

Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, October 17, 2021 – Traditional Service with Communion

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at my left is not
mine to grant,
but it is for
those for

whom
it has been
prepared.”

Mark 10:40

WELCOME TO ALL

Welcome to worship at Trinity Lutheran Church! We are glad you are here. We are delighted to gather as one people in the name of the risen Lord Jesus, in whose power over disease and death we take hope.

Please use this bulletin to participate in the liturgy and take it with you when the service is ended.

*Currently, we recommend **all** those attending worship wear a mask, regardless of vaccination status, for your safety and the safety of others.
Thank you for your cooperation.*

We track attendance for communion. If you plan to commune, you're invited to register yourself beforehand on our website (trinitylutheranchambersburg.org), by calling the church office (717-263-8156), or ushers can register you when you arrive.

Bathrooms are located down the hall from the side entrance to the sanctuary.

Children are always welcome during worship, but if desired, there is a nursery in room 107 available for children ages birth to school age.

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Today's gospel starts with disciples obsessing over who will be closest to Jesus, leading to Jesus teaching his followers about God's take on importance and power.

Here Jesus makes it explicit that the reversal of values in God's community is a direct challenge to the values of the dominant culture, where wielding power over others is what makes you great.

When we pray "your kingdom come" we are praying for an end to tyranny and oppression. We pray this gathered around the cross, a sign of great shame transformed to be the sign of great honor and service.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregation responds in bold print.

Please respect the silence of those around you preparing for worship.

Please stand as you are able.

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God,
we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves.
We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.
Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,
so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.

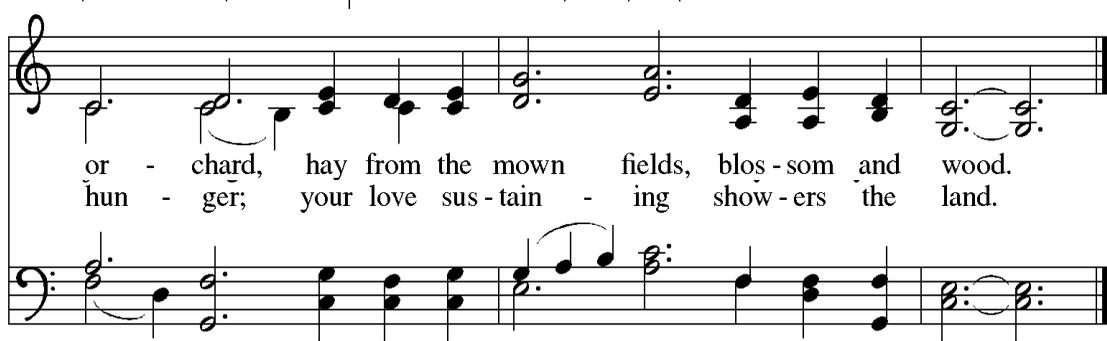
In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.
Amen.



1 Praise and thanks-giv - ing, God, we would of - fer for all things
 4 Then will your bless - ing reach ev - 'ry peo - ple, free - ly con -



liv - ing, you have made good: har - vest of sown fields, fruits of the
 fess - ing your gra - cious hand. Where you are reign - ing, no one will



or - chard, hay from the mown fields, blos - som and wood.
 hun - ger; your love sus - tain - ing show - ers the land.



APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

Sovereign God,

**you turn your greatness into goodness
for all the peoples on earth.**

**Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom,
and make us desire always and only your will,
through Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord.**

Amen.

Please be seated.



WORD

FIRST READING

Isaiah 53:4-12

This reading is from the last of four passages in Isaiah that are often called “servant songs.”

Christians are probably most familiar with this servant song.

In light of Christian faith, the servant’s healing ministry and redemptive suffering are understood to be fulfilled in the life and death of Christ.

⁴Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. ⁵But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. ⁶All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

⁷He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. ⁸By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. ⁹They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

¹⁰Yet it was the will of the Lord to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the Lord shall prosper. ¹¹Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. ¹²Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

Word of God. Word of Life.

Thanks be to God!

