



### Attention Trinity Artists

Start gathering your artwork for exhibit in the gallery during the summer. If you have work you would like to include in the Trinity Exhibit, **please send an e-mail today** to [gallery-cafe@trinityspringfield.org](mailto:gallery-cafe@trinityspringfield.org). Thank you.

### It's GO TIME! The Pastor's Attic Tag Sale is in Just 6 Days!

We're getting ready for another amazing event, and donations are being accepted in Asbury Hall:

**Drop-off times: Today, June 1 after church 12:00-2:00 PM**

**Monday–Wednesday, June 2-4 9:00 AM–2:00 PM - Other times by appointment**

We're also still looking for **volunteers** to help with:

▪ **Set-up Friday, June 6**

▪ **Helping out on the day of the sale, Saturday, June 7**

If you're able to volunteer, please let us know as soon as possible at

[pastorsattic@trinityspringfield.org](mailto:pastorsattic@trinityspringfield.org). Thank you for your continued generosity and service!

▪ **Bakers needed!** If you love to bake, we'd love to include your treats in our **Bake Sale**—these goodies are always a huge hit with the crowd! Let's make this a successful and fun event for everyone!



### Trinity Book Club - New Day and Time - Same Great Book Discussions

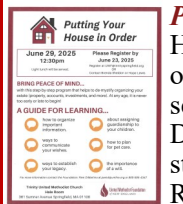
We are changing the book club meetings to the first Thursday of the month at 2:30. All meetings will be held at Arlene M's home. The next meeting and book selected is **Thursday, June 5 @ 2:30 p.m.**

"One of Windsor" led by Dawn Whitney - an historical novel about the first witch hanging in Windsor Connecticut.



### 14th Annual TUMMS Golf Tournament

**SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, June 14, 2025.** More information to come. For questions please contact: Scott Woodward or Nate Olin.



### Putting Your House in Order

Have you wondered how to organize your estate and final wishes to lessen the burden on your loved ones when “your time” comes? You are invited to attend a short seminar **Putting Your House in Order on June 29 at 12:30 in the Hale Room**. Pam DiMartino, CFO of the United Methodist Foundation, will guide us through a step-by-step process and provide each attendee with a personal binder. For questions or to RSVP by June 23, please email [UWF@trinityspringfield.org](mailto:UWF@trinityspringfield.org).



### VBS Opportunity, June 25-27 and June 30, July 1 from 6-8 p.m.

This year we're trying something new and experimental with the hopes of forming an on-going partnership that could grow into a vibrant VBS ministry! We are partnering with our neighboring congregation, East Longmeadow UMC, for an evening VBS program. If you have kids in your life who would like to

participate, [you can register them here](#). If you are interested in volunteering for one or more of the nights, reach out to Rob at [directorfinandc@trinityspringfield.org](mailto:directorfinandc@trinityspringfield.org).



### Order A Name Tag Today at the Connection Point in Asbury Hall After Worship

We are asking all who are able to order a magnetic name tag at the Connection Point during coffee hour, in an effort to get to know new members, etc. The name tags are \$8.00 and have a magnet. They can be left in the sanctuary or the Connection Point.



