

Welcome to Trinity Church!

Sermon Series | This summer, we are exploring the Gospel of Matthew with a focus on growing as disciples. Matthew focuses on Jesus as a teacher and rabbi, and he writes with great detail about the calling of the disciples and their ongoing formation. We will join the Twelve as they seek to grow as disciples by learning from the One they follow and from each other. And as we walk along with them, may we, as disciples of Jesus, consider how the Spirit is inviting us to grow and learn from the One we follow too.

Notes on our Worship Service...

While we use projection for our songs and liturgy, we do not project the Scripture reading. **Pew Bibles** are located below the seat in front of you and page numbers are included in the Order of Worship. You'll also find a hymnal there too.

Do you need help hearing the service? We have a **T-loop** installed in our sanctuary. Please see the Sound Room Team if you need help connecting.

We have several members on-call to help care for your little ones in the **nursery**. Please see one of the Greeters before the service who can help.

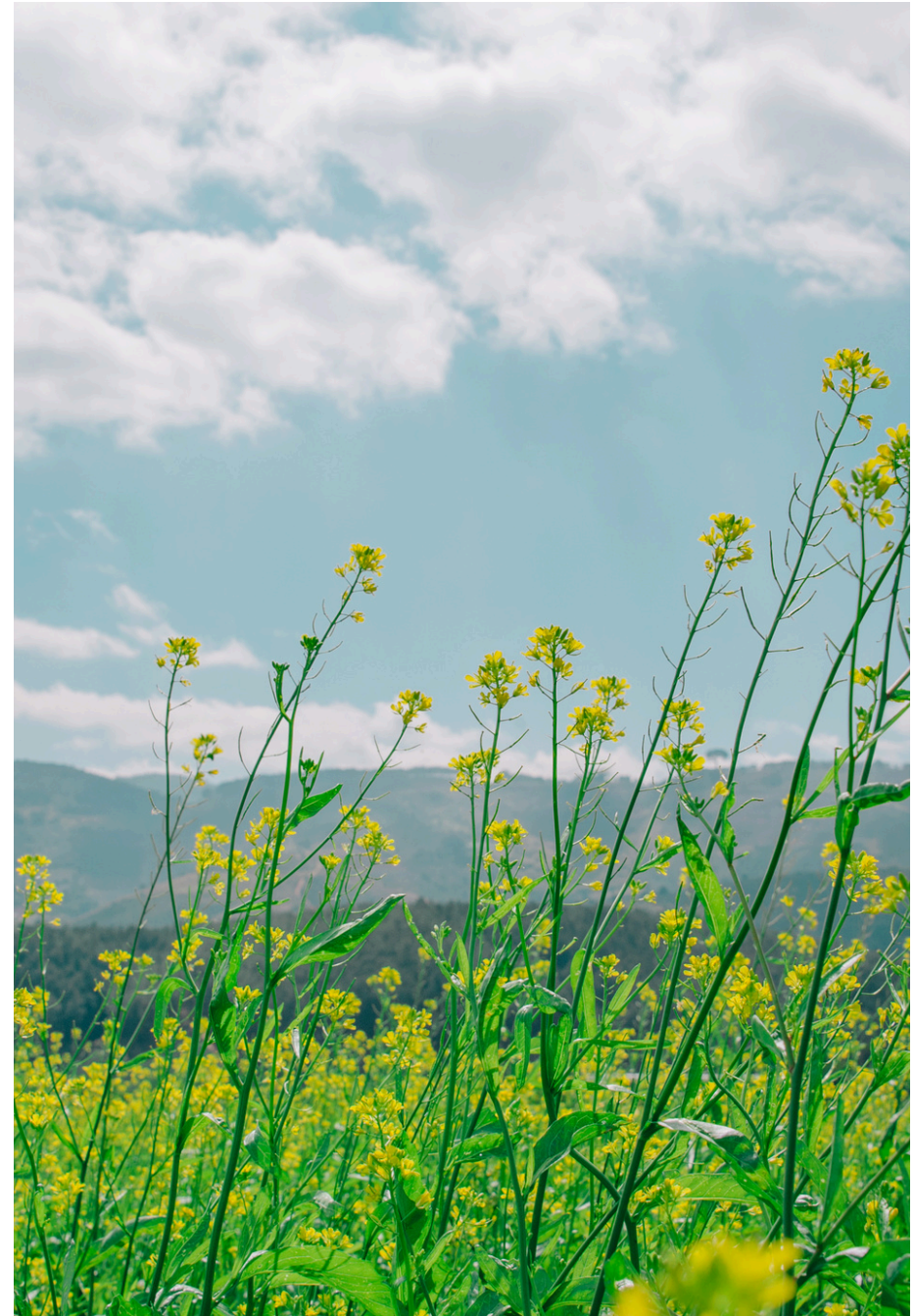
If you wish to **give online** rather than in the offering plate, please go to trinityrc.org/give/ or scan the QR code to the right to make your offering.



