



**Worship Service**  
**Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost**  
**October 13, 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)**

*Heart of the Father*

**\* Call to Worship (screen) Ezekiel 34:11-12, 16**

*One: For this is what the Sovereign LORD says:*

**All: I myself will search for my sheep and look after them.**

*One: As a shepherd looks after his scattered flock when he is with them, so will I look after my sheep.*

**All: I will rescue them from all the places where they were scattered on a day of clouds and darkness.**

*One: I will search for the lost and bring back the strays.*

**All: I will bind up the injured and strengthen the weak,**

*One: but the sleek and the strong I will destroy.*

**All: I will shepherd the flock with justice!**

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

*I Will Do the Same*

*Let Faith Arise*

**Opening Prayer (screen)**

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through 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/ Gene Shaffer**

*Acts 17:22-34*

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

**Sharing of Praises and Prayer Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer (screen)**

**Offering**

**Doxology (screen)**

**Children's Message w/ Pastor Brian**

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

**Message w/ Pastor Brian (John 6:41-47)**

*Prevenient Grace that Taught My Heart to Fear*

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

**\* Closing Song (screen)**

*In Moments Like These*

**\* 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 - Brooke George

Ushering Team - Gay & Larry Kreiser Head Usher - Larry Kreiser

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: October 13 to 20**

**Sunday**

9 am

Sunday School for all ages

10 am

Worship Service

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Last Day

6 pm

Blessing of the Animals

**Thursday**

11 am

Prayer and Holy Communion Service

7 pm

Worship Team Practice

**Next Sunday**

9 am

Sunday School for all ages

10 am

Worship Service

6 - 7:30 pm

Trinity Kidz Group and Trinity Youth Group



***Birthdays and Anniversaries This Week***

Jeff Blair - October 15

Deb Binkley - October 19

Lloyd & Lori Brandt - October 18

**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.*



**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - Monetary donations can be given to Judy Warner or Sue Boltz.

*The last day for filled shoeboxes will be Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>.*



The Joyful Noise Offering for October was \$518.21 to benefit Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. \$333.21 was given in the collection plate through loose change and \$185 is Trinity UMC's tithe from the Daycare income.

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS** - Tonight, 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!



**TRINITY KIDZ GROUP (Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)** - Sunday October 20<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)** - Sunday, October 20<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.



**TRUNK OR TREAT - Save the Date**

Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup> from 6 to 8 pm.

Join us for Trunk or Treat in the church parking lot and other local businesses who are participating. Sign up sheets for those wanting to decorate their vehicles/hand out candy and also for candy donations are on the table in the lobby. Questions see Amy Kreiser.

**ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY** - On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will be remembering and celebrating the Saints who have gone before us. If you have a loved one who has joined the great cloud of witnesses this past year, please inform the church office by October 24<sup>th</sup> with their name, date of death and relationship to you. It is our desire to remember and to name these persons during worship.

**NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION** - Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.

**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, see sign up sheet on the table in the lobby or see Jan Rhea.

**NORTHERN LEBANON CLOTHING CLOSET** - Is in need of volunteers to help process, sort, stocking, maintain shelves and racks in shopping areas, laundry help, shopper intake, assist shoppers and best of all meet new friends and fellowship with like minded people. The Clothing Closet clientele is growing quicker than my volunteer roster. I struggle every month to get six to eight volunteers to sign up for each of the seven days that we are open, especially for the Thursday evenings (3:30-7:00) and Saturday morning (9:30-1:00). If you can volunteer or have questions, contact Joan at (717-450-6767) or email, lehman.joan51@gmail.com.

**THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP SERVICE AND DINNER** - Wednesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> in the multi. purpose room. "Soup and Salad Bar" dinner at 6 pm followed by our Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service at 7 pm. A sign up sheet for dinner donations will be posted. Questions see Deb Shuey or Sue Werner.



**CHRISTMAS MUSICAL CELEBRATION**

Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Worship Service

We are looking for individuals and groups interested in sharing in the program with their gift of music. Questions or to sign up see Deb Shuey.



Welcome to:



**Trinity Church - Lickdale**

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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 ~**

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