Holy Trinity United Methodist Church

October 29, 2023 9:30am

Theme: Earn, Save, Give

If you have a prayer request today, please fill out the card in your pew rack and hand it to an usher prior to the Prayers of the People.

Prelude

Welcome

*Songs of Praise "Everlasting God" W&S 3021

"For the Beauty of the Earth" (vs 1,2,4,5) Hymnal 92

*Greeting

Leader: Wisdom speaks to us.

People: We will not shut out the lessons she teaches.

Leader: Wisdom cries out her warning.

People: We will not ignore her guidance.

Leader: Wisdom calls to us.

ALL: WE WILL DWELL IN THE HOUSE OF THE LORD FOREVER.

Opening Prayer (unison)

Eternal God, the voice of the heavens declares your glory and rejoices in your teachings. As we proclaim our faith in your Son, help us embrace the more difficult journey of turning our minds from human things to focus on more heavenly matters. May we be found faithful when Wisdom comes to call. AMEN.

Prayer Song "Close to Thee" (sing 1st Refrain) Hymnal 407

Prayers of the People/Our Lord's Prayer

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Scripture Readings Proverbs 3:13-16

1 Kings 3:3-14

Children's Message

*Hymn "I Sing the Almighty Power of God" Hymnal 152

Sermon "We Don't Need More Money – We Need Wisdom"

Pastor Chad Gilbertson

*Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" Hymnal 451

Offering/Offertory

Prayer of Dedication (unison)

Glorious God, your teachings are more to be desired than fine gold and precious jewels. You have taught us to share your gifts with those in need. Transform these offerings into gifts for your world – gifts that will bring hope and light, peace and love, where they are needed most. In Jesus' name, we pray. AMEN.

Announcements

*Benediction

Leader: May the words of our mouths be acceptable and true. **People:** May the meditations of our hearts be loving and pure.

Leader: May the actions of our lives be compassionate and just.

ALL: MAY THE WISDOM OF OUR GOD BLESS US AND KEEP US, NOW AND

FOREVERMORE. AMEN.

*Hymn "The Trees of the Field" TFWS 2279

Postlude

Worship Leaders

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This Week:		
Monday, Oct. 30	9:30am 7:00pm	AA (Parsonage) Al-Anon (Parsonage)
Tuesday, Oct. 31	10am-1pm 1:30pm 7:00pm	Candy Crawl Trinity Readers (Parsonage) Co-Dependents Anonymous (Parsonage)
Wednesday, Nov. 1	8:30am 6:15pm 7:00pm	Moment of Prayer for Holy Trinity 7th/8th Confirmation (Parsonage) Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, Nov. 2	6:00pm	Veterans AA (Parsonage)
Saturday, Nov. 4	9-10:45am	Feed My Starving Children Packing Event
Sunday, Nov. 5	9:30am	Worship/Live-Stream (All Saints Sunday)

Prayer Requests:

The Guenthers—prayer request for Scott, who had surgery on his leg and also for Dan's recovery from a staph infection.

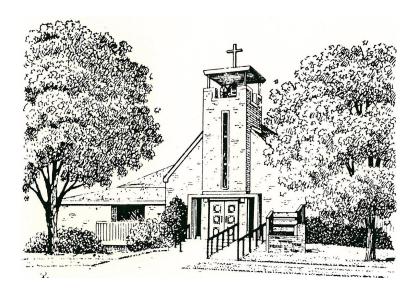
Lois Burkhart—prayers for a friend Carolyn for peace in herself and family.

Ceil Boyer—had gallbladder surgery. Prayers for healing.

Barb Petrekovik—grieving the death of her sister Linda, who passed away after struggling with a long illness. Prayers for Barb, her sister Patty, and Linda's daughter Joey and family.

Kay Dillard—struggling with kidney failure and urgently needs a living kidney donor to survive. Please pray that her health will hold out until a kidney donor is found.

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