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Saturdays • 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Sundays • 6:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

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"There are different ways of serving, but the same Lord is served."

1 Corinthians 12:5 (TEV)

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Trinity UCC Media and Technology Protocols

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Media: If visiting in an official media capacity, please be sure to check-in at our reception desk upon arrival.

WiFi: Trinity UCC offers Wifi for our members and visitors as a courtesy, so that they may participate in our worship services and ministry. User ID: trinity Password: guest

Listening Assistance: As we endeavor to maintain a sacred worship experience, please return listening devices following the Benediction. An Audio Technician is available in the sound room for 15 minutes following each service for the return of your device.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!

May 31, 2015

Order of Worship - 7:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Opening Song (7:30 a.m.) “Let Everything That Hath Breath”
Choral Introit (11:00 a.m.) “Praying Spirit”
Opening Song (11:00 a.m.) “I Feel Your Spirit”
Hymn of Praise “Lift Him Up”
Unison Scripture Jeremiah 2:7 (NIV)

PLEASE REMAIN STANDING FOR THE READING OF THE WORD

Invocation

Parish Concerns

 Visitor Recognition/Passing of the Peace

 The Pastor’s Word

The Service of Giving

 Offertory Sentences

 Tithes/Offerings/Scholarship

Altar Call (7:30 a.m.) “When I Think About The Lord”

Altar Call (11:00 a.m.) “Perfect Peace”

Sermon “By Any Greens Necessary”

Hymn of Invitation

Benediction

Order of Worship - 6:00 p.m.

Opening Song “You Are Good”

Ministry of Music “In The Beauty of Holiness”

Sermon “By Any Greens Necessary”

Hymn of Invitation

The Service of Giving

 Offertory Sentences

 Tithes and Offerings

Altar Call/Benediction

[Once the sermon has begun, parishioners may not enter or re-enter the first floor sanctuary.]

**The Order of Worship is subject to change, at the dictation of the Holy Spirit...

LIFT HIM UP

Verse 1

How to reach the masses,
men of every birth,
For an answer,
Jesus gave the key:
“And I, if I be lifted up
From the earth,
I’ll draw all men unto Me.”

Chorus

Lift Him up, lift Him up;
Still He speaks from eternity:
“And I, if I be lifted up from the earth,
Will draw all men unto Me.”

Verse 2

Oh! the world is hungry
For the Living Bread,
Lift the Savior up for them to see;
Trust Him, and do not doubt
The words that He said,
“I’ll draw all men unto Me.”

Verse 3

Don’t exalt the preacher,
don’t exalt the pew,
Preach the Gospel simple,
full, and free; Prove Him and
You will find that promise is true,
“I’ll draw all men unto Me.”

Verse 4

Lift Him up by living
As a Christian ought,
Let the world in you the Savior see;
Then men will gladly follow
Him Who once taught,
“I’ll draw all men unto Me.”

JEREMIAH 2:7 (NIV)

⁷I brought you into a fertile land to eat its fruit and rich produce. But you came and defiled my land and made my inheritance detestable.



May 31, 2015

IT'S FAMILY and ELDERS PHOTO TIME!

SAVE THE DATES!

Family Photos: Sundays, June 7th and June 21st

Elders Photos: Sundays, June 7th, June 14th, and June 21st

Following the 7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

ATTENTION ELDERS!

If you will turn 80 years young this year, please have your photo taken for the ELDERS WALL OF FAME! (**Note: You *must* be a member of Trinity UCC.**)



A TASTE OF TRINITY!

Sunday, June 14, 2015

Following the 11:00 a.m.
worship service

Atrium and Fellowship Hall

Purchase food tickets
immediately following
the 7:30 and 11:00
worship services.

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Announcements



2015 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Tuesday, June 23 – Thursday, July 2

**REGISTER FOR
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!**

**In-person registration
following all worship services
Register online at
<http://tinyurl.com/TUCCVBS2015>**

Costs: \$20 per person/\$15 per person for a family of two or more

There are a limited number of scholarships available. For information, contact Rev. Michael D. Jacobs, mdjacobs@trinitychicago.org, or Rev. Carmin Frederick, cafederick@trinitychicago.org.

ALSO...HELP WANTED!!

