



Seen. Known. Called.

Life doesn't always unfold the way we hoped or planned. Sometimes we find ourselves carrying worries, facing uncertainty, or simply trying to take the next shaky step.

At Trinity this week, we will hear stories of people who find themselves in those very places, and discover again a God who sees them, hears them, and walks with them.

When our own life feels uncertain, God sees us, God hears us, God gives us a new identity, and God calls us to courageous trust.

As we gather in worship this Sunday, we will reflect on where God may be meeting us in our own stories. We would love for you to be part of the journey.



If you're planning to join us this week, these are the preachers and services you can look forward to:

7.30am Church | Traditional Service *with Holy Communion*

– Peter du Toit

9.30am Church | Fusion Service *with Holy Communion (also live-streamed)*

– Peter du Toit

9.30am Chapel | Connect Service

– Londeka Mabaso

11.30am Church | Kopanang Service

– Wesley Guild

6.30pm Chapel | Home Service

– Londeka Mabaso

After all our services there will be someone available to pray with you.

All our services are family friendly. All are welcome. Who are you inviting?

[Find our Sunday 21 June 9.30am Fusion Service livestream here](#)

All our livestreams remain available on YouTube as videos after our services. You can access them on our YouTube channel at any time using this link:

[Trinity's YouTube Channel](#)

Lectionary Readings

This Sunday - 21 June

Ordinary Time

Genesis 21:8-21

Psalms 86:1-10, 16-17

Romans 6:1b-11

Matthew 10:24-39

Next Sunday - 28 June

Ordinary Time

Genesis 22:1-14

Psalms 13

Romans 6:12-23

Matthew 10:40-42



Upcoming Events

Womens' Auxiliary

Our Women's Auxiliary meets this Saturday, and the speaker is Rev Dr Paul Verryn. His topic is 'The Impertinent Truth'.

Saturday 20 June | 10.00am to 12.00pm

All are welcome. You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us!



Leaders' Meeting - AI Explained

All Trinity leaders and members



Leaders Meeting

Monday 22 June | 7.00pm



Open to all Trinity
leaders and members

are invited to our next Trinity Leaders Meeting. This is open to our whole Trinity family!

Monday 22 June | 7.00pm | Chapel

You are encouraged to join us.

Artificial Intelligence is rapidly reshaping the world in which we live, work, learn, and lead. Whether you are already using AI tools or know very little about them, this session will offer a thoughtful introduction to one of the most significant developments of our time. Andrew Lobb will help us explore what AI is, why it matters, and some of the key ethical, spiritual, and leadership questions it raises. Come ready to learn, reflect, and engage in conversation about a technology that is already influencing our future.

Our Leader's Meeting will focus on this under the heading: **AI Explained: Faith, Ethics, and Leadership in a New Technological Age**

This meeting is open to all at Trinity and you are welcome to invite anyone to join us.

New Members and Information Evening

Your Invitation to Connection and Community

Would you like to feel more at home at Trinity? Whether you're new, exploring membership, or simply wanting a deeper connection, this evening is for you.

Thursday, 25 June | 7.00pm to

**New Members and
Information Evening**

**YOUR
MEMBERSHIP
MATTERS**



**Thursday 25 June
7.00pm to 9.00pm**

9.00pm

Come and:

- Discover the story of Methodism globally and in South Africa, and the journey of Trinity Methodist Church.
- Understand what shapes our identity and how we live out our faith.
- Explore our ministries and the impact we're making in the community.
- Meet Society Stewards, Staff, and Portfolio Heads.

A short series of preparatory videos will be available beforehand to help you get the most from the evening.

Tea and cake will be served.

To book, call Nomphele at the church office at 011 888 1740 or email Brett laypastor@trinitylinden.org.za

Mens' League



Mens' League

Every Second Saturday



7.00am to 9.00am

You are invited to join us for our men's ministry at any time! We meet every second Saturday morning.

Saturday 27 June | 7.00am to 9.00am

Thriving Wellness Group

Our Wellness Group – Mind. Body. Soul – is meeting again next Sunday.

