

WELCOME TO MAIN STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 7, 2020
Trinity Sunday

Gathering and Opening Comments

Call to Worship Sentences

Leader: God said: Let there be light; and there was light.
This very day our God has acted! Let us rejoice!
Alleluia! God's name be praised

Instrumental Music

Prayer

Leader: Trinity of Love, maker of the human race in your image, help us to accept ourselves as we are; help us to know our need for one another. We pray to you, our Creator, Redeemer, and Life-giver, our one true God for ever. Amen.

Lesson from Scripture Genesis 1:1-2; 4a

The Sermon "Heirs to the Kingdom"

Recognition of Graduates

Prayer

Leader: God of truth and knowledge, by your wisdom we are taught the way and the truth. Bless Alden, Bradley and Olivia as they now finish their course of study. We thank you for those who taught and worked beside them, and all who supported them along the way. Walk with these graduates as they leave and move forward in life. Take away their anxiety and confusion of purpose if present. Strengthen their many talents and skills, instill in them a confidence in the future you plan, where energies may be gathered up and used for the good of all people; for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayers for the Needs of Others

Instrumental Music

Blessing and Benediction

Leader: May the Blessed Trinity, the One who fashions us, the one who heals us, the one who reforms us again and again, abide with us now and always.

All: Amen.

GRADUATION RECOGNITION

BRADLEY GOODMAN

- Graduate of Columbia Southern University, BA in Fire Administration (concentration in Fire Investigation)
- Currently training for the Engineers Test & Water Rescue Certifications
- For the Future—Bradley will continue to work for the Greensboro Fire Department for a 30 year career and enter the Fire and Life Safety Bureau as a Fire Investigator!

ALDEN KOLESSAR

- Graduate of Rockingham County High School
- Member, National Honor Society; Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- JV Basketball MVP 9th grade, Leadership Award for 10th Grade; Homecoming King 2019
- Work Experience—Cone Health 2019 Summer Teen Volunteer Internship
- Community Service—Salvation Army Volunteer, Youth Mission Volunteer, Meals on Wheels Volunteer, Youth Baseball Camp Volunteer
- Sports—JV MVP, 9th grade; 2017 – 19 North Carolina State Qualifying Teams at the 3a level; 2017 & 18 Perfect Game All Tournament Showcase Team; 2019 Mid State 2A All Conference Player, 11th Grade; Played Senior Legion—Post 53 Red Wings started as lead off/centerfielder; 2019 Perfect Game 18U Winston Salem Dash Fall Champions
- For Fall 2020—Alden will be attending William Peace University and is a baseball recruit!

OLIVIA TARPLEY

- Graduate of UNC-Greensboro, BA, Major—History, Women & Gender Studies; Minor—Anthropology; A Lloyd International Honors College graduate, graduating with International Honors (Study Abroad—Stellenbosch University, Stellenbosch, South Africa)
- Service to the University—Orientation Leader, Student Government Association Senator and Vice President, Peer Academic Leader, First Undergraduate Intern for the Division of Student Affairs, Vice President of Campus Outreach for the Association of Student Governments in the UNC state-wide system.
- For the Fall 2020—Olivia will be attending the American University for a Master of Education in Education Policy and Leadership. She hopes to begin a career following her program in the field of education in the US taking on policies that have an effect on students.