Seeking people interested in working with children in grades kindergarten through high school, including teachers (all grade levels), teacher assistants, craft, music and movement teachers. No experience is needed; you will be provided with training and paired with an experienced VBS worker. If you are interested or would like to find out how you can help, contact Rev. Jacobs, mdjacobs@trinitychicago.org, or Rev. Carmin Frederick, cafederick@trinitychicago.org.





REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR FREEDOM SCHOOL TODAY!

Following all worship services!

Program Dates:

June 29th - August 7th

8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Harlan High School

9652 S. Michigan • Chicago, IL 60628

- Tuition is \$750 and due in full at time of application. If your child(ren) receives reduced or free lunch, please attach documentation to receive a discount (of as much as 100%) off the full tuition. 10% discount for each additional child.
- \$25 application fee is required.
- (Cash not accepted) Please make checks or money orders payable to Trinity United Church of Christ and include in the memo section of the check that the payment is for Freedom School and include your child's name.

For information, send an email to
freedomschool@trinitychicago.org.

www.trinityuccfreedomschool.org.

Do you want to make a difference in your church home, but don't have time for meetings? Join the **Trinity Recyclers**. Collect bulletins after worship services on Sundays for recycling to help save God's green earth. Serve after the service you attend.

The bulletin recycling program is collecting bulletins from congregants at the end of each service. The bulletins are redistributed at the beginning of the next service. Recycling bulletins helps save our church time and money; and allows us to be good stewards.

FACT: For every ton of paper that is recycled, 17 trees are saved.

***Trinity Recyclers... Recycling Bulletins...
Every Sunday... Every Service...
Choose Your Service***

For more information, contact the Green Committee at green@trinitychicago.org or call 773-966-1500 Mailbox 2385.

Recycle Your Bulletin Today!

Announcements

SAVE THE DATE!!!
**MARRIED COUPLES
WORSHIP SERVICE**



Keeping the Music Playing...



Friday, June 19, 2015
7:00 p.m.

Guest Preachers
Revs. Cory and Courtney Jenkins

THE CAN-CER-VIVE MINISTRY IS HONORING CANCER SURVIVORS

The first Sunday of June and the entire month is designated for survivors of all cancers; the color is lavender. A cancer survivor is a person with cancer of any type who is still living, and includes caregivers, family members, and friends.

In 2014, the number of living adults and children in the U.S. with a history of cancer is 14,483,830. By the end of 2024, the number should reach 18,914,670 (includes 9.3 million males and 9.6 females).

The risk of developing any cancer can be reduced by regular visits to your doctor for screening, being physically active, healthy eating, and changes in lifestyles. The earlier a cancer is found and treated, the better chances are for living a long and healthy life.

**For information on Survivorship,
Stop by the Can-Cer-Vive Ministry's table
Sunday, June 7, 2015
After the 7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. worship services**

The Can-Cer-Vive ministry meets on 3rd Saturdays, 11:00 a.m., Room 207. For more information, email CanCerVive@trinitychicago.org.

THE TRINITY UCC GRANDPARENTS MINISTRY AND THE ENDELEO INSTITUTE

Present

TEACHING FINANCIAL LITERACY

Saturday, June 13, 2015

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Trinity UCC Village Center

1947 W. 95th St.

- Do you have questions about completing the FAFSA?
- Want to know how to acquire grant and apply for loans?

If you are a grandparent raising a new college student, join us for invaluable financial lessons. Lunch will be served. For information and to register, Call Tee Slatton, 773-966-1588.



TO ALL TRINITY UCC GRADUATES

You are cordially invited to attend the annual **Scholarship Brunch**, hosted by our First Lady, Mrs. Monica Brown Moss,

Saturday, June 13, 2015, 10:00 am.

If you are a recent Trinity graduate and would like to attend, please confirm your participation by contacting Brenda Tillman at BSTillman@trinitychicago.org, or 773-966-1500, Ext. 2827.

CONGRATULATIONS!
We hope to see you there!

Announcements

SAVE THE DATE!

THE SERVICE OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF
DENISE DUNCAN
BILLY MCGHEE

Saturday, June 13, 2015
12:00 Noon - Sanctuary

MINISTERS IN TRAINING DEBATE

Saturday, June 6, 2015
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Atrium

TOPICS OF DEBATE

“Is the Black Church Obsolete?”
“Should Human Trafficking Be Legalized?”

