October 2026

Tradewinds

The Newsletter of Trinity Lutheran Church
Called by Christ + Gathered in Grace + Joyfully Serving

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Worship 8:00am & 10:45am
Evening Prayer Wednesdays at 7:00pm

The 8:00am Sunday and 7:00pm Wednesday services are livestreamed on Trinity's YouTube channel, Facebook page, and website.

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Pastor Matt

From Pastor Matt...

Continuing Reformation:
"Ecclesia Reformata, Semper Reformanda"

Although it comes from the other major strand of the Protestant Reformation, I find this ancient Latin phrase holds wisdom for the whole Church Universal, not just the Reformed branch of Christianity for whom these words have long been a motto and mission statement. The phrase can be translated as "the Church reformed and always being reformed." We are part of the Church that reformed itself during the Protestant Reformation. The Reformation was in part a process that corrected the perceived errors of the Church and protested excesses of wealth that were seen in higher levels of church leadership.

This month we welcome the first column from Pastor Matt Hoover, who began serving as our interim pastor on September 21st. As we head toward Reformation Sunday, he reflects on an old Latin motto and what it might mean for Trinity as we begin this new chapter together.

Luther, Calvin, Zwingli and their counterparts sought to correct the errors, bad theology, and abuses by reconstructing, reclaiming, and rediscovering the most basic and ancient of Church practices. They all sought to re-form the church into what they believed was a purer expression of Christianity and faith. So thus, from this historical perspective, we are the church that was formed a new; we are the successors to those ancient ancestors of faith who reformed themselves into what they believed God was calling the Church to become.

Are we the Church willing to be reformed and transformed still?

The essence of this phrase is a sense that reforming is work that is always being done. It is work done not merely by humans, but by the direction and agency of God. It is work that has a purpose to it. Change that happens not merely for the sake of novelty, but at God's behest. The purpose behind our reformation and transformation is to be able to proclaim the Gospel for the day and time we are in. We, as the Church, are challenged to interpret the ancient wisdom of the Church for a new day and new peo-

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Publication Deadlines: **Sunday Bulletin**, Noon on Tuesday each week; ***Tradewinds*** **Newsletter**, the 15th of each month.

From Pastor Eileen...

Women of the Bible – Esther



Pastor Eileen

The Lutheran Study Bible notes describe Esther's story as "a comic tale of inept leadership, huge egos, devious plans, unusual events, laugh-out-loud silliness, and startling reversals."

It isn't too difficult to see how familiar human weaknesses and foibles are exaggerated in Esther's story. The story itself can be best appreciated if it's read aloud (something I plan to suggest to our "Coffee and Conversation" group). And when the story is read publicly, listeners are encouraged to make noise to drown out the name of the "villain," Haman, every time it is spoken.

But in this satirical tale there are also important points made about the power of God's presence, even though God is never mentioned!

Esther is a Jewish woman, who was orphaned and raised by her Uncle Mordecai. During her lifetime, the Jewish people were a defeated people, scattered among those who had conquered them, and were considered an inconsequential minority.



Artist's depiction of Esther approaching King Ahasurerus to plead for her people.

Esther was apparently quite beautiful. When the king decided to depose his wife, Queen Vashti, because of her failure to obey him, Esther was among the young virgins brought to the palace to replace the queen. She did not reveal her kindred or her people, as advised by her Uncle Mordecai. The king was taken by her beauty and fell in love with her.

During this time the king appointed Haman to a position above all of his ministers and ordered that all people bow down to him. When Mordecai refused to follow this order, Haman began to plot to have all Jews executed. Mordecai told Esther about the plot and begged her to go to the king. At first, Esther refused, because it was unlawful to approach the king unless the king requested an appearance. The punishment for disobeying the law was death. But Mordecai reminded her that the result of Haman's plot would be her death, and the death of all her people. His message to her was: "Perhaps you have come to royal dignity for such a time as this."

So Esther asked her uncle to have all the people fast for 3 days on her behalf, while she and her maids would do the same. She then approached the king, and when he welcomed her she requested a great banquet to which Haman should be invited. The banquet was arranged, and when Haman came, Esther revealed his plot to destroy her people. The king issued orders to destroy Haman and all the enemies of the Jews.

