



Welcome!



Trinity Lutheran Church is “a place of grace with a call for all to continue the work of Jesus!” We are committed to seeing Christ in everyone.

As a Reconciling in Christ congregation, we are committed to racial equity and celebrate our human family's diversity of race, ethnicity, background, age, political affiliation, faith history, economic and social status, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, education, physical and mental abilities.

We are united in Christ and our growth is nurtured by embracing our differences.

We invite all people to grow with us toward greater love, understanding, and mutual respect.

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To sponsor Altar Flowers or the Radio Broadcast in honor or in memory of someone you love, please follow the QR code or contact the office.



Safety Notice:

If ever needed, our AED (Defibrillator) is located on the north wall across from the courtyard. First Aid kits are in left drawers of the office copier room, both kitchens, in the sanctuary entrance usher closet, and in the Nursery.

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9:30 a.m. Livestream
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November 1, 2026
THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

- Sunday, November 1, 8:30 am - Bible Study, Conference Room
- Sunday, November 1, 9:30 am - Traditional Sunday Worship Service, Sanctuary & Livestream
- Sunday, November 1, 10:30 am - Coffee & Cookies Fellowship, Gathering Space
- Sunday, November 1, 10:40-10:50 am - American Sign Language (ASL) Class, Conference Room
- Sunday, November 1, 10:40 am - Adult Sunday School, Fellowship Hall
- Sunday, November 1, 10:40 am - Children's Sunday School, (Sanctuary - opening, Basement - class)
- Sunday, November 1, 10:40 am - Confirmation, Youth Room
- Sunday, November 1, 10:40 am - High School, TLC Library
- Sunday, November 1, 11:30 am - Orchestra Rehearsal, Fellowship Hall
- Sunday, November 1, 6:00 pm - The World Beloved: A Bluegrass Mass, Sanctuary
- Tuesday, November 3, 9:30 am - Staff Meeting, Conference Room
- Tuesday, November 3 - Tuesday Morning Bible Study (Psalms), Social Room (9:30 social, 10:00 class)
- Tuesday, November 3, 11:30 am - Handbell Rehearsal, Sanctuary
- Tuesday, November 3, 2:00 pm - Tuesday Afternoon Prayer Group, Zoom
- Wednesday, November 4, 7:15 am - Wednesday Morning Prayer Group, Conference Room
- Wednesday, November 4, 7:00 pm - Trinity Choir, Music Room
- Thursday, November 5, 6:30 pm - Justice Matters Problems Assembly, First Presbyterian Church
- Saturday, November 7, 8:30 am - Trinity Men's Breakfast, The Big Biscuit
- Sunday, November 8, 9:30 am - New Members' Sunday, Sanctuary & Gathering Space
- Sunday, November 8, 10:40 am - Children & Youth cooking for LINK, Social Room Kitchen (upstairs)
- Sunday, November 8, 10:40 am - Introduction to Accessibility Inclusion, Fellowship Hall
- Sunday, November 8, 11:45 am - Worship & Music Committee Meeting, Conference Room

Bluegrass Mass Choral Concert Tonight! Please join us here at 6 pm Sunday, Nov. 1 for our Trinity Festival Choir concert, to benefit the Trinity (Episcopal) Interfaith Pantry. Featuring a live band and a greatly expanded choir, this will be an excellent performance of great choral works by American composers.



LINK: Trinity's next opportunity to provide a meal for LINK is Tuesday, November 10. We need food donations as well as volunteers to help serve the meal and clean up on that day. To volunteer, look for the sign-up sheets on the wooden shelf in the gathering space or go to:

https://tinyurl.com/LINKtlc

Thank you for your service and/or prayers for this important community ministry. If you are unable to cook or serve, monetary donations are also much appreciated. A check to Trinity with LINK on the memo line will work.

ACCESSIBILITY & INCLUSION MESSAGE

Did you know that one in four people in the United States live with a disability?

