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### The Sauerkraut Supper is Back!

Join us Tuesday, November 18th from 4:30–6:30 PM for a delicious dinner of roast pork, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, and pie Tickets are \$15 stop by the office to get yours today before they sell out!



### Christmas Poinsettias Are Here!

It's that time of year again time to fill our sanctuary with the beauty of Christmas! Order forms for poinsettias are ready and waiting for you! Stop by the table under the Narthex TV to pick up your form and place your order today. Let's make this holiday season bright and blooming!

## This Week at Trinity

Breakfast Program 8:30a-9:30a

Monday - Friday

**Monday, November 10**

7pm AA Group

**Tuesday, November 11**

12pm Bible Study

5:30pm Consistory Meeting

**Wednesday, November 12**

10am Quilters

4:30-7pm C.A.T

6pm "Blessings & Woes"

6:30pm AA Group

**Thursday, November 13**

5:30-6:30pm Choir

7-8pm Bells

7pm NA Group

**Friday, November 14**

11am Knit, Pray and Crochet

**Saturday, November 15**

**Sunday, November 16**

8am ACT Book Talk on Zoom

9:15-10:15am Sunday School

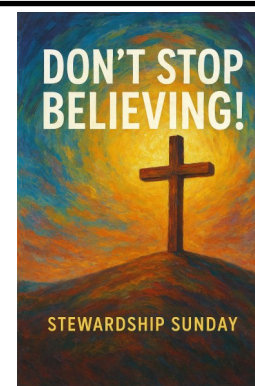
10:30am Worship Service

Confirmation Sunday

Sweet Sunday

**Please Sign up to serve on Sunday morning! Usher, greet, provide coffee hour, or be a reader. If you sign up for altar flowers, please let the office know if the flowers are given for a special celebration in honor or in memory of someone so that it may be included in the bulletin.**

## Trinity United Church of Christ



**November 9, 2025 - 10:30am**

Rev. Dr. Kevan Franklin

We extend a warm welcome to all who have come to worship today.

The \* is to stand.

**The bold print is Unison.**

**Layreader:** John Schantz

**Stewardship  
Sunday**

**Prayers needed: Home:** Ayden Varno

**Wayne County Care Center:**

Bob Chizmadia

**Danbury:** Irene Winner, Dot Blum, Lucy Baus

**Westview Manor:** Janet Landers, Becky

Grindstaff

**Brookdale:** Lois Wagner

**Ravines at Taylor:** Joanne Orr

**Sycamore Run:** Hazel Starr

church staff

**Rev. Dr. Kevan Franklin**, Senior Minister

**Suzanne Feltner**, Faith Formation and Arts Director

**Luke Tegtmeier**, Organist

**Phil Starr/Jack Senn** Business Managers

**Joi Griffith**, Administrative Assistant

**Connie Plant/Larry Keiner**, Custodian

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Dates for your Calendar:

November 11 - Consistory 5:30p

November 12 - Quilters 10a

November 12- "Blessings & Woes" 6p

November 16 -Book Study w/Abigail 9:15

November 16- Sunday School 9:15-10:15a

November 18 - Mission Meeting 4p

November 18 - Sauerkraut Supper 4:30p

November 19 - Women's Lunch @ Buehlers

11:30a



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Prayers of the People

Words of Welcome and Announcements/Share the Good News, and Joys

\*Call to Worship

We don’t always feel it, but we know that God is with us always.

**The darkness and doubt of the world cannot overcome us.**

God is always with us.

**All around us, there is fear and hopelessness.**

God brings to us hope and peace. We place our trust in God’s abundant love.

**Without fear we open our hearts to God’s healing words of hope and peace.**

**AMEN.**

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Hymn of Praise “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” #1

Children’s Message

Special Music “Colors of the Wind” Jamilyn Gilmore

Mission Moment

Scripture Psalm 98

<sup>1</sup> Sing to the Lord a new song, for God has done marvelous things.

God’s right hand and a holy arm led us to victory.<sup>2</sup> The Lord has made known his victory and revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations. <sup>3</sup> God has remembered to give steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.<sup>4</sup> **Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song.**<sup>5</sup> Sing praises to the Lord with the harp, and the sound of melody. <sup>6</sup> **With trumpets and the sound of the horn, make a joyful noise before the Lord.**<sup>7</sup> Let the sea roar and all that fills it, the world and all those who live in it. <sup>8</sup> Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy <sup>9</sup> at the presence of the Lord, for he is coming to judge the earth. **God will judge the world with righteousness and all people with equity.**

1Timothy 6:17-19

<sup>17</sup> Command those who are rich with things of this world not to be proud. **Tell them to hope in God, not in their uncertain riches. God richly gives us everything to enjoy.** <sup>18</sup> Tell the rich people to do good, to be rich in doing good deeds, to be generous and ready to share. <sup>19</sup> By doing that, they will be saving a treasure for themselves as a strong foundation for the future. Then they will be able to have the life that is true life.

Sermon “Don’t Stop Believing”

Silent Prayer and Prayer of Our Savior (Page 56 in NCH) **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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

Invitation to Generosity

We have our minds set to our time after this life. **Yet God is calling us to care for our communities and churches here on this side of Heaven.** May we name the ways we can create Heaven on earth for our neighbors. **By using our talents, treasures, and time, may we seek to build safety and sanctuary for all of God’s children.**

\*Offering Response “We Give You But Your Own” #NCH 785 v. 1

**We give you but your own, what e’er the gift may be; All that we have is yours alone, we give it gratefully.**

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

**Through our gifts, we create glimmers here on this side of Heaven. Through our treasures, time, and talents, we nurture your Realm. We provide for our neighbors who lack basic necessities and who look for inclusion of their souls. May Heaven be a place that we can experience throughout our lives as we breathe the invigorating air of your Spirit. With gratitude, we celebrate our gifts from you and dedicate our gifts to bring peace to this earth. Amen.**

\*Hymn “I Want Jesus to Walk with Me” #490

\*Benediction

As we abide together on this side of Heaven,  
May the Christ of Hope lead us to righteousness and justice,  
May the Spirit of Strength fill our hearts with courage,  
May God, our Joyful Creator, graciously settle our hearts with peace.  
May we find ourselves on journeys seeking glimmers of paradise and the presence of the Divine among us. Amen.

Sending Song: **Oh God send me to do your work. Oh God send me to do your work. Oh God send me to do your work. My—Sweet—God.**