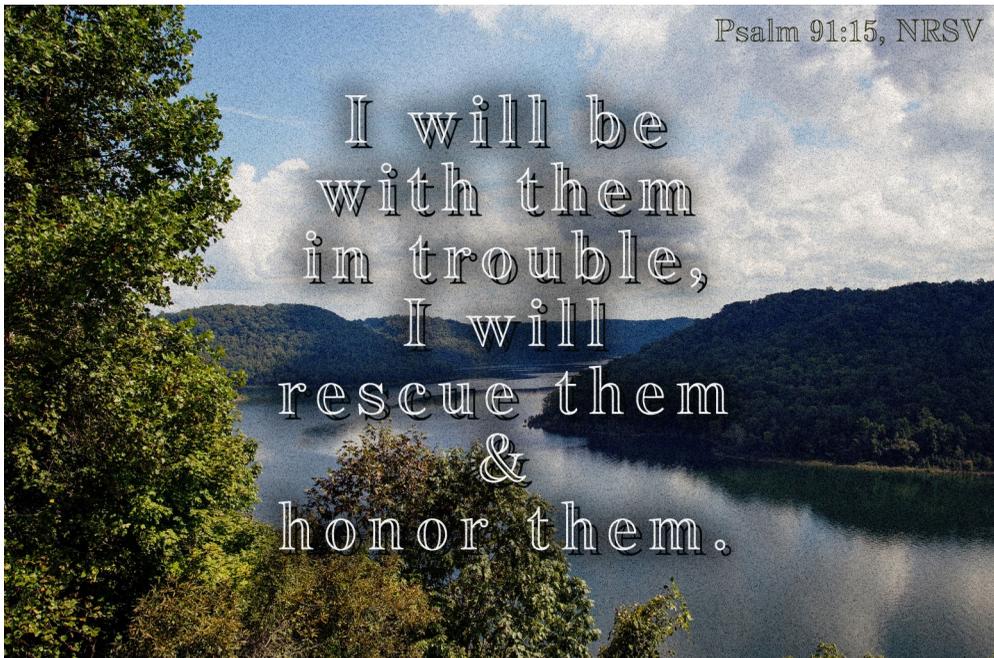
PSALMODY

Psalm 91:9-16

We will speak the Psalm responsively.

You have made the Lord your refuge, and the Most High your habitation. (Ps. 91:9)

- ⁹Because you have made the Lord your refuge,
and the Most High your habitation,
¹⁰**no evil will befall you,
nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.**
¹¹For God will give the angels charge over you,
to guard you in all your ways.
¹²**Upon their hands they will bear you up,
lest you strike your foot against a stone.**
¹³You will tread upon the lion cub and viper;
you will trample down the lion and the serpent.
¹⁴**I will deliver those who cling to me;
I will uphold them, because they know my name.**
¹⁵They will call me, and I will answer them;
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.
¹⁶**With long life will I satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.**



SECOND READING

Hebrews 5:1-10

*Using imagery from scripture and from Jewish worship practices,
Jesus is presented as the great high priest who was obedient to God's saving plan.
Through his suffering and death he has become the source of eternal salvation.*

¹Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. ²He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; ³and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. ⁴And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

⁵So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

“You are my Son,
today I have begotten you”;

⁶as he says also in another place,

“You are a priest forever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.”

⁷In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. ⁸Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; ⁹and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Word of God. Word of Life.

Thanks be to God!



Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL

Mark 10:35-45

*On the way to Jerusalem the disciples ask Jesus to grant them seats of honor.
Jesus responds by announcing that he and his followers will “rule”
through self-giving service.*

The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 10th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁵James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, “Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.” ³⁶And he said to them, “What is it you want me to do for you?” ³⁷And they said to him, “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.” ³⁸But Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?” ³⁹They replied, “We are able.” Then Jesus said to them, “The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; ⁴⁰but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.”

⁴¹When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. ⁴²So Jesus called them and said to them, “You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. ⁴³But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. ⁴⁵For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

SERMON

“Are You Able...?”

Pastor Spomer

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Earth Carol”

Purvis

Please stand as you are able.

APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Names of family & friends in prayer found on page 17.

A brief silence

Response following each petition:

L: Hear us, O God.

R: your mercy is great.



SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you!

OFFERING

Please place your offerings in the plate provided by the door as you enter or exit worship. Thank you for your generosity and faithful support.

MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

Please be seated.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come for all who are ready the gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION

*All baptized followers of Christ are welcome at the Lord's Table.
Communicants are ushered forward row-by-row.
Collect an empty cup as you near the front of the sanctuary and proceed forward.
The pastor will place the bread in your hand.
Once you have eaten the bread, the communion assistant
will pour wine from the chalice into the empty cup.
After drinking the wine, please return to your seat along the side aisle.
Grape juice is available; please request that from the communion assistant if you prefer it.*

SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

*James Druckenbrod, Donald Grier, Raymond Kauffman,
Philip Lobaugh, & Barb Montgomery*

Gracious God, as you have sent messengers of compassion to your people, we send these Eucharistic ministers in your name. Empower them to serve brothers and sisters who are unable to share the sacrament with us today. Fill them with your Spirit; give them the gifts of humility, patience, gentleness, kindness, and above all, love, that through their ministry others may know the peace of your presence, and that by the body and blood of your Son they may experience the joy of your salvation.