Those disabilities are often invisible, but they can sometimes leave people feeling disconnected from their communities including our churches.

As a medical professional and woman living with epilepsy, one of the things that has always stood out to me from the gospels is how Christ often made sure to include people with chronic illnesses and perceived disabilities.

Seeing Sunnie signing here helped Mike and I decide that Trinity was a welcoming church for our family.

Maybe you have had a moment when you felt grateful for accessibility our church offered—such as gluten free communion, larger print materials, or the opportunity to watch services from home.

Alternatively, maybe you've experienced ways our ministries could be even more accessible or have wanted to know how to connect with or offer help to people in your life with accessibility challenges. It is sometimes hard to know where to start.

No matter your current understanding of accessibility inclusion, we'd love to invite you to learn more and help Trinity become an even more accessible and welcoming community.

Join us after services on Sunday November 8th from 10:40-11:40 am during the normal adult education hour for an Introduction to Accessibility Inclusion (in the Fellowship Hall).

Sincerely,

Cyndie Courtney

ANNOUNCEMENTS

— Opportunities to “Reach Out”—



Thank you to everyone who participated in this year's House Discussion Listening Process. The relationships deepened, and experiences and values shared are invaluable to carrying forward in God's mission for us to seek Justice for each other and our neighbors in this community.

Towards our Trinity team goal of 30, we have 26 so far who committed to being "network members". For those unable to attend a house discussion but interested to learn more, please mark your calendar for the first Network-wide event **November 5th 6:30-8pm** at First Presbyterian Church! Participants will have a say in the new direction of the organization's efforts and leadership.

For those of you not called to be directly involved with this ministry, please put **April 25th, 2027** on your calendar to support the culmination of our efforts at the Nehemiah Action Assembly as a whole congregation.

New York School - Snack Drive: The teachers in our East Lawrence Elementary School have asked for some help with snacks for students. If you have anything to share (individually wrapped, nut-free, non-candy preferred), please simply drop it off at the school with Linda or Sheila, who will make sure they are fairly dispersed! Email lkucza@usd497.org with questions. Thank you!



Name Tags Available: New members, regular attenders and those who need a replacement or repair, please reach out to Kate (kate@tlclawrence.org) with your preference on style (magnet, pin, clip) and how you'd like your name printed.

Jodie's Weekly Breeze Briefing:



Want to update your profile photo? Once you are logged into your user access account, click on the "My Profile" button along the top of the page. Then click on the image box. Follow the instructions to upload a picture to your profile.

If you are doing this from your phone, you will need to turn your phone to its horizontal position to see the "Upload Photo" option.

Haven't set up your Breeze account yet but want to?

Follow the QR code to get started.



Fall Holiday Kitchen Essentials Drive: Trinity's Women of the ELCA are sponsoring a fall Holiday Kitchen Essentials drive for baking and cooking ingredients/supplies. All items will be donated to **JUST FOOD INC.** in mid-November.

We request assistance with the following donations:

- 1. Baking Supplies: flour, sugar, oatmeal, vegetable oils, chocolate chips, peanut butter and spices. Any canned goods such as fruits, pie fillings, pumpkin, tuna fish, beans, all vegetables and/or other staples such as pasta and cereal.
- 2. New or near-new Small Kitchen Equipment: Manual can openers, measuring cups, non-breakable mixing bowls, wooden spoons, spatulas, potholders, disposable or regular baking pans, etc.

A donation box will be provided in the hallway November 1 - 15, 2026.

Many thanks and blessings, Crystal Miles



ADULT BIBLE STUDY: Sundays 10:45 - 11:30 am regularly in the main-level Fellowship Hall

November 1 - - How are we to live during the "in-between" time--the time between the inbreaking of the kingdom of heaven in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, and the promised coming of the victorious Christ at the end of the age? (Matthew 25:1-13)
- Pr. Randy



Today's **Radio Broadcast** is sponsored by Bob Sarna in honor of the November 5th birthday of his wife Ruth Sarna.

