

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Ascension Sunday

May 28, 2017

Pianist Galen Schmidtberger  
Lector Early -Jed Strnad Late - Cathy Berry

\*Entry Hymn "What a Mighty God We Serve" #2021

Welcome and Announcements  
Everyone - PLEASE SIGN ATTENDANCE BOOK IN PEW

\*Call To Worship  
God is our refuge and strength,  
**a very present help in trouble.**  
Therefore we will not fear  
**though the earth should change, and the mountains shake.**  
God is in the midst of us.  
**The Lord of hosts is with us. Amen.**

\*Opening Prayer  
**Lord, your last act before you Ascension was to bless your disciples. We, too, come seeking your blessing that your Holy Spirit might rest upon us, and give us the power we need to be useful disciples, willing to witness to your love among all people. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

Opening Hymn "Glorify Thy Name" #2016

Prayer for Blessings & Concerns

Membership Recognition  
Ron & Cindy Pulis 25 yrs, Gene & Myrna Davidson 50 yrs, Ken Walizer 50 yrs, Robert Dole 75 yrs

Prayer Hymn "As The Deer" #2025

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer UMH #895

Pass the Peace: A Time of Greeting

Children's Time [The children are invited to come forward at this time]

The Giving of our Gifts  
Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine. (Proverbs 3: 9-10)

\*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow [Doxology] #94

\*Offering Prayer  
**O God, we know you call us for service, and you bless us in order that we may be a blessing for others. With that sense of high calling, we present our tithes and offerings. Amen.**

Special Music Galen Schmidtberger

Scripture Reading Acts 1:6-14

Message "Ascension: Three Pillars of our Faith"

\*Closing Hymn "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations" #569

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

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**Celebrating Our Faithfulness!**  
Worship Service Total...88 Early...35 Late ...49  
Sunday School Total:...11 Children...2 Youth...1 Adults. . .8  
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Trinity Bistro Harold Brumley & Pam Lightfoot  
Music Minister Galen Schmidtberger  
Organist, Pianist Curtis Sander  
Sound System (8:30) Dale Weimaster  
Sound System (10:30) David Munday  
Early Greeters (8:30) Dale & Joan Weimaster  
Late Ushers (10:30) Duane Adams, Jim Ridgley, Mike Blanke

***In the interest of recycling paper, if you are not keeping your bulletin to remind you of the week's events, please leave it at the back of the Sanctuary for reuse at the 10:30 a.m. Service.***

<b>Dru Miller</b>	<b><u>Prayer Concerns</u></b>	<b>Lea Reddig</b>
<b>Lee Anne Emmons</b>	<b>Sabina Powers</b>	<b>Mark Hoffhines</b>
<b>Rich Reynolds</b>	<b>Dorothy Hopper</b>	<b>Betty Brenner</b>
<b>Nancy Balloun</b>	<b>Elena Carson</b>	<b>Mary Keeler</b>
<b>Judy Arthur</b>	<b>Melissa Schremmer</b>	<b>Jan Bachar</b>
<b>Valerie Cook</b>	<b>Nancy (Poche') Stoppel</b>	<b>Scott Schultz</b>
<b>Kayla Alexander</b>	<b>Kellie Donovan</b>	<b>Bill Dunn</b>
<b>Phyllis Bodine</b>	<b>Colleen Walizer</b>	<b>Russ Reynolds</b>
<b>Vic Carlisle</b>	<b>Robert Walters</b>	<b>Donna Nungesser</b>
<b>Bob Balloun</b>	<b>Kay Morris</b>	<b>Jim Staab</b>
<b>Larry Mitchell</b>	<b>Kenny Pickens</b>	<b>Aaron Steinert</b>
<b>Carolyn Pickens</b>	<b>Jimmy Smith</b>	<b>Cory Skillen</b>
	<b>Larry Mravinec</b>	<b>Jack Marston</b>

**Calendar this week:**

Mon., May 29 Memorial Day  
Office Closed  
No Thrift Store Work Night

Tues., May 30 Prayer Night 7:00 pm

Wed., May 31 Youth Group 3:30 pm – 6:00 pm

Sat., June 3 Circle of Friends – 7:30 am – Leave for Marquette’s Vintage in the Valley road trip

**Birthdays this week:**

May 28 Ava Preston

May 29 Jerry Rohr

May 30 Chelsey Swords

May 31 Trevor White

June 2 Robert Walters

June 3 Bailey Dollison, Cathy Neil, Elias King, Gerry Frost

**Anniversaries this week:**

May 29 Dale & Joan Weimaster, Ward & Crystal Craig

June 2 Jeremy & Ashley Hopper

June 4 Robert & LuAnn Walters, Gordon & Joyce Gorton, Harold Brumley & Pam Lightfoot

**JUNE OCC ITEM OF THE MONTH:** Clothing for ages 4 - 14. Shorts, t-shirts, sundresses and flip flops are suitable. Look for summer sales! Also, never too late to contribute past featured items.

**Trinity United Methodist Church Scholarship**

The Deadline for scholarship applications is **July 1, 2017**. Applications are available to download and print from our website, [www.russelltrinityumc.org](http://www.russelltrinityumc.org), under the scholarship tab at the top. Please contact the office if you have any questions, 785-483-2440. Completed applications may be returned to the office or mailed to:  
Trinity United Methodist Church Scholarship Committee 221 N Maple Street Russell, KS 67665



**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Russell, Kansas  
Reverend Ezekiel Koech  
8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Worship  
9:15 a.m. Sunday school  
May 28, 2017