

Service

Discipleship and service are key components of the life at Trinity UMC. We learn about our faith through discipleship and then we practice our faith through service.

Bladen Crisis Center

Trinity UMC was one of the founding churches of the Bladen Crisis Center and we continue to regularly collect items and provide funding to the Bladen Crisis Center.

Partnerships with Local Schools

Trinity UMC looks for opportunities to regularly support our local schools at Elizabethtown Primary, East Bladen High School, and Bladen Community College.

Youth Led Service

The children and youth lead the church in a monthly outreach project including to the local schools, library, and animal shelter.

Emergency Response Team

The mission of an Early Response Team (ERT) is to provide a caring Christian presence in the immediate aftermath of disaster.

Contact: David deAndrade

Missions Team & More...

These are only a few of the ways that we serve here at Trinity UMC... there are many more ways to serve within the church by joining a church ministry or service the community through the church Missions Team which helps lead the church in outreach to the greater community.

Contact: Mary Greene



Old Trinity Methodist Church, 311 E. Broad St., Elizabethtown, NC 28337

Welcome

Whether you are a member of this congregation, attend here regularly or occasionally, are visiting with family or friends from out of town, or are here for the first time, with great joy we welcome you! It is our hope and prayer that God will speak to you in a special way during your time at Trinity United Methodist and that you will experience the love of God. Trinity UMC seeks to be a family of faith with a place for all people. Trinity UMC offers worship services and other activities, such as Bible study, Sunday School, prayer services, musical ministries, and service opportunities to help people connect with each other and with God. Please be in touch.

May the peace of Christ be with you!
Rev. Lindsay Ballance Collins

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Lindsay Ballance Collins

Administrative Assistant: Ann Dowless

Music Ministries Director: Melanie Wohlford

Accompanist: Tim Olsen

Financial Administrator: Ken Moore

Children/Youth Coordinator: Laura Hall

Sound System: Nelson Goodnight

District Superintendent: Rev. Tara Lain

Bishop: Rev. Leonard Fairley



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****NEW Website Coming Soon****

How to get involved Discipleship

Children's Ministry

Sunday mornings at 10am-

- A **nursery** is available during the worship hour for children who have not yet started school.
- **Children's church** is available for kids preschool – 4th grade immediately following the children's sermon during worship in the fellowship hall.
- **All children of all age are ALWAYS WELCOME in worship. These ministries are available if your family would like to participate.**
- **Children help lead in worship** by acting as an acolyte, crossbearer, or providing music.
- **Children's bulletins & worship bags** are located near the entrance to the sanctuary for kids to create an artistic offering during the worship service.

Sunday mornings at 11am – Small groups

- **Nursery** – for children who haven't yet started school.
- **Children's Sunday School** – Preschool -4th grade

Once a month –

- The children's ministry sponsors a fun family activity like a pool party, Back-to-school bash, hayride, or going to see Christmas lights!

Youth Ministry – 5th grade- 12th grade

Sunday mornings at 11am – Small Groups

- **Youth Sunday School**

Once a month –

- The youth ministry sponsors a fun activity like a pool party, Pilgrimage, hayride, or going to see Christmas lights!

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH MINISTRY
CONTACT is LAURA HALL

Music Ministry

Choir

- Typically sings weekly in the Sunday morning worship service and meets on Wednesday nights at 6pm.

Bell choir

Trinity UMC is very proud of its bell choirs. They are an important part of our music ministry!

- *Trinity Ringers – advanced*
- *Grace Notes- beginner*
Contact for Grace Notes & Trinity Ringers is Melanie Wohlford
- *Crescendo – expert*
Contact: Patti Yoder
- *Children's Bell Choir .- novice*
Contact: Cathy Kinlaw

Caring Ministry

Called to Care

- Assist with visitation, transportation, meal preparation, and card making to offer support to members of the church journeying through seasons when support is needed.
Contact: Nancy Tatum

Prayer Shawl Ministry

- Crochet, knit, sewn, and quilted blankets are prepared and prayed over as a tangible representation of the prayers of the church for folks.
Contact: Mary Greene

Hospitality Team

- Provide food and opportunities for church attendees to fellowship with one another. This dedicated ensures guests on Sunday are welcomed warmly.
Contact: Renee Summerlin

Flower Ministry

- Distributes fresh flowers used in worship to shut-ins and others.
Contact: Linda Jones

Greeters & Ushers

- Greet attendees at worship services, provide bulletins, and directions.
Contact: Clark Valentiner

Prayer Ministry

Weekly Prayer Service ...Wednesdays at 11:30am in the Church Prayer Garden...Beginning September 29th.

Small Groups for Adults

Sundays at 11am

- Adult Sunday School Class –
led by Daniel Collins
- Older Adult Sunday School Class –
led by Hal Porter

Thursdays at 1pm

- Weekly Bible Study ... This will be a hybrid class –both online and in-person. Join in on your lunch break! ... Beginning Thursday October 7th.

United Methodist Women

Helping women grow in their relationship with Christ.

Contact: Tiina Mundy

United Methodist Men

Helping men grow in their relationship with Christ.

Typically meet for breakfast on the third Sunday of the month.

Contact: Robin Summerlin



Worship

Sunday mornings at 10am! All are welcome!