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ABO-Anything But Old!

Trinity's 55+ Ministry
No Dues—No Don'ts

Anything But Old is Trinity's fellowship group especially geared towards the older members of our congregation. But everyone is welcome to join us!

We usually meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 12:00noon to share a meal together and then enjoy an activity that may be a service project, entertainment, or something educational!

Mark your calendar for these events:

- **Tuesday, October 13th, 12:00noon**—Lunch, Program: *History of Galen Hall*
- **Wednesday, November 18th**—Bus Trip to Dutch Apple Theater for their Christmas Show. Sign up now on the kiosk in the upper Narthex. Payment ($115/person, online via Pushpay, or drop off in the church office or use the Office Dropbox) required with sign up.
- **December, date TBA**—Conrad Weiser High School Concert



Sign-ups for ABO are located on a kiosk in the upper Narthex. Questions? Ask Pastor Eileen or Jo Ressler. ▲

2026 Confirmation Dates

Confirmation classes are scheduled on Sundays for these dates in 2026:

- October 11th, 2026 (CROP Walk)
- October 25th, 2026
- November 8th, 2026
- November 22nd, 2026
- December 6th, 2026 (Caroling)
- December 20th, 2026 (Youth Christmas party) ▲

Confirmation
CLASSES

Well, Well, Well...

Join us for a meal at the Well. We gather for potluck dinners on the second Wednesday of the month. All are welcome. Bring something to share or just yourselves. We have space for you. Wednesday potlucks continue at **6:00pm on October 14th and November 11th**. ▲



From Pastor Matt...

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ple. I've always believed we need to continually allow grace to shape us and thus be in a state of perpetual reformation because we are sinful humans who will never get it perfectly right. Yet more importantly, we are in a state of perpetual reformation because God is not static. God is "living and active." God's Word and God's Spirit are consistently working with us and on us to call us in new directions and to speak in new ways to those who need to hear the Gospel.

As we begin this interim period, and as we approach our celebration of Reformation Sunday at the end of the month, may we keep in mind this ancient motto and ask ourselves, "where is God calling us to next?"

Peace,

Pastor Matt ▲

From Pastor Eileen...

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Esther is remembered and honored for her trust in God for facing death in approaching the king, for her honoring of the spiritual practices of fasting and prayer, for her faithful obedience to her spiritual mentor, Mordecai, and as a symbol of the way God uses ordinary people to accomplish extraordinary things. Jewish people honor her story on the festival of Purim, celebrated on the 14th day of the Hebrew month of Adar (late winter or early spring).

You can read the whole story in the Hebrew scripture book of Esther.

Blessings!

Pastor Eileen ▲

National Youth Gathering 2027

IMAGINE more

Trinity is excited to send four youth (Claire Lutz, Hailey Kissinger, Emma Umbenhauer and Greyson Umbenhauer) to experience the *ELCA National Youth Gathering* in Minneapolis, Minnesota in June 2027. Please keep an eye out for ways that you can support our youth through fundraisers and other unique opportunities. Save the Date for Saturday, December 12th, for Breakfast with St. Nick, which will benefit the youth who will attending the Gathering. ▲

Wiggle Room Available

Wiggle Room (at the front right side of the Sanctuary)—A place for little ones who may need to move around without disrupting worship. No need for tears—just a little wiggle space! And note that a restroom is inside, including a changing table. It is the closest restroom to the Sanctuary. ▲



How To Contact the Pastoral Staff

If you know of upcoming surgeries, please call the church office and let us know. You can leave messages with Bob, or you can ask to be directed to the confidential voicemail of Pastor Eileen.

If there is an emergency event, especially on a Friday or Saturday (when the church office is closed) call Pastor Eileen 484-575-1881 or Pastor Matt at 301-471-0803. ▲

Just a reminder...neither Trinity staff, nor Trinity members will reach out to you via email asking for gift cards. These emails are SCAMMERS. Do not reply to them—delete their messages. When we do ask for donations, we do so in the announcements at worship, in the bulletin and in this newsletter. If you are unsure, please call the church office. ▲

Worship Schedule

Sundays 8:00am & 10:45am

Coffee Hour 9:00am–10:30am

Sunday School for all ages
9:15am every Sunday ▲



Planning Ahead...



