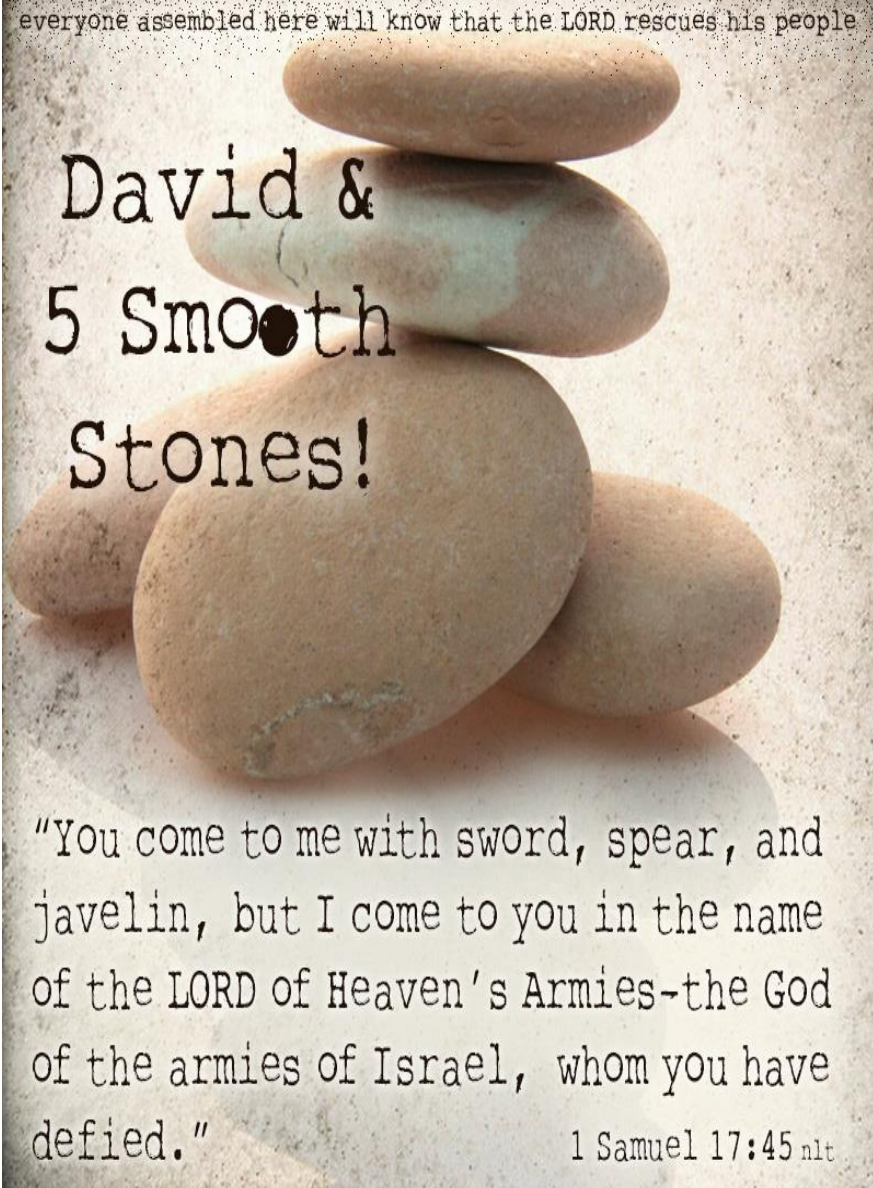


everyone assembled here will know that the LORD rescues his people



David & 5 Smooth Stones!

"You come to me with sword, spear, and javelin, but I come to you in the name of the LORD of Heaven's Armies-the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied."

1 Samuel 17:45 nlt

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Lois Evans

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John Mack

Order of Worship for 28-April-2024 at 10:30 A.M. Fifth Sunday of Easter

Announcements*

A Moment for Fellowship/Greeting (67 seconds)

Prelude – (let us be in an attitude of worship)

“Prelude in B Minor”

Cesar Franck

Psalter Reading** – Psalm 92:5-11 – UMH #812 (responsively)

L: How great are your works, O Lord! Your thoughts are very deep!

P: The dull ones cannot know, the foolish cannot understand this:

L: though the wicked sprout like grass and all evildoers flourish, they are doomed to destruction for ever, but you O Lord, are on high for ever.

P: For your enemies, O Lord, for your enemies shall perish; all evildoers shall be scattered.

L: But you have exalted my horn like that of the wild ox; you have poured over me fresh oil.

All: My eyes have seen the downfall of my enemies, my ears have heard the doom of my evil assailants.

Hymn** – I Am Thine, O Lord - UMH #419

Opening Prayer - (unison)

As we take a final look at the David and Goliath saga help us to find victory in our lives through Christ. We know that victory in any situation depends on you and the power you give to each of us. We ask for the strength to stand strong in the face of our giants.
Amen.

Choral Anthem -

“Holy Lord, We Glorify Thy Name”

Chancel Choir
Robert C. Clatterbuck

Recognition of Visitors, Prayer Requests, Prayers for the People, Pastoral Prayer*

Lord’s Prayer (unison)

Hymn** - O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee - UMH #430

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory –

“Andante”

Cesar Franck

Doxology** - UMH #95

Offering Prayer (pastoral)

Scripture Reading – 1 Samuel 17:40-54 (NLT)

He picked up five smooth stones from a stream and put them into his shepherd’s bag. Then, armed only with his shepherd’s staff and sling, he started across the valley to fight the Philistine. Goliath walked out toward David with his shield bearer ahead of him, sneering in contempt at this ruddy-faced boy. “Am I a dog,” he roared at David, “that you come at me with a stick?” And he cursed David by the names of his gods. “Come over here, and I’ll give your flesh to the birds and wild animals!” Goliath yelled.

