

September 20th, 2026 · Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost



TRINITY

United Methodist Church

Love Boldly
Serve Joyfully
Lead Courageously



Worship Services

8:30am Traditional · 9:50am Modern · 11:00am Traditional

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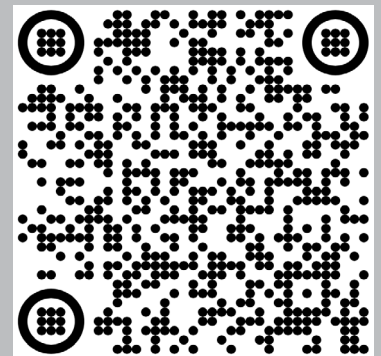
Church Office Hours: 8:00am-3:00pm (Monday-Thursday)

We are grateful that you chose to join us for worship & fellowship today. As a ministry of the United Methodist Church, we are committed to **Loving Boldly, Serving Joyfully, and Leading Courageously.**

Here at Trinity, you are welcomed, affirmed, and loved.

Give securely online by visiting www.triumc.org/giving
or by scanning the QR code to the right.

Thank you for your generous support of Trinity's ministry. Your gifts make a meaningful difference, enabling us to share Christ's love, serve our community, and grow together in faith. We are truly grateful for your generosity.



Welcome to Trinity!

Trinity is a congregation of the United Methodist Church that has been serving South Salina since 1962. Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ who, empowered by the Holy Spirit, love boldly, serve joyfully, and lead courageously.

Whether you're visiting for the very first time or have been a part of our church family for years, we're so glad you're here! We hope you'll experience Christ's love, find meaningful connections, and feel at home at Trinity.

If you have any questions or need help finding your way around the building, take a look at the map below or ask one of our greeters or staff members—we're always happy to help.

If you're interested in learning more about Trinity or are considering becoming a member, Pastor Eric would love the opportunity to visit with you.

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TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 & 11:00am in the Sanctuary

§ = invites you to stand in body or in spirit
BOLD print = invites you to join in reading
UMH = The blue hymnal, The United Methodist Hymnal
FWS = The black hymnal, The Faith We Sing

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Welcome & Centering Music

§ Call to Worship

Leader: God of our salvation, we falter before the demands of your word and turn away from your call to life.

People: Pour out your mercy on us as you showed mercy to your people of old, that we may turn from our sinfulness and walk the path of self-emptying love made known in Jesus Christ. Amen.

§ UMH 474 - Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Discipleship Moment

8:30am - Folk Choir Anthem - "Let Us Serve Him"

11:00am - Chancel Choir Anthem - "He Never Failed Me Yet"