Make sure these dates are on your calendar:

Sunday, October 4th, 8:30–10:45am—Flu shots in the Parlor

Monday, October 5th, 9:00am—Coffee & Conversation in the Social Hall; continues weekly

Tuesday, October 6th, 6:30pm—Web Crew meeting

Sunday, October 11th, 12:30pm—CROP Walk at Grings Mill; Confirmation Class

Tuesday, October 13th:

- **12:00noon**—ABO Lunch, Program: History of Galen Hall
- **6:30pm**—Fellowship Board
- **7:00pm**—Trinity Photo Club

Wednesday, October 14th, 6:00pm—The Well, Potluck Dinner; also this is the deadline to sign up for Duncan's Corn Maze on October 18th

Sunday, October 18th, 1:00–4:00pm—Duncan's Corn Maze; sign up on the kiosk and submit form with payment by October 14th. Forms are in the bulletin, this newsletter, and on the kiosk in the upper Narthex.

Sunday, October 25th, 12:00noon—Confirmation Class

Monday, October 26th, 6:30pm—PPC

Tuesday, October 27th, 8:30am—Newsletter Assembly

Saturday, October 31st, 1:00pm—Installation of Bishop Dee as Bishop of the NEPA Synod at First Presbyterian Church, 2344 Center Street, Bethlehem, PA 18017. If you're riding the bus ($40/person), it leaves Trinity at 11:00am

Sunday, November 1st, 3:00pm—Jack Frost Parade

Sunday, November 8th—Deadline to order your Gingerbread Houses; forms in the bulletin, this newsletter, and on kiosk in the upper Narthex

Sunday, November 8th, 12:00noon—Confirmation Class

Wednesday, November 11th, 6:00pm—The Well, Potluck Dinner

Sunday, November 15th—Stewardship Sunday (and sticky buns); more info coming soon

Wednesday, November 18th, 11:00am—ABO Bus Trip to Dutch Apple Theater for their Christmas Show

Sunday, November 22nd, 12:00noon—Confirmation Class

Wednesday, December 2nd, 5:30pm—The Well, Potluck Dinner, and Gingerbread Houses! Order by November 8th—see page 9

Saturday, December 12th—Breakfast with St. Nick ▲

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From the Finance Board

2026 General Fund Activity

	August 2026	Year to Date
Budget	***$42,374***	***$355,213***
Transfers	***$0***	***$0***
Income	***$36,288***	***$356,276***
Expenses	***$46,465***	***$354,654***
Operating Surplus (Shortfall)	***($10,176)***	***$1,622***

Thank You for Your Gifts

Use this QR code with your smartphone to set up a Pushpay account. You can choose an amount, direct your gift to Trinity's General Fund, and even opt to cover any transaction fees. This convenient option also makes it easy for members, visitors, and guests to support our ministries.

Thank you for your generosity and for supporting the many ongoing ministries of Trinity! ▲

Official Installation of Bishop Dee

Saturday, October 31, 2026 The Service of Installation will begin at 1:00pm.

First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem
2344 Center Street
Bethlehem, PA 18017

Your prayers and presence are requested on Saturday, October 31, 2026, at 1:00pm for the Holy Eucharist with the Rite of Installation of the Sixth Bishop of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, The Reverend Jennifer Dee. ELCA Presiding Bishop Yehiel Curry will preside at the installation.

Hors d'oeuvres will follow the service.

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Sign up on the kiosk in the Narthex if you'd like to travel to the installation from Trinity by charter motorcoach; cost is $40/person. The bus will leave Trinity's parking lot on October 31st at 11:00am. Sign up today! Drop payment in the office drop box, or pay via Pushpay, putting "BISHOP" in the memo. ▲

Meeting Scheduling at Trinity

If you are planning a meeting to be held at Trinty, please make sure you do the following:

- Contact Bob Bergey in the church office so he can confirm room availability, adjust settings for heat/air conditioning, and add your meeting to the calendar. We want to be sure the space you need is available and temperature settings are adjusted for your comfort.
- Be aware that Craig Matthew (our Sexton) plans his cleaning schedule around the church calendar. So following this procedure is also a way to honor his time, allowing him to plan his work for times when he can access areas that need attention.