TRINITY UCC FREEDOM SCHOOL



TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Friday, June 12, 2015 & Saturday, June 13, 2015
Begins Friday at 6:00 p.m. and Saturday at 8:00 a.m.
Tuley Park: 501 E. 90th Place
\$40 per person

Tournament includes:

Men's Singles, Women's Singles, and a Special High School Singles Tournament

TENNIS CLINIC

Saturday, June 13, 2015
9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Tuley Park: 501 E. 90th Place
\$40 per person

*All proceeds from the tournament will benefit the Trinity UCC Freedom School.
To register for the event and for additional information, contact
Brian Williams (219) 669-5509 or freedomschool@trinitychicago.org.

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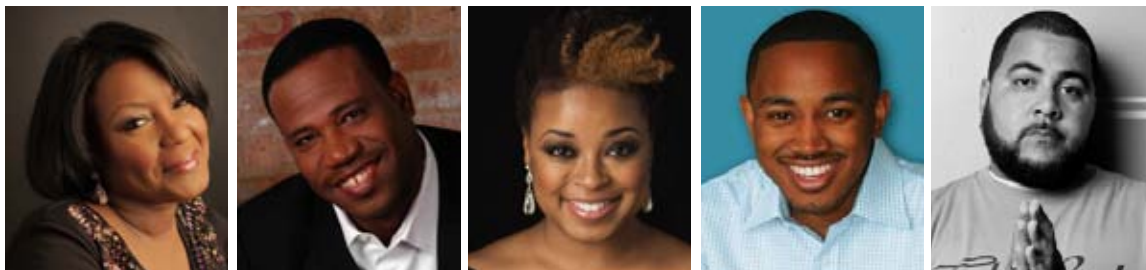


**IT'S A "PARTY WITH A PURPOSE"
IN HONOR OF PASTOR MOSS'
7TH ANNIVERSARY!**

Friday, June 5, 2015

7:15 p.m. (doors open at 6:45 p.m.)

Join us for an evening of fun, music, comedy, and dancing, at an "Ol' School" After Party, as we host our special guests from *A Safe Haven* and the *Mercy Home for Girls and Boys*.



Everyone Is Invited To Come Out and Enjoy

Jazz songstress Joan Collaso, comedian Ron Baker, Jr., songstress Meagan McNeal, singer-songwriter Kevon Carter, and an Ol' School After Party with DJ KAOS

For information on donations, stop by the ***Party with a Purpose*** table in the Narthex following all worship services, or call 773-966-1500 Ext. 2827.

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The **Party With A Purpose** will host the residents of **A Safe Haven South** and **Mercy Home for Girls & Boys** with a 5-star dining experience, fellowship, and a bit of pampering (haircuts, make-up, manicures, a petting zoo for the children, face painting and other services being donated by professionals in our congregation and the community).

To do this, we need **YOUR** help!!!
Here's how **YOU** can help!

Cash Donations and New Treasures

****A Safe Haven South** and **Mercy Home for Girls & Boys** provide housing and other assistance to men, women, and children with a focus on helping them achieve self-sufficiency.

Cash Donations	Oven mitts
Diapers (All Sizes)	Plates/Bowls/Glasses
Baby Wipes	Serving Spoons/Silverware
Toothbrushes/Toothpaste	Mops/Brooms
Mouthwash	Laundry Detergent/Oven Cleaner
Deodorant (Men/Women)	Bleach
Lotion/Vaseline	Pine Sol
Combs/Brushes	Kitchen Cleaner/Glass Cleaner
Shampoo/Conditioner	CTA Transit Cards
Twin Sheets/Twin Blankets	Folding Tables/Chairs
Baby Crib Sheets/Blankets	Paper Shredder
Pillows	New books for children
Soap	Kids Movies (New)
Bath Towels/Washcloths	Any other basic necessity to start a new life
Dish Towels	

Luke 14:15-24, the Parable of the Great Banquet

"Then the master told his servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full.'" (Verse 23)

May 31, 2015

Announcements

**THE UNEMPLOYED AND UNDEREMPLOYED:
ARE YOU READY FOR YOUR
NEXT JOB OR CAREER MOVE?**

**The Trinity UCC Career Development
Ministry, in collaboration with
ENOCH Limo Services will host a
CHAUFFEUR HIRING EVENT**



Wednesday, June 3, 2015

6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Trinity UCC Village Center • 1947
West 95th Street

**Meet with industry professionals
and receive information about:**
Chauffeur's profession • Chauffeur's
class • Job Opportunities

Enoch Limo Services will be accepting resumes from interested candidates and conducting on-site job interviews. To register, email us at careerdevelop@trinitychicago.org, call 773-966-1500 Mailbox 2309.

