September 21, 2025

# Traditional Worship Modern Worship Ann

15th Sunday of Pentecost

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### **Welcome & Announcements**

**Centering Music** Variations on Holy God, We Praise Thy Name (Mvt. 1, 2, 3) (Blersch) \*Call to Worship

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\*Opening Hymn #181

Ye Servants of God

# **Pastor Prayer**

**Anthem 8:30am** Send Down Your Spirit, Lord Folk Choir **Anthem 11am** Jesus is the Living Stone, by McDonald Chancel Choir

# **Giving Our Tithes and Offerings**

\*Doxology #94 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

**Preparation Hymn #463** Lord, Speak to Me

Scripture Luke 16:1-13

**Discipleship Moment** 

Interrogating Your Beliefs **Video Blessing** 

**Morning Message** Constant Combat or a New Life? Pastor Eric

The Lord's Prayer

Holv God, We Praise Thy Name \*Sending Hymn #79

**Sending Blessing & Music** 

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\*Song I'll Fly Away

\*Song A Love that Goes Deeper

**New Member Welcome** Koons Family

**Family Prayer** 

\*Song Heaven Is Yours

Luke 16:1-13 Scripture

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Offering

Communion

\*Closing Song By Our Love

**Answering the Call** 

**Sending Blessing & Music** 

Sept. 21, W.O.W. will meet at Spangles after 11 a.m. worship. (9th Street location)

September 21 @ 1pm, Crafting Connection from 1 pm - 3 pm. We will gather at TUMC in Fellowship Hall 2. Join us on Sunday to learn how to use watercolor pencils and make bookmarks. All are welcome. Feel free to bring your own project to work on too! Contact Pastor Chelsea with any questions.

**Youth Meal Fundraiser Orders Due Today.** Meal fundraisers are back! Our first meal will be Million Dollar Spaghetti Casserole with orders due by September 21st and pick-up beginning September 28th. Contact Kylee to order at kylee@triumc.org.

**College Connection.** It is time once again to be gathering names and addresses of College Students from our church. If you have an address please let me know by Nov. 1st. You may contact me via email, lwerth2@cox.net. I would like to send out gift cards by the end of November. Donations to this project are always welcome. Be sure to mark your donation as College Connection. Let's show these students how much TUMC cares for them. *Diane Werth* 

Tuesday afternoons, Trinity Bible study led by Pastor Chelsea from 2-3 pm in Fellowship Hall 2. Join us for a six-week study through the book, 'Embracing the Uncertain: A Bible Study for Unsteady Times' by Magrey deVega. This study will run from Sept 23-Oct 28.

Wednesdays, a Bible Study led by Pastor Eric from 6-7 p.m. Join us for *Unoffendable*: A study based on the book by Brant Hansen, Wednesday evenings from 6-7 p.m. Our society generates so much anxiety because people are constantly being offended. This study will discuss and teach the practices of letting go of anger and offenses so we can live the wholesome life Christ offers. Six sessions. \$14 for book.

**September 27, Congregational Care Meeting.** The Trinity Congregational Care team will gather for a special event-planning meeting on Saturday, Sept. 27, at 10 a.m. We will line out the details for our upcoming hospitality event that coincides with the TUMC Flu Shot Clinic on October 5th. If you want to help with the event, but can't make the meeting, just reach out to Pastor Chelsea!

September 28, A screening of the film, 1946: The Mistranslation that Shifted Culture, will be shown in the Family Life Center at 1:30pm. All are invited and welcome. *Inclusiveness & Justice Committee* 

Hey Preacher: Rethinking Preaching for a Greater Impact with Rev. Dr. Derek C. Weber, Director of Preaching Ministries at Discipleship Ministries. A one-day preaching workshop for Laity & Clergy. Please check out our bulletin board outside the Sanctuary and table in the lobby area outside Family Life Center to register. There are multiple dates to choose from; more information with QR code.

Join the Christmas Pageant Team! Help bring the Christmas story to life! We're gathering a team to prepare for our Pageant featuring kids ages 4–6th grade, with a mix of dialogue and music. Rehearsals are Sunday mornings at 11:00 AM starting in late October. Pageant presentation: Sunday, December 7th, Contact Lyz Garwood for more info!

It's almost Sock-tober! For the month of October, Missions will be collecting socks for Salina Shares. Stay tuned for more details.

**Building Blocks Learning Center** (Preschool & Daycare). The Learning Center has 4 Childcare Openings. Childcare is open M-F from 7:30 a.m. -5:30 p.m., ages three - to school-age children. Building Blocks Preschool has three openings remaining. Contact April Saskowski for information: 785.825.5270 or april@triumc.org.

**Choir Announcements.** Chancel Choir starts 9/3 at 7pm in Sanctuary; Folk Choir starts 9/3 at 6pm in Music Room: Handbell's starts 9/10 at 6pm in Fellowship Hall 2, and Men's Choir, TBD.

**Winter Item Collection.** Youth is collecting hats, gloves, and scarves through October 17th to deliver with the meals for their service project. Donation carts are located outside the Family Life Center and Sanctuary.

Youth Group. High school youth group September 10 at 7:00 pm, and middle school youth group September 14 at 4:00 pm.