Pastoral Prayer

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings & § Doxology #94

§ FWS 2070 - He Is Exalted

Scripture Lesson - Philippians 2:1-18

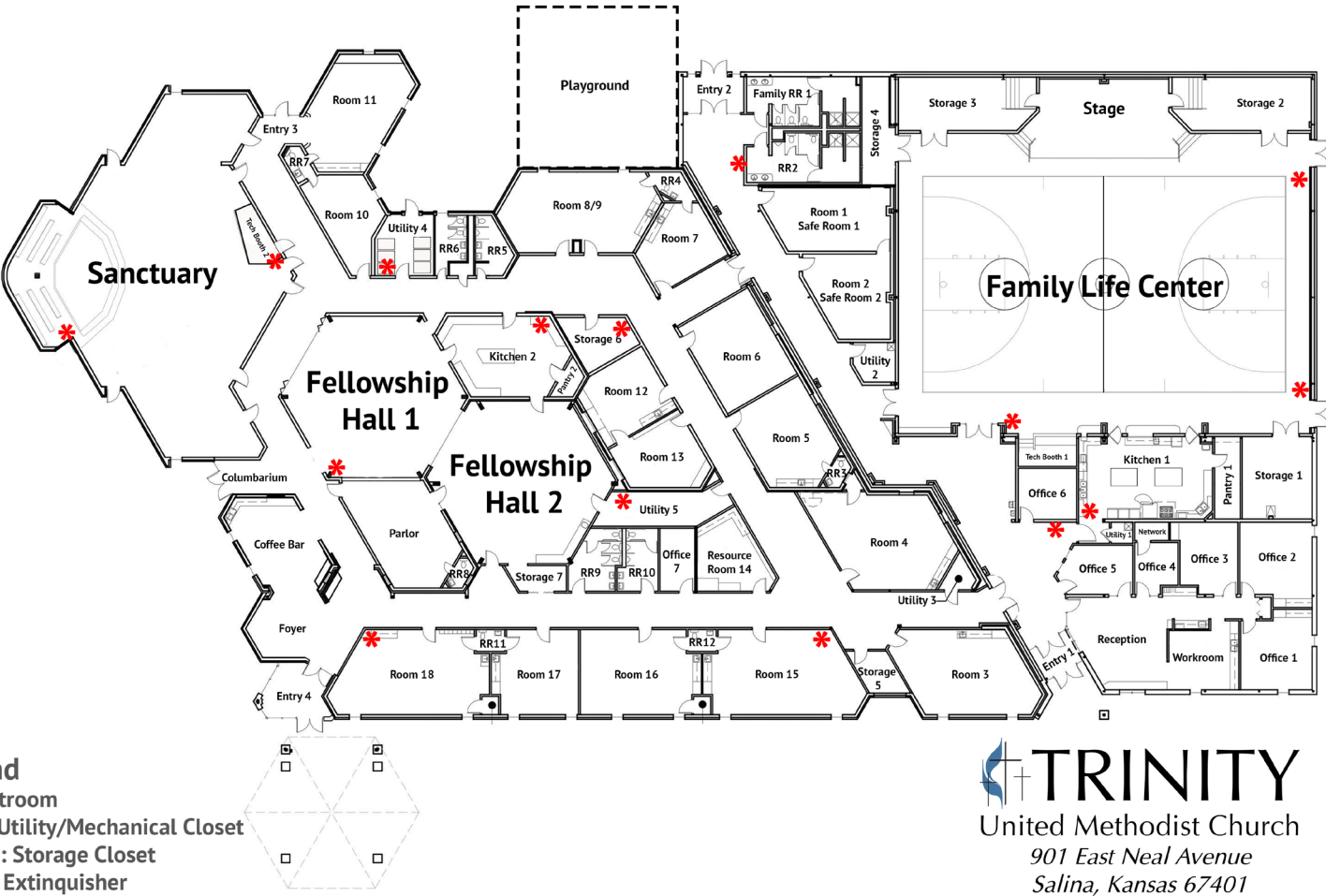
Video Blessing

Morning Message

The Lord's Prayer

§ UMH 157 - Jesus Shall Reign

§ Benediction & Sending Music



TODAY’S SCRIPTURE READING from the Common English Bible

Philippians 2:1-18

2 Therefore, if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort in love, any sharing in the Spirit, any sympathy, 2 complete my joy by thinking the same way, having the same love, being united, and agreeing with each other. 3 Don’t do anything for selfish purposes, but with humility think of others as better than yourselves. 4 Instead of each person watching out for their own good, watch out for what is better for others. 5 Adopt the attitude that was in Christ Jesus: 6 Though he was in the form of God, he did not consider being equal with God something to exploit. 7 But he emptied himself by taking the form of a slave and by becoming like human beings. When he found himself in the form of a human, 8 he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. 9 Therefore, God highly honored him and gave him a name above all names, 10 so that at the name of Jesus everyone in heaven, on earth, and under the earth might bow 11 and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

12 Therefore, my loved ones, just as you always obey me, not just when I am present but now even more while I am away, carry out your own salvation with fear and trembling. 13 God is the one who enables you both to want and to actually live out his good purposes. 14 Do everything without grumbling and arguing 15 so that you may be blameless and pure, innocent children of God surrounded by people who are crooked and corrupt. Among these people you shine like stars in the world 16 because you hold on to the word of life. This will allow me to say on the day of Christ that I haven’t run for nothing or worked for nothing. 17 But even if I am poured out like a drink offering upon the altar of service for your faith, I am glad. I’m glad with all of you. 18 You should be glad about this in the same way. Be glad with me!

The Lord’s Prayer Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who tresspass against us. And lead us not into temptation, and deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.	Offering Prayer Giver of all good gifts, you offer us abundance beyond measure. Help us to release our grip on worldly desires and focus our hearts on your eternal grace. Accept these offerings as acts of gratitude and trust. In Christ’s name, we pray. Amen.
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MODERN ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:50am in the Family Life Center

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§ The Same Love

§ I Will Follow

Discipleship Moment

§ We Will Run

Scripture Lesson - Philippians 2:1-18

Video Blessing

Morning Message & The Lord’s Prayer

Giving Our Tithes & Offerings

Holy Communion

§ God is Good

Announcements

Benediction & Sending Music

Chancel Choir & Handbells Rehearsals are up and running! Handbells are at 6pm, and Chancel Choir at 7pm - both in the sanctuary! Everyone is welcome to ring and sing, no experience necessary!

Support our youth group with a mouthwatering Chicken, Bacon, Ranch Mac & Cheese! 9x13 Family Size \$25 / 6x8 Individual \$15 — order by September 21st, pick up September 27th, email kylee@triumc.org to reserve yours.

We're looking for congregation members to serve on committees beginning in 2027. Three-year terms are available on Administrative Council, Finance, Trustees, and Staff Parish Relations Committees. Education, Inclusiveness, Youth Advisory, Internship, and Missions Committees have no term limits. Most committees meet about once a month. Email Pastor Eric if you are interested.

We are building up our Sunday Tech Team and have **opportunities to serve at all three worship services!** You can help with slides, cameras, and/or sound, and no experience is necessary. All training will be provided. Contact the church office for more information.

Do you want to receive a printed copy of the monthly church newsletter? Let the church office know and we'll add you to the mailing list!

To help us know one another better, we ask everyone to **please wear a name tag**. They can be found by the southeast entrance area, and outside the Family Life Center. Name tags have been prepared for all church members. If you do not have a nametag, contact the church office.

