

Fairview

United Methodist Church



May 31, 2026

Trinity Sunday

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11:00 a.m.

*Please rise as you are able or in your hearts.

**Let us take this time to quiet our hearts and minds and prepare for
worship.

****PRELUDE** Alleluia Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

WELCOME AND WORDS OF COMMUNITY

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: In the beginning . . .

**People: God created mortals, and asked us to care
for all creation.**

Leader: In the fullness of time, God sent Jesus . . .

People: Jesus showed us how to love as God loves.

Leader: In our time, and throughout eternity . . .

**People: Jesus commands us to lead others
to follow in the name of the Creator,
the Christ, and the Holy Spirit.**

ALL: Amen.

CHORAL RESPONSE

***GATHERING HYMN** Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty UMH # 64

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** A Trinitarian Creed

**We believe in one God, who gave birth to the cosmos and to us,
creating, out of nothing but God's own will, a world of rocks, plants and
human longing; whose eyes will not fail to cry for it all. We believe in
one God, who redeems the waste of all things good, weaving, from the
griefs of our freedom, new and un hoped-for things; whose mercy will
not fail to heal it all. We believe in one God, who lives among all people
in all places, calling us from our despair and sleep to live out Easter in
our generation; whose love will not fail to hold us all. Amen.**

***GLORIA PATRI** Glory Be to the Father UMH # 70

CHOIR ANTHEM Bwana Asifiwe (Praise the Lord) (Mark Burrows)

***SHARING OF THE PEACE**

PRAYER CHORUS

Sweet, Sweet Spirit

UMH # 334

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ALL: Creator of us all, when we look to the heavens and bask in the light of the sun and the moon and the stars, we feel small. Still, you call us to care for one another and all that your creativity set in motion. We yearn to hear the rush of your Spirit sweeping over the depths of our lives, guiding us and breathing into us vitality to answer your call to be disciples and to welcome others to faith in you. Meet us in your many forms. We yearn to respond with love. Amen.

PRAYERS OF PETITION

After each petition, we enter into the prayer together with these words:

Pastor: Lord in Your mercy,

People: Hear our Prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

***HYMN OF PROCLAMATION**

Father, I Adore You

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***SCRIPTURE READING**

II Corinthians 13:11-13

SERMON

The Trinity is Not a Puzzle-It's a Relationship

Rev. E. Neil Gaiser, OSL

OFFERTORY

Holy Father, We Praise Thy Name

Anonymous, 1774

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH # 94

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

***SENDING HYMN**

Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

UMH # 671

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Come, Join the Dance of Trinity arr. Michael Burkhardt

ACTIVITIES – June 1 – June 7

Monday, June 1

Pantry – 9 A.M.

Wednesday, June 3

Pantry 6 P.M.

Friday, June 5

Pantry 9 A.M.

Sunday, June 7

Adult Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

Worship Service 11 A.M.

Kids' Bible Class 11 A.M.



Church Staff

Pastor

Rev. E. Neil Gaiser, OSL

Administrative Assistant

Carol McDougale

Director of Music

Michelle Forshaw

Treasurer

Fred Poland

Audio Visual Technician

Roger Christian

Church Custodian

Vance Garner

Kids' Bible Class

Attendant

Oscar Ndayisaba

TODAY'S SERVANT LEADERS

Worship Leader

Cecelia Long

Guest Organist

Priscilla Acuff

Greeter

Dave Puderbaugh

Trustee

Jan Mains

Kids' Bible Class Teacher

Susie Kurtz

VAN DRIVER FOR JUNE 7

Van Request: John -- 937- 277-6387

To ride the van, you must make your request the day before or you will not be picked up!

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

- [Genesis 12:1-9](#)
- [Psalms 33:1-12](#)
- [Romans 4:13-25](#)
- [Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26](#)

PRAYER MINISTRY

Prayer ministry after worship each Sunday. For those who have special prayer requests, please see someone from the Prayer Ministry in the Narthex.

BIRTHDAY CARDS FOR JUNE BARR

June Barr will be 104 on June 13. Please send cards immediately and help celebrate her special day:

Address: June Barr
Westerwood
5675 Ponderosa Dr.
Columbus, OH 43231

FAIRVIEW UM CHURCH - QUESTIONNAIRE DUE TODAY

Please remember to complete and return the printed questionnaire to Fred Poland or Sherri Sutter **today**.

ONLINE QUESTIONNAIRE:

You may use the link on the church website under the bulletin tab to access and submit the questionnaire: [CLICK HERE](#)