

Worship Service First Sunday after the Epiphany January 7, 2024 10 am

"To build a body of committed Christ-followers who demonstrate His love daily."

Passing of the Peace

Prelude w/ Worship Team (screen)

Promises

Welcome and Announcements

Call To Worship (screen) Psalm 29

One: Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength; ascribe to the LORD the glory of his name. Worship the LORD in holy splendor.

All: The voice of the LORD is over the waters!

The God of glory thunders-the LORD, over mighty waters!

One: The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.

All: The voice of the LORD breaks the cedars; the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon.

One: He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Sirion like a young wild ox.

All: The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.

The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness;

the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

One: The voice of the LORD causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare; and in his temple all say, "Glory!"

All: The LORD sits enthroned over the flood; the LORD sits enthroned as king forever.

One: May the LORD give strength to his people! All: May the LORD bless his people with peace!

* Songs of Praise (screen)

We Three Kings of Orient Are (H134)

The River Is Here

Unison Prayer (screen):

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

Sung Prayer for Illumination (screen)

Prepare the way of the Lord, prepare the way of the Lord, And all people will see the salvation of our God... (2xs)

Scripture Lesson (screen) w/ Emeri Kreiser

Genesis 1:1-5

The Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God**.

Sharing of Praises and Prayer Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Children's Message

(Children 3rd Grade and younger may leave for Jr. Church in Fellowship Hall.)

Offering

Doxology (screen)

Message w/ Pastor Brian (Mark 1:1-11)

Enthroned Over the Waters

Reaffirmation of the Baptismal Covenant

Reception of New Members

Jan Rhea, Caris Rhea & Josiah Rhea

The Great Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer (screen)

Holy Communion

- * Closing Song (screen) Victory in Jesus (H290)
- * Dismissal with Blessing
- * Response (screen)

* Those who are able, please stand

TODAY'S HELPERS IN MINISTRY AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor - Brian Rhea Keyboardist - Caris Rhea Worship Band Leader - Bernie Rollman Secretary - Deb Shuey Treasurer - Kevin Dreibelbis Sound Technician - Josiah Rhea Jr. Church - Kyle & Amy Kreiser Ushering Team - Kim & Scott McFeaters

Head Usher - Terry Binkley

Prayer Request - If you have a joy or concern that you would like prayer for contact the church office at 717-865-4361 or Pastor Brian at 908-499-7097 or send an email to trinitylickdale@gmail.com.

PRAYER AND HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

Thursdays at 11 am in the Sanctuary. A simple service of Scripture, sharing, extended time for prayer, and gathering at the Lord's Table.

All are welcome.

Birthdays and Anniversaries This Week



Nicole Horne - January 7 Dan Seaman - January 10 Larry Kreiser, Jr. - January 12



2024 OFFERING ENVELOPES - Are on the table in the lobby. See Sandra Barnhart if you would like to start using offering envelopes.

Reminder to write 2024 on your!

This Week's Calendar: January 7 to 14

Sunday

9 am Sunday School for all ages

10 am Worship &

Joyful Noise Offering for NL Clothing Closet

6 - 7:30 pm Trinity Kidz Group

Monday

7 pm Men's & Women's Bible Studies

Tuesday

6:30 pm SPR Meeting

Wednesday

6:30 pm Worship Team Practice

Thursday

11 am Prayer & Holy Communion 7 pm Mission & Faith Meeting

Saturday

10 am - 4 pm Multi. in Use (Mengel)

1 pm NL Food Distribution at Jonestown UMC

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10 am Worship



TRINITY KIDZ GROUP - Sunday, January 7th from 6 to 7:30 pm. Group is for kids Kindergarten through 8th Grade. Join us for *Walk Through the Bible* lesson time, games, fellowship and snacks. Questions contact Jan Rhea.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - Monday, January 8th from 7 to 8:15 pm. Men meet the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month. Bring your Bible and come out for an evening of fellowship and studying God's Word. Questions see Terry Binkley.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - Monday, January 8th at 7 pm. We will be studying the three stages of Epiphany. Bring your Bible and join us for fellowship, discussion and prayer. Questions see Deb Shuey or Judy Warner.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY CHANGES - The church will be printing new directories for January. If you have any changes to your information in the directory (mailing address, phone number, family etc.) please write down the changes and give to Deb Shuey or place a note with name and changes requested in the offering plate.

MINISTRY SIGN-UP - Sign-up sheets for Greeters, Scripture Readers and Jr. Church Teachers are located on the table in the lobby. Sign up for a week.

NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION - Saturday, January 13th at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.

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BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION OR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP - Would you like to find out more about being baptized, confirmed, or church membership? Contact Pastor Brian (cell: 908-499-7097; enoch153@gmail.com).

Welcome to:

Trinity United Methodist Church - Lickdale

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Trinity United Methodist Church - Lickdale

Church office hours: Monday thru Thursday 9 am to 1 pm Pastor drop-in office hours: Tuesday thru Thursday 11 am to 1 pm

Eastern PA Conference ~ The United Methodist Church West District Rev. John Schol, Bishop Rev. Jennifer Freymoyer, District Superintendent

> Before Worship ~ Speak to God During Worship ~ Let God Speak to You After Worship ~ Speak to Others

Vision Statement ~

We believe we have been called to reveal that God is real and relevant in people's lives and in our community. We strive to do this by...

- Identifying and reaching the unsaved with the Gospel and the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
- Offering ministries to support and strengthen the family.
- Becoming a seven day a week church that is committed to Spiritual growth through: worship, Christian education, Bible study, prayer, support, accountability, small groups and Christian fellowship.
- Continuing our caring outreach with diversity that touches our church, community, nation and world.
- Providing dynamic worship that is God-centered, Spirit-filled and Biblically based.
- Identifying the spiritual gifts of each person and employing them in ministries that match their gifts.



Purpose Statement ~ To build a body of committed Christ-followers

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