

# The Church Directory

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## THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUPS

<i>Youth Fellowships</i> The Ministers	<i>Chairman of Troop Committee</i> Eugene M. Henry	<i>Boy Scouts</i> F. I. Greathouse, Scoutmaster R. L. Blake H. W. Johnson
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# Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

Trinity Avenue at Gregson Street  
Durham, North Carolina

"A Friendly Community Church"



God make the door of this House wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship, and the Father's care; and narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred. Make its threshold smooth enough for the feet of little children and rugged enough to call forth our mature powers.

on entering into worship  
let the people be silent and pray

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Vestry Prayers with Session  
Prelude \* "Liturgical Improvisation" George Olroyd  
Prayers with the Choir  
Introit Chancel Choir

PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 132 \* Tune: Coronation  
-Congregation sings all stanzas, stand on second-

CALL TO PRAYER

M. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.  
R. And grant us thy salvation.  
M. O God, make clean our hearts within us.  
R. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.  
M. The Lord be with you.  
R. And with thy spirit.  
M. Let us worship God.

ADORATION (in unison)

Eternal and ever-blessed God, Lord of heaven and earth: We praise Thy glorious majesty. Thy wisdom is seen in all Thy works; Thy grace and truth are revealed in Jesus Christ Thy Son; Thy power and presence are vouchsafed to us through Thy Holy Spirit; wherefore we adore Thy holy name, O blessed Trinity, for ever and ever. Amen.

CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 8 p. 470, Sel. 3

ANTHEM "God of Grace and God of Glory" Paul Langston

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

THE CREED FOR APOSTLES (Hymnbook, p. 12) Gloria Patri

HYMN NO. 400 Tune: St. Margaret

PRAYERS Thanksgiving

Supplication (in unison)

O God, help me all through this week  
To do nothing to worry those who love me;

To do nothing to let down those who trust me;  
To do nothing to fail those who employ me;  
To do nothing to hurt those who are close to me.

Help me all through this week  
To do nothing which would be a cause of  
temptation to someone else or which would  
make it easier for someone else to go wrong;  
Not to discourage anyone who is doing his best;  
Not to dampen anyone's enthusiasms, or to  
increase anyone's doubts.

Help me to all through this week  
To be a comfort to the sad;  
To be a friend to the lonely;  
To be an encouragement to the dispirited;  
To be a help to those who are up against it.

So grant that others may see in me something of  
the reflection of the Master whose I am and whom  
I seek to serve. This I ask for your love's  
sake. Amen.

Intercession Communion of Saints  
"Our Father ..."

HYMN NO. 418 Tune: Bentley Cowper, 1779

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Hymn of Spring" Langston

DOXOLOGY

SERMON "REMEMBER ME" The Minister

BENEDICTION and Choral Response POSTLUDE

\* Latecomers may be seated.

After the Doxology children in first and  
second grades may go for Junior Church.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS TODAY are given by Mr. & Mrs. Gurney R.  
Blanchard in loving memory of her mother, Mrs. L.G. Gray.

an order of morning worship  
eleven o'clock Sunday May 16, 1965



THE SACRAMENT OF INFANT BAPTISM WAS administered on last Sunday to Deborah Grant Offutt, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. James M. Offutt, 301 W. Trinity Avenue. We welcome Mr. & Mrs. Offutt who were received into membership on last Sunday.

THE FELLOWSHIP DARTBALL LEAGUE will hold their annual banquet on May 24, 6:30 P.M. at the Central Civic Center. Team members and their wives are invited to attend.

THE DEPTH STUDY GROUPS WILL MEET AS FOLLOWS:

Contemporary Theology: Meet Sunday, May 30th, 8:00 P.M. to discuss "The Humanity of God," by Karl Barth.

Contemporary Literature: Sunday, June 6th at 8:00 P.M. to discuss "The Power and the Glory," by Graham Greene.

Both books are available in paperback and you are invited to join either or both of these discussion groups.

OFFICERS OF THE GEORGE MATTHIS CLASS invites the class members, **their families** and friends to an old-fashioned weiner roast on next Friday, May 21st, at Duke Forest, Gate F, off Highway 751, 6:00 P.M.

