

Contemporary Sunday Worship

Oct. 27, 2024 | 11 am

Worship Center

We are so glad you joined us for worship today!

ALTAR FLOWERS today are given by Debbie and Dave Beaudet in loving memory of Debbie's sister, **Jeanette Keeney**.

CONFIRMED TODAY

Luciana James Budion
Thomas Gary Whitcomb Fossum
Grant Louis Gabrielli
Chase Aiden Gohdes
Annika Marie Weekes Kanewischer
Madison Emery McDonald
Isla Mae Noah
Maggie Elise Noah
Brody Lee O'Connor
Elijah Scott Parkin
Soren Nicholas Sanchez
Stefan Christopher Sheridan
Camryn Lynn Slachta
Leyna Grace Stebbins
Robin Rose Thury
Evelyn Dorothea White
Adeline Belle Wilichowski
Irene Jean Wilson
Nash Oliver Wolden

PARTICIPANTS

Worship Director: Clark Weyrauch
Worship Band Leader: Andrew Kreye
Worship Band: Seth Lienard, Brian Lynch, Mari Shumaker, Nick Dinius, Lucinda White

PASTORS

The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille
The Rev. Peter Weston Miller

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

Gathering Music

I Am Free – John Egan

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Song

– Words on screen

#504 Red Hymnal *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

Prayer of the Day

Reading Psalm 46

Gospel Mark 10:46-52

Message

– Pastor Peter Weston Miller

Song

– Words on screen

Shine Jesus Shine – Graham Kendrick

Affirmation of Baptism Confirmation

Prayers of the Church

Peace

Offering

Raise A Hallelujah – Jake Stevens, Jonathan David Helser, Melissa Helser, Molly Skaggs

Communion

Gratitude – Benjamin Hastings, Brandon Lake, Dante Bowe

Communion Blessing & Prayer

Sending Song

– Words on screen

Thanks and Praise – Jonny Riggs | Chloe Edmonds | Lucy Grumble

Blessing

Dismissal

Sending Music



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

Ushers, greeters, communion servers, coffee crew and treats—be a part of Sunday morning hospitality! Help make Trinity a place where everyone is welcome! Volunteers needed at all Sunday services. Fun, easy service activity for individuals and families. Read more at: <https://trinitylc.org/worship-music/hospitality/volunteer/>

SUNDAY FAITH FORUM:

Food, Culture, Justice in Scripture with Anna Marsh Sundays, Oct. 27 and Nov. 3 | 10 am | River Room

Anna Marsh is Assistant Professor of Old Testament at Luther Seminary. Her current research and teaching are focused on gender and literary criticism of the Hebrew Bible, and on food and drink in the Bible and ancient world. Her publications include a chapter in the recent volume *Reading the Song of Songs in a #MeToo Era: Women, Sex and Public Discourse* (Brill, 2023) and several book reviews as well as forthcoming journal articles. She is a member of the Society of Biblical Literature (SBL) and the Association for the Study of Food and Society (ASFS). Read more at: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/adult/adult-ed/>

ABIDE READERS BOOK DISCUSSION:

Poverty, by America by Matthew Desmond Monday, Oct. 28, 6:30-8 pm via Zoom

Pastor Larry Johnson, former interim pastor at Trinity, will lead the discussion of *Poverty, by America* by Pulitzer Prize winner Matthew Desmond. This book is the basis of a class that he teaches in an adult education program in Duluth. More information at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/connections/abide-readers/>

LET'S GO! EVENT:

Tour of East Metro Place/Solid Ground Tuesday, Oct. 29, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Solid Ground is an award-winning Minnesota nonprofit whose proven, holistic approach helps families build the strong foundations they need to emerge from homelessness into a brighter future. Committed to the "Housing First" philosophy, Solid Ground moves people out of homelessness and into housing first, then provides person-centered, holistic support and services essential for long-term stability. RSVP to Sandy Wendt at sjwendt46@gmail.com.

Dinner Church & Wednesday Night Learning Wednesday, Oct. 30

Join us Wednesday evenings for a community meal and worship service with faith formation opportunities for all ages!

Wednesday Night Schedule:

4:30-5:15 p.m. – Youth Choir

5:20-6 p.m. – Faith Lab

5:30 p.m. – Community Meal food service begins

6:15-6:45 p.m. – Dinner Church Worship

6:45-7:45 p.m. – Confirmation, FAFA & Adult Faith Lab

Disaster Relief—as we see the heartbreaking images of the aftermath of hurricanes, please consider a gift to Lutheran Disaster Response, which works with partners to provide both immediate relief (water, food, clothing, gift cards, tarps, etc.) and longer term assistance (disaster case management, construction management, attention to unmet needs, and emotional/spiritual care). Visit: <https://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Relief-and-Development/Lutheran-Disaster-Response/Our-Impact/Hurricane-Response>

NOTE: **Daylight Saving Time (DST) ends next Sunday, Nov. 3.** Remember to set your clocks back one hour as needed.

Please pray for our Tanzania travel team and follow their blog!

A group from Trinity is in Tanzania until Nov. 4. They are working to upgrade water pumps and navigate an expansion plan of the water system at our partner congregation in Mwatasi. The first water system was installed there in 2005. Please pray for the safe travels of our team and their efforts at providing sustainable access to clean water! Follow their trip on the Tanzania Trinity Stillwater Oct 2024 blog at: <https://trinity-tz-2024.blogspot.com/>

Election Day Prayer Service

Tuesday, Nov. 5 | 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Worship Center will be open for prayer from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Election Day. (Note that Trinity is a polling location.) We have created a short service of word and music to guide your prayer that will loop on the screen. Come and stay as long as you like. Everyone is welcome.

Women's Retreat

**Saturday, Nov. 16 | 10 am to 2 pm
Memorial Lutheran Church in Afton**

Led by Pastor Chris and Zanny Johnson

\$40 (includes breakfast treats, snacks, lunch and all materials)

Let's gather for a half day retreat with the theme of For Such a Time as This: Discovering the fullness of who God created us to be, and courageously claiming our wisdom, experience, perspective, voice and body. Read more and register at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/special-event/>



Budget Forum | Sunday, Nov. 10 at 10 am | Living Room

If you have an interest in, or questions about Trinity's budget, this forum is for you! We will review the 2025 proposed budget that will be presented for approval at the annual meeting.

Annual Meeting | Sunday, Nov. 17 at 11 am | Worship Center

Please join us for the annual meeting of our congregation following the 10 a.m. worship service on Sunday, Nov. 17. (Only one worship service this day!) The annual meeting is held in November as our fiscal year end is Aug. 31. You have an important role to play in both the ministry and management at Trinity.



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