# The Chapel in the Pines

June 15, 2025

Serving our Community by Preaching, Teaching, and Living the Gospel of Jesus Christ

# **Trinity Sunday**



**Gathering Music** 

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

The Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

The Invocation and 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever...Amen.

### A Reading from the Old Testament

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago.

### \*The Call to Worship

#265 Father, I Adore You

- 1 Father I adore You, Lay my life before You, How I love You.
- **2** Jesus I adore You, Lay my life before You, How I love You.
- **3** Spirit I adore You, Lay my life before You, How I love You.

From the very whisper of creation, God poured forth love. **Praise be to God for the blessings of God's love.** 

Congregation singing...

Fa-ther, I a-dore you, lay my life be-fore you; how I love you.

In the fullness of time, God sent Jesus as a revelation of God's own self. **Praise be to Jesus for the many ways in which he revealed God to us.** 

Congregation singing...

Je-sus, I a-dore you, lay my life be-fore you, how I love you.

When we thought all hope was lost, God offered the Holy Spirit to heal and guide us. **Praise be to the Holy Spirit for guidance and inspiration!** 

Congregation singing...

Spi-rit, I a-dore you, lay my life be-fore you, how I love you.

For the loving dance of the Trinity, we sing praise!

Blessings, honor, power, and majesty to God forevermore! Amen

### \*A Litany for Trinity Sunday

Adapted from Psalm 8 and John 16

O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons, we behold in the splendor of creation your majesty and our responsibility.

O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons, we behold in the face of Jesus Christ your divinity and our humanity.

O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons, we behold in the Spirit of Truth your glory and our calling.

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! **Bound to you forever, we will ever praise your name!** 

### \*Hymn #262 Holy, Holy, Holy

- 1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee; Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!
- **2** Holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee, Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- **3** Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide Thee, Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see; Only Thou art holy there is none beside Thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love and purity.
- 4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
  All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;
  Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
  God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Amen.

### \*The Passing of the Peace

The grace and peace of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ be with you all...and also with you.

### The Passing of the Welcome Pads

### The Call to the Offering

#### The Offertory

### \*The Doxology

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.

#### \*The Prayer of Dedication

\*The Affirmation of Faith

Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

## \*Hymn #267 Come, Thou Almighty King

- 1 Come, Thou Almighty King, Help us Thy Name to sing, Help us to praise: Father! all-glorious, O'er all victorious, Come, and reign over us, Ancient of Days.
- 2 Come, Thou Incarnate Word, Gird on Thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend! Come, and Thy people bless, And give Thy Word success: Spirit of holiness, On us descend.
- 3 Come, Holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear In this glad hour! Thou, who almighty art, Now rule in ev'ry heart And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of pow'r.
- 4 To Thee, great One in Three, Eternal praises be, Hence evermore; Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see, And to eternity Love and adore.

Amen.

#### **Prayer of Illumination**

**A Reading from the Epistles** Colossians 1:15-20 *He is the image of the invisible God...* 

**The Choir's Anthem** Trinity; Three Choral Meditations Williams/Martin

- 1) Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me. Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me. Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me
- 2) Come, Spirit, come. We give our hearts to you. Come, Spirit, come. Fall fresh as morning dew. Come, Spirit, come. Come fill us with your love.
- 3) Breathe on me, breath of God. Fill me with life anew. That I may love what You dost love, and do what Thou wouldst do.

# A Reading from the Gospels All that the Father has is mine.

John 16:12-15

**Homily** Let's Start with Jesus

### The Prayers of the People

\*Hymn #268 God, Our Father, We Adore Thee (verses 1-3)

- 1 God, our Father, we adore Thee!
  We, Thy children, bless Thy Name!
  Chosen in the Christ before Thee,
  We are "holy, without blame."
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  Abba's praises we proclaim!
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  Abba's praises we proclaim!
- 2 Son Eternal, we adore Thee!
  Lamb upon the throne on high!
  Lamb of God, we bow before Thee,
  Thou hast brought Thy people nigh!
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  Son of God, who came to die!
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  Son of God, who came to die!
- 3 Holy Spirit, we adore Thee!
  Paraclete and heav'nly guest!
  Sent from God and from the Savior,
  Thou hast led us into rest.
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  By Thy grace forever blest;
  We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
  By Thy grace forever blest!

### \*The Charge and Benediction

\*Hymn #268 God, Our Father, We Adore Thee (verse 4)

4 Father, Son and Holy Spirit Three in One! we give Thee praise!
For the riches we inherit,
Heart and voice to Thee we raise!
We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
Thee we bless thro' endless days!
We adore Thee! we adore Thee!
Thee we bless thro' endless days!

Amen.

