



Trinity's Mission Statement :

Living With God at the Center

Individually and together, we honor God at the center of our lives by:
Meeting Jesus in authentic community-**Community**.
Seeking to know God better-**Communion**.
Learning God's truths-**Roots**.
Serving God's purposes through our life mission-**Mission**.
Welcoming the deep changes that the Spirit desires within us-**Renewal**.
We invite others to worship with us and to join us on this journey.

NEW TO TRINITY?

Helping people to worship God is important to us. We believe that worship is not a passive receiving, but an active encounter with Jesus who stoops to meet us as we worship. The **Mostly Liturgical Worship Service** at **9:00 am** uses liturgy, hymns, worship songs, and silence to guide us in the worship of God. The **10:35 am Church From Scratch Worship** Service blends all different types of music, arts, liturgy and free-form worship to help guide newcomers and experienced alike in the worship of God. During the Summer and on **Family Worship Sunday**, selected Sundays throughout the year, we come together as one worshiping family at **9:30 am**.

A **Nursery**, (downstairs) is available for children two and under at both worship hours. A "Family Room" on the right side of the Sanctuary is available, as well.

Sunday Morning

Children's Christian Education

School Year Schedule - 9:00 & 10:35

Children join their families in the Sanctuary for opening worship and "Learning with Our Children", then proceed downstairs for class.

Parents must sign their children in and out of all classes each week and pick them up promptly following worship. The Sign-in sheet is located in the main hallway outside the Sanctuary doors; sign-out downstairs in Fellowship Hall. This is particularly important after the 9 am service so our teachers can put away materials and set up for the 10:35 class. Thank you for supporting our teachers; you are always welcome to visit our classrooms.

Adult Christian Education

Sunday morning and Midweek opportunities are available; check the calendar or contact Robin Olschner (robind@tpcarvada.org) for details.

Youth Ministries

School year schedule - **9:00 am**, Sunday Morning Breakfast Club (upstairs) for Junior & Senior High Youth. At **10:35 am**, all Youth are encouraged to attend worship.

Youth Group Gatherings

1st Sunday—Jr. & Sr. High Combined

Junior High Youth Group (6th–9th) Sundays, from 5:15 to 6:45 pm

Senior High Youth Group

Sundays, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm

CALENDAR

Sunday, December 3

9:00 am Mostly Liturgical Worship
9:00 am Youth Sunday School (Sr. Hi room)
10:30 am The Story Adult SS (Libr.-Michael)
10:35 am "Church from Scratch" Worship
6:00 pm Combined Youth Group

Monday, December 4

1:00 pm Senior Bible Study
7:00 pm Guided Prayer (301)

Tuesday, December 5

6:15 pm Film & Faith (Library)
(NO Ladies' Bunco in December)

Thursday, December 7

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Friday, December 8

1:00 pm Sew Crafty (Library)

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, December 10

9:00 am Mostly Liturgical Worship
9:00 am Youth Sunday School (Sr. Hi room)
10:30 am The Story Adult SS (Libr.-Michael)
10:35 am "Church from Scratch" Worship
5:15 pm Jr. High Youth Group
7:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group

Monday, December 11

11:30 am Senior Lunch (off-site)
7:00 pm Guided Prayer (301)

Tuesday, December 12

7:30 pm Second Tuesdays at Trinity Concert Series

Wednesday, December 13

6:30 pm Finance Committee (Library)

Thursday, December 14

6:30 pm Carols, Cookies & Cocoa

Advent Devotionals

Available in the Lobby
(\$1 donation)

Take just a few moments each day during this hectic season and find just the right reading to guide your day and make this holy season of Advent more meaningful.



Film & Faith

Tuesday, December 5 - starting promptly at 6:15 pm (run time 2 1/2 hours)

The Revenant is based on the true story of a frontiersman on a fur trading expedition in the 1820s who fights for survival after being mauled by a bear and left for dead by members of his own hunting team.

Watching this film together will provide us an opportunity for a great discussion, but it is not a film that would be appropriate for younger members of your family. It is rated R for graphic depictions of violence at particular points and there is some R-rating-worthy language as well. Still, we hope that you will join us for an invigorating conversation following our viewing of the film!

