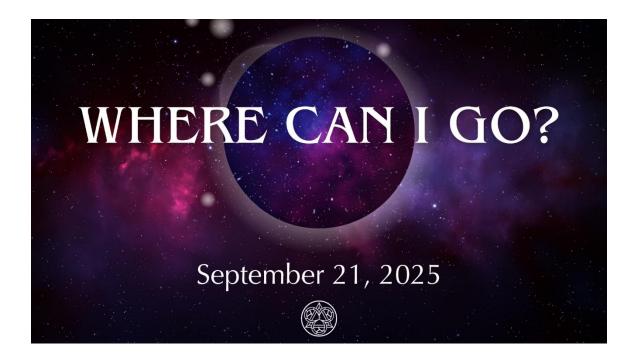


#### **September 21, 2025**



Rev. Brian D. Siegle, Pastor

Rev. Daniel W. Guenther, Associate Pastor

Rev. Judy C. Oguich, Minister of Congregational Care

Ben Miller, Director of Music Ministries

Jen Williams, Director of Kids Ministries

Bill Pike, Director of Operations

**Dr. Hyo Lee**, District Superintendent, Three Notch'd District **Sue Haupert-Johnson**, Bishop, Virginia Conference

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#### **Welcome to Trinity!**

We pray that you experience the love, joy, and peace of Christ this morning.

We invite you to check out the website (trinityumc.net) to learn more about Trinity and to find out how to get involved.

At Trinity, our mission is "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." Our staff will be happy to answer any questions you may have – we are here for you. May God's love refresh and inspire you today and always.

Please sign the pad in the Guest Book located in each pew. Whether a visitor or member, knowing that you worshipped with us this morning and in which of our services you were present helps us care for you better.

#### If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity UMC...

Please contact Rev. Judy Oguich (joguich@trinityumc.net) or speak with one of the pastors or note in the guestbook when you sign in.

#### **Kids in Worship**

Trinity welcomes all kids in Worship. Worship Bags are available in the Welcome Center to help them engage with the service. *We ask that you return the Worship Bags to the Welcome Center after the service.* 

During the 9 AM service, preschoolers and elementary aged kids may attend Kids Church in the Chapel. They may leave at the beginning of the first song and they will return to the Sanctuary during the final song of the morning. At 10 AM, kids are encouraged to come to Trinity for additional activities and music.

#### Technician(s)

9 AM: Thomas Hall, Martha Hall 11 AM: Paul Brooks

#### **Acolytes**

Candlelighters: Charlie Duerson, Eva Larkum Crucifer: Anna Estes

#### Liturgical or Special Day / Color

15th Sunday after Pentecost / Green

**Prayer...** To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, contact Rev. Judy Oguich (*joguich@trinityumc.net or 288-6056 ext. 206*). Over 50 persons have committed to praying for our community.

Trinity members and staff pray for the concerns and joys of your heart. If you have a request, fill out a green Pastoral Care Card or the white Trinity Care Team Card (located in the Guest Book) and drop it in the offering plate.

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone," 1 Timothy 2:1

#### **Known Member Prayer Concerns**

Carol Crowder Jane Hobeika Bob Passmore Wanda Umphlet Nancy Owen Nancy Foley Tom Rockhold George Norris

Paula Cadden Ronnie Johnson

#### **Community Prayer Concern**

Trinity members' loved ones: Miller Jenkins, Erik DeVriendt, Bobby Price, Matt Dunkle, Jacob Clegg

The family of Dania Bashier and the Tuckahoe Middle School Community

Evergreen High School in Denver, Corado

**Utah Valley University** 

Annunciation Catholic School community in Minneapolis, Minnesota

First Responders and Active Service Men and Women

Victims of extreme weather and natural disasters

Victims of war and violence

All those dealing with extra anxiety from life situations

#### Modern Worship @ 9:00 AM

#### **Entrance**

Welcome Rev. Daniel Guenther

Dismiss to Kids Church

\*Song How Great Is Our God

\*Song Goodness of God

\*Opening Prayer

\*Passing the Peace

#### **Proclamation and Response**

Scripture Psalm 139 Anne Beck

The Message Where Can I Go? Rev. Brian Siegle

Response to the Word Rev. Judy Oguich

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

#### **Thanksgiving**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving

#### **Sending Forth**

\*Song The Blessing

\*Benediction

\* Please stand as you are able

#### Traditional Worship @ 11 AM

#### **Entrance**

Chiming the Hour

Welcome Rev. Daniel Guenther

Prelude "Air" from Water Music G.F. Handel (1685 – 1759)

\*Call to Worship

The psalmist declares, "Lord, you have searched me and known me." Will you open yourselves to be searched by God?

