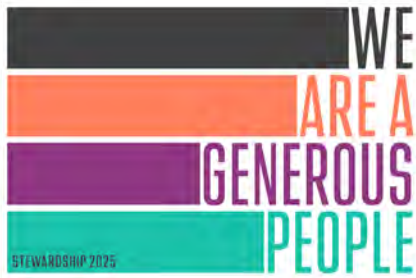


All-in Sunday Worship

Nov. 17, 2024 | 10 am
Worship Center

We are so glad you joined us for worship today!



Pledge & Give

2025 Scan the QR code with your smartphone camera to add your financial support to Trinity's ministries by giving to the general fund to meet our budget obligations for the coming year. Or visit: <https://trinitylc.org/giving/>



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
Youth Choir Director: Sonia Esch
Trinity Brass
Worship Band Leader: Andrew Kreye
Worship Band: Jim Brown, Seth Lienard, Brian Lynch, Mari Shumaker, Nick Dinius, Emily Gutierrez, 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.
– Words on screen

Prelude

God So Loved – Andrew Bergthold | Ed Cash
Joy

Welcome & Announcements

Mission Minute

Special Music

May the God of Hope Go With Us – Youth Anthem

– Youth Choir

Opening Song

#845 Red Hymnal *Voices Raised to You*

– Words on screen

Prayer of the Day

Children's Message

– Kris Linner

Gospel Mark 13:1-8

Message

– Pastor Chris Bellefeuille

Song

#595 Red Hymnal *Jesus Loves Me*

First verse and refrain Youth Choir only, then all sing

– Words on screen

Prayers of the Church

Sharing of Peace Song

Offering

Crowded Table – arranged by Andrea Ramsey, based on the song by The High Women

– Words on screen

Communion

"Nimrod" from Enigma Variations – Edward Elgar, arr. Hopson

Communion Blessing & Prayer

Recognition of Eric Trosdahl

Sending Song

Sing Wherever I Go – Cash

– Words on screen

Blessing

Dismissal

Postlude

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

BAPTIZED this coming Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. worship:
Dolores Maeve Brownson, child of Michael & Sara Brownson

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY to family and friends of **Reid Johnson**.

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/>

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.

AFTER THE ANNUAL MEETING: **Celebration of Eric Trosdahl**
Join us following the annual meeting for cake to celebrate the many years of service of our Financial Secretary, Eric Trosdahl. (This position was absorbed by the Accounting Coordinator.) We give thanks for the many years of Eric's loving and faithful service and his continued role in Sunday morning hospitality and participation in life at Trinity. Cards are welcomed!

Dinner Church & Wednesday Night Learning Wednesday, Nov. 20

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

TRINITY CONCERT SERIES:

Twin Cities Trumpet Ensemble | Saturday, Nov. 23 at 7 pm

Come enjoy beautiful arrangements ranging from beloved Disney classics and melodic marches to rousing Christmas carols and more! Presented by Zephyr Theatre, tickets \$20. Available at the door or at: <https://www.stillwaterzephyrtheatre.org/>

ABIDE READERS BOOK DISCUSSION: *Not a Nation of Immigrants: Settler Colonialism, White Supremacy, and a History of Erasure and Exclusion* by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz

Monday, Nov. 25, 6:30-8 pm via Zoom

Our group purpose is to open our hearts and minds to the stories and to the lives of our neighbors. Everyone is welcome to any or all discussions. More information at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/connections/abide-readers/>

Mountain Top 2025: High School Adventure Trip Trip Dates: July 20-25, 2025

Sign-up and submit commitment deposit by Jan. 31, 2025

Mountain-top moments are a key cornerstone of faith formation—often literally in God's creation. Join us for an unforgettable backpacking trip to Flathead Lake Montana in partnership with Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp. Friends and other church affiliation welcome. Scholarships available. Read more and sign up at: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/youth/high-school/>

COMING UP IN SUNDAY FAITH FORUM:

Evangelicalism in a Polarized Age with Chris Gehrz Sunday, Nov. 24 | 10 am | River Room

What is an "evangelical"? Where did that word come from, and is it still useful today? Historian Chris Gehrz will lead our discussion of a term that baffles election pollsters, inspires heated debate and vexing behavior—among Christians and non-Christians alike. While the election season may be over, this courageous conversation will provide key insights of understanding and knowing all our neighbors.

Zacchaeus, Cornelius, the Ethiopian: The Tax Collector, Centurion, and Eunuch with Bob Boyd Sunday, Dec. 1 | 10 am | River Room

The Bible is full of stories that both inspire and teach us. Our session will examine three stories and attempt to better understand the people involved. We know for instance that the tax collector Zacchaeus was a short man who climbed into a sycamore tree to see Jesus, but what did a tax collector of that time really do? Likewise, in the story of Peter and the centurion, what was a centurion? And in the story of Philip and the eunuch, what was the role of a eunuch in biblical times? This session will address all three questions and explore the meaning of the stories they represent. Read more at: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/adult/adult-ed/>

LET'S GO! EVENT: **Christmas Caroling**

Thursday, Dec. 12, 5 pm | Meet at Trinity

The LET'S GO! team invites you to sing and bring cheer to folks in our community who are at local care centers. A fun and meaningful event for all ages! Meet at Trinity's 4th Street main entrance at 5 p.m. We'll gather for hot cocoa and fellowship after. Questions? Contact Sandy Wendt at sjwendt46@gmail.com.

Longest Night Worship

Sunday, Dec. 8 at 5 pm | Worship Center

A worship service for the weary. In this season of festivity, this service provides an oasis of solace and comfort. Candles, music, poetry, calm, silence. A time for weary bodies and heavy hearts to find hope and peace. In the Worship Center. Also available online and livestream.

Children's Christmas Program

Sunday, Dec. 15 at 10 am

One worship service only this day. Join us for "Station Good News!"—a fresh take on the Christmas story through a pre-recorded video Trinity children created in November. On Dec. 15, bring your favorite stuffed animal to fill the manger as we watch the creative work of our faith community unfold. Plus, enjoy some amazing artwork on display, made by our talented Trinity children!

Christmas Celebration Concert at Trinity

Sunday, Dec. 15 at 3 pm

Join us for a special concert with Guest Soloist Christina Pecce, Soprano; and featuring the Trinity Choir (Clark Weyrauch, Director), Trinity Youth Choir (Sonia Esch, Director), St. Croix Valley Symphony Orchestra (Dr. Kris Tjornehoj, Director) with Carol Carver on organ and piano. You will hear classic favorites, as well as familiar and not-so-familiar music for the season. Appropriate for all ages. No cost to attend, there will be a free-will offering to support music at Trinity. Please join us for this special afternoon of incredible music in the Worship Center. Reception to follow in the Narthex!



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