## 7th Sunday of Easter - Ascension Sunday and Confirmation Liturgy for the Sacrament of Holy Communion

### The Great Thanksgiving

**L:** The Lord be with you all.

**P:** And also with you.

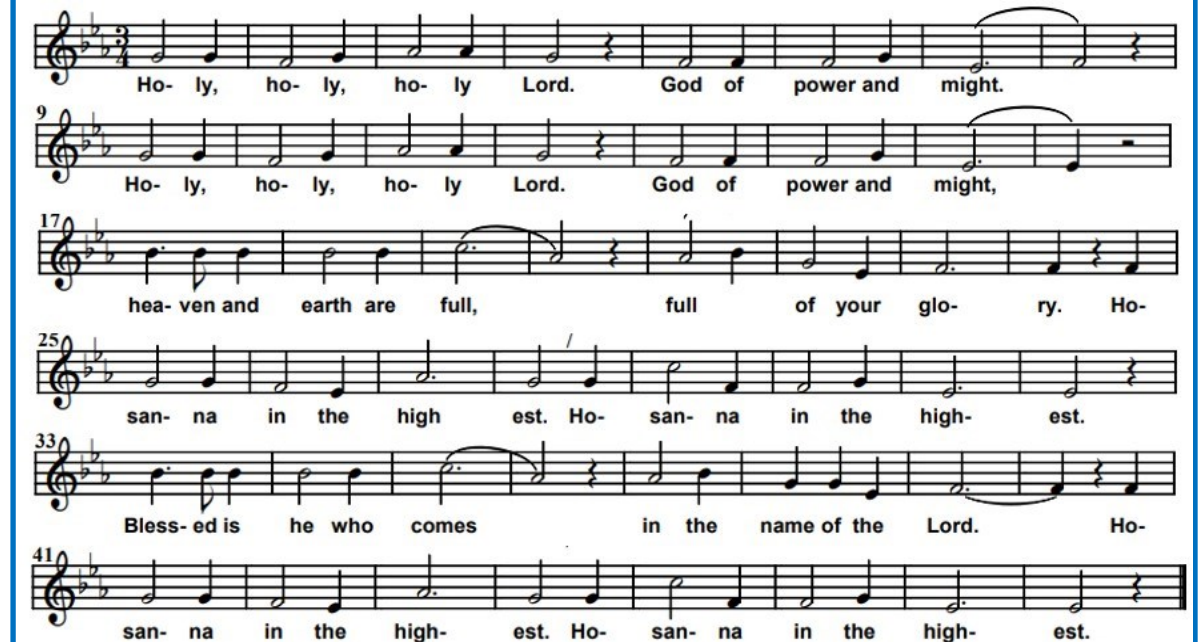
**L:** Lift up your hearts.

**P:** We lift them up to the Lord.

**L:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**P:** It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through your prophets, who looked for that day when justice shall roll down like waters and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream, when nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Communion Sanctus: "Holy, Holy" by Schubert

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Liturgy for the Sacrament of Holy Communion (continued)

L: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. Your Spirit anointed him to preach good news to the poor, to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, and to announce that the time had come when you would save your people. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and ate with sinners. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit. At his ascension you exalted him to sit and reign with you at your right hand.

L: On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

L: When the supper was over he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

L: And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

P: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

L: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

L: By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and for ever .

All: Amen!

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Welcome to Worship - 7th Sunday of Easter, Ascension, Confirmation & Communion

We are glad that you are here! If you have any questions, ask one of the ushers at the rear entrance of the sanctuary. Large-print Bibles, hymnals, & hearing devices are available from an usher.

NEW TO TRINITY CHURCH?

We would love to reach out to you! Scan the QR code with your phone's camera app and a staff member will contact you. Welcome!



SUNDAY MORNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN

The Children's Table offers coloring pages and other materials to help children feel welcome and comfortable in church. The table is located in the rear of the sanctuary. Please return supplies.

Trinity's Nursery & Child Care for children birth-4 yrs. is open during the worship service.

Trinity now has a dedicated staff member responsible for providing a safe and engaging atmosphere for children during services. Cody Minahan has worked in the education field for over 10 years with experience ranging from preschool all the way up to high school! We also have a weekly volunteer. An usher can direct you.

Trinity's Christian Education Classes for K - Grade 12.

LIGHT@9 is over for the program year. It will resume on the third Sunday of September. The classes normally run from mid-September – mid-May. LIGHT@9-Children is for Kindergarten through grade 5. LIGHT@9-Youth is for gr. 6-12. We will see you back in class in September.

Chapel Kids is a worship service designed for children Ages 5–13 yrs.

Chapel Kids is over for the program year. Chapel Kids is offered on Sundays mid-September - mid-May, except Communion Sunday, which is on the first Sunday of every month.

For more information about the Dance Movement Choir, email the director; Amelia Hays-Rivest: [amelia@dramastudio.org](mailto:amelia@dramastudio.org). For the Children's programs please email the Director of Family Ministries & Connections, Rob Powell at [directorfinandc@trinityspringfield.org](mailto:directorfinandc@trinityspringfield.org).

This church is committed to providing a safe place for our children & youth.

Our Safe Sanctuaries Policy requires that parents (or an adult they have designated) bring & pick-up their children 5<sup>th</sup> gr. & under from church-sponsored programs. Please escort your child to/from the restrooms during worship. Thank you.



Wi-Fi Guest network password: TrinityGuest7476!

Want to learn more? Scan the QR code with your smart phone.

Attendance for Sunday, May 25, 2025: Adults 118, Children 7 = Total 125

-Thank you for your generosity, and for supporting the many missions of Trinity!