Amen.

1 On what has now been sown your bless - ing Lord, be - stow; the
 3 Oh, grant that each of us, now met be - fore you here, may

pow'r is yours a - lone to make it sprout and grow. O Lord, in
 meet to - geth - er thus when you and yours ap - pear, and fol - low

grace the har - vest raise, and yours a - lone shall be the praise!
 you to heav'n, our home. E'en so, A - men! Lord Je - sus, come!

SENDING

THE BENEDICTION DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you.
Thanks be to God.

Please be seated.

POSTLUDE *“Postlude on “Lobe den Herren””*

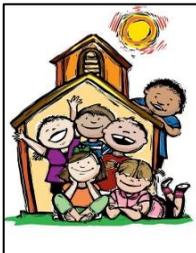
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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS	
<i>Interim Sr. Pastor</i>	<i>Pastor M. David Kiel</i>
<i>Organist</i>	<i>Barb Woods</i>
	<i>10 AM</i>
<i>Lector</i>	<i>Joyce McDonald</i>
<i>Communion Asst.</i>	<i>Luke Coder Kathy Ashway</i>
<i>Communion Prep</i>	<i>Elaine Hess-Strite Lois Hess-Strite</i>
<i>Ushers</i>	<i>Don Grier Phil Lobaugh</i>
<i>Livestream Team</i>	<i>Evan Sutton Lois Hess-Strite</i>
<i>Nursery</i>	<i>Luke Coder Lisa Coder</i>

LAST WEEKS ATTENDANCE:	
<i>Saturday, October 9, 2021</i>	23
<i>Sunday, October 10, 2021</i>	71
Online Worship Service Views:	96

*Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
and in honor of her granddaughter Shanley McDonald's
7th birthday by Nana Joyce McDonald*



*The children's bulletins are given to the Glory of God
and in honor of Trinity's Children
by Barbara Montgomery*

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET

Mark 10:42-44—Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all.

*Jesus gives us a reality that's topsy-turvy from what we know!
We achieve greatness by serving others? Why is this so hard?
What kind of heart-transformation does it require?*

Budgeted amount needed: \$8,072.12 10/10/2021 Offering: \$6,472.09
Thank You!

BAKED GOODS NEEDED

NOTICE: DATE CHANGE

Trinity will be honoring our first responders as the **Saints Among Us** on **Saturday, Nov. 13** & **Sunday, Nov. 14**

with blessings and baked goods.

Bags for baked goods, in the church office, may be filled with a dozen cookies, a small loaf of sweet bread, 6 large brownies, or etc.

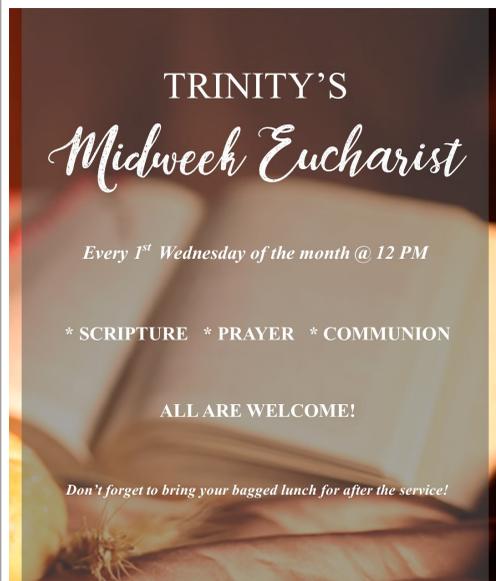
Please bring baked goods to the church.

We are hoping to fill 90 bags.

Thurs. Nov. 11th, 9 AM - 1 PM, the evening of Nov. 13th, or the morning of Nov. 14th.

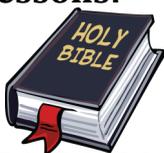
Anyone interested in helping with delivering the baked goods, contact Louisa Etter: 717-352-7691 or chamba@embarqmail.com.

Service Ministry thanks you for your support.



Next week's Lessons:

- Jeremiah 31:7-9
- Psalm 126
- Hebrews 7:23-28
- Mark 10:46-52





SEWING GROUP

October 27, 2021 @ 11 AM
Carol Hutsler's Residence
For more info call / email
the church office.