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE KINDERGARTEN AND CO-OP NURSERY are now being taken for the school to begin in September. If your child plans to attend we suggest that you contact the Church Office at your earliest convenience.

REMEMBER! to mark your calendar for the Family Vacation Church School to be held July 25 - 30. Sessions will be held in the evening for every member of the family and it is a rewarding experience to participate with every member of the family. The Annual Church Picnic will be the final activity of the School on Saturday, July 31st, at a time and place to be announced.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, MAY 16

Nursery: Mrs. Eugene Henry, Director  
Ext. Kindergarten: Mrs. F.L. Greathouse, Dir.

SESSION: Business Meeting, 7:30

YOUTH BELL CHOIR: 5:00 P.M. for rehearsal

ADULT BELL CHOIR: 6:15 P.M. for rehearsal

YOUTH GROUPS: Supper at 6:00 P.M.

Study groups at 6:30 as follows:

Junior Highs: "Faith and Practice" with Mr. Lloyd E. Griffith

Senior Highs: "Social Practice" with Dr. William DeMaria

### MONDAY, MAY 17

GIRL SCOUTS: 3:30 P.M.

BOY SCOUTS: 7:30 P.M.

### TUESDAY, MAY 18

CUB SCOUTS: 3:30 P.M. at 417 W. Knox

SEWING GUILD: 10:00 A.M. in Geoge Matthis Classroom - Mrs. C. R. Vail, Chairman. Women in the Church interested in helping are encouraged to meet with this group on Tuesday.

GOD & COUNTRY SCOUTS: 3:45 with the Minister

### THURSDAY, MAY 20

CHANCEL CHOIR: Rehearsal at 7:30

### FRIDAY, MAY 21

GEORGE MATTHIS CLASS PICNIC: 6:00 P.M.

Duke Forest, Gate F.

SOFTBALL TEAM: vs. Northgate Presbyterian Church Team at Long Meadow Park, 9:10 P.M.

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USHERS: J. C. Paulette, Walter J. Kayler, Dr. W. Jorgensen, Frank A. Campbell, Jr., Lloyd G. Krusor, James F. Johnson, Mebane W. Johnson, Paul G. Martin, Don P. Lazenby, Harry Markley, Dr. Ronald Krueger, Coy J. Knott, Wade O. Johnson and Gilbert C. Mays.

A SINCERE CHRISTIAN WELCOME is extended to our visitors. We invite you to sign a visitor's card to indicate your presence or interest in church membership.

# American Guild of Organists

## A Brief History of the A. G. O.

The American Guild of Organists was founded in the city of New York in 1896 by forward-looking church musicians throughout the United States. The Guild is chartered by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York, which authorizes it to conduct examinations to evaluate the training and the attainments of organists and choirmasters who are candidates for certificates as Fellows, Associates or Choirmasters.

The Guild also includes Members who are not required to take examinations, but who are proposed by two active members. Many who are not organists or choirmasters are Subscribing Members and enjoy attending recitals, choral programs and other meetings of the Chapters.

The purposes of the American Guild of Organists are: to advance the cause of worthy religious music, to elevate the status of church musicians and to increase their appreciation of their responsibilities, duties and opportunities; to raise the standards of efficiency of organists and choirmasters by examinations; to provide members with opportunities for meeting, for the discussion of professional topics; and to do other such lawful things as are incidental to the purposes of the Guild.

The Guild has a national membership exceeding 17,000 and Chapters or Branches in every State, the District of Columbia and the Panama Canal Zone (over 280 in all). The Guild is absolutely nonsectarian, and membership is available to both the organists and the choirmasters in all religious bodies.

A number of representative clergymen, educators and musicians who have aided in the advancement of the work of the Guild have been designated as Honorary Members. Their work has been of great value because one of the most important aims is a better understanding between clergy, laity, organists and choirmasters—an element which is highly essential in the achievement of a worshipful, artistic religious service.

For more information concerning the Guild speak to your Organist or Choir Director.



