

THE PIPER

SEPTEMBER 6, 2025-SEPTEMBER 14, 2025



Trinity Lutheran Church

2221 North Oak Lane

State College, PA 16803

814-238-2024 www.trinitystatecollege.org



PRAYER LIST

TLC Disciples

Neil Kimerer, Gerry Krupa, Cory Bird, Rick Whitmer, Zachary Smith, Carol Brooks, Donna Weller, Jim Cowan, Alicia Musheno, John Owens, Carol Smith, Linda Leslie.

TLC Friends

Barbara, Bob Dvorsky, Raye Hecker, Sally, Patrick Moseley, Rita Shetler, Debbie, and Dave.

The Altar Flowers are sponsored by
John and Peggy McCabe,



In Honor of their
Children and Grandchildren.

Readings

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Psalm 1

Philemon 1-21

Luke 14:25-33

CHURCH COUNCIL NEWS

Church Council Installation will be

September 6th/7th

Brian Lewis-President

Ken Healy- Vice President

Mary Lou Kiel-Secretary

Aaron Hunt-Property

Tricia Hunt-Christian Education

Beth Robbins

Allison Wolff

Rick Whitmer

Dennis Zerbe

We will resume regular church
services **Sunday September 6th.**

**Outdoor Saturday Services will
continue through the end of
September**

Please let the church office, 814-
238-2024, know if you would
like to be a Deacon, Lector,
Counting Team or serve/share
your gifts in some other way to
help Trinity Lutheran

TRINITY EVENTS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

10:00 AM ZUMBA

5:00 PM OUTDOOR WORSHIP W/
COMMUNION

CHURCH COUNCIL INSTALLATION

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

CHURCH COUNCIL INSTALLATION

8:15AM WORSHIP W/COMMUNION

10:00AM WORSHIP W/ COMMUNION

1:30 PM PASTOR AT FOXDALE

6PM Cadet Girl Scouts #375 Mtg

6:30 Toddy Baney Survivor's Group

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY @FOXDALE

6:00PM TROOP #375 MEETING

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

11:30AM NITTANY CONFERENCE

5:00 BROWNIE TROOP MTG

5:30WHEELMEN/WOMEN GROUP

5:45PM ZUMBA

7:00PM CHOIR REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

1:00PM (UPMC) VOLUNTEER MEETING

6:00 DINNER

6:40 THE CHOSEN S5E1

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

5:45 PM ZUMBA

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

10:00AM ZUMBA

5:00 PM WORSHIP W/COMMUNION

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:15AM WORSHIP W/COMMUNION

10:00AM WORSHIP W/ COMMUNION

4PM CADET GIRL SCOUTS #375 MTG



Choir Rehearsals begins **Tuesday, September 9th at 7:00**

All are welcomed to join and have a musical evening of fun!

Children's Church will be starting **Sunday September 7th the 10:00 AM Service** Open to children up through 5th grade. Children's Church occurs during regular worship during the sermon. We usually do a small Bible lesson, do a craft, and have a small snack.

Children's Church

This Fall, we will be continuing our journey through the stories of the Old Testament. We will continue with the story of Moses leading the Israelites to safety from Egypt. We'll start by revisiting the 10 Commandments, and then continue on into The Promised Land!

We will once again begin in fellowship watching

The Chosen

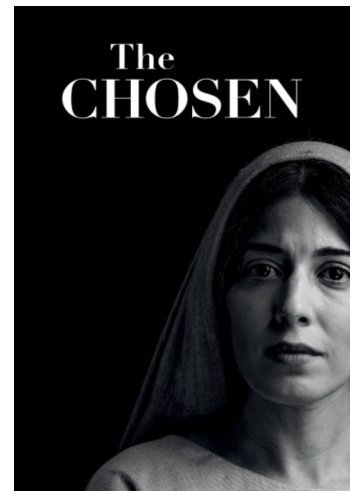
Wednesday September 10th, Series 5, Episode 1.

6:00PM Dinner

6:40 PM-The Chosen

Pot Roast, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Steamed Broccoli, Peas & Carrots,
Salad and Dessert

ALL ARE WELCOME!!



DEEPER WATERS RESUMES



This course of study is for students in Middle School who would like to make a Public Affirmation of their Baptism (Confirmation). Normally, this is a 3-year journey. We meet on Sundays, right after worship, around 11am for about an hour. This Fall, the focus will be on the New Testament of the Bible. If you are interested in attending, contact Pastor Ron, TLCRevRon@comcast.net.



Bridge of Hope is a local ministry that supports single moms experiencing homelessness or housing insecurity. Bridge of Hope provides rental assistance and case management for up to 18 months. It's a long term program, which sets the families up for success!

A unique part of Bridge of Hope's model is that each of the participating families is paired with a group of neighboring volunteers from a local church. The neighboring volunteers help in practical ways - childcare, transportation, meals, etc. Many of the moms connected to Bridge of Hope are very isolated, so neighboring volunteers provide relational connections. Neighboring volunteers are welcome to talk about faith, invite the families to church, etc.

Bridge of Hope has two new moms coming into the ministry and we're looking for neighboring volunteers -- both of them are leaving domestic violence situations and are determined to be successful. We'd love to have people rally around them!

