# **Journeys**

August 13, 2022: I joined Trinity United Methodist Church. A Journey of faith and I credit my sister Linda for helping me find a place to worship. I enjoy the Bible discussion on Saturdays before worship and have met some incredible souls that have been so encouraging!

I have enjoyed serving in the kitchen to the side of The Gathering Place after worship, of course folding Bulletins, and occasionally the newsletters too. Pastor April and her family are a blessing, kind of a reset. Thanks everyone for all you do!



- Steve Purdie

While we are on the topic of volunteering, we are calling all volunteers! As you know, we are moving to two services September 22nd. Lorraine Ogg calls for every Sunday service asking people to volunteer. Since it is two services, not everyone will go to the same service and also, not everyone will serve both services. There is a sign up sheet or an online form to fill out. Anyone can sign up at all times of the year, but for our first few weekends, we are building a list to assemble a rotating volunteer team. Thank you all who have already been volunteering. We look forward to seeing all the new faces greeting, ushering, and reading!



# **Order Of Worship**

**PRELUDE** 

Homage by Boalt; Supplication by Dexter; Kum Bah Yah arr. by Wislon; Chapel Chimes by Paxton

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

- **†** THE PASSING OF THE PEACE
- **†** CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Disciples of Christ, have you come today to receive a good word?

P: Yes! We come to receive a good word and blessing to carry with us into

L: God blessed Solomon in a dream. Are you ready to dream?

P: Yes! We come to dream of God's blessings we will carry with us into the world.

L: God blesses us when we worship together. Are you ready to worship?

P: Yes! We come to worship God together as we share in the good word of

L: Then, come! Let us worship with rejoicing!

P: Praise be to God who gives us wisdom and draws us together as the family of God! Amen.

† OPENING HYMN #333 "I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing"

### **OPENING PRAYER**

This Sunday we want to work to be consistent. We want to work to shed that "other face" and just show "one face" to the world. Teach us how to be consistent in all that we say and do. Deliver us from "nice-nastiness." Take these earthen vessels we call our lives and make us "doers" of your Word. Just as we depend on you, God, let others be able to depend on us. Put in us the desire to be *real*. Make us "Examples of Your Word." In the name of the One who embraced us and showed us how to embrace the unembraceable, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

**OFFERTORY** 

Jesus Loves Me arr. by Paxton

† DOXOLOGY

### † PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(UNISON)

Holy God, in this moment of offering, we stand before you, acknowledging your boundless wisdom and unfailing love. As we present our gifts, we also lift our prayers for guidance and understanding. Grant us the wisdom to discern your will and the courage to walk in your ways, following the example set before us by Solomon. Bless these offerings and our lives, so that we may continue to worship you in spirit and truth. Amen.

**CALL TO PRAYER** 

#2128 (Vs. 1) "Come and Find the Quiet Center"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

One: "For this we pray..."

& Concerns All: "Lord hear our prayers"

LORD'S PRAYER

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** 

#539 "O Spirit of the Living God"

**†** SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 111

**SERMON** "Be Wise"

(UNISON)

By Rev. April Wegehaupt

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION How can you have mercy on such unwise and unfaithful people, Perfect Wisdom? Yet, that is exactly what you do: and our greed turns to gratitude, our pettiness to praise, our tantrums to thanksgiving, as hope and joy become our blessing through the One we call our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In Christ, God sent redemption for all. In Christ, God feeds our hungry souls. In Christ, God gives the cup of salvation to thirsty people. We give thanks to God for everything: forgiveness, hope, new life. Amen.

† BENEDICTION

† POSTLUDE

Bind Us Together



# 13TH SATURDAY AFTER PENTECOST 6 PM TRADITIONAL SERVICE AUGUST 17TH, 2024

SENIOR PASTOR: Rev. April Wegehaupt (620) 212-6784 **ASSOCIATE PASTOR:** Pastor Anny Kapundu (308) 370-9465

**NEW VISITORS** 

FOLLOW UP PASTOR: Carla Gunn

DIRECTOR OF

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### SATURDAY WORSHIP IN GOLLAHER CHAPEL

Traditional: 6 p.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP IN SANCTUARY

TOGETHER WORSHIP: 9:30 a.m.

**WELCOME \* CONNECT \* DISCOVER** 

## **Announcements**



More Announcements inside

### **Volunteers For Service**

Greeter	Usher	Reader	Organist
Linda Clark & Pam Balderston	Mary Scott	Joyce Taylor	Brenda Lambert

## **Announcements**

### Fence Fundraiser

We have received a grant from the Nebraska Methodist Foundation to pay for part of a new playground fence. Please consider purchasing a fence panel for \$100, in memory or honor of someone special. You can contribute any amount through the church. Please contact Christina with any questions.



### Get To Know The Senior Pastor Meetings

It was announced that the Transition Team will be setting up small group meetings in homes to welcome and get to know Rev. April. The host/hostess is asked to provide the home and a light snack. You can invite people or you can request people sign up for your get together. If you would like to get acquainted via a zoom meeting, please call the church office. In the back, on the collection table there is a sign up sheet to choose your date. Thanks for agreeing to host! Enjoy the get-together.



### UWF: Cake/Salad Tupperware

The United Women in Faith is appreciative of everyone who donates cakes and salads for funerals. They would like to remind everyone who donates to pick up their pans and dishes. Thank you all.

## **Announcements**



### Food Distribution:

September 14th, 2024, at College Park 3180 W Highway 34. Enter Tech Boulevard. Distribution is at 9:30 am until Food is gone. It is best to arrive between 9 am and 11 am. Do not arrive before 7:30 am. This institution is an equal opportunity

### Miss Today's Sermon? Here are some options:

- Call (308) 210-2183 Most Popular!
- Visit our YouTube channel
- Visit our Facebook page
- Visit our website
- Pick up a printed copy from the office patients to the church.

# Hospital Visits & Prayer Chain

If you or a loved one is in the hospital and would like to be visited or put on the prayer chain for prayer, please get in touch with the office. Due to HIPAA security rules, Regional Medical Center cannot release the names of patients to the church.

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# Sympathies to the Family and Friends of:

† Thomas W. Pribnow, 48, August 1st



† William C. Schlachter, 75, August 3rd

# Plarn, Weaving, and Pizza Party with Pastor Carla Gunn August 18th 4 - 5:30 pm Miller Hall

# Calendar

# August 19th – 25th 2024

1:30 – 3pm	Hope United Women of Faith Circle, Youth Room	1 9	
	Love Circle, United Women of Faith, Room C	M O	
4:30	Senior Wii Bowling, Youth Room	N	
10 – 11am	Staff Meeting, The Gathering Place		
1 – 2:30pm	Mathetes Study Group, Youth Room	T U	
7 – 8pm	Worship Committee, The Gathering Place	Е	
6:45 – 8pm	Zone Kick-Off Party, Outside & Miller Hall	2 1 W E D	
7 – 8am	Bible Study, Tommy's Restaurant	2 2	
11 – 12pm	Lectio Divina, Zoom	T	
1 – 4pm	Prayer Shawl Group, The Gathering Place or Parlor	$\left  \begin{array}{c} H \\ U \end{array} \right $	
2 – 3pm	Coloring at the Chocolate Bar		
1 – 2pm	Bulletin Folding, Parlor	2 3 F R I	
5 – 6pm	Scripture Discussion, Parlor	2 4	
6 – 7pm	Worship, Gollaher Chapel	S A	
7 – 7:30pm	Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place	Т	
9:30 – 10:30am	Summer Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery	2 5	
10:30 – 11:30am	Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place	S	
	Growing In Faith Together (GIFT)	U N	
	Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room		