

There is a Season for Everything Under Heaven

"There's a season for everything and a time for every matter under the heavens." (Ecclesiastes 3:1)

From time to time, we get the sense that we're making a shift from one season of life to another. Sometimes, certain life events seem to mark the end of one season and the beginning of another. The same can be said for a congregation.

One way in which I sense that Trinity is making such a shift right now is with our program staff. By now, you're probably aware that we are seeking to hire a new staff person to become our Children's Ministry Director. Please remain in prayer that God will provide us a connection with a person who will be a great fit.

This past week, I was informed by Brian Mueller that he will be concluding his worship and music ministry with us at the end of July. As you may know, Brian has been supporting his family by piecing together several part-time music and teaching jobs. Recently, he was offered a teaching position in the music department at Archbishop Hoban High School (private Catholic school in Akron) which will begin late this summer. As a result, he will need to resign the positions he currently holds with us as our Adult Choir Director for our Sanctuary service and Worship Leader for the Kindling service. Brian will be greatly missed by all of us. We will be posting job openings soon for both roles that Brian has so faithfully led for us.

I take comfort in the words of Ecclesiastes 3:11a, which says: "*God has made everything fitting in its time, but has also placed eternity in their hearts.*" We can walk with confidence that God has it all under his control. The seasons may come and go, but God fits everything together.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor David

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