

## STAFF

**Pastors:** Chad Anderson (Senior), David Salyer (Associate)

**Elders:** Michael Freitag, David Holl, Tory Hooton, Jordan Hughett, David Lano

**Deacons:** Josh Goodbrake (Offerings and Service), Josiah Holl ( Offerings and Mercy), Micah Holl (Facilities), Doug Sykes (Chair)

**WIC:** Kacia Hughett (President), Servant Support (Julie LeFeber), Vacant (Nursery), Sarah Salyer (Secretary, Christian Growth), Jen Zimmerman (Missions/Outreach), Megan Holl (Kitchen), Kristin Holl (Women's Events), Karen Salyer (Church Fellowship)

**Youth Group:** Eric Wood

**Custodian:** Charlotte Hajda

## WORSHIP SPOTLIGHT

### What is the Collect?

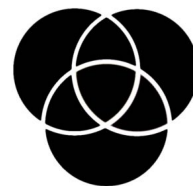
The Collect (usually pronounced KAH-lekt) is a compact but powerful prayer that “collects” the thoughts of the congregation with the theme of that particular day or season in the Church Year, often borrowing language from the scripture readings for the day.

Often the Collects follow a specific pattern modeled on prayers from the Bible (2 Kings 19:15-19; Acts 1:24-25, 4:24-30; etc.). The form is: (1) The Address to God, (2) The Basis for Petition - such as an act or attribute of God, (3) The Petition - what is being asked for, (4) The Aspiration - what will result if the petition is granted, (5) The Ending - an invocation of Jesus' name in which we pray.

A fine example is the famed “Collect for Purity”: [1] Almighty God, [2] unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; [3] Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, [4] that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name; [5] through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Many of the traditional Collects have been in use for more than fifteen centuries. They are renowned for their “antiquity, universality, excellence, and beauty.” They often clue us in to the central themes of the service. Therefore it is beneficial to pray the week's collect at home in preparation for Sunday worship.

The Collects are also teachers. Long exposure to them trains us in a Biblical form of prayer which we can then inhabit, filling the form with our own unique praises and petitions in a way that honors God.



# TRINITY

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**August 3rd, 2025**

*The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*

Prelude

Announcements

### GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 148:1-6

†Congregational Singing

“Psalm 62 (My Soul Finds Rest)”

†Responsive Scriptures

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**Who made heaven and earth.**

†Collect

O God, whose never-failing providence orders all things both in heaven and earth, we humbly implore You to put away from us all hurtful things and to give us those things that are profitable for us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

†Congregational Singing

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

### GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

1 John 2:1-2

*Silent Confession*

Corporate Confession

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may**

**delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

†Assurance of Forgiveness  
†Congregational Singing

“He Will Hold Me Fast”

## **GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD**

Old Testament Reading 1 Samuel 21:1-9  
Epistle Reading James 1:2-7, 12  
†Gospel Reading John 6:35-44  
†Profession of Faith The Philippian Hymn  
Sermon Pastor Chad Anderson

“You See the Man is Mad”

Sermon Series: 1 & 2 Samuel

Offertory  
†Doxology #625 (*a cappella*)  
†Prayer of the Church  
...let us pray to the Lord:  
**Lord, have mercy.**  
...through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns  
with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

†The Lord’s Prayer  
Taught by Our Lord and trusting in His promises, we are bold to pray:  
**Our Father who art in Heaven...**

## **GOD STRENGTHENS US AT HIS TABLE**

*All who are baptized and trust in Jesus Christ are invited to share the Lord’s Supper. Baptized children are welcomed to the Supper once they have been admitted by the Elders.*

*If you do not trust in Jesus, please allow the bread and cup to pass you by. If you desire to follow Jesus and share in His Feast, please speak with one of our pastors after the service.*

*The outer ring contains wine. All other cups contain grape juice. Take your portion, pass the rest to your neighbor, then eat and drink as soon as you desire.*

*During the passing of the cup, we encourage you to offer words of blessing to your neighbors such as: “May the Peace of Christ be with you” (Jn. 14:27), and the response: “And also with you.”*

Declaration of God’s Invitation and Promises  
Prayers and Distribution  
†Congregational Singing

“Jesus, Thank You”

## **GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD**

†Commission and Benediction  
†Congregational Response #628 IV “Threefold Amen”  
Postlude

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Chad Anderson  
**Nursery Volunteers:** Rachel Goodbrake

## **CHURCH LIFE**

Sunday, August 3rd - *The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service  
After service . . . Congregational Meeting

Monday, August 4th

5:30 p.m. . . . Session Meeting

Saturday, August 9th

9:00 a.m. . . . Platte Valley Presbytery @ Zion PCA, Lincoln

- ♦ **Pastor Chad** has accepted a position with CommonSpirit Health (parent company of Good Samaritan Hospital) as Director of Mission Integration. We will hold a **congregational meeting** after the service on August 3rd to act on his resignation. August 17th will be Chad’s last Sunday with us as Pastor. After that service we will serve a fellowship meal with a time to give thanks and to bless and encourage the Anderson family.
- ♦ To celebrate the Andersons, we’re putting together a heartfelt **photo and memory gift** to send them off with joy! We invite you to contribute a special card keepsake (cards provided). Attach a photo of your family or a favorite moment shared with the Andersons! Inside, write a kind note sharing your gratitude, a fun memory, or a message from your heart. Drop off completed cards at the designated box in the foyer by August 10. If you have questions, contact Sarah Salyer.
- ♦ **Share the Arrows Women’s Conference** - Oct. 11, 2025 - Dallas, TX - Join a group of TPC women, hear from the boldest, most steadfast Christian voices of our day, and leave feeling fully equipped to tackle the lies and obstacles the world throws at us. Interested? Speak to Kristin Holl and visit: [www.sharethearrows.com](http://www.sharethearrows.com).
- ♦ **Financial Report:** Budgeted need each week: \$4,392.91. Budgeted need year-to-date: \$131,787.30. Received 7/27: \$1,338.24. Received year-to-date: \$119,805.78.
- ♦ **August Birthdays:** (5) Lydia Hajda, (7) Peregrine Salyer 2016, (15) Amy Bates, (22) Nancy Larsen, (25) Amy Freitag, (26) Gary Elliott, (27) Josiah Wood 2008

## **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

- ♦ That God would bring people in need of a church family to Trinity, and that we would minister to them in love.
- ♦ Presbytery: Grace Chapel in Lincoln - Pastors Ben Loos, Stu Kerns, Isaac Terwilliger; Redeemer Church in Lincoln - Pastor Matt Odum; Lincoln Church Plant - Pastor Adam Odell.
- ♦ Missions: Collage Center
- ♦ For our expecting mothers and their children: Megan Holl, Bethany Remm.