



Trinity
Presbyterian
Church

"Serving God in the Heart of the City"

Sunday, September 13, 2026

10:20 am

Rally Sunday

Service for the Lord's Day

Gathered in God's Name

GATHERING "Shout to the North/ Rise Up, O Church of God"

"Let Us Build a House (All Are Welcome)"

"We Belong to God"

"The Church's One Foundation"

Fettke

Hayes

Carter

Larson

CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER

Praise the Lord.

Let us praise the name of the Lord together.

For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is God's steadfast love.

**As far as the east is from the west, so far God removes our
transgressions from us.**

So let us rejoice in God's presence!

Let us praise the name of the Lord together.

Holy and loving One, God of might and mercy, the heavens and the earth are full of your glory. Your love transforms our lives. You take darkness and give light. You take grief and give healing. You take fatigue and give strength. You take fear and give courage. You take death and give new life. So we come before you in worship, handing over to you all that weighs us down, waiting for your refreshing gifts. Renew us in this time of worship, we pray, so that we may serve you in Jesus' name.

Amen.

***PRAYERFUL PRAISE**

HYMN #267 "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Unison

O God, we confess that our lives do not always reflect your transforming power. You are gracious, but we cling to judgment. You are kind, but we can be cruel. You are forgiving, but we nurse grudges and old wounds. You are filled with joy, but too often we are filled with dissatisfaction and complaints. Forgive us, O God, and fill us with your Holy Spirit, that our feet may walk your path of love and service.

(Time for silent prayer and reflection)

***ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**

***RESPONSE #447**

“We Are Forgiven”

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.

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WELCOME, GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hearing God's Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING **Isaiah 45: 20-23** (Pew Bible, OT, Pg. 675)

ANTHEM “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken” Haydn
The Trinity Choir

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE / RALLY DAY PRESENTATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING **Romans 14: 1-12** (Pew Bible, NT, Pg. 163)

SERMON “Accountability” Dr. Mack Sigmon

***HYMN #301** “Let Us Build a House” *verses 1, 3, 4, & 5*

The choir will sing verse 1 by itself, then the congregation is invited to join in repeating verse 1, followed by verses 3, 4, & 5

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** *The Apostles' Creed* *Unison*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.
Amen.

PRAYER CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Giving Thanks to God

INVITATION TO MISSION

OFFERTORY “Este es el Dia (This is the day that the Lord has made)” Garrett
 “Soki mopepe mabe (Lingala Praise Song)” Emmanuel Ngoma
 Mao Oriola, soloist
 See translation on the back of the bulletin

***DOXOLOGY #607** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 praise Christ, all people, here below;
 praise Holy Spirit evermore;
 praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.*

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Sent Into God's World

***HYMN #305** “Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

*LORD'S PRAYER AND BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Arise Your Light Is Come" Duck

SENDING MUSIC "Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!" Innes

*Special thanks to Bonnie Stull (Lay Reader), The Trinity Choir (Anthem)
and Mao Oriola (Offertory) for helping with today's service.*

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Translation of "Soki mopepe mabe"

*When life storms come,
I will look only to You.
Jesus, Your Name I will hold onto.
Through faith I am victorious;
in Your Name Christ the King.*

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KEEPING IN PRAYER

Prayer Concerns: Rick Acosta (brother of Ron Acosta), Ron Acosta, Tom Coyle, Joan Kingan, Rosalie Goll, Latre Lawson's sister Sylvia Lawson in Togo, Dr. Harriet Marsh, Janet Munson, Marilyn Nichols, Tom Roof, Colleen Shannon, Randi Windsor

Prayer Focus: Heavenly Father, we come before you with heavy and hurting hearts. We see the pain, the anger, and the senseless violence that touches our streets and our world. Lord, we pray for comfort for those who mourn the loss of loved ones taken far too soon. Wrap your loving arms around the brokenhearted and give them a peace that passes all understanding. Banish the hatred and hostility that lead to tragic loss. Replace bitterness and anger with love, kindness, and the wisdom to seek healing. Empower us to be instruments of your peace and bring an end to violence

TODAY AT TRINITY

In Person Worship continues at 10:20 am. Online worship is available on our website trinitytucson.org/watch-live.

Fellowship Hall is open at 9:00 am. Come in before and after the service to visit.

Casa Maria Sandwich Making after worship in Fellowship Hall. Please stay and help with this important monthly mission project.