For our youngest members in the service, please visit our **Children's Worship Center** located in the sanctuary. Here your child will find helpful resources to engage them in worship, including children's bibles, books on faith, and coloring pages connected to our service.

Interested to know more about Trinity Church? We'd love to learn more about you! See the Welcome Desk for more information about how to connect.

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30 August 2026
14th Sunday After Pentecost

Order of Worship

Gathering

Prelude

Tolling of the Bell

Gathering Song: *Come, Thou Almighty King*

*Call to Worship: Psalm 150

Approaching

*Songs of Praise: *Holy, Holy, Holy*

O God, Our Help in Ages Past #78:1,2,6

How Great Thou Art

*God's Greeting + Mutual Greeting

Prayer of Confession

Song of Assurance: *Amazing Grace*

Profession of Faith: Apostle's Creed

Listening

Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 4:1-4, 5-11; 7:2-12 (p.424)

Sermon: Trilogy of Battles

Sending

*Song of Response: *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Congregational Prayer

Offering: *O Love that Will Not Let Me Go #531:1,2,3,4*

*Benediction

*Sending Song: *Grace Alone*

Postlude

Please join us in the Cafe for conversation and connection!

Rev. Tim Alicki, Preacher & Liturgist
Doug + Lavonne Vande Wege, Song Leaders
Ruth Klungle, Organist
Kevin Brower + Russ Johnson, Sound + Tech

** Please rise in body or spirit*

Trinity News + Updates

Prayer Activity | You are invited to participate in our prayer activity today which will be on the cafe tables! If you are joining for coffee and cookies after the service, grab a slip of paper and jot down a brief general prayer that could be used in our monthly prayer calendar.

Craft Group Resumes - Sept 5 | We will resume meeting on the first Saturday of the month from 10AM to 2PM. Bring your craft and bring your lunch! We can't wait for a great time of fellowship + fun!

Children's Story Time Volunteer Orientation - Sept 6 | Have you served as a C&W leader before? Looking to get involved with our kids? Then join Lori Kooyers following the service on Sunday, Sept 6 for a short orientation to our new format and discussion of the fall schedule.

Launch of Children's Story Time on Sept 20 | We're trying something new for our kids during the service! They will leave at the same time and return for the offering and in-between they will be engaging with bible stories through video, discussion, prayer, and song. All kids from kindergarten age to 5th grade are welcome to join Mrs. Lori for the first Sunday on Sept 20!

Consistory Nomination Ballots | Trinity members are invited to nominate consistory members. Ballots have been provided in your church mailboxes or included with the church bulletin by mail. Please put them in the box on the Welcome Desk or return them to the church office by **Sunday, September 6**.

Second Sunday Brunch | Please join us for an Oatmeal & Yogurt breakfast bar following our worship service on **Sunday, September 13**. Details on how you can help and RSVP are available at the Welcome Desk.

We are also having a mini food drive to benefit Community Action House Food Club! Let's help build a stronger and healthier community by stocking the shelves with **pasta** (especially whole wheat or gluten-free varieties) and **pasta sauce**. Please bring in your donations by Sunday, September 13. THANK YOU for your generosity!

Staff Update | Pastor Amanda will return from vacation and to the office on Monday, August 31. Pastor Lydia's last day with us will be on Sunday, September 6.

For more details see the latest issue of Connections or visit trinityrc.org