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS



We Pray For

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Family & friends of Betty Danzberger	Pat Spare	Jane
Michele	Denny Varner	Cheryl
Jacob Crider	Lois Hess-Strite	Ayano Sakai
Cory Stenger	Curt Stambaugh	Dottie Fochtman
Alan Keith	Bob Rynecki	Shirley Tomlinson
Wallace Whitworth	Greg Woods	Larry Royce
Hirut Amdeta	Jim Cistone	Cameron
Doc Hess	Ron Portner	Kayla Reed
Susie Glick	Rick Diller	Mary Royce
Dale Rucker		

MEMBERS

Leland Schaffer	James, Marsha, Madison, & Sydney Schmus	Richard & Linda Schoenleber	Henry Schumacher, Kristina Haslund- Schumacher, Nelissa & Michael
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*****Names may be added / removed by calling the church office.***

*****Names will normally be removed after 4 weeks.***



**Coffee and tea maker and donut / treat provider for
Coffee & Donuts and Scripture & Coffee on Sundays.
Sign –up Sheet in Hallway or call / email the church office.**

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



HAY! HAY! HAY!
JOIN US FOR SOME
FALL FUN

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2021

CORN MAZE BEGINS @ 4:30 PM	HAY RIDE BEGINS @ 5:30 PM
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BACKROADS GREENHOUSE
5991 BOUNDARY ROAD
CHAMBERSBURG, PA 17201
*If you need help finding Backroads Greenhouse,
meet at the church at 4:00 PM*

SUPPER INCLUDED
(following hay rides)

- Hot Dogs
- Chips
- Rice Krispy Treats
- Water
- Place Settings Included

RSVP TO
Mary Jo Frey
Email: mjfrey62@comcast.net
Text: 717-377-3105

**THIS WILL BE AN EVENING OF FUN
YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS!**



FINANCIAL SECRETARY PART-TIME JOB

The Financial Secretary's job position is to receive, record and deposit all funds into the bank, and forward information to the Treasurer. Must be a member of Trinity, detail oriented, have computer skills, and the ability to maintain confidentiality. For more information contact the church office.



MEALS ON WHEELS FUNDRAISER

October 22 & 23, 2021
Hoss's Family Restaurant
will donate 20 % of purchase to Meals on
Wheels with event coupon.

Coupons available in church office on
member's shelf and on Congregational
Bulletin Board.

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

Today - 10/17	9:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School for all Ages - Library Confirmation Class – Cloud 9 Worship - Sanctuary Coffee & Donuts - Lounge <i>21st Sunday after Pentecost</i>
Monday - 10/18	6 - 9 PM 7 - 9 PM	Bible & Brew - Trojan Diner & Sports Bar Boy Troop - Scout Room
Tuesday - 10/19	10 - 11:30 AM 3:00 PM 6:15-8:00 PM	Tuesday Morning Bible Study - Lounge Stamp Board Meeting - Lounge Girl Scout Leader Meeting - Scout Room
Wednesday - 10/20	5:30 PM	Yoga - Library
Thursday - 10/21		
Friday - 10/22	6 - 8 PM 8 - 10 PM	Cub Scouts - Cloud 9 Girl Troop - Cloud 9
Saturday - 10/23	4:00 PM	Worship - Chapel
Sunday - 10/24	9:00 AM 9:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Sunday School for all Ages - Library Confirmation Class– Cloud 9 Scripture & Coffee Worship - Sanctuary Coffee & Donuts - Lounge <i>22nd Sunday after Pentecost</i>

It's Christmas Shoebox Time!

Shoeboxes are due November 14th

It's time to start thinking about Operation Christmas Child!

Check out the display outside the office!

For more information and to watch a video on packing shoeboxes, check out our website:
<https://trinitylutheranchambersburg.org/operation-christmas-child-2/>

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS FEEL FREE TO
CALL OR TEXT POLLY PORTNER @ 717-977-8214.





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TRINITY STAFF TO SERVE YOU

Interim Senior Pastor	<i>The Rev. M. David Kiel</i>
Visitation Pastor	<i>The Rev. Ruth Smith</i>
Director of Music Ministries	<i>Robert Eyer, Jr.</i>
Office Manager	<i>Christie Brown</i>
Secretary / Fin. Secretary	<i>Anne Crawford</i>
Sexton	<i>Elaine Hess-Strite</i>
Treasurer	<i>Dennis Alleman</i>
Asst. Financial Secretary	<i>Sage Brown</i>
Livestream Coordinator	<i>Jason Brown</i>

Vision

"Growing in God"

Mission Statement

*"Seed - Planting and Growing in our Faith
Sow - Sharing the word of God with our community
Steward - Giving to all the love of God
Service - Showing the love of God with our community"*