

THE SESSION

Andy Cannava, Clerk of Session

2026	2027	2028
Andy Cannava		Cathy Conn
Carol Hartmann	Jack Kelly	Amy Elder
Bonnie Mullin	Bert Lundstrom	Nick Schuler

THE DEACONS

Jim McDaniel , Moderator of the Deacons

2026	2027	2028
Becky Douglas	Susan Dawson	Kay Hardy-Hines
Brittney Maslowski	Jackie Morrow	Joe Lawfer
Jim McDaniel	Marilyn Scholz	Kathy MacDonald

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 a.m.

MINISTERS

PASTOR

DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY

PIANIST/ORGANIST

CE COORDINATOR

CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY

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*We are a welcoming church family,
developing disciples who joyfully
minister to others in the name of Christ.*

September 20, 2026

love. grow. serve.

Worship Service

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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 Thy Word See Insert

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Suzanne Lundstrom

PRELUDE arr: Larry Shackley
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CALL TO WORSHIP Suzanne Lundstrom
based on 1 Thessalonians 5:14–18

Leader: We urge you, brothers and sisters: admonish the idle, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with them all.
People: See that no one repays evil for evil, but always seeks to do good to one another and to everyone.
Leader: Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances.
All: For this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN #489
Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty (Unser Herrscher)

TIME OF CONFESSION

ANTHEM How Beautiful Twila Paris
Chancel Choir

Please consider providing flowers for our worship service some Sunday in memory or in honor of someone special to you, a loved one, or a particular aspect of the church that you appreciate.
There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway.



From Your Finance Committee

	August 2026 Actual	Budget
Contributions	\$247,039	\$226,838
Expenses	\$198,196	\$222,300

AUGUST ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

10:30 a.m. 8/2–75, 8/9–71, 8/16–77, 8/23–76, 8/30–78
Average: 76

Communion was served at church on 8/3 to 71
Deacons/Elders/Pastor Steve served communion to the homebound

Previous year statistics: August 2025 average—70



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.

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

Thy Word (gathering song)

Refrain:

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.
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When I feel afraid, and I think I've lost my way,
still You're there right beside me.
Nothing will I fear as long as You are near.
Please be near me to the end.

Refrain

I will not forget Your love for me,
and yet my heart forever is wandering.
Jesus, be my guide and hold me to Your side;
I will love you to the end.

Refrain



Volunteers Needed: Sunday Money Counters

We need volunteers to count the offering after each Sunday service starting Sept. 13. This is much like the process we used prior to COVID-19, and it is time to restore this important practice.

We need **two people each Sunday**. Husband-and-wife teams are welcome. The process is simple and, on most Sundays, takes only **10–15 minutes**. All necessary forms and instructions will be provided.

If you are willing to help, please sign up on the **sign-up sheet located on the Financial bulletin board at the end of the hall on the left**.

Thank you for your consideration and willingness to help!

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 17:10–15

Pastor Steve

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

NOURISHED: Fact Checking the Faith

Pastor Steve

PRESENTING OUR OFFERING TO GOD

OFFERTORY

O Rest In the Lord

Felix Mendelssohn
Parth Dhande, Tenor

DOXOLOGY

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING SONG

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

#403
(Converse)

Scripture reading for next week:

NOURISHED: Made for More
Matthew 28:16–20



Please join us for a POTLUCK of
SALAD & SANDWICHES
after our worship service
TODAY, Sunday, September 20
in the Fellowship Hall!

There is a sign-up sheet on the Fellowship
Bulletin Board in the hallway!



Please plan on joining this fun bunch
for lunch at Captain's Quarters Riverside Grille,
5700 Captains Quarters Rd. (off River Road)
on **Sunday, September 27**, at around 12:30, after our
worship service!

All are welcome!!

Congregational Meeting

There will be a brief Congregational Meeting following our worship
service **today, September 20**, for the purpose of electing
Nominating Committee members for the 2026–2027 service year.



Please remember to pick up a few items for EACM on
every trip to the grocery store:

Peanut butter, pasta, canned vegetables & fruit, canned
meat (including tuna); tortillas, rice & noodles, coconut
milk; laundry detergent, soap & shampoo, feminine hygiene products, shaving
products, deodorant, toothpaste & tooth brushes, diapers & wipes.

THANK YOU!!

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK

SUNDAY (9/20)	10:30 a.m. Noon (after service)	In Person Worship Salad & Sandwiches Potluck
MONDAY (9/21)	10:00 a.m.	Digging Deeper Class
TUESDAY (9/22)	9:00–5:00 p.m.	Autism Pottery Classes
WEDNESDAY (9/23)	10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	F&A Open Studio Private pottery classes Sew 'n Sews (new time) Bell Choir Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY (9/27)	10:30 a.m. After Service	In Person Worship Lunch at Captain's Quarters

UPCOMING AND ONGOING

Women's Circle will meet again on the second Tuesday of the month at 10:30 in
the parlor on October 13
Finance Committee meets the second Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. via
Zoom (next meeting October 13)
Christian Education Committee meets the second Wednesday of the month at
6:00 p.m. via Zoom (next meeting October 14)
Worship Committee meets the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. via
Zoom (next meeting October 15)
Sunday, October 18, **TPC Fall Festival, 4:00 – 6:00 p.m., outside on the lawn**

Prayer Concerns

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, Lisa Boyd (Jack Wheat's sister),
Steve Conn; Linda Strohmeier; C.R. Redcorn (memory concerns); Susan
Bauer; little Theo Worthen (Steve Edwards' 7-yr.-old grandnephew);
Camille Quartz (Sandra Hollensead's sister); two friends of Sheryl Yoffe,
Gracie and Judy Myers,, Sheryl herself, Belinda Phelps; Janet Husband;
John Kauffmann (Kay Hardy-Hines' brother—prostate cancer); Carol Redd,
Deb Kelly, Kaitlin Cannava (healing); the Jewell family; and peace in the
world.

