



Trinity United Church of Christ

July 10, 2022

10:00 a.m.

**In-Person Worship
FB Live Streaming**

“Caring Neighbors”

The Mission of Trinity United Church of Christ:
*We exist to Love people where they are and
encourage them to grow in their relationship
with Jesus Christ.*

WE GATHER

*This is a Safe and Loving Place, a “Sanctuary” for
worship, praise, and reflection; and to remember that ‘No
Matter Who You Are or Where You Are on Life’s Journey,
You are Welcome Here!*

Prelude: Instrumental Music Performed by Cammeron
Williams

Welcome

Opening Hymn: I Woke Up This Morning (NCH #85)

***Call to Worship** (based on Psalm 25) Sue Myers

One: Let us reach out with heart and soul to the Lord.

All: O Lord, our God, in you we place our trust.

One: Let us ask the Lord to lead us.

All: Help us O Lord to find the paths we should take.

One: Lead us in Your truth O God,

**All: And we shall rejoice in your love and goodness
forever! Amen!**

Opening Prayer (Unison)

Pastor Jessica

Caring Heavenly Neighbor God,

We know that you have made us,

to love you and to love our neighbors.

Still, we persist in living for ourselves,

ignoring the call of our neighbors

Or pretending they’re not the neighbors we’re called to
help,

You, O God, have found us in the ditch,

and you have picked us up and helped us.

In your mercy and wisdom, soften us

and help us, we pray, to love others as you have loved us;

especially those who are most in need,

yet whom we pass by each and every day.

Through Christ, Amen.

Passing of the Peace

Children’s Song: Love One Another

by Yancy and Little Praise Party

A Time for Discovery

WE PROCLAIM

First Reading: Colossians 1:15-28 Sue Myers

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37 Pastor Jessica

One: For the Word of God in Scripture
For the Word of God among us
For the Word of God within us

All: Thanks be to God

Sermon: Go and Do Likewise Pastor Jessica

Response to the Word: *The Apostle's Creed*

(Unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Special Music: If I Can Help Somebody
by Alma Bazel Androzzo

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Offertory: Please remember to send in your offering by mail, or give to our on-line giving button on the website (<https://www.trinityuccmanchester.org>).

***Doxology (Sung)**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayer of Dedication

The Lord's Prayer

Blessing of the Prayer Shawls

Announcements (Sue Myers)

Closing Hymn: There's a Wideness in God's Mercy
(NCH #23)

WE GO FORTH

***Carrying the Light into the World**

*** Benediction**

*** Postlude**

Instrumental music performed by Cammeron Williams

Worship Notes and Resources:

The music in our worship today is reproduced via our CCLI License number: 2809801

Leadership

Jessica Ashcroft-Townsley	Pastor
Cammeron Williams	Director of Music
Sue Myers	Lay Reader
Deb Persinger	Worship Committee
Sandy Sanders	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship at Trinity UCC for next week:

July 17, 2022 – 6th Sunday After Pentecost

Theme – Word and Work

Scripture: Colossians 1:15-28; Luke 10:38-42

Budget Information:

Amount needed from all sources each week to meet our budget: \$2,436.00.

Giving for last week: General: \$1,030.50

Attendance: 25

Building Fund/Fundraising: \$60.00

Please give in the various ways we offer for you to give your financial offerings to Trinity. We are lagging in our giving and hope that we can re-gain the generous level of giving we are accustomed to receiving.

Submission Dates for Bulletins/Newsletter

Sunday Worship bulletin – Wednesday

September Newsletters - Monday, August 22

Meeting Dates Zoom

Worship Committee – Tuesday, July 12 @ 6pm

Consistory – Wednesday, July 13 @ 7pm

PPR – Wednesday, July 20 @ 7pm

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Concern

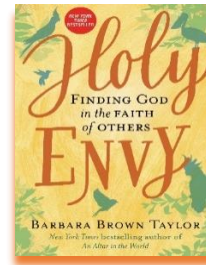
Prayers are needed for our country at this difficult time and all those in need

Trinity UCC Covid Protocol

- While masks are no longer required, we strongly recommend that you wear a mask while inside the building, particularly if you are unvaccinated or immunocompromised.

- You are welcome to sing in worship, however, we ask that family groups remain socially distanced from one another in order to limit exposure.

We appreciate everyone's understanding these last two years of pandemic and joyfully look forward to what's to come!



Church-Wide Read!

Our current book selection is *Holy Envy: Finding God in the Faith of Others* by Barbara Brown Taylor. In a world divided down religious and political divides, this book helps us explore how we might find commonality across lines of religious difference so that the distance between us and “the other” might not be so wide.

Please read the book this summer at your own pace.

We will meet in early September to discuss.

Please let Pastor Jessica know if you need help getting a copy of the book!



Get Involved in Worship

As COVID numbers continue to decline and we feel safer in worship, we are seeking more volunteers to serve in various roles.

If you are interested in serving as a **lay reader, media operator, greeter, usher, or helping with children's church**, please let Pastor Jessica know.

Even if you are unable to make it to worship in person, there are ways you can **serve as a reader from home**. Many hands make much lighter work for everyone!



Vacation Bible School 2022

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN. SPACE IS LIMITED

All Attendees, teen helpers or volunteers need to register. Register online through our website - www.trinityuccmanchester.org.

Paper registrations can be requested at trinityuccmanchester@comcast.net or trinitychristianeducation2727@gmail.com or calling the office 410-374-2727

(6-8:30 pm.) July 26, 27, 28 and finale with local Food Trucks on July 29.

Blowfish Poke' food truck and catering will be cooking up at 5 pm on Friday for great eats.

Vacation Bible School 2022 Missions:

Help our VBS kids fight food insecurity in two ways:

1. Penny Project – bring in your pennies and loose change
2. Feed My Sheep – bring in small cans of food

Containers For donations

Available in Narthex

Throughout the Month of July!



Join Trinity Youth Club

for a 5K walk/run at

Cape Horn Park

August 13 at 9am (rain date August 20).

Donate or raise \$25 to participate.

Here's the sign up link to register:

<https://runsignup.com/Race/IN/Indianapolis/GlobalMinistries>

and the TUCC Team name is "Nature Walkers TUCC".

Be sure to register as part of the team!

Funds raised will

support UCC Global Ministries' Creation Care Efforts around the world.

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