Thank you! ▲



Happy Birthday

to Our Members Over 80!

Address included—send a card!*

Terry Bowers — October 2nd

Loretta Schneck — October 7th

Rich Hartman — October 8th

Carolyn Correll — October 12th

Jane Limpus — October 13th

Joann Murdough — October 16th

Larry Schermick, Sr. — Oct. 17th

Nathan Bashore — October 27th

*Note: For privacy and safety, addresses of members over 80 are included only in the print edition of the newsletter and not in the PDF edition on the website. ▲



Choir Rehearsals

Cherub Choir

The Cherub choir is for children starting at age 3. We meet on Thursday nights from 6-6:30pm in the social hall to sing lots of fun songs with silly motions. Parents get to sit back and relax while Sarah and Colin McGrory lead the students in song. No experience is required, just come and have some fun!

Youth Choir

The Youth Choir is for students who are in 2nd grade or older. We meet on Sunday mornings from 10:25-10:45am in the first classroom at the bottom of the stairs. In this choir, we start learning how to read music and sing in multiple parts! Don't worry, students who want to participate in both Chimes and Youth Choir WILL have a chance to get a donut!

Any questions, please reach out to Sarah McGrory at sarahkmcgrory@gmail.com.

Adult Choir

Adult Choir rehearsals with director Darin Lewis are held weekly on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm in the Sanctuary (after Evening Worship). No auditions—if you'd like to sing, you're invited to join us!

Grace Notes, Trinity Ringers

Bells Choir Director Katie Mazurek notes that Grace Notes (youth bells) now meets Sunday mornings at 10:05am following Sunday School.

Trinity Ringers (advanced bells) continues to meet Thursday evenings at 6:30pm. Contact Katie with any questions. ▲

Office Hours

The church office is open:

Monday–Thursday
8:00am–1:00pm

Closed Friday

610-693-6062

office@trinityrobesonia.org ▲

CROP Walk Sunday, October 11th at Grings Mill



As the devastating federal funding cuts continue for local food agencies like Helping Harvest OUR HELP IS DESPARATELY NEEDED! We have experienced the increased number of neighbors in need while the funding to relieve food insufficiency has been being drastically reduced. **We need your support!**

- Registration is at 12:30pm; Walk begins at 1:00pm, October 11th, 2026.
- Register or make a donation at: **https://www.crophungerwalk.org/ReadingPA.** Under Existing Teams look for: "**Trinity Lutheran Robesonia**" (no commas)

Questions? See Pr. Eileen. ▲

Thank You, Trinity Tailgate Volunteers!



A heartfelt thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Trinity Tailgates at Conrad Weiser High School such a success! On Thursday, September 3rd and Friday, September 18th, you showed up with food, fun, and open hearts, and the students and staff noticed.

Whether you served, set up, cleaned up, or simply spent time chatting with students, you helped Trinity be a caring presence for our youth and a good neighbor in our school community. These gatherings only happen because people like you give their time, and we are so grateful.

Thank you for sharing your gifts and for showing our young people that their church is cheering them on! ▲

Worship Volunteers Needed



We are looking for additional volunteers to help in worship. Interested in greeting, ushering, reading, helping with communion, learning the screens or the livestream? **We are especially looking for persons to be trained and help out with our livestreaming services.** Reach out to the church office! We'd love to grow our group of amazing worship volunteers. ▲

Trinity Photo Club

Meetings the Second Tuesday of Each Month

Our regular monthly meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at **7:00pm**. The next meetings are **October 13th** and **November 10th**. New members are welcome anytime! We have something of value for everyone. Please join us. It's free!