Sunday 28 June | 3.00pm to 5.00pm

All are welcome. You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us.



We have a new name for our Mental Health Support Group and are now calling ourselves 'Thriving Wellness Group'.

You are invited to join us as we look at the work of Caroline Leaf, particularly her use of a tool – the Neurocycle – for managing toxic thought patterns and anxiety.

Market Sunday



Our next Market Day will be after our morning services in June.

Sunday 28 June | Before and after the 9.30am services

If you would like to have a table, please contact Nomphele in the office on 011 888 1740 or at reception@trinitylinden.org.za

Youth WOW! Week

Youth WOW! week is in the school holidays, where the youth in our community – Grades 8 to 12 – are invited to join us for evenings of fun, food, friendship, and fabulous festivities.

And it is all FREE!

Our challenge to you is to think of the youth in your life who you could invite. Friends, neighbours, colleagues, family – all are welcome!

**Monday 29 June – Thursday 2 July
| 7.00pm to 10.00pm**

Come as you are!



All are welcome. You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us.

Divorce Support Group



Our Divorce Support Group meets every second week.

Thursday 2 July | 6.30pm to 8.30pm

All are welcome! You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us!

CIA Cancer Support Tea

Our Christians in Action Cancer Support Tea happens again in July, and there will be a guest speaker.

Saturday 4 July | 11.00am to

1.00pm

This is open to any people living with cancer and family members. You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us.



Christians in Action for Cancer

Fellowship Tea
Saturday 4 July
11.00am to 1.00pm

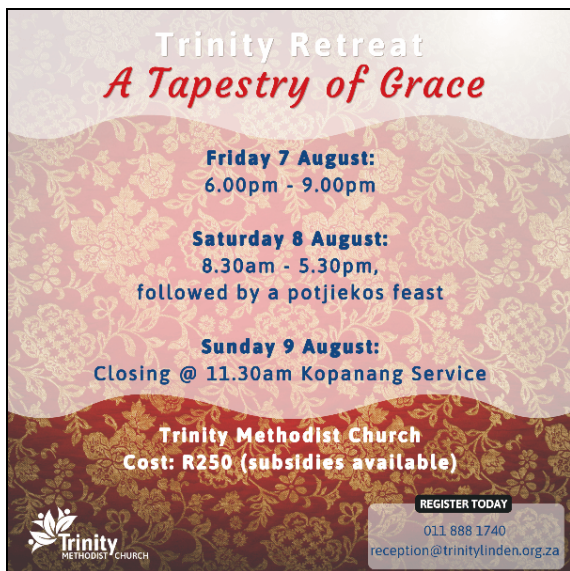
Open to people living with cancer
and family members
RSVP Eunice 083 259 5724



Trinity Retreat – A Tapestry of Grace

Registration is open for our Trinity Retreat.

Our theme is 'A TAPESTRY OF GRACE', based on 1 Corinthians:12:12–14.



Trinity Retreat
A Tapestry of Grace

Friday 7 August:
6.00pm - 9.00pm

Saturday 8 August:
8.30am - 5.30pm,
followed by a potjiekos feast

Sunday 9 August:
Closing @ 11.30am Kopanang Service

Trinity Methodist Church
Cost: R250 (subsidies available)

REGISTER TODAY
011 888 1740
reception@trinitylinden.org.za



Place: Trinity Methodist Church
Cost: R250 (Subsidies available)

Friday 7 August: 6.00pm to 9.00pm.

Saturday 8 August: 8.30am to 5.30pm, followed by a potjiekos feast.

Sunday 9 August: Celebratory closing service at the 11.30am Kopanang service.

All are welcome – children and youth are also invited! You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us.



Young People

At Trinity we celebrate our young people.

This is where you are invited to join us this weekend:

GroovyCrew | Friday Night Kids – Gr 0 to Gr 7

You are invited to GROOVYCREW:
End-of-Term Costume Party.