#### Search us, O God, and know our hearts.

God searches you, knows you, and loves you, and invites you to search out God in return. Will you seek the heart of God?

#### We will search you, O God, to know your heart.

The Triune God who creates all and knows all is revealed in running rivers and fluttering butterflies, in warm sunshine and the smell of the earth. Will you pay attention?

### We will pay attention, O God, to the fingerprint of love on all creation.

Open our hearts today to encounter your love, holiness, and glory that create and sustain all that was, is, and will be.

#### We come today to enter the dance of the Trinity, the all-knowing Creator and Sustainer of life.

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, February 2024

\*Processional Hymn

Lift High the Cross

**UMH 159** 

\*Opening Prayer

God, we cannot escape your love. We can find no place to hide. You search us out wherever we may be. Your love is like a mother's blanket, protecting us wherever we go. Your love shields us from evil. We may travel to the moon or to the depths of the ocean: your love is there. We may think ourselves to greater levels of sophistication: your love is there. We may fall into the pits of sin: your love is there.

Thank you, Mother, for steadfast mercy.

Thank you for being there, wherever we may be. Amen.

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\*Hymn

This Is My Father's World

UMH 144

\*Passing the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

#### **Proclamation and Response**

Anthem He Had Me On His Mind Flo Price

Scripture Psalm 139 Nancy Coddington

\*Gloria Patri UMH 70

The Message Where Can I Go? Rev. Brian Siegle

Response to the Word Rev. Judy Oguich

We come before God knowing that "confession is good for the soul." But the thought of opening up before you is overwhelming. At times, we cannot bear to remember how often we have gone astray. At other times, we cloud our memories, justifying what we know is wrong in your sight. We cannot trust ourselves to confess our sins as often as we should. We need you to help us to be honest. So, like the psalmist, we say, "Search me Lord." You know us. You know our thoughts. You know where we have been and where we are going. Search us, Lord; and if there is any wicked way in any of us, deliver us and lead us into righteousness.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

#### **Thanksgiving**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory Allegro in A Minor J.S. Bach (1685 - 1750)

\*Doxology Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 94

Prayer of Thanksgiving

#### Sending Forth

\*Hymn Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah UMH 127

\*Benediction

\*Postlude St. Anthony Chorale Johannes Brahms (1833 – 1897)

**This Week** 

TODAY 9 AM Modern Worship

10 AM Discipleship / Sunday School

11 AM Traditional Worship

5 PM Transit (4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades) - Room 300

5 PM Youth Group – Student Center

7 PM Church Council - Room 323

Monday: 9:30 AM Monday Bible Study - Room 323

11:45 AM Prayer Group – *Chapel* 5:00 PM Connect Team Meeting

7:00 PM Dillard Bible Study - Online

Tuesday: 8:00 AM Young At Heart Trip to D-Day Memorial

5:45 PM Pub Theology – Waygone Brewery

6:00 PM Pickleball – Trinity Hall

Wednesday: 1:30 PM Pastor Brian's Bible Study – Room 323

6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room

7:30 PM Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary

Thursday: 6:00 PM Pastor Daniel's Bible Study – *Room 323* 

6:00 PM Scout Troop 799G – Eaton Hall

Friday: 9:00 AM Food Fridays (food collection) – *Trinity Hall* 

Pumpkin Patch Open Daily!

Weekdays from noon to 7:00 PM; Weekends from 10 AM to 7 PM



9/28: Missions Town Hall

10/2: Young at Heart Program on Cybersecurity

10/12: Cluster Charge Conference @ Trinity

10/26: Fall Festival



Everyone is Invited!



### What to Expect:

Trunk or Treat • Music Face Painting • Inflatables Gaga Ball • Playground No Cost!



"THE PUMPKIN CHURCH"

# Pumpkin Patch



## September 21 - October 31

Weekdays: 12pm to 7pm Weekends: 10am to 7pm

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