David replied to the Philistine, “You come to me with sword, spear, and javelin, but I come to you in the name of the LORD of Heaven’s Armies—the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. Today the LORD will conquer you, and I will kill you and cut off your head. And then I will give the dead bodies of your men to the birds and wild animals, and the whole world will know that there is a God in Israel! And everyone assembled here will know that the LORD rescues his people, but not with sword and spear. This is the LORD’s battle, and he will give you to us!”

As Goliath moved closer to attack, David quickly ran out to meet him. Reaching into his shepherd's bag and taking out a stone, he hurled it with his sling and hit the Philistine in the forehead. The stone sank in, and Goliath stumbled and fell face down on the ground. So David triumphed over the Philistine with only a sling and a stone, for he had no sword. Then David ran over and pulled Goliath's sword from its sheath. David used it to kill him and cut off his head.

When the Philistines saw that their champion was dead, they turned and ran. Then the men of Israel and Judah gave a great shout of triumph and rushed after the Philistines, chasing them as far as Gath and the gates of Ekron. The bodies of the dead and wounded Philistines were strewn all along the road from Shaaraim, as far as Gath and Ekron. Then the Israelite army returned and plundered the deserted Philistine camp. (David took the Philistine's head to Jerusalem, but he stored the man's armor in his own tent.)

Message – Five Smooth Stones – All That You Need

Hymn – Be Thou My Vision - UMH #451**

Benediction - (pastoral)**

Postlude – (let us be seated and continue in an attitude of worship)

“Final in D Major”

Cesar Franck

Pastoral Closing Word of Grace

Exit Music

*Please be sure to fill out the attendance record cards in the pews if you are visiting us today and drop them in the offering plate. We want you to contact us regarding announcements, prayer requests, visitation needs and related matters. Please email or call Heather, the church secretary. She can be reached at: tumcpc135@gmail.com or 419.732.3161. Contact Pastor Brown at: wbrown71439@woh.rr.com or 419.463.7802.

**please stand, if able

+For persons who serve in the armed forces and may be in harm's way

+For those suffering around the world +For the poor around the world

+For peace and justice to the world

Congratulations to those Celebrating Anniversaries

Scott and Terri Jones

Congratulations to those Celebrating Birthdays

Peg Watkins

Walter Eaton

Benjiman Gilleland

Lauren Shaw

Kelley (Highfield) Dave

Katie Brink

Olivia Szilagyi

Let's Pray for Our Families of the Week

Roger and Beth Akins

Dan and Tammy Almendinger

Bill and Stephanie Lowe

Lisa Allen

Steve and Debbie Lonneman

Ashley Lukac

Let's Pray for our Home Bound People of the Week

Ray Brough

Bertha Gracely

Cheryl Little

Let's Pray for our Military People of the Week

Curtis Moody, Jr.

Ben Ihnat- Washington DC

Let's Pray for our College Students of the Week

Samantha Sneider- Cleveland State University

Leslee L. Gilleland- The Ohio State University Master's Degree

- There are pamphlets for Lay Servant Training on Sat. June 1st on the small table in the narthex. Please pick one up and fill it out and turn into church office if you want to sign up for the training.

- Remember if you donated a tea pot for the Ladies Tea, please pick it up. Thank you!

- Please have your graduate information to Lisa Underwood or church office by May 1st. Sunday May 12 is Graduation Recognition Sunday. Please join us in recognizing our graduates from Trinity. Trinity graduates are invited and encouraged to attend the 10:30 a.m. worship service to be recognized and honored for their achievement. Come and join us.

- ROMEOS will meet on May 30th at Tin Goose Diner at 11:30 a.m. Feel free to bring a friend.

- Life Line Screening will be at Trinity in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday May 4, 2024. There are 4 screenings: Carotid Artery disease, Peripheral Arterial disease, Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm, and Atrial Fibrillation. You need to register for the testing by calling 1-800-679-5191 or visit LLSA.SOCIAL/HC.

Here is a list of people who can drive people to appointments if needed.

David George	419-261-5423	Not Available on Wed. 11 am -1:30 pm and Thur. 12:45 pm – 2pm
John Mack	423-968-9622 home	
Pat George	419-350-9700	In Port Clinton, Fremont, or Sandusky Daytime
Dick Highfield	419-341-6266	Available on Mon., Wed., & Fri. afternoons



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Attendance: Inside	60
Attendance: Parking Lot	7
Total	67

Calendar of the Week

Tues. & Thur. Ladies Fitness 3:30 p.m.
 Mon. Apr. 29 Al-anon 7:00 p.m. in Lounge
 Thur. May 2 Choir 7:00 p.m.
 Thur. May 2 AA in FH 7:00 p.m.
 Fri. May 3 Handmaidens 10:00 a.m. in Sewing room
 Sat. May 4 Life Line Screening in FH

Next Sunday – Worship in the Sanctuary

10:30 a.m. Worship in the sanctuary and church parking lot

Trinity United Methodist Church welcomes and supports all who desire to worship, study, and grow in discipleship with Christ, including those of any race, gender, gender identity, physical or mental ability, sexual orientation, or socioeconomic position, because we believe that all people are children of God, and that the church should be a safe place for all people.