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Easter Egg Giveaway
Saturday, March 27

ATHENS, TENNESSEE – March 5, 2021 – The City of Athens Parks and Recreation Department will be hosting a free Easter Egg Giveaway on Saturday, March 27 beginning at 10:00 am at the Athens Regional Park with over 12,000 prize eggs, and a drawing for a 70” Smart TV. Trinity United Methodist Church has joined this super fun event and will be supplying the bags and interactive Easter experience, which will feature palm branches, live animals, and the Easter Bunny. Everyone, under the age of 12, who attends the event will receive a bag of eggs, guaranteed to be filled with prizes, and will also be entered into a drawing to win a 70” Smart TV!

The event will be taking place in the western portion of the park in front of the Conference Center. Signage will be located throughout the park to show how to enter and exit the giveaway area. A video of the drawing for the 70” Smart TV will be posted on the City of Athens Facebook page on Monday, March 29 at 7 pm. Each child must be in the car to receive the eggs and be entered into the grand prize drawing.

“I am very excited to be partnering with Trinity to provide a safe alternative to our traditional Egg Hunt and Easter events which annually draw thousands of people. Working together we have planned a fun event, that will be enjoyed by all ages, with the opportunity to win some great prizes. Having previewed the exciting Easter experience area, I can assure you it is something the children will not want to miss,” said Austin Fesmire, Director of Parks and Recreation.

“Trinity United Methodist Church is excited to partner with Athens Parks and Recreation to celebrate Easter with this creative solution. We are looking forward to joining the Easter Egg Giveaway this year in the hopes of returning to our large Easter Egg Drop next year,” stated Rev. Skip White, Senior Pastor of Trinity UMC.

Athens Regional Park is located at 2405 Decatur Pike in Athens, TN, conveniently off Exit 49 on I-75.

The City of Athens is a full-service municipality nestled in the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains and has garnered a reputation as the “Friendly City.”

For more information, please contact the Office of Parks & Recreation at (423) 744-2700 EXT 3.