**IMMABASI HEALTH AND
WELLNESS/UIC EDUCATIONAL
STUDY FOR
AFRICAN AMERICAN CAREGIVERS
OF LOVED ONES WITH
MEMORY LOSS**

Wednesdays,
June 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th
6:00 p.m.

Trinity UCC Village Center
1947 West 95th Street
Chicago, IL

Topics include types of memory loss, and medical and legal decision-making. Participants will be paid a small stipend for their involvement in this study. Information, Call 773-966-1500 Mailbox 2332 or email Immabasi@trinitychicago.org.

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The Stewardship Ministry Cordially Invites All New Members To Attend Their BLACK AND CHRISTIAN New Member Class

We are so happy that you walked the aisle, gave your heart to Christ and your hand to the preacher. So that you may become a full-fledged member of Trinity United Church of Christ you MUST complete your new member classes! If you haven't taken both New Member classes (Sessions I and II) the Stewardship Ministry is expecting you! Please don't delay! Completion of the new member process after you have "walked the aisle" is in three stages:

- Completion of Sessions I and II (in that order) of your New Member Classes
- Right Hand of Fellowship on a first Sunday evening. *The "Right Hand of Fellowship" is a requirement for full membership into your new church home, Trinity UCC*
- Actively becoming a member who works in one of the ministries of your church home

Adults and Teens
Sessions I and II
Saturday, June 6, 2015
Registration: 8:00 a.m.
Class: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Fellowship Hall

(Continental Breakfast and lunch will be provided)

Children ages 12 and under
Sessions I and II
Saturday, June 6, 2015
Registration: 8:00 a.m.
Class: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

(Children must be accompanied by Parent or Guardian)

Receive Right Hand of Fellowship, **Sunday, June 7, 2015, 4:45 p.m.**

Please remember to bring your Bible – if you don't have one, we'll provide one for you! RSVP and CONFIRM your participation! Call the Membership/Ministry Services office, 773-962-5650, immediately! Expect a follow-up call from the Stewardship Ministry. PLEASE NOTE: Your picture will be taken during the Class.



Baptism, Baby Dedication, Right Hand of Fellowship, and more available online at <http://trinityucc.zenfolio.com!>



Notice: Reduced Saturday Akiba Hours

Until Saturday, June 20th,
the Akiba hours will be **11:00 a.m.** until **3:00 p.m.**

Women's Conference 2015 CD and DVD Sets



CONFERENCE ONLY

Women's Conference Set includes
all three (3) Conference Worship Services

CD Sets
\$25

or

DVD Sets
\$35

WOMEN'S DAY ONLY

Women's Day Set includes
all three (3) Sunday Worship Services

CD Sets
\$50

WOMEN'S WeekEND SET

Women's WeekEND Set includes
three (3) Conference Worship Services, and
three (3) Women's Day Worship Services

DVD Sets
\$65

NEW AKIBA STORE HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday, 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Friday, 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, after each Worship Service

(773) 962 - 5660 • www.akibabookstore.org





ENDELEO COLLEGE AMBASSADOR PROGRAM SUMMER COLLEGE BOOT CAMP Class of 2016

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
July 29 - August 21, 2015
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Trinity UCC Village Center
1947 West 95th Street • Chicago, IL

Offering:

- ❖ College and Career Advising
- ❖ Career Planning
- ❖ Financial Aid Awareness
- ❖ NCAA Eligibility
- ❖ Essay Writing
- ❖ Collecting recommendation letters
- ❖ Scholarship searches

REGISTRATION IS MANDATORY. For more information or to register, contact Carole Jacobs, 773-966-1583 or cjacobs@trinitychicgo.org.