**If interested, please contact
Kendra Gettig
814-238-0822 x20**

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Fall Alpha 2025 Announcement

We invite members of your church to join us at Good Shepherd Parish as we are once again host the Alpha program. Alpha is scheduled on Thursdays from 6:00pm - 8:00pm from September 11 through November 20. There is also a special Saturday session from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm on Saturday October 25 (a non-football weekend).

Alpha provides the opportunity to make new friends and enhance your Christian faith over dinner, a video presentation and sharing in small groups. Alpha 2025 we are reaching out to the larger Christian community in the Centre region.

Please sign up at <https://forms.gle/TsDkRkVzUYq4yPyy6> or scan below:



For more information about Alpha go to: <https://alphausa.org/> Please sign up by September 27, 2025.

Click on the link below to hear testimonials about individual Alpha experiences.

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL71QMgaw63eNmf7l98gX0gb_c0nMyHVoU

Please seriously consider experiencing Alpha and the enhancement of your Christian beliefs.

We'll see you at Alpha this fall!



Interfaith Human Services

*Strengthening Families
Through Financial Stability*

HELP TO SUPPORT the much-needed programs if Interfaith Human Services.

- **On September 13th and 14th raffle tickets will be available to purchase before and after services.**
- **Tickets are \$20 each**
- **Prizes include \$500, \$250, \$100 or a Mystery Money Tree.**

Did you know...?

Interfaith Human Services (IHS) was formed church leaders who recognized the need for a central organization where they could refer individuals who routinely came to them for financial assistance. IHS programs aid individuals and families to achieve financial stability. Programs include:

- **The Financial Care Program** assists individuals who are deemed unable to manage their money due to mental health or intellectual disabilities. Case managers handle clients' funds to ensure their basic needs are met and bills are paid on time.
- **The Emergency Vehicle Repair Program** helps to keep our working low-income neighbors on the job. Assistance through this program means that an unexpected car repair cost doesn't mean losing their job.
- **The Centre County Fuel Bank Program** works to help individuals and families to avoid heating emergencies. The program operates from January 1–March 31, assisting with heating oil, wood, propane, coal, and wood, to eligible residents.
- **The Free Furniture and Appliance Recycling Program** provides gently used household furniture, beds, and large electrical appliances at no cost to eligible individuals and families in Centre County. Offsetting the cost of furnishings and large appliances helps households stretch their income to cover other necessities.

Volunteers and staff at IHS also assist people to find other programs and services that help to meet their needs. Help is only a phone call away!

Questions... contact Sue Forster at fsue58521@gmail.com or 814-876-2029



Regular Church Office hours are in full swing.

They are Monday-Thursday 7:30AM-11:30AM.

I'd like to update the website with fresh new pictures, If you have any pictures you'd like to share on the website feel free to send them to the church office, at tlcoffice2@comcast.net.

We are looking to a grant their wish for:

Out of the Cold's Wish List**

Items may be dropped off here at the church in the designated box until September 6th.



Their Shelter Wish List includes:

Food & Kitchen Essentials

Ground Coffee (regular and decaf)
Coffee Filters (standard basket style)
Sugar (bags or Packets)

Disinfecting Products

Clorox or Lysol disinfectant wipes
Lysol disinfectant spray
Clorox Clean-Up Spray (with bleach)
Bleach (gallon jugs)
Bathroom Cleaning
Toilet bowl Cleaner (Lyson, Clorox)
Toilet brushes
Mildew and mold remover spray
Bathroom scrubbing sponges

Toiletries (New and Unopened Only)

Toothpaste & soft-bristle toothbrushes
Shampoo & conditioner
Body wash or bar soap
Deodorant
Feminine hygiene products (pads preferred)
Razors and shaving cream
Lotion (travel size or full-size)
Chapstick/ Lip balm
Hairbrushes and combs

Laundry & Trash

Liquid laundry detergent or pods (unscented
for sensitive skin if possible)
Dryer Sheets
13-Gallon trash bags (kitchen size)
30+ gallon heavy duty trash bags

** A full detailed wish list can be found at info@outofthecoldcc.org



Trinity Lutheran Church received several letters of thanks for our 2025 Yard Sale Event, from

Park Forest Preschool
Interfaith Human Services
State College Food Bank
American Rescue Workers

Take the time to read their appreciative words of thanks posted on the bulletin board.



- children's activities •
- arts & crafts vendors •
- food & beverages •

5th Annual LATIN FESTIVAL

Happy Valley

**SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2025
11AM-5PM
FREE EVENT**

**MLK PLAZA
127 S FRASER ST.
STATE COLLEGE, PA**

For more information, visit:
happyvalleylatinfestival.org

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 Happy Valley Latin Festival



- live music •
- service exhibitors •
- dance performances •
- and much more!

Help a child start strong

Make a child's day joyful,
nourishing, and full of promise



\$60

2 days of nutritious
breakfasts & lunches
for all children



\$150

an hour of dynamic
teaching across
all three classrooms



\$600

one month of light and
warmth in our
cozy classrooms



\$6000

one year of tuition
per student



**100% of your gift helps fund
our children's
daily experiences**

Park Forest Preschool is a
state-licensed, non-profit preschool
serving
Centre County low-income families.

Ways to donate:

securely online:
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scan the
QR code



OR

send your check to:
**Park Forest Preschool
1833 Park Forest Ave
State College PA 16803**
Please put "FALL APPEAL"
on memo line

Thinking about a legacy/estate gift? Please contact JoAnn Vautour at 814-880-9322 or jorayv@gmail.com