



Worship Service
Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
November 17, 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)

Build Your Kingdom Here

*** Call to Worship (screen) Psalm 99:1-3**

One: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble!

All: He dwells between the cherubim; let the earth shake!

One: The LORD is great in Zion—

All: He is exalted above all the peoples!

One: Let them praise your great and awesome name—

All: He is holy!

*** Songs of Praise (screen)**

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing (H45)

Everlasting God

Opening Prayer (screen)

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. 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 Lessons (screen) w/ Kevin Reichert

1 Thessalonians 4:1-8; 5:23-24

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

Special Music ~

Doxology (screen)

Children’s Message w/ Pastor Brian

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

Message w/ Pastor Brian (Matthew 5:43-48)

Spreading Scriptural Holiness

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

*** Closing Song (screen)**

Take My Life and Let It Be (H380)

*** 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 - Kim & Scott McFeaters Head Usher - Jeff 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: November 17 to 24

Sunday

9 am Sunday School for all ages
 10 am Worship Service w/ Congregational Meeting
 6 - 7:30 pm Trinity Kidz Group & Youth Group

Monday

7 - 8:15 pm Men’s Bible Study (Ephesians 1)

Tuesday

9 am Koffee Klatch (Quilting Group)

Wednesday

8:30 am Baking (sand tarts) for Cookie Sale

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
 12 - 6 pm Multi. in Use (S. Werner)

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

Lloyd Brandt - November 19

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Today after the Worship Service. Pastor Brian will give an update on the current status of the church and the UMC.

HURRICANE HELENE RELIEF DONATIONS - At this time we will be collecting monetary donations, please mark Hurricane Helene Relief. The church will send updates with requested items needed. Questions on donations, contact John or Pat Mengel.

POINSETTIA ORDERS - *Orders will be due by Wednesday, November 20th* to Kitty Werner or Deb Shuey. \$7.25 each (red, white or pink) *color substitutions may occur*. Paperwork is on the table in the lobby to order flowers. Flowers may be taken home after the Christmas Eve Services.



TRINITY KIDZ GROUP (Kindergarten through 6th Grade) - Sunday November 17th from 6 to 7:30 pm. Group will meet 1st and 3rd 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 (7th through 12th Grade) - Sunday, November 17th. Group will meet the 1st and 3rd 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.

FALL FOOD GATHERING FOR JOY PANTRY - Mission & Faith Group is collecting non-perishable food items (check expiration date) for Joy Pantry through November 24th. Food items can be left at the food gathering station in the lobby. A complete list of needed food items is listed at the food gathering station in the lobby. Monetary donations can be given at the gathering station and team members will shop for items. Questions see a member of the Mission & Faith Group.



CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE - Saturday, December 7th from 9 am to 12 pm. Women in Faith Ministry (UMW) will be selling homemade cookies for the holidays. \$7 a dozen. Women will be making sand tarts, snickerdoodle, peanut butter, peanut butter w/ kisses, raisin filled, chocolate chip, sugar cookie and oatmeal cranberry w/ white chocolate chips. Questions or to help, contact Judy Warner or Penny Keller.

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP SERVICE AND DINNER - Wednesday, November 27th 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 is on the table in the lobby.

NL CHURCH CLUSTER GATHERING - Thursday, December 5th from 11 am to 1 pm at Trinity Church. The pastors of the Northern Lebanon Church Cluster invite you to gather for a special time of Worship with Communion followed by a free luncheon. We'll be celebrating Christmas and sharing memories of Christmases past. A sign up sheet will be on the table for those attending.

CHRISTMAS "POTLUCK" BREAKFAST - Sunday, December 8th at 9 am
Join us for our Christmas Potluck Breakfast held in the multi. purpose room. Bring your favorite breakfast casserole, breakfast potatoes, breakfast meats or fruit. Church will provide sausage and pancakes. Join us for a delicious breakfast and fellowship before Worship.

NL UMC FOOD DISTRIBUTION - Saturday, December 14th at 1 pm (while supplies last) in the parking lot at Jonestown UMC.

CHURCH CHRISTMAS PARTY - Saturday, December 14th at 6 pm (in the multi-purpose room). Dinner homemade by the church and is for the entire church family. Dinner will be meatloaf, glazed pork chops, mashed potatoes, potato filling, assorted vegetables, salad, roll, drinks and assorted desserts.
12 and older \$12 donation
6 to 12 \$7 donation and under 6 free.
Great food, fun and fellowship for everyone!
See Gloria Speck or Judy Stickler for tickets.



CHRISTMAS MUSICAL CELEBRATION
Sunday, December 22nd 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.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES - Tuesday, December 24th at 4 and 7 pm
Join us for a candlelight service honoring the birth of our Savior with the singing of your favorite Christmas carols, Scripture and a Christmas message from Pastor Brian. Bring your family and friends and Join Us!



CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP
Wednesday, December 25th at 10 am.
Join us for a casual service. We invite the kids to come in their Christmas pajamas.



Christ is Born! Let Us Rejoice!

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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