Library News Our theme for September is "God's Gift of Humor". Books will be on the credenza in Fellowship Hall. Instructions for checking out books and the "check out" card basket will be on the credenza in Fellowship Hall. When returning books, please leave them in the Book Return basket in the library. The library is also open before and after the worship service.

Youth Classes

God's Trailblazers preschool - 4th grade have Sunday School downstairs in **Rooms 6 and 8** following the children's message. We will start off watching a Veggie Tales video, then talk about what we learned, read the story from Scripture and do an activity.

Crusader's & Faith Encounters youth 5th grade and older are invited to pick up an activity packet and WORSHIP BAGS, and sit with their families during worship. Look for the Children in Worship display in the narthex.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hearing the Worship Service A T-coil hearing loop is installed in the front half of the sanctuary and choir loft. Turn on the T-coil input in your hearing aid to pick up the sound system audio directly. There are headphones available at the Narthex desk too.

Game Days Tuesdays 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall (Ryan's Bears day in the Library)

The Trinity Ringers rehearsals **Thursdays at 5:30 pm** in the Bell Room.

The Trinity Choir rehearsals **Thursdays at 7:00 pm** in the Sanctuary.

Trinity Presbyterian Women Ryan's Bears Tuesday, September 15 at 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall. Come help stuff and cut out more bears.

Just Coffee For Sale in Fellowship Hall before and after church each Sunday. The display is near the stained glass window. **Prices increased to \$15/bag & there is no decaf available.** You may pay cash or check & the proceeds benefit Café Justo.

Food Pantry Numbers In August 527 people in 199 families received 257 temporary emergency food boxes, 237 people in 104 of those families came for another visit (a pantry visit). There were 381 walk-ins averaging 47/day.

UPCOMING EVENTS

What's Happening in September:

- ◆ Game Day Tuesdays - 9:30 am Fellowship Hall (September 15 - Library)
- ◆ Trinity Ringers Thursdays - 5:30 pm upstairs Bell Room
- ◆ Trinity Choir Thursdays - 7:00 pm Sanctuary
- ◆ Casa Maria Sandwich Making Today - 11:45 am Fellowship Hall
- ◆ TPW Ryan's Bears Tuesday, September 15 9:30 am Fellowship Hall
- ◆ Baby Shower for Cameron & Kyra Sunday, September 20 - 11:45 am Fellowship Hall
- ◆ Birthday & Anniversary Party Sunday, September 27 - 11:45 am Fellowship Hall
- ◆ Committee & Session Meetings
 - ◆ Stewardship & Finance Monday, September 14 - 1:30 pm Library
 - ◆ Admin & Personnel Monday, September 14 - 5:00 pm Online
 - ◆ Deacons Monday, September 14 - 6:00 pm Library
 - ◆ Session Tuesday, September 15 - 6:00 pm Online
 - ◆ Christian Education Tuesday, September 22 - 6:00 pm Online

Baby Shower Baby Shower Baby Shower

Join us **Sunday, September 20** after worship as we celebrate the upcoming arrival of a new Toering. The Deacons are hosting a shower for Cameron & Kyra and would like you to come. Please use the links below that Cameron & Kyra provided for their registries if you want to bring a gift.

<https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/kyraandcameron-toering-october-2026-phoenix/2NIV2UHBWHCA8>

<https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift-giver?registryId=7786ebe0-74f0-11f1-9d0d-318cef893aa4&ctype=BABY>

Can You Help Us With Snack Bag & Hygiene Pack Donations?

Snack bag items are often purchased using the Mission budget and your donations of the following items would keep us from needing to do that. Donations of tuna kits, Vienna sausages, peanut butter crackers, Welch's fruit snacks and fruit cups help create healthy snack bags and these items can be purchased at Costco, Sam's Club and your favorite stores. Cases or pallets of water are also a great help and are always needed.

Hygiene kit items are purchased with the Mission budget too. We need donations of lip balm, bandanas, toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap bars, toilet paper, razors, wipes, deodorant, combs and lotions. Many of these items can be purchased online or at the dollar stores locally.

When you make your purchases and there is a delivery option available, that is a great way to get those items to the church. Please select times that align with the office hours Monday - Thursday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm and Sunday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Thanks again for your help "Serving God in the Heart of the City" and for your donations, it is greatly appreciated by everyone.

