



**Worship Service**  
**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**September 1, 2024 10 am**

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

**Passing of the Peace**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude (screen)**

*I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

**\* Call to Worship (screen) from Psalm 148:1-13**

*One: Hallelujah! Praise the LORD from the heavens,  
 praise him in the heights!*

**All: Praise him, all his angels! Praise him, all his hosts!**

*One: Praise him, sun and moon! Praise him, all you stars of light!*

**All: Let them praise the name of the LORD, for he commanded,  
 and they were created!**

*One: Praise the LORD from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps!*

**All: Fire and hail, snow and clouds, stormy wind doing his word!**

*One: Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars,*

**All: Beasts and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!**

*One: Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted;*

**All: His majesty above the earth and heavens!**

**\* Songs of Praise (screen)**

*God of Wonders*

*10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

**Opening Prayer (screen)**

**Almighty and everlasting God, you made the universe with all its  
 marvelous order, and the infinite complexity of living creatures: Grant  
 that, as we probe the mysteries of your creation, we may come to know  
 you more truly; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and  
 reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**Moment of Silence before God**

**Sung Prayer for Illumination (screen)**

*We shall not live by bread alone / But by every word*

*That proceeds from the mouth of God / Allelu, alleluia!*

**Scripture Lesson (screen) w/ Scott McFeaters**

*Genesis 1:1-5 and Job 38:1-11*

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

**Sharing of Praises and Prayer Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Joyful Noise Offering for NL Ministerium - Release Time Bus Fund**

*(Children in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade and younger may leave for Jr. Church in Fellowship Hall.)*

**Offering**

**Doxology (screen)**

**Message w/ Pastor Brian (John 1:1-5, 10-14)**

*Created by Grace*

**Affirmation of Faith ~ The Apostle’s Creed (screen)**

**Confession and Absolution (screen)**

*Create in Me a Clean Heart*

**The Great Thanksgiving & the Lord’s Prayer (screen)**

**Holy Communion**

**\* Closing Song (screen)**

*Maker in Whom We Live*

**\* 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 - Deb Shuey

Ushering Team - Gayeleen Eckert & John Barna      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.

**This Week’s Calendar: September 1 - 8**

**Sunday**

9 am

Sunday School for all ages

10 am

Worship Service w/ Communion  
 and Joyful Noise Offering for NL Ministerium  
 Release Time Bus Fund

**Monday**

Labor Day

**Wednesday**

7 pm

Worship Team Practice

**Thursday**

11 am

Prayer and Holy Communion Service

**Next Sunday**

9 am

Sunday School for all ages

10 am

Worship Service

12 - 5 pm

Multi. in Use (Shuey)

**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

Mollie McKnight - September 1  
 Barbara Manning - September 2  
 Bernie Rollman - September 5  
 Emma Gibson - September 5  
 Jeff & Christine Blair - September 1

### THE BRIGHTEST STAR CHRISTMAS SHOW - Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>



at CLA in Camp Hill. Show starts at 2 pm and you will return around 6 pm. To attend see sign up sheet in the lobby. Cost is \$30 per ticket and transportation. Transportation will be from the Anville Elementary School parking lot located on South White Oak St. at 11:45 am. The last day to sign up for the show is Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Questions see Dean Zimmerman or Deb Shuey.

**NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION** - Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.

**CAMPFIRE SERVICE** - Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm. Join us for singing, fellowship and hot dogs and smore's by the campfire.

**CHURCH PICNIC** - Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>. Join us for Worship at 10 am outside. Bring a lawn chair and dress comfortably for the day. Picnic and games for all ages will follow the Worship Service. Kids are encouraged to bring a towel and appropriate swimwear for water activities. Kids will also be assembling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Church is providing hamburgers, hot dogs, buns with the fixings and drinks. **No Sunday School this Sunday.**



**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - See the display table in the lobby for boxes, labels and suggested items for in your box. Purchase extra items and place in the box at the display table. Monetary donations can be given to Judy Warner or Sue Boltz for shoeboxes that will be packed by our youth at the church picnic. Shipping charges are \$10 a box. The last collection day will be Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>. Questions see a Nurture Committee member.



**KOFFEE KLATCH (Quilting Group)** - Group meets every other Tuesday morning at 9 am in Fellowship Hall. You don't have to know how to sew to join! There is plenty of cutting, pinning and assembling to do. Questions see Judy Stickler or contact the church office.

**TRINITY KIDZ GROUP (Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)** - Starts Sunday October 6<sup>th</sup> from 6 to 7:30 pm. Group will meet 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month. Group will continue with their walk through the Bible lesson time, crafts, games, fellowship and snacks. Questions or to volunteer, see Jan Rhea.



**TRINITY YOUTH GROUP (7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)** - Starts Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. Group will meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month from 6 to 7:30 pm. Invite your friends and join us for lesson time, activity, games and more. Questions or to volunteer, see Pastor Brian or Brooke George.

**PRAYER SPONSOR PROGRAM** - Do you believe in the power of prayer to change a life? If your answer is "Yes" then we need you! We are asking for "Prayer Sponsors" for our Trinity Kidz Group/Youth Group. The goal of this program is to pair one congregational member with a kid/youth. We are simply asking you to commit to praying for your assigned child/youth on a regular basis and sending an occasional note/card (that the kids/youth love to receive). If you are willing to be a part of this important ministry, please indicate your interest to Jan Rhea.

**2024/25 NLSD RELEASE TIME PROGRAM** - Are you looking for an opportunity to impact local youth with the Gospel? The Northern Lebanon SD Release Time Program will begin on Thursday, October 10 through April 10, 2025. This weekly program will meet approximately 25 times throughout the school year and is offered to all third-grade students in the district. With parental permission, children will be released from school and bused to Fredericksburg UMC for one hour of Bible instruction. These lessons will include favorite stories from both the Old and New Testaments.

**If interested, there are several ways to support this program:**

- Financial donations towards busing costs
- Financial donations to purchase a personal Bible for each child
- Volunteering time as a Teacher/Helper (background clearances required)

For additional information, please contact Dale Snader @ 717-269-4633 or 283mail@comcast.net.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS** - If you are going to college this fall, the church office is asking for the college name and address. Your church family would like to keep in contact with you at this important time in your life. Please leave information on the desk in the church office or send an email to trinitylickdale@gmail.com.

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS** - Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm. Bring your pets to church! We'll gather outside for a short service celebrating God's love, care, and concern for all creation. Owners are responsible for their animals. All are welcome, whether you bring a pet or not!



Welcome to:



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

**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  
who demonstrate His love daily.***



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