Have questions? Reach out to Bob in the church office at 610-693-6062 or email the church office at office@trinityrobesonia.org. ▲

THE PUNNY PEW
WITH JOHN MOYER

A man had a wife named Kate, and a girlfriend named Edith. Now Kate wanted him to stop seeing Edith, but he wouldn't. And Edith wanted him to divorce Kate, but he wouldn't. He wanted to have his Kate and Edith too.

Trinity's Jack Frost Parade November 1st, 2026



Sunday, November 1st, 2026 • Step off: 3:00pm

Just over a month to go!

Volunteers Needed!

We are still in need of volunteers. Please prayerfully consider donating your time. There are many ways to help—before, during and after the parade. We have sign-ups in the upper Narthex, or contact us at: TrinityJackFrostParade@gmail.com.

Register for the Parade

We will be accepting registrations for the parade through October 9th, so there's not much time left if you've not yet registered.

Access the registration form using this QR code to register:

Sponsors needed!

The parade does not happen for free. Please note—none of Trinity's regular funds support the parade. All parade monies are collected separately. So we need your help.

We appreciate our sponsors. There are 3 easy ways to sponsor.

Click this QR code for an individual sponsorship:

Or this QR code for a business sponsorship:

Or drop your sponsorship into the offering plate in an envelope marked *Jack Frost Parade*.

Please check the parade table in the upper Narthex to see what needs we still have.

On the church website, we can be found under Ministries and Groups > Outreach > Jack Frost Parade.

Thank you for all of your support for this wonderful community event. We couldn't do it without you!

We look forward to seeing you on November 1st! ▲

Thank You, Garden Angels!

How did our gardens grow this year? Thanks to a very dedicated group of volunteers, they bloomed and thrived! We are so appreciative to those who shared their time and talents towards helping to maintain Trinity's outdoor properties during the past 5 months. Thank you to all! ▲

Personal Devotional Guides



Personal devotional guides, *Christ in Our Home* and *Our Daily Bread*, are available in the literature rack in the upper Narthex. Large print editions are also available. Please help yourself to a copy if you'd like! ▲

Kidney Donor Needed

David Madeira, one of our members, is looking for a kidney donor. To learn more about his story, find out about kidney donation, or be tested as a potential donor, visit his website (or scan the QR code): https://nkr.org/PLX397 ▲



Paws, Claws, Fins and Feathers, Too!

The cats have had theirs, now It's the dogs' turn—and we're opening it up to all pets, not just the four-legged, fur-covered kind. Birds, fish, rabbits, guinea pigs, the occasional lizard—if it's part of your family, we want to see it on screen. Take a couple of minutes to view the dogs (and at least one dog-wannabe) currently on display.



Email your favorite photo to the church office and we'll add it to the rotation (office@trinityrobesonia.org). Pets are family, too; let's give the dogs (and everyone else) their moment in the spotlight! ▲

Thank You, Newsletter Crew

Many thanks to our August volunteers who prepared the September newsletters for mailing: Linda Purdin, Larry & Barbara Schermick, Ken & Geneva Berger, Joanna Goodison, and Betsy Althouse, who folded, stuffed, sorted, and sealed the mailing. Thanks also to Joe & Carol Voletto for labeling the newsletter envelopes. We are grateful for your help! ▲

TRINITY EXCHANGE

Have something to give? Need something? Use the Trinity Exchange bulletin board (left wall of the hallway to the Social Hall). Post your donation or request with your contact info and date. Items are free—no money exchanged. Notes stay up for 60 days. ▲

God's work.
Our hands.

God's Work, Our Hands Sunday at Helping Harvest

The group packed about 2,000 Weekender Bags that day (September 13th) and did a great job! Here are a few photos from the day. ▲

























You Are Invited...