**Friday 19 June | 5.30pm to
7.30pm | ages 5-13**

All are welcome!



COSTUME PARTY AT GROOVYCREW!

Dress up as your favourite character and join us for an evening of fun as we celebrate the end of the term! Whether you're a superhero, princess, pirate, book character, movie star, or something completely different, we'd love to see your costume!

Parents, if you'd like to help make the party extra special, you're welcome to donate sweets, chips, cooldrinks, or other treats to share. Donations are optional and greatly appreciated!

Get ready for a night of games, laughter, and celebration!

Thrive | Friday Night Youth – Gr 8 to Gr 12

and The Gathering – Young Adults

Our Thrive Youth Ministry are joining with our The Gathering Young Adults on **Friday 19 June |**



8.00pm to 10.00pm for a braai night.

Boerewors rolls and salad will be provided, and the suggested donation is R20 per person.

All are welcome!

Sparkling Kids Club | Sunday Morning Kids – Age 2 to 13

Join us on **Sunday 21 June** |
9.30am for Sparkling Kids Club.

Our theme this term is 'Following Jesus Every Day', and this week we are doing Father's Day crafts.

All are welcome!



Sunday Morning Teen Church – Gr 8 to Gr 12, & Sunday Morning Kopanang Teens – Gr 8 to Gr 12

Join us for Teen Church on **Sunday 21 June** | **9.30am & 11.30am.**



Themes: 9.30am - 'Life in a hurting world', and 11.30am - 'Life in a relational world'.

Anxiety is something that exists in and around us, and often we don't recognise its symptoms.

All are welcome!

Culture, technology, academic achievement, competition, selfcomparison —all of these add to the pressure that builds around us and inside of us. When life starts to feel unsteady, we can look up, look inside, and look around to see God at work in the midst of our anxiety.

Sunday Morning Kopanang Kids - Ages 2 to 13

You are invited to join us for Kopanang Kids on **Sunday Morning 21 June at 11.30am** during the Kopanang service.

All are welcome!





Save the Dates

What is coming up at Trinity Methodist Church Linden?

- * Thursday 18 June – Divorce Support Group
- * Friday 19 June – Friday Evening Children & Youth
- * Friday 19 June – 'The Gathering' Young Adults
- * Saturday 20 June – Women's Auxiliary
- * Saturday 20 June – Central District Koinonia at Gracepoint
- * Sunday 21 June – Fathers' Day
- * Monday 22 June – Leaders' Meeting
- * Thursday 25 June – New Members and Information Evening
- * Friday 26 June – NO Friday Evening Children & Youth. Restarts 24 July.
- * Friday 26 June – 'The Gathering' Young Adults
- * Saturday 27 June – Mens' League
- * Sunday 28 June – Market Sunday
- * Sunday 28 June – Thriving Wellness Group
- * Monday 29 June to Thursday 2 July – Youth WOW Week
- * Thursday 2 July – Divorce Support Group
- * Friday 3 July – NO Friday Evening Children & Youth. Restarts 24 July.
- * Friday 3 July – 'The Gathering' Young Adults
- * Saturday 4 July – CIA Cancer Support Tea
- * Wednesday 8 July – NO Seniors
- * Friday 10 July – NO Friday Evening Children & Youth. Restarts 24 July.
- * Friday 10 July – 'The Gathering' Young Adults
- * Saturday 11 July – Mens League
- * Thursday 16 July – Divorce Support Group
- * Friday 17 July – NO Friday Evening Children & Youth. Restarts 24 July.
- * Friday 17 July – 'The Gathering' Young Adults
- * Sunday 31 May to 19 July – [Lectionary Sermon Series](#)
- * Sunday 19 July – Thriving Wellness Group
- * Tuesday 19 May to 28 July – Duke Student: Audra Marchese
- * Friday 7 to Sunday 9 August – Trinity Weekend Retreat
- * Thursday 23 July – Shape Course
- * Saturday 25 July – Mens League
- * Sunday 26 July – Harvest Festival
- * Sunday 26 July – Family Service
- * Thursday 30 July – Divorce Support Group
- * Tuesday 4 August – Old Testament Survey
- * Wednesday 19 August – Table Talk: Farina

All Trinity services and events are open to all. You do not need to be a member of Trinity to attend. Who are you inviting?