•Endeleo is Progress, Growth, and Development•

Pentecost Sunday • May 24, 2015

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Calendar

TODAY 5/31

400 W. 95th Street

- 7:30 a.m. Worship Service – SA
- 9:30 a.m. S.A.L.T. - Serving and Learning Together - 203
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service – SA
- 1:45 p.m. Youth Revival Planning - 116
- 6:00 p.m. Worship Service – SA

MONDAY 6/1

400 W. 95th Street

CLOSED

TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 12:00 p.m. Immabasi: Diabetes Support Group - W301
- 7:00 p.m. Married Couples Dance Rehearsals - W301

TUESDAY 6/2

400 W. 95th Street

- 5:30 p.m. Women's Chorus Committee - 120
- 6:00 p.m. Boot Camp - Robichaux Park
- 7:00 p.m. Church In Society - 102
- Mimes - NII East
- Singles Ministry - A
- Men's Chorus Rehearsal - WC
- Women's Chorus - SA

TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 10:00 a.m. Big Mama's House Quilting Class - W301
- 6:15 p.m. Mwanabaraka Rehearsal - W301
- 7:15 p.m. Khayralla Rehearsal - W301

WEDNESDAY 6/3

400 W. 95th Street

- 11:30 a.m. Prayer Service - SA
- 6:00 p.m. Praise Team - FH
- Armor Bearers - 207
- 7:14 p.m. Wednesday at the Well - SA

TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 12:30 p.m. Family Caregivers - W307
- 6:00 p.m. Immabasi Memory Loss - W301
- Career Development Hiring Event - W307

THURSDAY 6/4

400 W. 95th Street

- 10:00 a.m. Harper H.S. Graduation Practice - FH/NI
- 2:00 p.m. Justice Watch Team - 120
- 6:00 p.m. Party with a Purpose Volunteers - A
- 6:30 p.m. Drill Team Rehearsal - NII East
- Housing Ministry Committee Meeting - BR
- 7:00 p.m. Married Couples Officers - 102

THURSDAY 6/4 cont.

400 W. 95th Street

- Servant Leadership - 202
- Married Couples Dance Rehearsal - FH
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - SA

TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 6:30 p.m. Tangeni Rehearsal - W301

FRIDAY 6/5

400 W. 95th Street

- 6:30 p.m. Isuthu Mentors Meeting - 202
- 7:15 p.m. Party with a Purpose - SA



TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 12:00 p.m. Child Care Training - W307
- 6:00 p.m. Big Mama's House (Sewing/Tailoring) - W307
- 6:15 p.m. Mwanabaraka & Khayralla Rehearsal - W301

SATURDAY 6/6

400 W. 95th Street

- 7:30 a.m. Yoga Ministry - NII
- 8:00 a.m. Zumba Fitness Class - A
- Black and Christian New Members Class - FH
- 9:00 a.m. Yoga Monthly Meeting - 207
- Saturday Bible School: Confirmation Class - BR
- S.A.L.T. Teen Class - 203
- Saturday Bible School: Adult Class - WC
- Saturday Bible School: 1st -2nd Grade - 120
- Saturday Bible School: Pre K-Kindergarten - 116
- Saturday Bible School: 3rd-6th Grade - 202
- Ministers In Training - A
- Black and Christian New Members Class - FH
- 10:45 a.m. Little Warriors for Christ/Imani Ya Watume' - WC
- 11:30 a.m. The Next Movement Committee
- General Meeting - 116
- 12:00 p.m. Drill Team Rehearsal - NII East
- Isuthu Ashante` Nation - 120
- 12:30 p.m. Walaika Rehearsal - WC
- Girl Scout Awards Ceremony - SA
- 1:30 p.m. Big Mama's House Meeting - 202
- 3:00 p.m. Pre-Marital Counseling Session - 202
- 3:30 p.m. Married Couples Dance Rehearsals - SA
- 4:00 p.m. Deacon Ministry Meeting - WC
- 4:30 p.m. Choosing Wisely: An Alternative to Divorce - 120

TUCC Village Center - 1947 West 95th Street

- 8:30 a.m. Domestic Violence How to Pick a Partner
- Workshop - W301
- 9:00 a.m. Legal Clinic Hours - Legal Clinic Room
- 11:30 a.m. Tennis Committee Meeting - W307

CHURCHWIDE EVENTS

BLAINE DENYE LIBRARY Ministry partners invite you to visit our library and explore the volumes on Bible study, African American history and culture, The theme for the month of May is Mothers: *Souls of My Sisters*, Dawn Marie Daniels, Ed.; *10 Good Choices That Empower Black Women's Lives*, by Grace Cornish; *Flat-Footed Truths: Telling Black Women's Lives*, by Patricia Bell-Scott; *Sisters Helping Sisters*, by Madeleine E. Wright; *Why I Love Black Women*, by Michael Eric Dyson, The library is located on the 2nd floor, Library hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Wednesdays, 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

