Holy Trinity United Methodist Church

September 25, 2022 9:30am Theme: Courage

Prelude

Welcome

*Songs of Praise "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" (vs. 1, 3, & 4) Hymnal #57

"Cry of My Heart" TFWS #2165

Leader: Our souls are filled with longing, O God, for we are thirsty for your truth.

People: Sometimes we feel so alone and forgotten; even in a crowd we feel abandoned.

Leader: The good we have done seems to count for nothing, and the forces of evil seem to prevail.

People: The standards we uphold seem to be failing, and we pursue high values without reward.

Leader: Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? People: Hope in God, for there we will find courage. Rejoice, for Christ lives in us!

Prayer (unison)

When we feel that no one cares, show us the worth of our own lives and what we seek to do. When worship is flat and uninspiring, open our lips in songs of thanksgiving, and attune our hearts to the music. Meet us in this hour to give us a new perspective on life. AMEN.

Children's Message

Prayer Song "My Jesus, I Love Thee" (verse 1) Hymnal #172

Prayers of the People/Our Lord's Prayer

Prayer Song "My Jesus, I Love Thee" (verse 1) Hymnal #172

*Hymn "O How I Love Jesus" Hymnal #170

*Gospel Lesson Luke 7:36-50

Sermon "Courage for Candor" Pastor Chad Gilbertson

*Hymn "When We Are Called to Sing Your Praise" TFWS #2216

Offering/Offertory

Prayer of Dedication (unison)

O God, we would support the work of those who stand courageously for your truth. We want to reach out in faithful witness to all who long for the living God. By our gifts we tell the world of our commitment and desire to serve. Multiply our contributions by your love, so your will may be accomplished among us. AMEN.

Announcements

*Benediction (unison)

May God the Creator send us out with clarity.

May God the Redeemer equip us with conviction.

May God the Sustainer empower us with courage.

And may we go to share with others the love of God the Sanctifier. AMEN.

*Hymn "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" (verse 3)

Hymnal #117

Postlude

^{*}Greeting

Worship Leaders

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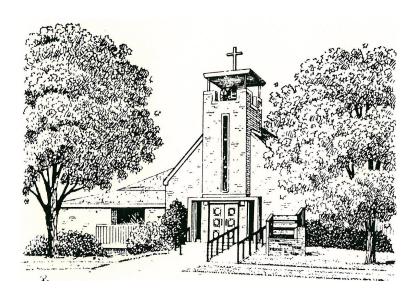
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This Week:		
Monday, Sept. 26	9:00am 6:30pm 7:00pm 7:00pm	AA (Parsonage) Core Team Meeting Narcotics Anonymous (F. Hall) Al-Anon (Parsonage)
Tuesday, Sept. 27	1:30pm 7:00pm	Trinity Readers Co-Dependents Anonymous (Parsonage)
Wednesday, Sept. 28	8:30am 6:30pm 7:00pm	Moment of Prayer for Holy Trinity 7th/8th Confirmation Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, Oct. 2	9:30am 10:30am	Worship/Live-Stream Sunday School

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