

Worship Service Fifth Sunday of Easter April 28, 2024 10 am

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

Passing of the Peace

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude w/ the Worship Team (screen)

Heart of the Father

* Call To Worship (screen) From 1 John 4:16 and 1 Corinthians 13

One: God is love. Whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in them.

All: Love is patient, love is kind.

One: Love does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

All: Love is not rude, it is not self-seeking,

it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

One: Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.

All: It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

One: Love never fails.

All: And now these three abide: faith, hope and love,

One: And the greatest of these is love.

All: God is love. Whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in

them.

* Songs of Praise (screen)

Days of Elijah

Shout to the Lord

Unison Prayer (screen):

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Moment of Silence before God

Sung Prayer for Illumination (screen)

He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord! Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!

Scripture Lesson (screen) w/ Dean Zimmerman

1 John 4:7-21

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

Sharing of Praises and Prayer Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer (screen)

Offering (screen)

Doxology (screen)

Children's Message w/ Pastor Brian

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

Message w/ Pastor Brian Rhea (John 15:1-8)

God Is Love

Reflection and Prayer

Abide (screen)

Affirmation of Faith ~ The Apostle's Creed (screen)

* Closing Song (screen)

Where Do I Go

* Dismissal with Blessing

* Response (screen)

* Those who are able, please stand

TODAY'S HELPERS IN MINISTRY AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor - Brian Rhea Secretary - Deb Shuey Keyboardist - Caris Rhea

Worship Band Leader - Bernie Rollman

Treasurer - Kevin Dreibelbis

Sound Technician - Josiah Rhea Jr. Church - Shen Kreiser Ushering Team - Gayeleen Eckert & John Barna Head Usher - Lynn Werner 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.

This Week's Calendar: April 28 to May 5

Sunday

9 am Sunday School for all ages

10 am Worship Service

Wednesday

7 - 8 pm Spiritual Practice Bible Study

Thursday

11 am Prayer and Holy Communion Service

6:30 pm Worship Team Practice

Sunday

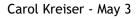
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10 am Worship Service w/ Communion and

Joyful Noise Offering

6 - 7:30 pm Trinity Kidz Group Family Party

Birthdays and Anniversaries This Week



Lynn Werner - May 4

Scott & Kim McFeaters - May 1

Gary & Penny Keller - May 3

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.

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES BIBLE STUDY - Wednesdays from 7 to 8 pm through May 1st. What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus Christ? What spiritual practices can help us walk with Christ? We'll examine—and put into practice—classic Christian ways of meditating on Scripture, prayer, and fellowship. Study led by Pastor Brian.

MOTHER'S DAY VIDEO - The Jr. Praise Team has a special song planned for Mother's Day. We would like to have a slide show of our wonderful mothers from Trinity. If you have a picture of you and your mother (picture could be from 50 years ago or could be a current picture today) send a jpg copy to the church's email or give a copy to Deb Shuey by April 28th. Picture can be of the entire family with mom as well.

SUMMER CHURCH CAMP - Start picking your Summer Church Camp Adventure. Brochures for Gretna Glen Camp are available in the lobby. The church will pay half the fee for one camp for any child/youth from Trinity who attends. Need help selecting a camp for your child, see Sheila Seaman or Pastor Brian.

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TRINITY KIDZ GROUP FAMILY PARTY - Sunday, May 5th from 6 to 7:30 pm. Trinity Kidz Group families are invited to join us for our last meeting for the spring. We will have pizza, games for all and fellowship. Questions contact Jan Rhea.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - Monday, May 6th at 7 pm. Women will be studying *The Epic of Eden* ~ *Psalms*, *Session 4*. Bring your Bible and join us for fellowship, discussion and prayer. Questions see Deb Shuey or Judy Warner.



Spring Cleaning at the Church - Saturday, May 11th 8 am to? Everyone young and old is encouraged to help get the church ready for the Summer.

NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION - Saturday, May 11th at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER BANQUET - Tuesday, June 4th at 6 pm. Dinner will be held in the multi. purpose room at the church and catered by Heisey's Diner. Come and share a special evening with your mother, daughter(s) and church family. Tickets see Gloria Speck or Judy Stickler.

RECOGNITION OF 2024 GRADUATES - Sunday, June 2nd We will recognize and celebrate our High School and College Graduates of 2024. If you are graduating this year, please notify Pastor Brian or Deb Shuey by May 12th.



SCUBA VBS July 7 to 11 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm 3 years old through 9th Grade. If you would like to volunteer, see Gay Kreiser or Deb Shuey.

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.

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