ReachOut – Soccer Ball Collection

A challenge from Allyson:

If you buy for more than R650 from Spar including 3 qualifying products, and swipe your Spar rewards card, you get a free soccer ball.

We'd like to ask those people who shop at Spar and get a soccer ball to please donate them to us for our various outreach initiatives. The offer continues to 7 July, so if people get a ball every other week or so when doing their shopping, we could have a good number to share.



We are praying for...

This week our intercession prayer is on the theme of Father's Day. We begin by saying thank you to all fathers who are raising, or who have raised, their children in the home. You are part of a minority in South Africa—only about 35% of households where children are being raised by fathers in the home—and we honour you for your presence, your commitment, and your love.

- We give thanks to God for fathers, grandfathers, and positive male figures who have had a life-giving impact on us and on our children. We acknowledge with gratitude those men whose presence has brought stability, care, wisdom, and love.
- We pray for the ministries of Trinity, that we may be a community that both supports fathers in the home, strengthening and encouraging them in their calling, and also provides good male role models and consistent care for children who are growing up without

fathers present.

- We pray too that there would be a breaking of old patterns across generations—that there would be a disconnection from harmful or absent models of fatherhood that have been carried through previous generations, and that a new vision would be born among those growing up now: a healthier, more present, more loving, and more responsible vision of fatherhood.

We're praying for...



**...policing that protects all
and restores trust**



Central District Koinonia

I write to you as a Leader here at Trinity. I would like to invite you to join me at an upcoming training event for Methodists in our district, called Koinonia.

I was involved in helping to sow the seed for this initiative, and I am genuinely enthusiastic that it is now taking shape. While one never quite knows how these gatherings will unfold, I do have a strong sense that this will be a meaningful and worthwhile day for us as a congregation to engage in.

The event will run from 09:00 to 15:00 and will bring together Methodists from across our district for worship, teaching, and training led by a range of clergy and leaders. It will also be an opportunity to strengthen our sense of connection and shared mission across congregations.

I often find myself at district gatherings thinking, “It would really be good for some of our Trinity folk to experience this.” This is one of those opportunities. It will also be helpful exposure to what is happening across

the wider Methodist family, including the Grace Point church plant, which is always interesting and encouraging to observe.

I will also be one of the presenters during the day, and I would greatly value your presence and participation—not only for your own encouragement and development, but also because what you bring will enrich the wider conversation.

I would warmly encourage you to attend if you are able. It promises to be a good day of learning, connection, and shared reflection.

The address of GracePoint Methodist is 125 Duncan road, Glenferness. Please reach out to me if you would like us to carpool from the church.

Please register at the following link: District Koinonia Registration
Link: <https://form.jotform.com/centraldistrictkoinonia/central-district-koinonia-registrat>

Many thanks,

John

All are invited! Join us for a time of learning, worship, and the celebration of ministry.

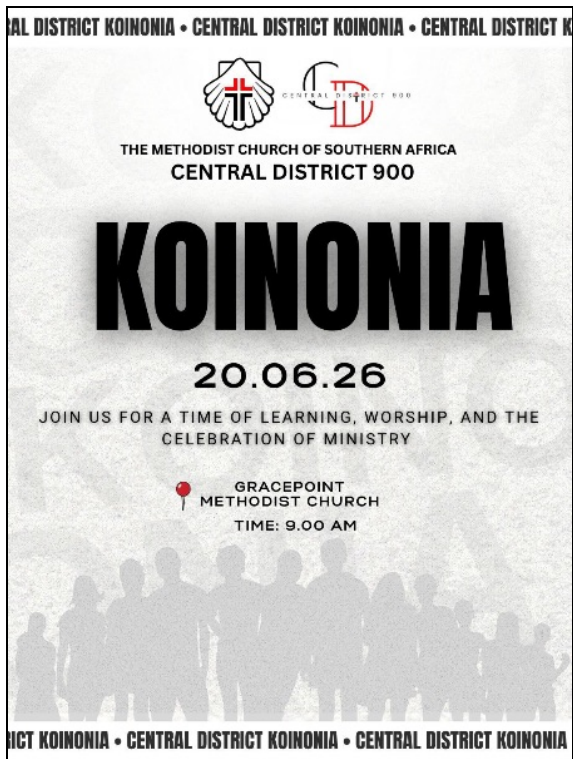
Central District Koinonia is open to all – young and old, longstanding members and new believers, and anyone seeking fellowship, spiritual growth, and connection.