PRAYERS NEEDED

We give thanks and praise to God and congratulations to Dustin Struble, Sarah Bell, and big brother Felix for the healthy arrival of newborn Adele (Della) Grace Struble, born October 19.

Those ill, injured, or in need of support

Members: Louis Box, Julie Schmidt, Joe Box, Jerry Meuschke, Carol Ann Salber, Alita Cooper, Gary & Julie Crowe, Jere McElhaney, Steve Ozark, Webb & Anna Hecker.

Relatives or friends of members: Ken Reeder (husband of Sue), Dwight Christiansen (father of Bethany Christiansen), Stan Ingersol (uncle of Michael Stephenson), Janie Krull (mother of Mandy Sponholtz), Cameron (niece of Sponholtzes), Nicholas Wallace (son of Ashley Vital), Tylee Baars (granddaughter of Charles Baars), Jennifer (daughter of Julie & Gary Crowe), Rich Moloney (father of Kirsten Elson), Katie Kranig (friend of Manley Brudvig), Alice (friend of Sarah Jane Russell), Linda Klinker (friend of Lynn Krusemark), Stacia Watkins (niece of Geri & Jerry Meuschke), Marsha (sister of Vicki Julian), Isaac (son of Emily & Andrew Hanson), Naomi Jacobsen (step-mother of Emily Hanson), Michel El Haddad (family member of Emily Fetsch), Matt Hutchinson (father-in-law to Laura, daughter of Barb Jones), Karen McCarley Wallace (friends of Julie Crowe), Stan Husted, Nancy Larsen, Dolores Fisher, Rick Sawyer and Mahlon Steffy (cousin & friends of Shirley Anderson), Lena (friend of Lynn and Jennifer Krusemark), Jake Hecker (son of Anna & Webb Hecker), Joyce Lancaster (niece of Barb Bishop).

After 3 months, names will be removed from the prayer list unless you ask us to keep your name on the list.

To add prayer listing requests, request a visit or call, or to report births, hospitalizations, or deaths, contact the Church Office at 785-843-4150 or kate@tlclawrence.org. **For prayer chain requests,** contact Ruth Sarna at: rsarna@sunflower.com or (785) 842-0230.



TLC Income and Expenses - January through September 2026			
Income	Actual YTD	Budget YTD	Over/Under Budget
General Offerings	290,632.93	341,250.03	-50,617.10
Other Income	77,050.76	49,635.00	27,415.76
Total Income	367,683.69	390,885.03	-23,201.34
Expenses	Actual YTD	Budget YTD	Over/Under Budget
Administration	21,704.50	27,753.66	-6,049.16
Payroll	238,870.00	243,043.74	-4,173.74
Programs and Ministries	9,624.93	12,326.13	-2,701.20
Property Mgmt/Insurance	76,528.62	66,674.97	9,853.65
Utilities	39,842.22	39,750.03	92.19
Benevolence	17,478.53	18,487.44	-1,008.91
Total Expense	404,048.80	408,035.97	-3,987.17
Net Surplus/Deficit	-36,365.11	-17,150.94	-19,214.17

Please contact Jodie Garcia, Office Manager/Bookkeeper, at tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org or (785) 843-4150 with any questions.

Mark Your Calendars:

- 11/5 (Thu.), 6:30p) - Justice Matters Problems Assembly, First Presbyterian
- 11/8 (Sun.) - New Member's Sunday, TLC Sanctuary & Gathering Space
- 11/8 (Sun.) - Introduction to Accessibility Inclusion, Fellowship Hall
- 11/10 (Tue.) - LINK, First Christian Church
- 11/15 (Sun.) - Westwood House/KU Campus Ministry Sunday, TLC
- 11/26-11/27 (Th-Fri.) - Offices Closed for Thanksgiving, TLC