You are invited to attend these free concerts at St. John's (Hain's) UCC Church in Wernersville, PA. ▲

Annie M. Gaul Concert Series
— ST. JOHN'S (HAIN'S) UCC —

Upcoming Concerts

FREE CONCERTS · OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18TH @ 3PM	**Trio Strepitoso** Lebanon Valley College - Piano & String Trio
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST @ 3PM	**Heartland Marimba Ensemble**
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH @ 3PM	**Ben Lougheed** Classical Guitarist
SATURDAY, APRIL 24TH @ 4PM	**Philadelphia Bronze** Handbell Choir
SUNDAY, MAY 2ND @ 3PM	**Conrad Weiser HS "After Hours"** Jazz Band and Choraleers

Visit **www.stjhains.org** for more information

ST. JOHN'S (HAIN'S) UCC
591 North Church Rd Wernersville, PA 19565

Gingerbread Houses



It's time to order Gingerbread Houses! Use this order form (more are on the kiosk in the upper Narthex) and include your payment ($14.00 each) in the offering plate, or the drop box by the office door, or pay via Pushpay—note "GINGERBREAD HOUSE" in the memo. Deadline to order is November 8th, 2026.

And make sure the date to make your Gingerbread Houses is on your calendar—**Wednesday, December 2nd, 2026 at 5:30pm in the Social Hall!** ▲

Wednesday, December 2nd, 2026
GINGERBREAD HOUSES
—One night only!—
Dinner starts at 5:30pm
Deadline to order is November 8th

We are sorry, but we cannot sell kits if you are unable to attend Wednesday evening.

I will bring: ☐ Soup ☐ Side ☐ Dessert

Of Houses @ $14.00:_____

Amount enclosed: $_____

Number attending: _____

Name:_____

Email or Phone:_____

From the Fellowship BOARD

Many thanks to all who planned, prepared for, hosted and ATTENDED our breakfast event on Welcome Home Sunday! We so appreciate your support, encouragement and feedback, and are always open to new ideas and welcoming new members!

SAVE THE DATES...

- **Duncan's Corn Maze-Sunday—October 18th, 1-4pm**

Please join us at Duncan's Corn Maze on Sunday, October 18th from 1:00pm-4:00pm. Explore the Corn Maze and Pumpkin Patch. A reserved camp fire area will provide a place for gathering and fellowship. Your cost includes admission, hot dogs, s'mores, drinks, snacks and a hayride! Please complete this form if you plan on joining us; additional forms are on the kiosk in the upper Narthex. **Payment is due with your reservation by Wednesday, October 14th—$10/family or $5/individual.** Place completed forms with payment in the offering plate, or drop box by the office door, or pay via Pushpay—note "DUNCAN'S" in the memo.

- **Stewardship Sunday—November 15th**

Watch the bulletin and November newsletter for more details coming soon. (And it's Sticky Bun Sunday!) ▲

Duncan's Reservation Form—due by Oct. 14th w/payment

Name:_____

Phone:_____

Attending:_____ Enclosed $:_____

☐ I can provide a snack (you'll be contacted)

October & November 2026 Sponsor Schedule

	Altar Flowers $40 / vase	*Mem. Bowl $40*	*Bulletin $25*	*Communion Supplies $12*	*Newsletter $20*	*Missionary $10*	*Home Devotionals $20*	*Online Streaming $50*
10/4	Becky & Zach Kissinger	Bonnie Smith	Paul & Ruth Ann Moyer	Mike & Jill Schubert	Dave & Cheryl Miller	Pastor Eileen & Brian Smith	Bill & Lil Flichman	Anonymous
10/11	Paul & Ruth Ann Moyer Linda & Howard Ream	Mary Ann George	Joanna Goodison	Mike & Kris Schultz	Bob & Susan Bergey	Pastor Eileen & Brian Smith	Dave & Cheryl Miller	Carl & Cindy Marks
10/18	Karen Haines & Family Ruth Ann & Paul Moyer	Val & Andy Grajewski	Pastor Eileen & Brian Smith	Hannah Schultz	Anonymous	Pastor Eileen & Brian Smith	Bob Dutt	Anonymous
10/25	Lori Hall The Mountz Family	Kathy Showalter	Dave & Tracy Graver	Elaine Shartle	Steph Gattens	Dave & Tracy Graver	Anonymous	Carolyn Brooks & Marcia Werner
11/1	Carole Forry Dennis & Mary Ann Root	Brenda, Jack & Madison Moylan	Paul & Ruth Ann Moyer	Larry & Lee Scheaffer	Linda & Howard Ream	Jeff & Vicky Steltz	Carl & Cindy Marks	Pastor Eileen & Brian Smith
11/8	Jeff & Vicky Steltz John & Jo Ressler	Kathy Showalter	Linda & Howard Ream	Marce Sheidy	Eva Goll	Kevin Keller	Karen Moyer	Linda & Shorty Ream
11/15	Carol & Joe Voletto Ruth Ann & Paul Moyer	Pastor Eileen & Brian	Andrew Smith	Kathy Showalter	Mary Ann George	Jane Limpus	Brenda Moylan	Elaine Shartle
11/22	Curt & Dee Kramer Linda Purdin	Eva Goll	Lee & Larry Sheaffer	Bonnie Smith	Diane Gramling	Joan Lincoln	Bobbi Newcomb	Joe & Carol Voletto
11/29	Jim & Janice Murdough (2)	Joe & Carol Voletto	Andrew Smith	Joenita Speiss	Mike & Jeanne Henry	Kathryn Miller	Domenic Parenti	Anonymous