The District Koinonia is not only for leaders, but for all interested people across the district. Let us encourage broad participation as we gather together in fellowship and celebration of ministry.

Saturday 20 June | 9.00am | Gracepoint Methodist Church

District Koinonia Registration

Link: <https://form.jotform.com/centraldistrictkoinonia/central-district-koinonia-registrat>



The Wool Bank Is Still Here

For those who would like to carry on knitting for ReachOut, the wool will be available **only** in the Church foyer every Sunday, from 8.00am to 12.00pm.

These items will go to stocking our Winter Warmers Box for next winter.

- Please take **one - three balls only**, to leave enough wool for others till the end of the project.
- Return the finished article asap.
- **SIGN OUT** and **SIGN IN** your wool/article(s) on the clipboard available.

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CIA Cancer Support Group Birthday

Our Christians in Action (CIA)



Cancer Support Group recently celebrated their first birthday!

Everyone had a wonderful time. Londeka opened with a prayer for us. Thank you Londeka, you are very special.



Cake was donated by Patricia, and she and Melanie did the decorations. Bev donated trays of savouries and everyone brought something.

Thanks to all who made this special occasion happen!

With love from Eunice and the team.



Our Christians in Action Cancer Support Tea happens again in July, and there will be a guest speaker.

Saturday 4 July | 11.00am to 1.00pm

This is open to any people living with cancer and family members. You do not have to be a member of Trinity to join us.

YWM Robing Ceremony and Kopanang Service



Our Young Womens' Manyano and Junior Manyano had their robing ceremony – where they were welcomed into full membership – at the Kopanang Service on Sunday 31 May.

Above are the newly robed ladies, together with the JHB North 0903 circuit. Below are all the teams preparing for the festivities.





Soup Kitchen

Our lovely Manyano ladies served soup at our Soup Kitchen on Saturday 30 May.



Funeral Tea

Our Duke Student – Audra – has been seen all over Trinity, including doing tea duty.

Here she is with Zelda, pouring tea at a funeral on Wednesday 27 May 2026.



View of Trinity

On Wednesday 13 May our Trinity photographer – the multi-talented Marjorie Cloete – caught this glimpse of Trinity.

Thank you for sharing your photos with us, Marj!



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Stay connected.
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Want to stay in the loop with what's happening in the life of our church?

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Here's how to join:

1. Send us a WhatsApp message that says "Please add me" + your name to 071 089 9694.
2. Very important! Save that number in your contacts – otherwise, WhatsApp won't deliver the messages.

We'd love to stay connected with you - but you can unsubscribe at any time!

Sacrificial Giving



Trinity Banking Details

Methodist Church of Southern
Africa - Trinity Society
Standard Bank
Cresta Branch: 05-10-01
Account no: 200111760

You can learn all about sacrificial giving on our website here:
<https://www.trinitylinden.org.za/church-life/giving/>

Recent Sermons

Did you miss last Sunday's service? Or would you like to hear it again?
Would you like to share it with a friend?

You can find our past sermons in video or audio format, and the series booklets, by clicking on the link to our website here:

[Find Our Past Sermon Series Videos, Audios, and Booklets Here](#)

[Find Our Video Services On YouTube Here](#)

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