## Declaration of Religious Principles

For the greater glory of God, and for the good of His Holy Church in this land, we, being severally members of the American Guild of Organists, do declare our mind and intention in the things following:

We believe that the office of music in Christian Worship is a Sacred Oblation before the Most High.

We believe that they who are set as Choir Masters and as Organists in the House of God ought themselves to be persons of devout conduct, teaching the ways of earnestness to the Choirs committed to their charge.

We believe that the unity of purpose and fellowship of life between Ministers and Choirs should be everywhere established and maintained.

We believe that at all times and in all places it is meet, right, and our bounden duty to work and to pray for the advancement of Christian worship in the holy gifts of strength and nobleness; to the end that the Church may be purged of her blemishes, that the minds of men may be instructed, that the honor of God's House may be guarded in our time and in the time to come.

Wherefore we do give ourselves with reverence and humility to these endeavors, offering up our works and our persons in the Name of Him, without Whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy. Amen.

THE CHOIR SCHOOL culminated this year's work with a truly worshipful and joyful experience under the leadership and direction of Mrs. Mabel S. Boyter at the Festival on May 2nd. They learned to sing good music with good texts which should enrich their lives for years to come.

THE CAROL CHOIR can look forward to such an opportunity in 1967.

THE ATTENDANCE RECORDS of both choirs have been good and we want to call particular attention to one fine member who is out to break a record. Meg Campbell has completed four years of perfect attendance.

Those having perfect attendance for 2 semester's work are:

Beth Carter	Bridgett Higgins
Ellen Daniels	Sarah Lazenby
Diantha Daniels	Bruce Long
Terri Grant	Marsha Senter
Mary Elizabeth Hargreave	

Gail Thaxton, who was enrolled only for the second semester, has not had an absence.

Those having one excused absence are:

Dale Edgerton	Anna Marie Stephenson
Sheree Long	Carol Williamson
Nancy Payne Parker	

Peter Schoonmaker and Dale Stump have had one excused absence since entering the 2nd semester.

Those having two excused absences are:

Susan Barr	Leslie Rhodes
Ellen Campbell	Denicia Schoonmaker
Carolyn Cherny	Joanne Williamson

I wish to thank Mrs. E. Purcell Carter and her assistants, Mrs. Don Lazenby and Mrs. James Edgerton and Mrs. Flora Woods and all who have given of their time and service in making this a good year.  
Mrs. Agnes M. Skillen, Dir.

## CHOIR MEMBERS

### Carol Choir:

Susan Barr  
Ellen Campbell  
Beth Carter  
Carolyn Cherny  
Ellen Daniels

Sarah Lazenby  
Gail Monahan  
Nancy Payne Parker  
Leslie Rhodes  
Denicia Schoonmaker  
Peter Schoonmaker

### Choir School:

Marilyn Autry  
William Autry  
Anne Bivins  
Debbie Boyle  
Laurie Boyle  
Gaylor Callahan  
Diantha Daniels  
Dale Edgerton  
Terri Grant  
Mary Elizabeth Hargreave  
Bridgett Higgins  
Bruce Johnson

Bruce Long  
Sheree Long  
David Monahan  
Claire Moser  
David Parker  
Becky Roberts  
Marsha Senter  
Steve Smith  
Anna Marie Stephenson  
Dale Stump  
Gail Thaxton  
Carol Williamson  
Joanne Williamson

THE MEMBERS OF ALL TRINITY AVE. CHOIRS, Chancel, Adult Bell Choir, Trinity Bell Ringers, Carol Choir, and Choir School, and their families are invited to a picnic, May 27th, 5 to 8 o'clock at Forest Hills Recreation Center and Club House. Bring a picnic basket. Plates, cups, hot and cold drinks will be furnished. This will be the final activity for the youth choir groups until September.

Watch for announcements of enrollment and starting dates in September!

Mrs. Agnes M. Skillen, Organist-Director  
Mrs. Elizabeth Whitener, Asst. Organist-Dir.  
Mr. P. A. Sloan, Jr., Chairman, Music Committee