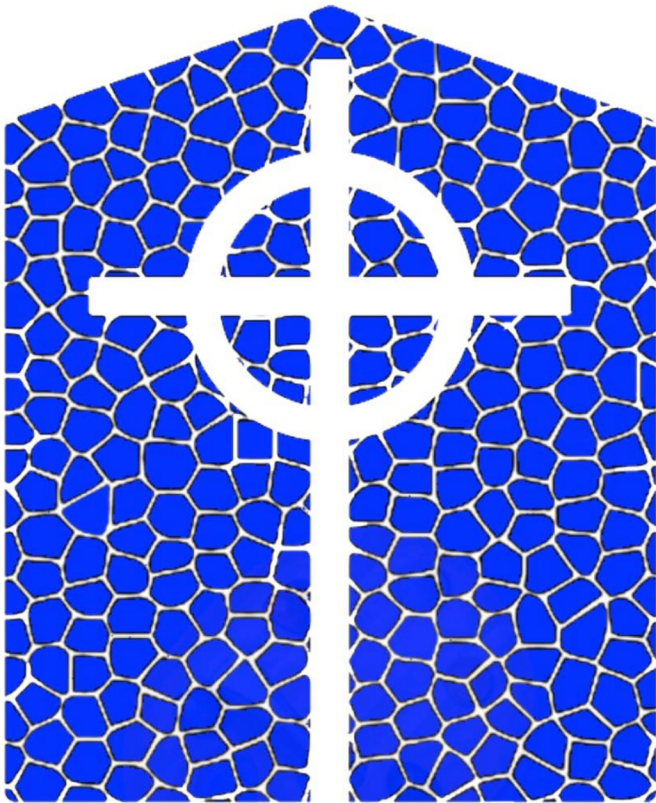


Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
September 21, 2025



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Trinity Presbyterian Church is called by God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to be a **worshiping, nurturing and serving** community.

Prayer of Preparation  
*God of hope, we have come before you, like those who gathered around Jesus long ago, to find new meaning for our lives. We want our lives to sound in harmony with your song of love. We want to live with integrity and wisdom, with a spirit of truth. Allow us to know your presence and hear your voice so that your light of hope and peace would shine even through us. Amen*

Prelude "Just As I Am" arr. V. Thompson  
Welcome  
Passing of the Peace  
Chiming of the Hour  
Congregational Introit-Hymn #1 "Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" (verse 1)

\* Call to Worship  
Welcome to this sacred time!  
**House of prayer for many nations; home to all who come.**  
Welcome to this gathering place!  
**Friend and stranger, saint and sinner, all who gather here.**  
Come with hope or hesitation; come with joy or yearning;  
all who hunger, all who thirst for life in all its fullness!  
**Generous God, meet us in this time through your Spirit, as we worship you now.**

\* Hymn #1 "Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" (verses 2,3,4)  
Call to Confession  
The path to authentic renewal is through repentance. In order to become more like Jesus, we must be willing to let him reveal those aspects of our lives which need to be changed. Let us accept the invitation, "Come unto me..." by gratefully, confidently laying our lives before Christ now. Let's pray together.

Prayer of Confession  
**Merciful God, you call us, as you called Moses, to use what we have been given for your work in the world. Yet too often we doubt our gifts, question our worth, or make excuses. We cling to our limitations instead of trusting your strength. Forgive us, Lord. Show us again that you can use even ordinary gifts for extraordinary purposes. Shape us to answer your call with willing hearts, through Jesus Christ our Lord...**  
*(Silent Prayers of Confession)*  
In Jesus' name we pray. **Amen.**

Promise of Grace  
The Lord says, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." In Christ, our sins are forgiven, our excuses are set aside, and our gifts are made holy for God's work.  
**Thanks be to God!**  
\* Gloria Patri (Hymn #581)  
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

