

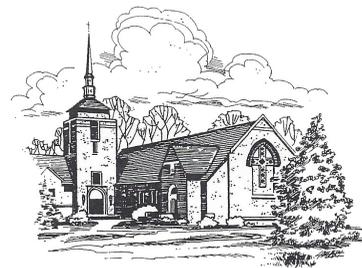
<p><b><u>IN THE LORD'S SERVICE</u></b>  <b><u>Acolyte:</u></b> Jacob Houston  <b><u>Cross Bearer (June):</u></b> Kelly Barringer  <b><u>Cross Bearer (July):</u></b>          Kathy &amp; Duane Alexander  <b><u>Elder(s) for June:</u></b>          Joye Lane &amp; Pat Bowers  <b><u>Elder(s) for July:</u></b>          Tony Wells &amp; Dawn Kilby  <b><u>Nursery Attendant:</u></b> Sonya Starnes</p>	<p><b><u>REMINDERS FOR NEXT WEEK:</u></b>  <b><u>Liturgist:</u></b> Pat Bowers  <b><u>Lay Reader:</u></b> Todd Dickerson  <b><u>Flower Calendar:</u></b>          Jo Ann Harper &amp; Brenda Gantt</p>
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**Per Consistory vote, our USHER TEAMS will now be assigned by the Elder(s) of the month! Elders may either call and ask ahead or pull some people to help on Sunday mornings.**

**THE WORSHIP MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH**  
 All Church Members, Ministers  
 Rev. Peggy Stout, Pastor  
 Rev. Jaha Seechang, Lahu Worship Leader  
 Martha Caldwell, Director of Adult Traditional Choir  
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*Trinity Reformed*  
**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**JUNE 27, 2021—10:30 A.M.**

*\*Designates "Those who are able please stand."*

**COMING BEFORE GOD**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Rev. Peggy Stout

**PASTOR'S DECLARATION** Rev. Peggy Stout  
 This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**HYMN** *"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"* Chancel Choir

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Dennis Falder, Liturgist  
 We come together to worship the God of creation, of salvation, of time and eternity, the God of all people and all nations, and of all conditions everywhere. Blessed be the name of the Lord!

**PRAYER OF INVOCATION** Dennis Falder, Liturgist  
 Holy and Merciful God, we thank you for your presence with us on this Sabbath day. We praise you for coming to us long before we first came to you and for loving us before we ever knew you. By your Spirit lead and guide us during this service. Help us to hear you when you speak and guide our responses. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

**ORGAN INTROIT** Marty Light, Organist

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (*Responsively*) Rev. Peggy Stout  
 Holy and Merciful God, you alone know us fully. You know the sins we hide from others—the unkind thought, the unspoken word of grace, the helping hand not offered. You alone know how we harbor jealousy and resentments, how we often prejudice others, how we get so busy that we don't see the needs of those around us. Forgive us, O Lord, and bring us into your marvelous light that we might live before others as you intend.  
*In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.*

**DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS** (*Responsively*) Rev. Peggy Stout  
God always calls us back into His loving arms and encourages us with a love that we can never lose—no matter how hard we push back, no matter how often we forget, no matter how far we stray. We need but ask, and we are forgiven.  
**Thanks be to God!**

**PRAISE RESPONSE** “*On Eagle’s Wings*”  
**And I will raise you up on eagle’s wings,  
Bear you on the breath of dawn,  
Make you to shine like the sun,  
And hold you in the palm of my hand.**

**LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION** Tommy Simmons, Lay Reader  
Almighty God, by the power of your Spirit, let your Word stir within us and bring to our hearts the joy that comes with new beginnings and renewed lives. Amen.

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** *Psalm 111:2-9* Tommy Simmons, Lay Reader  
The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

**ANTHEM** “*There is a Balm in Gilead*” Chancel Choir

**\*GOSPEL READING** *Luke 8:40-50* Rev. Peggy Stout  
The Gospel of the Risen Christ.  
**All praise to you, Christ our Lord!**

**SERMON** Rev. Peggy Stout

**RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD**

**ORGAN MEDITATION** “*Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place*”  
Marty Light, Organist

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Rev. Peggy Stout  
The Lord’s Prayer  
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**



Our **Bereavement Meal Ministry** provides a home-cooked meal for family and friends who have lost a loved one. The meal is served by family request. This time allows family and friends to visit and comfort one another as the grieving process continues. Our teams work on a rotating basis. There are volunteer opportunities available to donate a dish or help serve the meal. If you would like to help us in this ministry, please contact Tamara at (828)464-8226 or email [trinityucc@trucc.net](mailto:trinityucc@trucc.net).

