

## PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- ♦ That God would keep us from legalism, making His Grace the source for all that we do.
- ♦ Presbytery: Zion Church in Lincoln - Interim Pastor Tim Kirk, Assistant Pastor David Chambers, and Youth Director Kyle Lindgren.
- ♦ Missions: Matthew and Cathy Groves - Cru at Missouri State University
- ♦ For our mothers with newly born children: Megan Holl (Moses James born 8/5), Bethany Remm (Brooklynn Grace born 7/28).

## 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

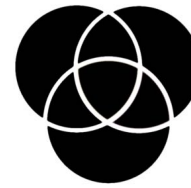
## WORSHIP SPOTLIGHT

### Why do we confess our sins?

Being called into the presence of a righteous and holy God makes us painfully aware of our own sinfulness and guilt. We think of the prophet Isaiah who cried out: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!" (Isaiah 6:5, compare Revelation 1:17).

God made a way for the people of Israel to approach Him through sacrifice. The first sacrifice was the *sin offering* or *purification offering* (Lev. 9:7,15; 2 Chr. 29:21). This sacrifice dealt with the sin in a worshipper's life at the very beginning of the service, so that he could continue to approach God knowing the penalty for his sin had been paid by the animal who died in his place. We still approach God on the basis of a sacrifice. But in our case that sacrifice was the crucifixion of Christ. His sacrifice on our behalf has dealt with our sin once and for all (Heb. 7:27, 9:12, 10:10).

The importance of confessing sins is taught throughout the Scriptures. Many of these passages appear in our worship service as the "Call to Confession," reminding us not only of the need to confess, but of God's promise to forgive us when we do. "If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (John 1:8).



# TRINITY

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**August 10th, 2025**

*The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*

Prelude

Announcements

## GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalms 150:1-2, 6

†Congregational Singing

"10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

†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

Grant to us, Lord, the Spirit to think and do always such things as are right, that we, who cannot do anything that is good without You, may be enabled by You to live according to Your will; 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

"Jesus, I Come"

## GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

Psalms 103:8-12

*Silent Confession*

Corporate Confession

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in**

**your light and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ,  
our Savior. Amen.**

†Assurance of Forgiveness

†Congregational Singing #12 “Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”

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

Old Testament Reading Psalm 23

Epistle Reading Philippians 2:1-11

†Gospel Reading John 12:1-8, 23-26

†Profession of Faith The Apostles’ Creed

Sermon Pastor Chad Anderson

“Grains of Wheat”

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 “Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor”

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

†Commission and Benediction

†Congregational Response #628 IV “Threefold Amen”

Postlude

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Chad Anderson

**Nursery Volunteers:** Sarah Salyer

### **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

- ♦ Josiah and Megan are pleased to announce **Moses James Holl** arrived Tuesday, August 5. Give God glory for the gift of Moses!
- ♦ Jason and Bethany are pleased to announce **Brooklynn Grace Remm** arrived Monday, July 28 morning at 11:37am. She was 7lb 13oz 21 1/4”. Everyone is doing well! Give God glory for the gift of Brooklynn!
- ♦ **Pastor Chad** has accepted a position with CommonSpirit Health (parent company of Good Samaritan Hospital) as Director of Mission Integration. **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.
- ♦ **Sunday School** Classes for Children and Adults are set to resume Sunday, September 7th at 9:00 a.m.
- ♦ **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