Connections...

To our Facebook page:
https://facebook.com/trinityrobesonia

To our YouTube channel:
https://youtube.com/@trinityrobesonia

To our website:
https://trinityrobesonia.org

To ELCA:
https://elca.org ▲

October & November 2026 Worship Volunteer Schedule

	Screen Assistant		Camera Crew	Ushers		Greeters		*Lay Readers & Lay Assistants		Coffee Hour Hosts	Basket Holder	Acolyte
	8:00am	10:45am	8:00am	8:00am	10:45am	8:00am	10:45am	8:00am	10:45am	9:00am	10:45am	10:45am
10/4	Liz Clark	Zach Kissinger	Brian Smith	Becky Urand, Linda Purdin	Jane Limpus Neal Lutz	Bud & Marilyn Miller	Chris Kennedy Jane Limpus	*Dee Kramer Steph Gattens Kim Kissling	*David Sattazahn Gayle Dietrich Dawn Fry	Carl & Cindy Marks	Izzy Rivera	Steven Mazurek
10/11	Becky Kissinger	Jane Limpus	Darrell Rosenberger	Curt Kramer Jo Ressler	Jack & Dawn Fry	Ruth Ann & Paul Moyer	Neil & Nancy Putt	*Ellen Rissinger Elaine Shartle Cheryl Bowers	*Cathryn Price Diane Gramling Brian Smith	Bud & Marilyn Miller	Cameron Sattazahn	Bailey Sattazahn
10/18	Kim Kissling	Ellen Rissinger	Brian Smith	Mark & Sherry Moyer	Neil & Julieann Putt	Sharlene Williams Eric & Maci Yoh	Jeff & Vicky Steltz	*Scott Sunderland Janet Knoblauch Lynn Engel	*Linda Purdin David Sattazahn Ted Angstadt	Jo & John Ressler	Wyatt DelCampo	Charlie McGrory
10/25	Curt Kramer	Brian Smith	Darrell Rosenberger	Linda & Shorty Ream	Becky & Hailey Kissinger	John & Jo Ressler	Angela & Greyson Woodworth	*Becky Urand Dee Kramer Linda Purdin	*Neal Lutz Gayle Dietrich Dawn Fry	Chris & Greg Werner	Fiona Morris	Greyson Umbenhauer
11/1	Carl Marks	Bob Bergey	Brian Smith	John & Jo Ressler	Linda Purdin Ted Angstadt	Sue Rush Elaine Shartle	Ted & Linda Angstadt	*Pam Cooper Cheryl Bowers Kim Kissling	*Julieann Putt Diane Gramling Becky Kissinger	Paul & Ruth Ann Moyer	Hannah Kissinger	Claire Lutz
11/8	Deb McKim	Liz Clark	Darrell Rosenberger	Elaine Shartle Scott Sunderland	Jeremy & Emma Umbenhauer	Bob & Loretta Bausher	Bonnie & Jeff Culp	*Lynn Engel Dee Kramer Jo Ressler	*Ted Angstadt Cathryn Price David Sattazahn	Tammy & Dale Witmer	Greyson Woodworth	Wyatt DelCampo
11/15	Stacey Osman	Zach Christman	Brian Smith	Cheryl Bowers Eric Yoh	Jack & Dawn Fry	John & Anne Burd	Mike & Jeanne Henry	*Steph Gattens Ellen Rissinger Elaine Shartle	*Gayle Dietrich Dawn Fry Neal Lutz	Norb & Linda Schneider	Eleanor Lutz	Steven Mazurek
11/22	Becky Urand	Zach Kissinger	Darrell Rosenberger	Curt & Dee Kramer	Becky & Hailey Kissinger	Steph Gattens Joanna Goodison	Chris Kennedy Neal Lutz	*Kim Kissling Scott Sunderland Cheryl Bowers	*Joan Lincoln Diane Gramling Linda Purdin Julieann Putt	Terri Schermick & Carol Forster	Weston Bechtel	Kinsley Bechtel
11/29	Terri Schermick	Ellen Rissinger	Brian Smith	Mark & Sherry Moyer	Neal Lutz Zach Kissinger	Sharlene Williams Eric Yoh	Julieann & Neil Putt	*Janet Knoblauch Lynn Engel Stacey Osman	*Cathryn Price Ted Angstadt David Sattazahn	Carl & Cindy Marks	Izzy Rivera	Bailey Sattazahn