**Volunteers are needed to help at ECCCM on Monday, June 28th—any time between 9am and 4pm.** This is our monthly scheduled date (the fourth Monday of the month). If you can help, please go to ECCCM on this date and let them know that you are a volunteer from Trinity Reformed UCC! Thank you!

**NEXT Sunday, July 4th:**  
We will have a very special Patriotic Worship Service at 10:30am.  
The Consistory Meeting will be postponed until Sunday, July 11th.

**NEXT Monday, July 5th:**  
The Church Office will be CLOSED in observance of Independence Day.



**Mission: Deep Sea**  
FOR ALL KIDS  
AGE 3-YEAR THROUGH 5TH GRADE!  
*Come join us as we DIVE DEEP and strengthen our relationship with God!*

**ONE DAY ONLY! - Saturday, JULY 31st**  
**10:00am-5:00PM—VBS**  
**5:00-7:00PM—Family Cookout & Celebration**  
*To register, pick-up a form at the back of the Sanctuary or visit [www.trinitytoday.org](http://www.trinitytoday.org)!*





Congregational CARE NOTES today! There are notebooks provided at the back of the Sanctuary. Please take a moment to write a note of care, thought, or appreciation to someone on the church prayer list. *Please write their name on the top of the paper.* We will take the notes up after the service and mail them directly to the person's home.

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**      *Psalms 111:2-9*

<sup>2</sup> Great are the works of the LORD; they are pondered by all who delight in them.  
<sup>3</sup> Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever.  
<sup>4</sup> He has caused his wonders to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and compassionate. <sup>5</sup> He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever. <sup>6</sup> He has shown his people the power of his works, giving them the lands of other nations. <sup>7</sup> The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy. <sup>8</sup> They are established for ever and ever, enacted in faithfulness and uprightness. <sup>9</sup> He provided redemption for his people; he ordained his covenant forever—holy and awesome is his name.

The Word of the Lord.  
*Thanks be to God!*

**\*GOSPEL READING**      *Luke 8:40-50*

<sup>40</sup> Now when Jesus returned, a crowd welcomed him, for they were all expecting him. <sup>41</sup> Then a man named Jairus, a synagogue leader, came and fell at Jesus' feet, pleading with him to come to his house <sup>42</sup> because his only daughter, a girl of about twelve, was dying. As Jesus was on his way, the crowds almost crushed him. <sup>43</sup> And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years,<sup>[a]</sup> but no one could heal her. <sup>44</sup> She came up behind him and touched the edge of his cloak, and immediately her bleeding stopped. <sup>45</sup> "Who touched me?" Jesus asked. When they all denied it, Peter said, "Master, the people are crowding and pressing against you." <sup>46</sup> But Jesus said, "Someone touched me; I know that power has gone out from me." <sup>47</sup> Then the woman, seeing that she could not go unnoticed, came trembling and fell at his feet. In the presence of all the people, she told why she had touched him and how she had been instantly healed. <sup>48</sup> Then he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace." <sup>49</sup> While Jesus was still speaking, someone came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. "Your daughter is dead," he said. "Don't bother the teacher anymore." <sup>50</sup> Hearing this, Jesus said to Jairus, "Don't be afraid; just believe, and she will be healed."

The Gospel of the Risen Christ.  
*All praise to you, Christ our Lord!*

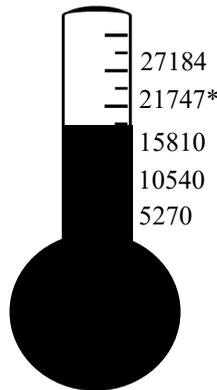
**REMEMBER IN PRAYER & with your cards, calls, visits**

