

# Trinity Grace 4020 Bailey Circle Loganville, GA 30052

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### **Upcoming Events**

Tonight, 6:30 pm, VERGE tonight at the Hunter's house.

March 7, 7:00 am, Men's Prayer Breakfast at Bojangles in Loganville.

March 7, 10:00 am, Pack food boxes and deliver to families. Meet at the church at 10:00 am.

March 8, 6:30 pm, Adult Bible Study. 1 Corinthians: Seeing Everything Through the Lens of the Gospel.

March 8, 6:30 pm, Children's and Youth Bible Study.

March 8, 7:30 pm, Praise Team rehearsal.

March 12, 8:45 am, Praise Team warm up.

March 12, 9:30 am, Sunday School for all ages.

**March 12, 10:30 am,** Join us online or in person for worship in Word, Music, and Prayer for the glory of God. 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent, *The Way of Faith*. (Mark 9:14-29)

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## **Announcements**

**Prayer Requests**: Please fill out a prayer request card located on the back table and give it to an elder before the service begins.

**Offering procedures:** Your offerings may be placed in the offering plates located on the tables in back of the sanctuary. Donations may also be mailed or sent through Pay Pal.

**Food Donations:** Check the whiteboard on the front of the big green pantry to learn which food items are still needed.

# **Living Our Faith**

**Faith Promise Update:** Promises for this past year totaled \$23,650. Faith Promise giving for the year totaled \$24,663. We exceeded our goal! To God be the glory! Promises for the upcoming year total \$23,205 so far.

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## March 5, 2023 Mark 1:16-20

The Way of the Savior: The Way of A Call

#### Jesus call us with a sense of urgency and an unexpectedness.

"And Jesus said to them, 'Follow me, and I will make you become fishers of men'" (Mark 1:17).

"There is a common, worldly kind of Christianity in this day, which many have, and think they have enough – a cheap Christianity which offends nobody, and requires no sacrifice – which costs nothing, and is worth nothing" (J. C. Ryle)

### Jesus calls us to follow Him with the entirety of our lives.

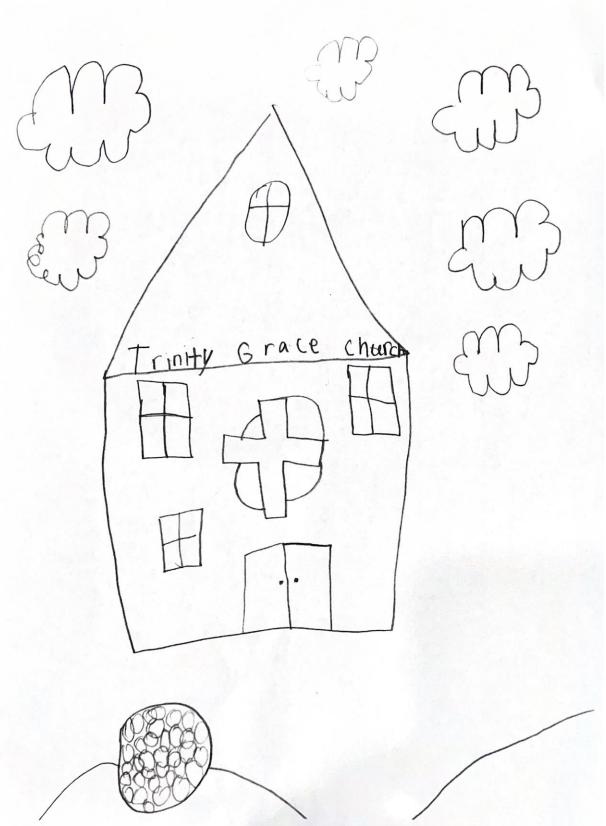
"And immediately they left their nets and followed him" (Mark 1:18).

"We never grow closer to God when we just live life. It takes deliberate pursuit and attentiveness" (Francis Chan).

#### Jesus calls us to obedience.

"And immediately he called them, and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants and followed Him" (Mark 1:20).

"He comes to us as One unknown, without a name, as of old, by the lakeside, he came to those men who knew Him not. He speaks to us the same word: "Follow thou me!" and sets us to the tasks which He has to fulfill for our time. He commands. And to those who obey Him, whether they be wise or simple, He will reveal Himself in the toils, the conflicts, the sufferings which they shall pass through in His fellowship, and as an ineffable mystery, they shall learn in their own experience Who He is" (Albert Schweitzer, *The Quest for the Historical Jesus*, p. 40).



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