Faith Formation Steve Nielsen  
Anthem "Take My Life" C. Courtney  
Chancel Choir  
God's Word to Us Exodus 3:1-15, 4:1-5,10-13 (OT pages 48-49)  
**3** Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. **2** There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. **3** Then Moses said, "I must turn aside and look at this great sight and see why the bush is not burned up." **4** When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." **5** Then he said, "Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground." **6** He said further, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob." And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.  
**7** Then the Lord said, "I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, **8** and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. **9** The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. **10** So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt." **11** But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?" **12** He said, "I will be with you, and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain." **13** But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" **14** God said to Moses, "I AM who I AM." He said further, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'I AM has sent me to you.' " **15** God also said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you': This is my name forever, and this my title for all generations.  
**4** Then Moses answered, "But suppose, they do not believe me or listen to me but say, 'The Lord did not appear to you.' "  
**2** The Lord said to him, "What is that in your hand?" He said, "A staff." **3** And he said, "Throw it on the ground." So he threw the staff on the ground, and it became a snake, and Moses drew back from it. **4** Then the Lord said to Moses, "Reach out your hand and seize it by the tail"—so he reached out his hand and grasped it, and it became a staff in his hand— **5** "so that they may believe that the Lord, the God of their ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has appeared to you."



<sup>10</sup> But Moses said to the Lord, “O my Lord, I have never been eloquent, neither in the past nor even now that you have spoken to your servant, but I am slow of speech and slow of tongue.” <sup>11</sup> Then the Lord said to him, “Who gives speech to mortals? Who makes them mute or deaf, seeing or blind? Is it not I, the Lord? <sup>12</sup> Now go, and I will be with your mouth and teach you what you are to speak.” <sup>13</sup> But he said, “O my Lord, please send someone else.”

Meditation	“What’s In Your Hand?”	Rev. Joe Albright
* Hymn #69	“Here I Am, Lord”	
* Affirmation of Faith		
In faith, we acknowledge that God has acted in the past.		
In faith, we confess that God seeks to rule over our lives today.		
In faith, we affirm that God continues to send prophets and speak through willing vessels to guide all history toward in its end in Christ.		
In faith, we imagine that end to be characterized by the traits we find in Jesus: compassion, justice, generosity and love.		
In faith, we long to be part of that purpose. Amen.		
Call To Prayer #469	“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”	K. Medema
Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer		
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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.		
Offering Our Gifts To God		
Offertory	"Be Not Afraid"	B. Dufford
	Shelley Bennett, Tenor	
* Doxology (Hymn #606)		
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.		
* Prayer of Dedication		
* Hymn #263	“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”	
Blessing		
Postlude	"Holy, Holy, Holy"	arr. Westenkuehler

\* Denotes please stand if able.

**Welcome to Our Visitors**

If you are worshiping here as a visitor, we extend to you our warmest welcome. We are so glad that you have joined us today! If you are looking for a church family, we would love for you to be part of our family. If we can be helpful in any way, please don’t hesitate to be in touch. Church Office: (386) 445-4757. If you would like more information about being a part of Trinity Presbyterian Church, feel free to contact Pastor Joe personally at (904) 392-5618 or [albrightfish@gmail.com](mailto:albrightfish@gmail.com)

WORSHIP NOTES

**Greeters & Ushers:** Marti Benz, Ron & Penny Weidner, Bill & Sandy Boland, Marilyn Millar, Meryl Hether. Susan Kopyar, Susan Bereda

**Lay Reader:** Shelley Kleinfelder                      **Audio Tech:** Colin Earle

**Audio Visual:** Jeff Cooke, Ken Mettler, David Wheeler

**Flowers:** The flowers this morning are given by Ron & Penny Weidner in honor of their 63<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary and in memory of their son Michael and their parents.

The rose on the Chancel is to celebrate the birth of Layla Rae Dancer. Layla was born in Cary, NC, on Sept. 11. Her parents are Audrey and Justin Dancer, her grandparents are Terri and Stephen Smith, and Layla is the great-granddaughter of Jeannette and Delmont Smith.

**Children & Families:** Children are invited to the Children’s Worship Table after Faith Formation to enjoy the quiet activities. In addition Live-Stream of the Worship Service is available in Kepler or the Kid’s Room.