<p><b><u>RECUPERATING AT HOME</u></b>  David Epley      Cal Harmon  Sarah Hoffman      Marjorie Reaves  Virginia Brown</p>	<p><b><u>ALSO PLEASE REMEMBER:</u></b>  Debbie Crotts      Rev. Earle Potts  Randy Steelmon      Vae Hamilton  Shea Maske</p>
<p><b><u>HOMEBOUND</u></b>  Martha Sigmon  Diane Loftin  Bobbie Whisenant  Paul &amp; Lula Towery  Wanda Sue Ammerman</p>	<p>*Michael Gantt (Charles &amp; Brenda Gantt's son)  *Cathleen Neaves (Marty Light's sister)  *Hilga Kopter (CJ Jorgensen's grandmother)  *Patrick Beadle (Zoe Falder's fiancé)</p>
<p><b><u>IN ASSISTED-LIVING FACILITIES</u></b></p>	
<p><b><u>ABERNETHY LAURELS</u></b>  Joan Williamson—Room 240  Joe Schell—Apt 205</p>	
<p><b><u>CV ASSISTED LIVING at Rock Barn</u></b>  Mary Crump—Room 114</p>	
<p><b><u>BAYVIEW NURSING (New Bern, NC)</u></b>  Jackie Kanipe—Room 28</p>	

Dear Church Family,

I want to write the best **THANK YOU** note I have ever written, but I feel unworthy to be in the same church with the kindest, most thoughtful people anywhere! The cards, calls, messages on social media, and the softest blanket I have ever received, actually make me feel guilty. So many people in our church are dealing with so much worse than I am. People who have gone through similar ordeals have so encouraged and advised me. I still have all of your cards, and I read them often, knowing that your prayers are truly working! I can't thank you enough, so I am praying and asking God to bless you all so much! Except for looking like a well done lobster and scratching like a hound, I am a very happy camper! I graduated last week! You have gotten me through this and I hope to see you all soon. If I could do a happy dance, I would, but I can't dance! I love you all.

- Most sincerely, Debbie Dickerson



<u>ATTENDANCE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE</u>						
	Lahu	10:30am	5:00pm	Total	SS	Envelope Giving
June 06	—	102	—	102	—	\$ 5,718.96
June 13	—	97	—	97	—	\$ 3,062.00
June 20	—	78	—	78	—	\$ 7,817.00
June 27						
<b>TOTALS</b>	—	277	—	277	—	\$ 16,597.96

Goal for a four week month is \$21,747\* and for a five week month is \$27,184.

## *This Week*

### SUNDAY, JUNE 27

#### **Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

9:30am—Sunday School (adults)  
 10:30am—Traditional & Lahu Worship  
 10:30am—Radio Broadcast (90.5FM—  
 in the parking lot)

### MONDAY, JUNE 28

9:00am—Helpers to ECCCM

### TUESDAY, JUNE 29

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30

6:30pm—Choir Practice

### THURSDAY, JULY 1

6:00pm—Sweet Adelines'

### FRIDAY, JULY 2

### SATURDAY, JULY 3

### SUNDAY, JULY 4—Independence Day **Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

9:30am—Sunday School (adults)  
 10:30am—Traditional & Lahu Worship  
 10:30am—Radio Broadcast (90.5FM—  
 in the parking lot)

### MONDAY, JULY 5

Preschool & Church Office **CLOSED**



**PLEASE JOIN US FOR A FREE HOT MEAL EVERY SATURDAY** from 11am-12pm at Supernatural Acts of God Worship Center (110 East 1st St—Newton, NC 28658). This is a new program sponsored by Faith Hope Love Hospitality Group. **(Community volunteers are needed to help serve on Saturdays.)** For more information, please contact Joe Bishop at (610) 906-4189 or Raymond Robinson at (704) 390-5544.

*And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

### OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

**Invitation**

Rev. Peggy Stout

**Ministry of Intercessory Prayer**

**Offertory**

**\*Doxology** *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”  
 Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
 Praise Him all creatures here below;  
 Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;  
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**\*Offertory Prayer**

*(Please be seated.)*

**HYMN**

*“Standing on the Promises of God”*

Chancel Choir

**\*BENEDICTION**

Rev. Peggy Stout

**\*CHORAL RESPONSE**

*“A Choral Benediction”*

Chancel Choir

**\*CHIMES**

**\*POSTLUDE**

Marty Light, Organist



**THE FLOWERS** on the altar today are given to the Glory of God and in Loving Honor of our Children and Grandchildren.

- Given by Ted & Becky Setzer

To the Dewey Houston Scholarship Committee and my church family, I cannot **THANK YOU** enough for the continued support through scholarships, prayers, and kind words. The Dewey Houston Scholarship has played a huge part in me being able to meet some of my biggest goals. I am extremely grateful to have been blessed in this way.  
 - With love and blessings, Jillian Helton

Trinity Church Family, We just wanted to say **THANK YOU** so much for your cards, prayers, phone calls, and contacts during the loss of Joyce and during my hospitalizations and kidney surgeries. They were all greatly appreciated.

- Rev. Earle Potts & Family