----- *For the Sake of the Kingdom* -----

Continuing with our series on ways to give which may provide additional opportunities for generosity and, in some circumstances, tax advantages—such as retirement accounts, appreciated investments, and estate gifts— First covering appreciated stock

1. APPRECIATED SECURITIES

Consider giving appreciated stocks, bonds, mutual funds, or other securities that you have owned for more than one year.

When eligible appreciated securities are donated directly to a qualified charity rather than sold first, the donor may be able to avoid recognizing capital gain on the appreciation and may be eligible for a charitable deduction based on the property's fair market value, subject to applicable IRS rules and limitations.

This can make appreciated securities a particularly effective asset to give.



Important: To receive the potential benefits associated with donating appreciated securities, the securities generally should be transferred directly to the church rather than sold by the donor first.

Please contact your broker or the church office for instructions for transferring securities to Trinity.

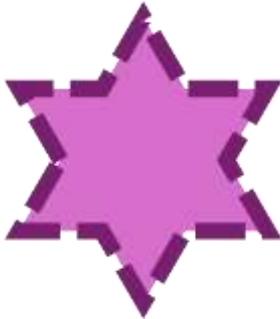


Shining Star Center

Children of all ages, please visit the Shining Star Center in the Narthex. The area includes Sunday activity sheets, crayons/colored pencils and squishys/stress balls. Though this is primarily for preschool or school age children, adults are allowed. Sometimes we all need a fidget toy to help focus our attention during the service.

The small table will provide space for parents/adults to bring their children out of the sanctuary to color or quietly play while mom or dad can still provide a watchful eye and listen to the church service. Though there are other activities for children during worship, sometimes leaving the comfort of family is difficult.

Crayons and colored pencils may be taken home after the service and brought back and used again the next Sunday or if forgotten at home please feel free to take a new set. Finally, small squishy toys because of size are more appropriate for the older children and adults. Because this is a new venture, things will be updated on a regular basis. Any suggestions are appreciated. Please contact a member of the Worship or CE Committees.



As the weather begins to turn cooler, there will be a growing need to stock the freezer with burritos for the Burrito Riders. Our freezer is currently empty of burritos, so we have plenty of room to stock it up!

Please pick up a burrito-making packet in the narthex and consider supplying nutritious and filling burritos to feed those less fortunate on a cold fall day. Please see Ann Douglas, or any mission committee member, if you have any questions.

Thank you for your generosity!

Operation Christmas Child Packing Party Monday, October 5 @ 6:30 pm

Please join us **Monday, October 5, at 6:30 pm** as the Mission Committee and the TPC Dartball Team host an **Operation Christmas Child mini packing party!!!**

We will have packing supplies set up downstairs in the hallway and classrooms below the Sanctuary. They will be set up much like we have done in the Fellowship Hall in previous years. This year, TPC's goal is to pack 300 Operation Christmas Child gospel opportunity shoeboxes, and we need your help to reach our goal! Please come share in the fun as we prepare the boxes to send the Good News of Jesus to children around the world.

Just in case you are unable to join us on Monday, October 5, but still would like to participate, we will be placing some partially-packed boxes in the Narthex beginning Sunday, October 11 through the end of the month. Individuals and families who wish to take and finish filling these shoeboxes with items of your choosing may return completed boxes to church on or before Sunday, November 8. All of TPC's shoeboxes will be delivered together to the OCC regional collection site in mid-November. Donations towards the cost of shipping the shoeboxes are always welcome as well. Should you have any questions, please feel free to ask any member of the Mission Committee! We look forward to seeing you at the mini packing party on October 5!



GET TO KNOW BILL & JANET HUSBAND



Janet was born in a log cabin on a farm in Springfield, KY. She attended a one-room school through the eighth grade. After graduating from high school, she became an RN at Norton Memorial Hospital. Her class picture is on the wall at Audubon Hospital.

Bill served four years active duty in the U.S. Navy as an officer, including two years at the Naval Ordnance Plant Louisville where he met Janet. Upon discharge from the Navy, he accepted a job with IBM in San Francisco in computer sales. IBM provided extensive training for this job. In 1970, Bill, Janet and their two children moved from the San Francisco area to a suburb of Chicago. Bill entered the computer leasing field, which involved selling and supporting large IBM mainframes. This became his career for the next 30 years.

Bill grew up alongside a railroad and became very interested in trains as a child. His family took a lot of train rides and his interest grew into a study of the railroad. Over the course of the past 30 years, Bill (in his spare time) has been developing an extensive and comprehensive data base of Railroad History in the U.S. and across the world. His work has been compiled and is now in the hands of Michigan State University, where they will produce a history of the development of the railroad. He thinks this information will soon be available to the general public over the Internet.

Since Bill had a traveling job, Janet was responsible for raising the family. In later years, Janet had a variety of jobs, including as office manager for ReMax and as an expert on cruises for a cruise-only travel agency in Michigan. Janet and Bill have enjoyed traveling and have had many great adventures.

Trinity Presbyterian is honored to call Bill & Janet members
for the past twenty (20) years!!