Did you miss worship on Sunday? All of our worship services are livestreamed and archived on our YouTube channel so you can watch anytime, from anywhere. Visit www.triumc.org/youtube to access past services, special events, and more.



Youth Snack Donations

Farewell Summer Gathering **TODAY, September 20th, 5:30-7:30 pm at Coronado Heights**. Join us for an outdoor adventure as we farewell summer and welcome fall! Come enjoy the views, hike around, bring a picnic dinner, and we'll make s'mores together! Reach out to Pastor Chelsea with questions.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, September 20
8:30am - Traditional Worship
9:45am - Sunday School
9:50am - Modern Worship
11:00am - Traditional Worship
11:00am - Leadeship Lab Parent Meeting
4:00pm - Middle School Youth Group
5:30pm - Farewell Summer Party @ Coronado Heights

Monday, September 21
9:30am - United Methodist Women Meeting
10:00am - Church Staff Meeting
6:00pm - Inclusiveness Committee

Tuesday, September 22
7:45am - IHOP Bible Study
9:30am - Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Reading
1:00pm - Social Knitting Group
2:00pm - Pastor Chelsea's Small Group
6:00pm - American Sign Language Practice

Wednesday, September 23
9:30am - Women of the Word Bible Study
6:00pm - Handbells Rehearsal
6:00pm - Examining Our Faith Class w/ Pastor Eric
6:00pm - Folk Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm - High School Youth Group

Thursday, September 24
9:00am - Worship Planning
3:30pm - Backpack Connection
6:00pm - Administrative Council

Friday/Saturday, September 25/26
No Church Events

NEXT WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, September 27
8:30am - Traditional Worship
9:45am - Sunday School
9:45am - Leadership Lab
9:50am - Modern Worship
11:00am - Traditional Worship
4:00pm - Middle School Youth Group

Monday, September 28
10:00am - Church Staff Meeting
6:00pm - Staff Parish Relations Committee

Tuesday, September 29
7:45am - IHOP Bible Study
9:30am - Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Reading
1:00pm - Social Knitting Group
2:00pm - Pastor Chelsea's Small Group
6:00pm - American Sign Language Practice

Wednesday, September 30
9:30am - Women of the Word Bible Study
6:00pm - Handbells Rehearsal
6:00pm - Folk Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm - High School Youth Group

Thursday, October 1
9:00am - Worship Planning
3:30pm - Backpack Connection

Friday/Saturday, October 2/3
No Church Events

Birthdays

9/20 - Lane Brucker, David Green
9/21 - Anne Hoekstra, Mike Hoppock, Sandy Ward
9/23 - Jana Cox, Krista DeVoe, Hank Morrison, Mack Morrison, Wayne Owen, Brandon Smith
9/24 - Cheryl Werth
9/25 - Karissa Kindlesparger, Wesley Landauer, Sawyer Scott
9/26 - Bob Brown
9/27 - Jenna Eshleman, Ron Gilbert, Katie Olson, Judy Peterson
9/28 - Kelly Mobray
9/30 - Lynnette Lorensen, Nancy Zeurcher
10/1 - Jenny Mitchell, Troy Wilcox
10/2 - Janice Scott

Anniversaries

9/22 - Sherron & Chris Field
9/23 - Elroy & Jo Lampe
9/24 - Dalton & Rachel Johnson
9/25 - Gary & Karen Stansberry
9/26 - Dub & Carol Adams
10/5 - Brett & Jenny Mitchell
10/7 - Gil & Jean Fritz, Brian & Faye Spencer, Jeff & Karla Waters
10/18 - Todd & Kelly Mobray
10/31 - Archie & Alice Riggs

Missing a birthday or anniversary?
Let us know at tyler@triumc.org

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Trinity United Methodist Church in Salina, KS

Instagram:
[@trinityumcsalina](https://www.instagram.com/trinityumcsalina)

E-Newsletter & Trinity Tom Tom
The Trinity Tom Tom list is a prayer concern ministry, and the E-Newsletter & Church-Wide Announcements list contains church events, worship announcements, and more.

To sign up for the E-Newsletter and/or the TTT, visit our website at: www.triumc.org/ttt

Interested in reserving a room for your event?
Learn more on our website:

<https://www.triumc.org/connect/reserve/>

You can view which rooms are available to be reserved, and make your request. Questions? please contact the church office.

The church calendar can be viewed online:

<https://www.triumc.org/connect/calendar/>

Interested in volunteering for worship as a liturgist, sound or video tech, or musician?
Please contact the church office!

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Beth Berridge, Bob Broughton, Cort Collins, Steve Daily, Hilma Demaree,
Robert Dunker, Vasya Dzulai, Pam Emig, Gil Fritz, Michele Gant, Caroline Hiatt,
Richard Howeth, Fran Hutchinson, Tammy Johnson, Sandy Jones,
Dale Larson, Jason Larson, Stan Lauer, Mari Menzies, Jimmy Joe Patterson,
Don Peterson, Lindsey Pratt, Pam Severson, Mark Turner, Makenna Wallace,
Joe Woods