

**Today's fruit** is given Anonymously.

The Trinity Talent and Variety Show is back and looking for acts! This year's theme is "**Fun and Games**," so you can recite a poem, show off a skill, sing a song or dance a jig. Everyone of all ages is encouraged to join in. Dinner starts at 6:00, and the show begins at 7:00. See Rachel by March 8 to participate.

**This week at Trinity**

**Today, March 1st** – Youth 4:00-5:30 PM at Trinity

**Monday, March 2nd** – Trinity Bells 7:00-8:00 PM

**Wednesday, March 4th** – Functional Fitness Class 10:00 AM

Wacky Wednesday 5:45-6:45 PM

Youth Bible Study 6:15-7:00 PM

**Servant Leaders this week, March 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Acolyte Kennedy

Counters Ginger and Sarah

Scripture Reader Zack Ugol

**Servant Leaders next week, March 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>**

Acolyte Dylan

Counters Jack and Brenda

Scripture Reader Joan Taylor



Give With Tithely

# The Second Sunday of Lent A Singing Sunday March 1, 2026



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\*Gathering Song

To God Be the Glory, 98

\*Call to Worship

Zach Ugol

Children of God, in Lent we remember that our salvation is an unearned gift, that new life is a matter of faith, not of works.

**We gather to lay down the burden of trying to earn our salvation.**

Like Nicodemus, who met Jesus in the dark of night, we struggle to accept that new life is not just possible but given as a free gift of grace.

**We gather to bring our struggles into the light and embrace God's grace with open arms.**

Like the many who have followed, questioned, and grown in the faith, we submit ourselves to be formed by grace as we work out our salvation day by day.

**We gather as people guided by the promise of new life, a promise fulfilled by Christ, whose path we follow.**

\*Praise Songs

I Will Follow

No Longer Slaves

Life in the Community

Blessing of Prayer Shawls

Children's Time

Our Lenten Journey Continues

Chancel Choir Anthem

God So Loved the World

Seated Songs

Love Divine, All Love's Excelling, 384

How Great Thou Art, 77

Prayer for the People

Sharing Our Gifts

Offertory

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

\*Praising God!

Doxology # 95

\*Songs of Grace

One Thing Remains

Build My Life

The Gospel Reading

John 3:1-17 Zach Ugol

Sparrows Special

Rise

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Confession

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Celtic

**Holy One, beyond all names**

**Eternal Wellspring**

**May love rise again in us today**

**With food for every table**

**Shelter for every family**

**And reverence for every life.**

**Forgive us our failings in love**

**And free us from all falseness**

**That the light of our souls may shine**

**And the strength of our spirits endure**

**For Earth and all its people**

**This day, tonight, and forever. Amen**

Receiving the Bread and Cup

Sending Song

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

Blessing