

Facts About Trinity UCC

Founded: November, 1952

as Trinity Reformed and Evangelical Church

Church property purchased November 15, 1952

First Church Organizers: Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Freeman

First Service: December 21, 1952 at Mt. Vernon Public School

First Regular Pastor:

Rev. Robert B. Frey-April 1953-1966

First Service Held on Site: February 7, 1954 in Brotherhood Hall

First Service Held in the Sanctuary: December 14, 1958

Schulmerich Carillon Bells: Dedicated December 25, 1958

1962: Church renamed Trinity United Church of Christ

as the Evangelical and Reformed churches merged with the
Congregational Churches to form the United Church of Christ.

1970–Trinity UCC Magic Closet began

January 2015: Trinity UCC campus sold to the Lao Conference of
Churches. Trinity UCC Congregation remains on campus for perpetuity as
a condition of sale.

Pastors:

Rev. Robert B. Frey–1953-1966

Rev. Donald Hafner–1966-1986

Rev. George Woldseth–1986-1999

Rev. Roger Miller-October, 1999–2005

Rev. Robert Palin, Interim Pastor-April, 2005-Fall 2006

Rev. Gaye Bosley–Mitchell–December 2006-December 2010

Rev. Dr. Jeanette Sherrill—Interim Pastor—January 2011—October 2012.

Rev. Bonnie Lipton—November, 2012-December 2012

Rev. Jacquie Lewis-June 1, 2013 - May 31, 2019

Rev. Kate Stulce, Interim Pastor - June 1, 2019 - August 31, 2019

Rev. Dr. Shelly Wilson- October 1, 2019 - May 10, 2021

Rev. Susie Sherwood – October 1, 2021