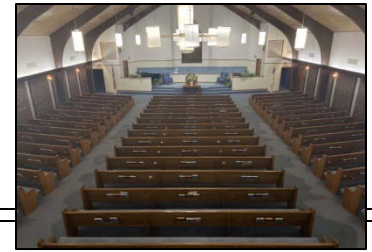


# THE TRINITY TRUMPET



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While there is much about our current surroundings that remains uncertain, there are several encouraging observations that remind us that God is active, especially in life's trials.

1. I'm encouraged by our Worship: There is an elevated love for the foundation of the church among God's people. In John 4:23-24, Christ reminds us that our worship is both "in spirit and in truth". He speaks of hearts that are inflamed and minds that are informed; by the Word of God. I have witnessed personal testimony of how our Lord is active in the lives of our church through the simple, foundational truth found in the pages of God's Word!
2. I'm encouraged by a functioning Church Body: The church body is functioning scripturally even outside of the church walls. We preach and believe those truths about the church, but it has been even more amazing being allowed to live it. We continue to pray one for another and share in the joys and pains of each other's life. We truly are a scriptural body, and that is more visible than ever in these days.
3. I'm encouraged by our longing to be at Church: While the changes imposed upon us have been life altering on many levels, we have all come to an agreement at our house. What we are missing more than anything, is worshipping "together" at church. We miss the church. And I know you do too. While we still function as a body, and can still worship our Lord in spirit and in truth, there is just something missing. Technology, while it provides us the ability to be connected, does not allow us true biblical communion, together. We were created to worship God, together. And we will again...soon...and what a reunion that will be!

So, I miss you, I pray for you, and may God help us all to worship Him, in the midst of this trial! ~ Pastor Tim

\*\*\*It is our hope that at some point during the month of May, we can begin the process of meeting again at the church. Pray for us as we continue to seek the Lord for wisdom in navigating the coming weeks together. We desire to do that which is most honoring to Him regarding the body at Trinity Baptist Church. We look forward to being able to communicate that first gathering!

## MAY 2020

\*Birthdays \*\*Anniversaries †Daily Prayer

| Sun   | Mon  | Tue  | Wed   | Thu                                  | Fri                                     | Sat                                    |
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| <i>All activities that were on the calendar for May have been canceled.</i> |  |  |   |                                      | <b>1</b><br>†Daniel & Marlene Donnahue  | <b>2</b><br>†Chad Epley Family         |
| <b>3</b> *Tony Nichols<br>†Paul & Lib Epley                                 | <b>4</b><br>†Norma Evans   | <b>5</b><br>†Allen & Diane Fox                               | <b>6</b> *Tim Hodge<br>**Randy & Donna Huffman<br>†Robert & Judy Glazebrook | <b>7</b><br>†Joyce & Logan Greene    | <b>8</b><br>†David Hamm Family          | <b>9</b><br>†Nick Head Family          |
| <b>10</b><br>†Thadd Hodge Family  | <b>11</b><br>†Tim Hodge Family                                   | <b>12</b> *Chrissy Whisnant<br>†Barry & Christine Hooks      | <b>13</b> *Alyssa Buff<br>†Randy Huffman Family                             | <b>14</b><br>†Lance Huss Family      | <b>15</b> *Dallas Patton<br>†Matt Ingle | <b>16</b><br>†Edwin James Family       |
| <b>17</b><br>†Greg & Kaye Lail  | <b>18</b><br>†Champ & Sandra Lowman                              | <b>19</b> *Sarah Buff<br>*Carla Ross<br>†Jimmy Lowman Family | <b>20</b> *Chad Epley<br>†Daniel Moneyham Family                            | <b>21</b><br>†Jonathan & Sara Morgan | <b>22</b><br>†Andy & Terry Newton       | <b>23</b><br>†Tony & Elizabeth Nichols |
| <b>24</b> *Kay White<br>†Faye Noles   | <b>25</b> *Joyce Greene<br>*Jimmy Lowman<br>†Bruce Norman Family | <b>26</b><br>†Dallas Patton Family                           | <b>27</b> **Bruce & Pete Norman<br>†Pat Patton Family                       | <b>28</b><br>†Paul & Donna Patton    | <b>29</b><br>†Michael Perry Family      | <b>30</b><br>†Robert & Brenda Perry    |
| <b>31</b> *Seth Perry<br>†Stephen Perry Family                              |  |  |   |                                      |   |  |