#### \*The Postlude



## **Prayers for Chapel Friends:**



Patty and Jack Madden, Judy Karp, Phil Westerman, Nancy Cecchini, Phyllis Mahin, Gerry Crow, Roger Racster, Walter Hundley, Janet Hegeman, Jean Schmidt, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Dick Barry, Jackie White, Noah Presley, Tom Early, Cindy Hess, Lyn Garbarino, Jim Robinson, Carol Dunn, Mary Faas, Dapte Jay Kirit, Dwight and Faye Jessup, Baby Kendrick Goins, George Restrepo, Cathy Pope, Maggie Craft, Rev. Harry

Bronkar, Norma McKeithan, Charlie and Margo Talkowski, Ann Grunke, Jose Shavek, Amy Klein, Adrian Cimek, Sally Conlon, Andy Mark, Sidney Ruffin, Cindy Dabestani, Richard Von Schilichten, Elizabeth Comfort, Linda Stow, Sue LaPoint, David Tourt, Johnathan McCaskill, Joel Lawrence, Mary Farley, Pete and Magda Sonderfan, Denise Taylor, Curtis Holt and Bruch Watts.

### **Prayers for Chapel Family:**

Rev. Charles Hinson, Bud Holzerland, Dave Westerman, Butch & Mary Kay Allen, Mary Tuft, Phil Thingstad, Mama Dot, Mary Willetts, Bob & Joan Tourt, Lee Connelly, Kathy Steele, Peggy Olson, Sue Van Horne, Jimmy McCaskill, Bart and Peggy Reuter, Jane and Jeff Lowe, Paul Infuso, Glenda and Joe Clendenin, Jon Tichenor, Shirley Percival, Ralph Olsen, Pat & Chas Griffin, Winnie Fischer, Jean Lawrence, and Jane Geanes.

# June Announcements

# Looking Ahead!

	Hanny Eather's Dayl	
Sunday-15	9:00 am	Trinity Sunday



Wednesday—18 Thursday—19	4:30 pm 5:00 pm	Chapel Choir The Gathering	
Sunday-22	9:00 am	The Second Sunday after Pentecost	
Blueberry Sunday!			
Wednesday-25	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir	
Thursday—26	3:30 pm	The Vernell Otter Class	
Sunday-29	9:00 am	The Third Sunday after Pentecost	
Wednesday-2	2:30 pm	Fran's Friends	
Wednesday-2	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir	
Thursday—3	1:30 pm	Board Planning Meeting	
Thursday—3	3:30 pm	The Vernell Otter Class	
Sunday-6	9:00 am	The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	

<u>Coffee Fellowship</u>

<u>Altar Flowers</u> June

June6-15 The Normans & Katy Swain6-22 Blueberry Sunday

Volunteer Needed

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**6-29** Jon & Dorene Tichenor



Sunday, 6-15 Thursday, 6-20 Sunday, 6-22 Nel Laton Karl Stark Phillip Thingstad



Tuesday, 6-17
Jon & Dorene Tichenor
Wednesday, 6-18
John & Carol Caggiano



Seven Lakes Chapel in the Pines Congregational Family:

This letter is to inform you that the Board of Directors is calling for a special called Congregational Meeting on Sunday, June 22nd, 2025, immediately following the morning worship service. This meeting is for a mid-year update and for approval of changes to the By-Laws which have been approved by the Board of Directors.

A copy of the **By-Laws** with changes recommended by the Board of Directors will be sent prior to the meeting on June 22nd. Please review the proposed changes and should you have any questions, please direct your questions in an email to George Norman, Board President (**genorman3@gmail.com**).

The Bi-Laws for the Seven Lakes Chapel in the Pines state that members automatically have voting privileges. If a member is unable to attend the meeting, they may grant a proxy in writing to another member who will then be able to vote on their behalf.

Friends of the Seven Lakes Chapel in the Pines, those who worship or serve God through the ministries of this church are automatically granted voting privileges if they request it in writing before the start of the annual congregational meeting. Requests for voting privileges may be submitted to the Board President George Norman (genorman3@gmail.com) or the Chapel Administrator (citp10@7lakeschapel.com)

The Board of Directors sincerely gives thanks to each of you for your support and covet your prayers as we make decisions for the direction of our church seeking God's will in all we do.

Sincerely,

George Norman, President Board of Directors



# **Blueberry Sunday** June 22, 2025

# Blueberries are IN Season! Let's Celebrate!

Please bring your favorite Blueberry Desert for sharing during our Coffee Fellowship as we celebrate all that this season has to offer.

# Back Pack Pals & Matthew 25:40 **Help Stop Summer Hunger**

-We Need Your Help-

Kids are Out of School and the Need is Greater than Ever.

During the summer, this program converts to Stop Summer Hunger due to the complexities of being able to deliver food to all of the kids in need. With the Stop Summer Hunger program, all of the donations are given to The Boys and Girls Club and the various Youth Church Camps throughout Moore County for delivery to kids in need.

### Matthew 25:40

**Capri Sun Juices, any flavor** 

Pop Tarts, any flavor

**Chef Boyardee Micro Cups,** in yellow and red

**Small Water Bottles** 

**Protein Bars, all flavors** 

# **Back Pack Pals**

Juice Boxes, any flavor

Pop Tarts, any flavor

**Peanut Butter/Cheese Crackers** 