DIVINE IMAGINATION CALL Join Pastor Moss for his monthly Divine Imagination telephone message, 11:55 a.m., Thursday, June 11, Dial 605-562-3102 and enter passcode 206047; press the “#” key

MINISTRY EVENTS

EMMAUS “GRIEF WORK” Ministry, Thursday, June 25, 7:00 p.m., Wright Chapel, June's topic: “Can Any Lose, Labor, or Suffer Too Much for Him?” Information, Contact Deacon Dr. Herbert Goodman, Jr., 773-966-1500 Mailbox 2320 or email Emmaus@trinitychicago.org

COMMUNITY EVENTS

2015 ORCHID AWARDS luncheon, Saturday, June 20, 2015, 11:30 a.m., Doubletree Alsip, 5000 W. 127th St., Alsip, IL, honoring Rev. Dr. Stacey Edwards-Dunn as one of 10 honorees of the Top Ladies of Distinction Skyline Chapter, Proceeds benefit our Scholarship Fund, Tickets and information, Contact J. Thompson, 773-852-9313 or C. Washington, 312-808-0969, or email janicethompson25@aol.com

COOK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION 101st Annual Awards and Installation Banquet, Friday, June 12, Reception: 5:30 p.m., Dinner: 6:30 p.m., Hyatt Regency Chicago, 151 E. Wacker Dr., CCBA is the oldest local association of Black American lawyers, Information, tickets and advertising in program book, Call Judith Hannah, 312-951-9668 or email jhlegal@msn.com

FREE MAMMOGRAMS available for uninsured women, Roseland Community Hospital Mammogram Center, 45 W. 111th St., Call 773-955-3094 to schedule an appointment, Free transportation and lunch available, For additional information, Call Rhonda Perdue, 773-291-1935

HYMNS FOR HIM CD and DVD release, Friday, June 12, 7:00 p.m., Progressive Baptist Church, 3658 S. Wentworth, Includes renown artists Bishop Carlton Pearson, Pastor DeAndre Patterson, Minister Walter Owens, and Kelvin McLin, Contribution supports scholarships for youth, Information, Call Kelvin McLin, 708-912-1583

MY FIRST LOVE Father and Daughter Dance, Friday, June 19, 6:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m., Casa Maria, 500 Northgate Drive, Dyer, IN, Hosted by Darryl King, Tickets and information, Call 708-515-6280

PLUMBERS APPRENTICESHIP Program, offered by the Plumbers' Joint Apprenticeship Committee of Local 130, U.A., Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, June 13 – July 11, Information, Call 312-421-1028

REFLECTIONS by Terrence A. Reese, Exhibit June 5 – July 12; reception, Saturday, June 13, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m., Beverly Arts Center, Atrium Gallery, 2407 W. 111th St., Documentary-styled black and white photography series featuring

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personal living spaces of renowned Americans. Including Colin Powell, Gordon Parks, B.B. King, and more, Free, Information, Call 773-445-3838

SISTAHS IN SYNC, INC., founded by Rev. Ramah E. Wright and Mrs. Mary Crayton, is dedicated to promoting a spirit of cooperation and interdependence among women, fostering a healthy and productive future for blended families, Seeks women with blended families willing to share stories that might strengthen or encourage other women, For information and to submit your story, visit www.sistahsinsync.com, or leave a message at 312-623-6900

START MOVING, START LIVING documentary highlighting the dangers of immobility, journey to a healthy lifestyle, and overall positive results of increased physical activity, Thursday, June 4, 6:00 p.m., Apostolic Church of God, 6320 S. Dorchester, To register, Call 888-824-0200

TWISTED MELODIES written by Kelvin Roston, Jr., through June 14, Athenaeum Theatre, Studio B, 2936 N. Southport, Fictionalized journey through the mind of musical genius Donny Hathaway, a man lost in space and time, battling schizophrenia and trying to come to terms with everything, Tickets and information, Call 773-935-6875 or email slong@congosquaretheatre.org

