

Trinity United Church of Christ



July 19, 2026 - 10:30am

Rev. Ray Deuring

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

The * is to stand.

The bold print is Unison.

If you or someone you know is in need of pastoral care or prayer support, please reach out to the church office. Whether you're facing a difficult time or simply need someone to talk to, we're here to offer care, comfort, and prayer.

Hospital: Fred Vizzo, TJ Barker, Rob LaLonde

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Westview Manor: Janet Landers, Becky Grindstaff

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church staff

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Deadline for this bulletin & E news is Wednesday
Deadline for topics is the second Friday of each month

Ohio Light Opera:

Abreal Whitman (Violin)

Stephanie Bueche (Clarinet)

Layreader: Karin Wiest

Flowers: The Reed Family

Dates for your Calendar:

July 19 - Drawing for Blueberry Bash

July 19 - Grandkid's Day Ice Cream Social

July 24 - Fellowship Friday Game Night 7-9p



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Prelude: Jesu, Joy of Man’s desiring - J.S. Bach

Prayers of the People, Share the Good News, and Joys

Welcome and Announcements

Passing of Peace

*Opening Hymn: “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” NCH #1

*Call to Worship:

One: From the very beginning you have been with us God, loving us and caring for us.

Many: You search us and come to us in places and times that often surprise us.

One: You show us right paths and your spirit still moves us powerfully.

Many: We come to remember and reflect and celebrate those times you have touched us.

*Words of Grace:

We are here God, because you have called us to be in this very place. You have destined us to be your own people. Allow us to know your presence powerfully this day, as we gather to see you, know you, and each other more fully as part of your holy family.

Mission Moment: Climate Justice Team

Children’s Message:

Scripture: Romans 8:12 - 25 Genesis 28:10-17 (NRV)

Romans 8:12-25

¹² So then, brothers and sisters, we are obligated, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh— ¹³ for if you live according to the flesh, you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” ¹⁶ it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs: heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if we in fact suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him. ¹⁸ I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. ¹⁹ For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God, ²⁰ for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope ²¹ that the creation itself will be set free from its enslavement to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God.



Offering Link

Today, July 19,2026

Faith Formation will be hosting a Grandkid’s Sundae - Ice cream social. All are welcome to come and enjoy the service and following festivities



YOU ARE INVITED! All members of Trinity United Church of Christ are encouraged to attend a special Coffee Shoppe Service and Potluck on **Sunday, August 23.**



September 20,2026 All members of Trinity United Church of Christ are encouraged to bring a friend or family member and come celebrate Rally Day!



This Week at Trinity

Breakfast Program

8:30a-9:30a

Monday - Friday

Monday, July 20

7pm AA Group

Wednesday, July 22

6:30pm AA Group

Thursday, July 23

7pm NA Group

Friday, July 24

7-9pm Fellowship Friday Game Night

Sunday, July 26

10:30am Worship

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.

*Offering response: NCH 778
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One.**

*Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving:
**We bring these gifts God, as our offering of devotion to you. We pray you
dedicate all that we are and all that we have by your grace, to do your
will in every place and time, in the name and for the sake of our risen
Lord. Amen.**

*Closing Hymn: “O God, Our Help in Ages Past” NCH 25

*Benediction:

*Postlude: Jesus Loves me - Brian Mathias

²² We know that the whole creation has been groaning together as it suffers together the pains of labor, ²³ and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope, for who hopes for what one already sees? ²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Genesis 28:10-17
¹⁰ Jacob left Beer-sheba and went toward Haran. ¹¹ He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. ¹² And he dreamed that there was a stairway set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven, and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. ¹³ And the LORD stood beside him and said, “I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring, ¹⁴ and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. ¹⁵ Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go and will bring you back to this land, for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.” ¹⁶ Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, “Surely the LORD is in this place—and I did not know it!” ¹⁷ And he was afraid and said, “How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.”

Sermon: Rev. Ray Deuring

Pastoral Prayer:

Lord’s Prayer:
**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.**

*Hymn: “ Jesus Loves Me” NCH 327

Invitation to Generosity:

Offertory: Amazing Grace
Ohio Light Opera:
Abreal Whitman
Stephanie Bueche