

# Trinity Tribune DECEMBER 2024

#### TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



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### Lexington Ministerial Alliance

Alliance member churches will participate in a fundraising event at Brother's Market throughout the month of December. Members of Trinity UCC will have the opportunity to be present at Brother's on Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. What you will do: Sign up in the narthex for a time slot between 10am and 6pm on December 7<sup>th</sup> or call Rev. Liz. If you are the first one at Brother's at 10am please ask management to get the

10am, please ask management to get the little black contribution box (on a stand) out of the office. You will sit or stand next to the box during your shift, greet folks, and talk to them about how these funds will help people in Lexington with utility bills. If you have the last shift from 5-6pm, please ask management to lock the box in the office.

## Women's Circle #2 meets Thursday,

December 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. Come to lunch with the group afterward at a local restaurant. Thanks for all you do!

> Church Council will meet Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup> <u>at 6:00 p.m.</u> in the Educational Building.



Advent Chorale: <u>Sunday, December</u> <u>8<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.</u> at Salem UCC in Higginsville, 1500 N. Main Street. The last rehearsal before the concert is on Dec. 8th: 2:00-3:15 p.m.

#### Advent

The season of Advent begins Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. Advent is a period of spiritual preparation in which we make ourselves ready for the coming, or birth of the Lord, Jesus Christ. On our Advent wreath, each week we will light the candles of Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love. The Christ Candle at the center of the wreath will be lit on Christmas Eve.

#### Christmas Eve

Christmas Eve service will take place on Tuesday December 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. Bring your family and friends to worship as we celebrate the birth of Jesus! We will have age-appropriate gifts for all the Young Disciples.

Inclement Weather: If snow or ice is forecasted for our area, please tune in to KMZU and the Kansas City television stations. If in-person Sunday morning worship is cancelled, an announcement will be broadcast on KMZU and will also appear on your TV screen and on the television stations' websites. Rev. Liz will then do the service on Facebook Live. Trinity United Church of Christ 1312 Franklin Avenue Lexington, MO 64067

## RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

## SUNDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS and LECTORS

December 1st	Jeanne Decker	Luke 21:25-36	Signs of Things to Come
December 8 <sup>th</sup>	Cori Burditt	Luke 3:1-6	Make Ready
December 15th	Donna Lichte	Luke 3:7-18	Look Forward
December 22nd	Natalie Schwartze	Luke 1:39-55	Mary's Song
December 24th	Jeanne Decker	Luke 2:1-20	Christ Is Born!
December 29th	Cathy Bear	Luke 2:41-52	Who Is This Child?
January 5 <sup>th</sup>	Jeanne Decker	John 1:1-18	Another Road