THE IT MINISTRY AND TRINITY'S DIGI PASTOR PRESENT THE NEXT TRINITY APP WORKSHOP

Saturday, June 13, 2015

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Trinity UCC Village Center
1947 West 95th Street, Chicago, IL

During this workshop, learn how to:

- Download and use our Trinity UCC Mobile App
- Post messages and tweets during service on the app
- Access information on "Reset" both on the app and the online bulletin
- Submit/use Prayer Requests and read the Daily Devotion

In preparation for the workshop:

- Make sure you know your user names and passwords for your email, Facebook, and Twitter accounts (if you already have)
- Bring your laptop (Mac), Smart phones (Apple or Android only, with Internet access)
- We will assist you in setting up your accounts. (Please note that we are unable to access the app on E- Readers (Kindles or Nooks) or Windows computers.)

To register, go to: <http://tinyurl.com/TUCCApp>
or contact the IT Ministry, 773-966-1500 Mailbox 233, or via email, IT@trinitychicago.org.

Churchwide Theme for 2015

Renew, Reclaim, Restore, Reconnect

Renew Our Relationship with God

January (Worship)

Zechariah 1:3 (NIV)

Therefore tell the people: This is what The Lord Almighty says: 'Return to me,' declares the Lord Almighty, 'and I will return to you,' says the Lord.

February (Prayer)

Deuteronomy 4:29 (NIV)

But if from there you seek the Lord your God, you will find him with all your heart and all your soul.

March (Bible Study)

Psalms 119:105 (NIV)

Your Word is a lamp for my feet, a light for my path. I have taken an oath and confirmed it that I will follow your righteous laws.

Reclaim Our African Heritage

April (African Origins of Christianity)

Psalms 68:31 (NLT)

Let Egypt come with gifts of precious metals; let Ethiopia bring tribute to God. Sing to the God you kings of the earth. Sing praises to the Lord.

May (Black Religion)

Isaiah 19:19-21 (NLT)

In that day there will be an altar to the Lord in the heart of Egypt, and a monument to the Lord at its borders. It will be a sign and a witness that the Lord of Heaven's Armies is worshipped in the land of Egypt. When the people cry to the Lord for help against those who oppress them, he will send them a savior who will rescue them.

June (African Diaspora)

Zephaniah 3:10 (NIV)

My scattered people who lived beyond the rivers of Ethiopia will come to present their offerings. On that day you will no longer need to be ashamed for you will no longer be rebellious against me.

Restore Justice and Mercy

July (Prophetic Mission of the Church)

Zechariah 7:9 (NIV)

This is what The Lord Almighty said: 'Administer true justice; show mercy and compassion to one another.'

August (Black Liberation Theology)

Leviticus 19:34 (NIV)

The foreigner residing among you must be treated as your native-born. Love them as yourself, for you were foreigners in Egypt. I am The Lord your God.

September (Social Justice/Activism)

Psalms 82:3 (NIV)

Defend the weak and the fatherless; uphold the cause of the poor and the oppressed.

Reconnect to Our Community

October (Evangelism)

Acts 1:8 (NIV)

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth.

November (Hospitality)

Hebrews 13:2-3 (NIV)

Keep on loving one another as brothers and sisters. Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers for by so doing some people have shown hospitality to angels without knowing it.

December (Servanthood)

II Corinthians 3:2-3 (NIV)

You yourselves are our letter, written on hearts, known and read by everyone. You show that you are a letter from Christ, the result of our ministry, written not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God, not on tablets of stone but on tablets of human hearts.

Trinity United Church of Christ

Family Month 2015



June 5: A Party With A Purpose, honoring Rev. Dr. Otis Moss III's 7th Anniversary

June 7: Guest Preacher - Rev. Dr. Jawanza Colvin,
7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



June 7: Family and Elders Photos, following 7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. worship services

June 13: Scholarship Brunch, 10:00 a.m., Atrium



June 14: Scholarship and Graduate Recognition Program, 3:00 p.m.

June 14: A Taste of Trinity, 1:30 p.m.



June 14: Elders Photos, following 7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. worship services

June 19: Married Couples Ministry Worship Service, 7:00 p.m.
Guest Preachers: Revs. Cory and Courtney Jenkins



June 21: Father's Day,
Rev. Dr. Otis Moss, Jr. and Rev. Dr. Otis Moss III



June 21: Family and Elders Photos, following 7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. worship services