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

Margaret Barrett, Jason Bradley\*, Jasper Casey, **Louisa Childs, Joe Digby\***, Dexter Eggo, Denita Fields, Hadley Gray, **Arlene & Hugh Highet, Bob Johnson**, Lucas Kelly, Brady Klefman, Bruce Lee, Joyce Lewis, **Florence Lyman, Gloria Martin, Judy Mascenic, Bobbi McCarthy**, Sue McCarthy, **Tom & Carol McGovern, Marilyn Nielsen**, Randolph Osgood, Paula Ouimette, **Tricia Rampersad, Helene Read**, Susan Roberts, Paul Robinson, Dean Samual, **Reatha Sarden**, Sara Shoreland, **Diane Simmons**, Greg Skyta, Ammons Smith, Michelle Smith, Bill Stumper, Sofia Tiley, **Ryan Tugas\*, Doris Valenti**, Monique Warmington, **Lillian Warner**, Joanna Warren, Todd Whipper, **Matthew Winternheimer\*, Theodore Winternheimer\***


Sympathy is extended to **Doris Valenti** on the death of her husband, **Anthony Valenti**, on September 12, 2025.

A family memorial service is being planned.

If someone is in need of prayer, please let the church office know.

Those listed in bold are members of the church and the asterisk indicates active military service.

Celebrating Birthdays this Week

Edwina Tabit	9/21		Gene Johnson II	9/25
Barbara Davis	9/23		Gene Thrower	9/27
Bill Butler	9/24			

**Service and Outreach Showcase**

Service and Outreach Committee invites the congregation to come to Mehaffey Hall this morning right after the Worship Service. Enjoy donuts, coffee or lemonade and conversation. Browse the displays from several of the agencies supported by Trinity. Speakers from Whispering Meadows, Old Glory Service Dogs 4 Veterans, Care Cupboard, and the Family Life Center will speak briefly about the services they provide. Kelly Jebbia will remind us of the backpack program which will resume in September. Come learn more about these agencies, their work, and how Trinity helps them.

**New to Our Church? Interested in Learning More?**

Join Pastor Joe Albright for “A Cup of Joe with Joe” on Sunday, September 28th at 11am in Mehaffey Hall. Please email him at [albrightfish@gmail.com](mailto:albrightfish@gmail.com) for details.

**Bible Study**

Join Pastor Joe on Thursdays at 1:30pm in the Mehaffey Hall for a weekly Bible Study.

We'll dive a little deeper dive into the scripture and message from the previous Sunday, and explore new applications for our everyday lives. Open to everyone - I'd love to have you participate! -Joe


**Presbyterian Women Gathering**

Please join the Presbyterian Women for the September Gathering on September 24<sup>th</sup> in Mehaffey Hall at 12pm. Lunch will be made by Miriam Circle.

The program this month provides information on Flagler County Family Assistance Center DBA The Sheltering Tree. Carlene Bates and Martin Collins will be our presenters. Please join us!

**Hands on Mission for Backpack Food Sacks**

Helping Hands Needed after worship on September 28th. Join us in Mehaffey Hall following Service to stuff food bags (finish in under 30 minutes). Many children in Flagler County’s elementary schools go hungry on the weekends. The elementary schools disperse these food bags to those that have a need.



**This week in our Church (Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am-12noon):**

**Sunday, September 21<sup>st</sup>**

10:00 AM            Worship Service

**11:00 AM            Service & Outreach Showcase (Mehaffey)**

11:00 AM            Kids’ Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)

**Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>**

9:30    AM            Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

5:00    PM            Deacon’s Meeting (Kepler)

6:15    PM            Cub Scout Pack 281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, classrooms)

6:30    PM            Community Chorus Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

**Tuesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>**

6:30    PM            Scout Troops 281 & 4281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, Youth Rms)

**Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>**

12:00 PM            Presbyterian Women Gathering (Mehaffey)

8:00    PM            AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

**Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup>**

10AM-12PM        Librarian on duty (TPC Library)

1:30    PM            Bible Study (Mehaffey)

5:20    PM            Youth Choir (Music Room)

6:00    PM            Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)

6:00    PM            Flagler County Orchid Society (Mehaffey)

6:30    PM            ALANON (Calvin)

**Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup>**

12PM-5PM        Rummy/Domino Group (Mehaffey)

7:00    PM            NA Meeting (Calvin)

7:30    PM            AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

**Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM            Worship Service

11:00 AM            “Cup of Joe with Joe” (Mehaffey)

11:00 AM            Hands on Mission (Mehaffey)

11:00 AM            Kids’ Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)

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