

THE SESSION

Andy Cannava, Clerk of Session

2025	2026	2027
Ann Douglas	Andy Cannava	Bert Lundstrom
Jill McCullough	Carol Hartmann	C.B. Bemisderfer
Betty Muse	Bonnie Mullin	Cathy Dawson

THE DEACONS

Jim McDaniel , Moderator of the Deacons

2025	2026	2027
Mardi Crosser	Becky Douglas	Susan Dawson
Kay Nolan	Brittney Maslowski	Jackie Morrow
Sheryl Yoffe	Jim McDaniel	Marilyn Scholz

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 a.m.

MINISTERS	The Congregation
PASTOR	Rev. Steven Jewell
DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART	Justin LaMaster
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY	Melissa Weaver
PIANIST/ORGANIST	Wonjoo Ahn
CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY	Sherry Pritts
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR	Laura Olliges
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	Rebecca Perry
CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE	Stratus Building Solutions
PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR	Elizabeth Bodine
VIDEOGRAPHERS	Lincoln Hall, Bob Williams-Neal
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*We are a welcoming church family,
developing disciples who joyfully
minister to others in the name of Christ.*

December 28, 2025

love. grow. serve.

Worship Service
December 28, 2025
The Fifth Sunday of Advent

If you are visiting us today, we are so glad to worship God together with you. To learn more about who we are and what God is doing through us, please fill out one of the visitor cards available in the lobby.

As we worship God, we ask that you please silence your cell phones.

GATHERING TOGETHER

GATHERING SONG Joy to the World (v. 1) #40

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Amy Elder

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

Leader: The Savior came as a baby and was placed in a manger.

People: O come , let us adore him.

Leader: Shepherds came in worship, angels sang his praise, Magi brought gifts.

People: O come, let us adore him.

Leader: What should we do this Christmas morning?

All: O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord.

CONGREGATIONAL SONG
Angels We Have Heard on High #23

TIME OF CONFESSION

ANTHEM Hark, the Herald Angels Sing
Handbell Choir

*The flowers in the sanctuary this
Sunday are provided by
Carol Hartmann!*



HAPPY NEW YEAR TO TRINITY!!!

From Your Finance Committee

	Year-to-Date thru November 2025	Budget-to-Date
Donors	\$56,235	\$67,269
Pledge Payments	<u>\$207,633</u> \$263,868	<u>\$206,189</u> \$273,458

NOVEMBER ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

10:30 a.m. 11/2–74, 11/9–87, 11/16–77, 11/23–73, 11/30–75
Average: 78

Communion was served at church on 11/2 to 71
Deacons/Elders/Pastor Steve will offer communion to the homebound

(Previous Year Statistics: November 2024 average –77)



If you would like to support the ministry of Trinity Presbyterian Church, simply scan this QR code with the camera on your smartphone, and you will be redirected to our secure online giving Website. Or, visit our Website, www.tpclouisville.net and click the “Give Now” box at the top of the page.

Thank you for giving in faith and for investing in the Lord’s on-going ministry of changing lives for the glory of God.



Your Trinity Online Community Realm Weekly Hints & Tips

<https://onrealm.org/> or Realm Connect mobile app

Online Pledge: Do you still need to submit your 2026 pledge? It's quick and easy with Realm Connect.

Log in to the Connect app on your phone, go to your profile, and tap Giving. From there, you'll be guided through entering your 2026 pledge. Once submitted, you'll receive an email confirmation.



GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 2:21–38

Pastor Steve

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

FROM GRACE TO GLORY: When Faith Sees

Pastor Steve

PRESENTING OUR OFFERING TO GOD

OFFERTORY
DOXOLOGY

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING SONG

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

#29

Scripture reading for next week:

THE SAVIOR OF THE WORLD: Certainty about the Savior
Luke 1:1–4



GET TO KNOW.....



IRV OTTMAN

Irv was born in Louisville in 1933. He is the older brother to 3 sisters. His father, Irvin Ottman Sr. was a professional golfer and Irv has written a short book on his career that got cut short by tuberculosis. Irv was an exceptional golfer in his own right and won 3 senior golf championships at Midland Trail Golf Club where he was a member for 56 years. Irv worked with the KGA ranking golf courses throughout Kentucky and has played most courses in the state. He loves talking golf and remembers the nuances of many of the different courses he played. He also loves talking about his wife of 58 years, Sybil, his 2 children Dwight and Angie, and 5 grandchildren. Irv and Sybil met while Irv was serving 4 years in the Navy as an aviation electronics technician. Irv also worked as an engineer with Naval Ordnance for over 30 years. Sybil was a nurse at Louisville General Hospital before becoming a homemaker. Sybil passed away in 2016.

Irv has attended Trinity for over 60 years. He currently resides at StoryPoint Oxmoor which is located just east of Oxmoor Mall. His phone # is 502-425-0693. Feel free to call or stop by for a visit!

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK

SUNDAY (12/28)	9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:30–10:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Equipped to Engage Class Koinonia Class Women’s Sunday School Foundry Class for Youth In Person Worship
MONDAY (12/29)	10:00–11:30 a.m.	Digging Deeper Class
TUESDAY (12/30)	9:00–5:00 p.m.	Autism Pottery Classes
WEDNESDAY (12/31)	10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	F&A Open Studio Private pottery classes Bell Choir Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY (01/04/2026)	9:15–10:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:40 a.m. – 12:40 p.m.	Sunday School classes In-person Worship Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Prayer Concerns

John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Ghyll Simoneschi, Toka Moody (friend of Sherry), Amy Crosser, Harry Jewell, Mark Smith (a friend of Jim McDaniel), Candy Wheat, Nick Hoffert, Sandy Koukola; Carol Redd, Lisa Boyd (Jack Wheat’s sister), Steve Conn; Linda Strohmeier; C.R. Redcorn (memory concerns); all those touched by the tragedies of Hurricane Helene & Milton; Susan Bauer; two friends of Sheryl Yoffe, Gracie and Judy Myers, Tom Dawson; Paul Hollensead (his sister, Bonnie Driggers, passed away), Irv Ottman, Sheryl Yoffe, Kay Nolan, The Lady family, Sandy Lamp; John Kauffmann, (Kay Hardy-Hines’ brother) (prostate cancer), Melony Brinley (Kayla Hacker’s mother), Mardi Crosser, Steve Edwards, Betty Muse, and peace in the world.