Oct. 5, Flu Clinic hosted by Kynan Gibson. Kynan Gibson and his team are bringing back the Trinity Flu Shot Clinic! Sunday, Oct. 5, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Rooms 8/9 (the Building Blocks childcare area). Bring your insurance card to fill out the medical release form. \*If you are interested in a Covid shot as well, you will need to call the B&K pharmacy ahead of time so they can process your insurance and bring the additional shot on Sunday. Reach out to Kynan with any questions, 785 827 4455. Your Trinity Congregational Care team is partnering with 785.827.4455. Your Trinity Congregational Care team is partnering with the Flu Shot Clinic to offer breakfast snacks! Come chat with us outside Rooms 8/9 and help us learn how we can better serve you!

Oct. 15, Bridge Group. Meet in the Coffee Bar from 1-4 p.m. Contact Cheryl Siemers-Johns if you would like to play. 785.820.0556.

Oct 20, UMW Meeting. Fellowship Hall 1, 9:30am.

Oct. 20, Blood Drive. It's a great feeling knowing that you are saving and changing people's lives! To donate, call or text Morea at 785-493-1312. Thanks so much!

Fresh Garden Produce. Check out our fresh veggies as available throughout the summer. First-come, first-serve. Take home and enjoy. Garden group donations can be left in the lock box located at the SE Entrance, by coffee bar. Contact Chris Carazo with guestions: 785.819.1771.

Altar Flowers

given in celebration of Dub & Carol Adams 55th Wedding Anniversary

(Attendance for 9.14.25

One Service 8:30 = 100; 9:50 = 94; 11:00 = 75 Sunday School =80; online = 44; **Total 393** 

Bulletin deadline (Sunday, September 21, @ midnight). Newsletter deadline (Sunday, September 21, @ midnight). email: marilla@triumc.org

Pastoral Care Contact:

**Pastor Eric Meyer:** 479.426.8411 Pastor Chelsea Shrack: 620.546.6059

# Trinity Prayers

**Short-Term** Steve Daily **Bob Broughton** Hilma Demaree Randy Cooper Michele Gant Keith Drake Mason Glavin **Hoge Family** Nicole Hoss Stewart Hoss Richard Howeth Chad Knobloch Eli Jackson Jeff Knobloch Sandy Jones Kody Larson Mike Killian Edie Slack Ronnie Knott Lee Larson

Long-Term Pat Masko [Rochelle Masterson (Culley)] Bonnie Baldwin

Jimmy Joe Patterson Beth Berridge Linda Collins Don Peterson

# Our Week (Ahead

**Sunday, September 21** 15th Sunday of Pentecost 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:45am Sunday School 9:45am Leadership Lab

9:50am Modern Worship Traditional Worship W.O.W. meet @ 12pm

Spangles Crafting Connection Middle School Youth 3pm Group

**Monday, September 22** 

5:30pm Building Blocks Learning Center Committee Meeting SPRC 6:30pm Cub Scout Den Meeting 6:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 214

**Tuesday, September 23** 

7:45am IHOP Bible Study, North Location Staff Meeting

Social Knitting Bible Study with Pastor Chelsea

9:30am Tues. Morning Women's Bible Reading

6pm ASL Conversational Practice

Finance Committee 6:30pm Girl Scout Troop 20948

Lindsey Pratt

Mark Turner

Thaine Weber

Cory Wilcox

Denny Wahlgren

Ralph Windholz

Wednesday, September 24

9:30am Women of the Word Unoffendable Book Study with Pastor Eric Folk Choir 6pm

Handbells 6pm 7pm Chancel Choir

**Thursday, September 25** 

Worship Planning Patricia Mitchell Funeral & Luncheon to follow 3:30pm Backpack Connection 5:30pm Prayer Gathering

Saturday, September 27

6pm AdČo

Congregational Care Meeting Family Reunion 1pm

# September Birthdays

September 21 Anne Hoekstra Mike Hoppock Sandy Ward

September 23 Jana Cox Krista DeVoe Mack Morrison Hank Morrison Wayne Owen Brandon Smith

**September 24** Cheryl Werth

September 25 Karissa Kindlesparger Wesley Landauer Sawyer Scott

September 26 Bob Brown

September 27 Jenna Eshleman

Ron Gilbert Eric Meyer Katie Olson

September 28 Kelly Mobray

September 30 Lynette Lorenson

# Welcome to

# +TRINITY United Methodist Church

Striving for the Extraordinary; in Loving, Serving & Growing

# **Welcome to Worship at Trinity!**

We are so glad you joined us to celebrate our relationships with each other and with Jesus! Our expectation is that worship will be a time in which you experience a taste of the incredible grace and presence of God.

We are committed to open hearts, open minds, and open doors. All are accepted and all are welcome!

We develop these relationships by inviting people, investing in them, and then inspiring them to use their God-given talents to transform lives, the community, and the world. We believe there is a place for everyone in God's family.

We partner with Kansas Wesleyan University and other Salina United Methodist Churches and envision vibrant, thriving, teaching congregations which are developing relationships with Jesus and for Jesus.

We love to have children in the worship! However, if you wish to make use of the nursery, an usher can help you.

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