Sew Crafty

**Friday, December 8
1 to 4 pm or so**

This is the last gathering before Christmas, so bring any projects to work on and enjoy fellowship with others who also enjoy being creative!

For more information, contact:

Barbara or Margie
barbarah@tpcarvada.org
or
margieb@tpcarvada.org



Christmas Party

(Dee Jacobson's home, 7320 W. 95th Ave.)

Saturday, December 16 - 5:30 pm - ?

Plan to bring finger foods (beverages provided) and a \$10 gift (labeled for a man or a woman)

Please RSVP by December 13: Dee (303-425-4205) or Cindy (303-423-4465)

CONTINUOUS FOOD DRIVE TODAY!

Your monthly donations of non-perishable food items provide ongoing support to help meet the needs of the people served by the Arvada Food Bank and Growing Home. Financial contributions are always appreciated, as well; checks should be written directly to the organization of your choice. If you are donating cash, please put it in a Love Fund envelope and write "Growing Home" or "Arvada Food Bank" on the envelope and put that into the offering plate.



Mitten & Sock Tree

Help "decorate" this annual tradition with warm clothing items that will go to the kids of Jeffco Action Center.
(in loving memory of Alice Organ)

New Safety Measure in the Works

In the interest of security, especially for our little ones, soon the lower level door will only be unlocked for a set amount of time before services on Sunday mornings. We understand that many park in the north lot and take advantage of the elevator; a door chime will be installed for those who may miss that window of time.

And remember, if you see or hear something, say something!!

YOUTH STUFF

Sunday Morning Breakfast Club (during school year) at 9:00 am then Worship together at **10:35 am**.

YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE:

1st Sunday of the Month - ALL Youth, 6 to 8 pm

Remaining Sundays:

Jr. High: 6th — 8th grades

5:15 to 6:45 pm on Sundays

Invite your friends! Come get closer to God and make lasting new friendships.

Sr. High: 9th — 12th grades

7:00 to 9:00 pm on Sundays

It's going to be a great year meeting weekly and growing in God.

Today is the first Sunday of the month; hope to see ALL youth at 6 pm!

Contact Sarah for more information - 720-938-2892 or sarah@tpcarvada.org

Second Tuesdays at Trinity

Tuesday, December 12 at 7:30 pm

The Altezza Trio

Karine Garibova (violin), Angela Gadeliya (piano) and Sergei Vassiliev (clarinet)

20th Century Masterpieces

Prokofiev: Five Melodies for Violin & Piano, Op. 35

Schoenfield: Trio for Clarinet, Violin & Piano

Debussy: Premiere rhapsodie for Clarinet & Piano

Bartok: Contrasts, Sz. 111

Meet and Greet Reception follows

Tickets: \$15 for adults and \$10 for students through high school.

Reserve tickets by using this link:

<https://www.presbyterianmissionexchange.org/second-tuesdays-tickets>

You can also purchase tickets at the door the evening of the concert using cash, credit card or check.

Girlfriend Book Clubs

GLAM, be reading "Elephant Company" by Vicki Constantine Croke 10 am, December 20 Betty Hope's home

Book Chat, our next read for January 24 is: "The Calligrapher's Daughter" by Eugenia Kim

Advent in the Presbytery of Denver

"My words will not pass away," said Jesus. Christ's words to heal, bring hope, and proclaim good news continue to call out to us. Throughout Advent we will show in our messages how our mission partnerships, task forces and covenant community also continue to respond to Christ's call. And with your giving you share in their work and participate in the good news of Christ in this season and always.



Trinity's Staff

Senior Pastor: John Anderson, D. Min

Church Administrator: Barbara Hooks

Secretary/Bulletin: Margie Bessler

Accompanist: Leslie Dove

Treasurer: Lana Hearne

9:00 am Helping With Our Services Today

10:35 am

Worship Leader: George Over

Worship Leader: Greg McCubbin

Acolyte: Sindra Wolf

Usher: Cheryl Price

Ushers: Jack Roberts, Stan Lush,

Greeter:

Don Feucht, Bob Shirley

Communion Servers: Kathleen McCubbin, Marilyn Archer

Openers: Bob & Anna Langness

Closer: Terry & Denise Breci