# Sunday Worship June 15, 2025 | 8:30 am Traditional

Because God first loved us, we live as Jesus in the world, loving God and loving neighbor.

We are so glad you joined us for worship today!

#### Prelude

Mourning Gift – Dana Vannen Anderson

Stillness of Dawn – Dana Vannen Anderson

Welcome

**Confession and Forgiveness** 

- Words on screen

**Gathering Hymn** 

Words on screen

#413 Red Hymnal Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

Prayer of the Day

**Romans 5:1-5** 

**Gospel** John 16:12-15

Message

Pastor Peter Weston Miller

Hymn of the Day

Words on screen

#971 Purple Hymnal Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom

**Prayers of the Church** 

Peace

Offering

Grace in Twilight - Dana Vannen Anderson

Communion

Communion Song

Chapel Bell - Celtic Folk Song - Arr. Dana Vannen Anderson

Shepherd's Call - Arr. Dana Vannen Anderson

Communion Blessing & Prayer

Sending Hymn

- Words on screen

#870 Red Hymnal We Praise You, O God

Blessing

Dismissal

**Postlude** 

Holy, Holy, Holy - Piet Post

#### Give online!

Please scan the QR code with your smartphone camera to make a secure donation.



All are invited to participate in Holy Communion at Trinity. Both bread and gluten-free wafers are offered. If needed, please request an individually wrapped gluten-free wafer from your communion server.

## **PARTICIPANTS**

Worship Director: Clark Weyrauch Organist: Carol Carver Piano: Dana Anderson Cello: Frances VonDorn Worship Assistant: Gary Cross

#### **PASTOR**

The Rev. Peter Weston Miller The Rev. Rich Larson



To include those not able to be here today, services are broadcast via livestream or digital recording. We are on Dakota and Anishinaabe (Ojibwe) land. We give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this land their home.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### NOTICE

We've received reports of scam emails circulating, seemingly from staff members. If you receive a suspicious message, please do not respond or click any links. When in doubt, always verify by contacting the staff member directly through known church phone numbers or official email addresses. Your vigilance helps keep our community safe!



SUMMER SUNDAY WORSHIP RUNS MAY 25 - AUGUST 31

Special Sundays at the Drive-In! (Regular worship continues on non-listed Sundays.)

- June 22 World Refugee Sunday: Join us in solidarity with refugees worldwide.
- Just added! July 6 Special Music Guests Jack Swanson and Katie Henly!
- July 13 Camp Song Sunday: The epitome of summer! Come sing your favorite camp songs with us.
- August 3 Jazz Band Sunday: Special musical guests, the Rented Mules Jazz Band, will join our worship.
- August 10 Eco-Sunday (EV + Hybrid Car Showcase): Explore eco-friendly vehicles with Sustainable Stillwater and Trinity Earth Keepers.
- August 17 Blessing of the Backpacks: As summer ends, we'll bless backpacks and prepare our hearts for the new school year
- August 24 Blessing of the Animals: All well-behaved, leashed pets are welcome to receive a special blessing during worship!
- August 31 Last Sunday of the Summer Drive-In: Don't miss our final outdoor worship of the season!
- September 7 TrinityFEST: We'll be back at Trinity for our annual community celebration!

#### **RACIAL JUSTICE:**

MIA Exhibit. Join Trinity members Sara Wagner and Sheila-Marie Untiedt, docents at the Minneapolis Institute of Art, for free tours of "Giants: Art from the Dean Collection of Swizz Beatz and Alicia Keys" on June 26 at 3:00 pm. To register contact saraewagner@comcast.net or smuntiedt@hotmail.com.

**Juneteenth.** Celebrate Juneteenth! Join Ann Wolff (RJMT co-chair) and other Trinity members at a free St. Paul event on June 19 at 11 am. Learn more: www.juneteenthminnesota.com. Contact Ann at wolff701@msn.com for details.

## **Spiritual Support Grief Group**

If you're grieving the loss of a loved one and seeking faith-based support in a safe, confidential space, consider joining our Grief Group. Led by Zanny Johnson, Grief Educator and Spiritual Director, this group will meet on Tuesdays from 3:00 to 4:30 PM on June 17, June 24, July 1, and July 8. Please plan to attend all four sessions. Register with Zanny at zjohnson@trinitylc.org by June 15.

#### YOUTH MINISTRY:

## **Camping Gear Needed!**

Over 20 high school youth need tents, camp stoves, cookware, compressible sleeping bags, and sleeping pads for their June 21-22 campout and upcoming Montana backpacking trip. If you have gear to loan, please email Dana Kruse at dkruse@trinitylc.org.

## LET'S GO SOCIAL:

## **Rustic Roots Winery**

Thursday, July 17 from 4-7 pm

Join us for live music featuring Trinity's own Phil Kadidlo and Carol Z! Enjoy good company, wine, and food with your Trinity friends. Questions? Contact Sandy Wendt at sjwendt46@gmail.com.

# NEW ART EXHIBIT: NARTHEX INSTALLATION THIS SUMMER Molly Birkeland. Watercolor artist.

An artist deeply inspired by faith and the healing power of creation, Molly Birkeland's journey with watercolor began as a daily meditative practice following the tragic loss of her son, Hudson. Through art, she found solace, joy, and a profound connection to her spirituality. Her work, primarily in watercolor, reflects the delicate details and vibrant colors of nature and is infused with love and blessings.

She currently resides in Stillwater, MN, (and is a Trinity member!) where she enjoys spending time with family and friends, her dog, practicing yoga, and immersing herself in nature. She also works as a mental health counselor, a role that complements her artistic passion for healing and human connection.

"A Glimpse of Heaven in Every Bloom" is a captivating watercolor art exhibit that invites viewers to experience the beauty of heaven reflected in the earthly splendor of botanical life. Through delicate brushstrokes and vibrant hues, the artist captures the essence of each bloom, inviting contemplation on the divine artistry evident in nature. These artworks serve as a reminder that glimpses of heaven's beauty can be found all around us. The pieces encourage viewers to slow down, observe the intricate details of a flower, and find moments of peace and connection with the divine in the everyday wonders of the natural world.

In loving memory of Hudson Birkeland, a portion of the proceeds from artwork sales will be donated to Children's Minnesota and Ronald McDonald House Charities.

## **Art Pickup!**

Big thanks to all of you who loaned us flower art for the display in the narthex— if you haven't done so yet, please pick up your art in the office during summer office hours, 9am to 4pm.



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