October Altar Guild—8:00am Dee Kramer
10:45am Linda Purdin

November Altar Guild—8:00am Colleen Haley
10:45am Jane Limpus

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If you are unable to serve when and where you have been scheduled, please switch with another volunteer, and contact the church office at 610-693-6062 or office@trinityrobesonia.org. Thank you! ▲

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
SEPT 27 **Our Website** and the latest calendar!	28	29	30	**1** 6:00p Cherub Choir 6:30p Trinity Ringers	**2**	**3**
4 **8:00 & 10:45a Worship** 8:30-10:45am Flu Shots 9:00a Coffee Hour 9:15a Sunday School 10:05a Grace Notes 10:25a Youth Choir	**5** 9:00a Coffee & Conversation	**6** 6:30p Web Crew	**7** 7:00p Evening Prayer 7:30p Adult Choir	**8** 6:00p Cherub Choir 6:30p Trinity Ringers	**9** *Includes corrections and additions as of October 7th, 2026!*	**10**
8:00 & 10:45a Worship **11** 9:00a Coffee Hour 9:15a Sunday School 10:05a Grace Notes 10:25a Youth Choir 12:30p CROP Walk 12:30p Confirmation	Columbus Day/ Indigenous Peoples Day **12** 9:00a Coffee & Conversation	**13** 12:00noon ABO: Lunch and Program: "History of Galen Hall" 6:30pm Fellowship Bd. 7:00pm Photo Club	**14** 6:00p The Well Potluck Dinner 7:00p Evening Prayer 7:30p Adult Choir	**15** 6:00p Cherub Choir 6:30p Trinity Ringers	**16**	**17**
8:00 & 10:45a Worship **18** 9:00a Coffee Hour 9:15a Sunday School 10:05a Grace Notes 10:25a Youth Choir 1-4p Duncan's Corn Maze	**19** 9:00a Coffee & Conversation	**20**	**21** 7:00p Evening Prayer 7:30p Adult Choir	**22** 6:00p Cherub Choir 6:30p Trinity Ringers	**23**	**24**
Reformation Sun. **25** **8:00 & 10:45a Worship** 9:00a Coffee Hour 9:15a Sunday School 10:05a Grace Notes 10:25a Youth Choir 12:00p Confirmation	**26** 9:00a Coffee & Conversation 6:30p PPC	**27** 8:30a Newsletter Assembly	**28** 7:00p Evening Prayer 7:30p Adult Choir	**29** 10:00a FOOD PANTRY 6:00p Cherub Choir 6:30p Trinity Ringers	**30**	Reformation day **31** 1:00p Installation of Bishop Dee (bus leaves at 11:00a)—First Presbyterian Ch.