## **WELCOME**

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. In the Gospel reading, Jesus talks about the power of having faith the size of a mustard seed. Faith is not just about miracles or signs, but about humble, consistent service to God. Whether your faith feels strong or small today, you are welcome here!

Please note the worship schedule change. Those of you who love receiving Holy Communion on the first and third weeks are in for a treat later in the month. (Communion three weeks in a row!) Thank you for your presence, grace, and flexibility during this time of transition.

# **PRAYERS**

This week, please keep in your prayers: Darbie B., Joe S., Karen H., Kris P., Laura C., Jim N., Ray M., Deanna L., Janet H., Nancy F., Heidi S., Candee W., Ellie R., Brenton B., and Dylan E.

\*If you would like to be added to this public prayer list, please contact Jamie (office@holytrinityonline.org).

# **SPONSORS**

The Radio Ministry is sponsored by Robin Litchblau, in memory of her brother. Thank you, Robin, for a beautiful tribute!

Sponsoring a week is a great way to support the church, honor a special event, or memorialize a loved one. The Radio Ministry is \$70, and the Hospitality Ministry (Wednesday evening meals) is \$300 (full week) or \$150 (half week). Please contact Jamie at office@holytrinityonline.org or call 952.758.3513 to support these important ministries. Thank you!



#### WORSHIP

**PRELUDE** 

**WELCOME** 

**ANNOUNCEMENT** 

**OPENING HYMN** Gather Us In, ELW #532

**GREETING** 

PRAYER OF THE DAY

MUSICAL OFFERING Jesus Lead Me To Your Healing Waters

**CREW TIME DISMISSAL** 

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

Psalm 37:1-9(read responsively)

GOSPEL Luke 17:5-10

**MESSAGE** 

**HYMN OF THE DAY** Great Is Thy Faithfulness, ELW #733

**CREW TIME RETURNS** 

**OFFERING** 

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

**BENEDICTION** 

SENDING HYMN How Great

DISMISSAL

**POSTLUDE** 

# **NOTES**

FRIENDLY FACTS: All are welcome! Age-appropriate Worship Bags are located in the back of the Sanctuary. Visit the Nursery to find sensory items (noise-cancelling headphones, weighted blankets/toys) or anytime you have a little one who needs room to wiggle. Worship is livestreamed in the Nursery for families and in the Small Group room for a quieter environment. Exit the Sanctuary and turn right to find these rooms.

**HEARING DEVICES:** Please visit the Soundbooth for assistance.

**LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** Holy Trinity is located on the original homelands of the Wahpekute (Dakota) people.

OFFERING: Experience the joy of giving! Give cash or checks
during the Offering using the envelopes found at the
Usher Station. Give electronically by scanning the QR
code. Lastly, all are welcome to make a joyful noise by
placing your loose change in the metal milk can or giving
your coins to a child to deliver your "noisy offering." 10% of the
offering supports Holy Trinity's Mission Outreach projects.

**QR CODES:** Easy as 1, 2, 3! Open your smartphone camera, hold it over the QR code, and tap the link.

**RESTROOMS/CHANGING TABLES**: Located directly outside the Sanctuary in the Lobby and the Fellowship Hall (north side).

WIFI: Username: HTLC-Guest, Password: Fellowship

# **FINANCES**

Finances as of August 31, 2025	Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Actual	Campaign Gifts Received
Revenue	\$456,674	\$436,726	\$978,569
Expenses	\$454,708	\$450,686	Gifts to receive
Revenue -Expenses	\$1,966	-\$13,960	\$273,830

Reserve Fund Contributions: \$5,579 Reserve Fund Remaining Need: \$144,421

## **RESPOND**

LISTENING SESSIONS: Following worship on October 5, October 8, November 2, and November 5, Transition Team members want your feedback! Attend one of four Listening Sessions after worship or watch for additional small group Listening Sessions opportunities.

#### 2026 PLEDGE CARDS: October is Stewardship Month! Holy

Trinity is committed to preparing the 2026 budget with a prayerful, responsible, and generous process. Your gifts help Holy Trinity share God's love for all people from one generation to the next. Watch your mailbox for your 2026 pledge card or scan the QR code to complete it online.

**FAITH MILESTONE CLASS: Sunday, Oct. 12, 5 - 6:30 pm. 5th grade students and families.** These family-friendly classes include supper! Spend the evening with Kate Kienow learning about Luther's Small Catechism. Please RSVP by Wednesday, Oct. 8, to kate@holytrinityonline.org or call 952-758-3513.

**BE THE ONE:** Volunteers make a big difference in a small amount of time. Holy Trinity has a GREAT team of disciples, and there is always room for more! If you are interested in serving as an usher, reader, communion server, slide runner, or livestream tech, please contact Jamie, office@holytrinityonline.org or 952.758.3513.

MINDFUL YOGA: Sunday, October 19, 4 pm. Fellowship Hall. Join Jen Sayler for an hour of mindfulness, strength, ease, and gratitude. All levels are welcome. Ages 14+.

**WELL-BEING POLICY:** Please stay home if you or someone in your household has experienced severe illness symptoms, such as diarrhea, vomiting, or fever within the past 24 hours. Please worship remotely via livestream. Thank you for caring for Holy Trinity's well-being!

**\$150K RESERVE FUND:** Holy Trinity received a generous gift of up to \$150,000 of matching funds towards Holy Trinity's Reserve Fund. It prevents costly borrowing to cover short-term expenses due to fluctuating monthly cash flow. Thank you for helping Holy Trinity achieve more financial stability!

#### **SERMON NOTES**

Listen closely to today's scripture and sermon, take notes, and discuss them with your Confirmation small group.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What do the apostles tell Jesus to do?

2. Listen to the message. Write down at least one comment or question you have about the message.

3. What's on your mind today? What questions, comments, or prayer requests do you have to share?

# **CONNECT**

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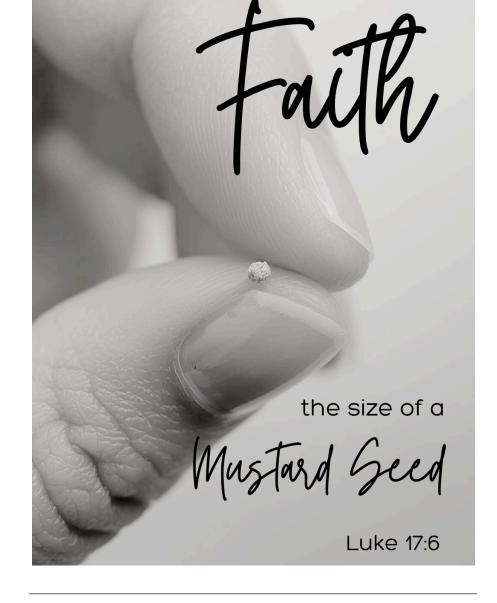
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OCTOBER 5, 2025 OCTOBER 8, 2025

SUNDAY: 9 AM

**WEDNESDAY: 6 PM** 

Share God's love for all people from one generation to the next

Welcome · Worship · Respond

