

**Elders:** Michael Freitag, David Holl, Tory Hooton, Jordan Hughett, David Lano  
**Deacons:** Josh Goodbrake (Offering and Service), Josiah Holl (Mercy), Micah Holl (Facilities), Doug Sykes (Chair)  
**WIC:** Kacia Hughett (President), Lisa Hajda/Julie LeFeber (Christian Growth), Karen Salyer (Kitchen), Kristin Holl (Women's Events), Megan Holl (Servant Support), Carol Holl (Church Fellowship), Sarah Salyer (Nursery)

### WORSHIP SPOTLIGHT

#### Why do we have an Offering? And what is a "tithe"?

From the very beginning, God's people brought offerings to Him (Gen. 4:3-4; 14:21; 28:22). In doing so, they were confessing that all they had ultimately came from God and actually belonged to Him. Offering a portion was a way of showing gratitude. It was also a way of paying tribute, of giving honor to God as the Sovereign Lord of All.

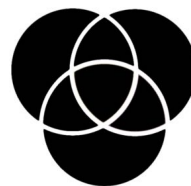
As we see in the stories of Abraham and Jacob, it was common to give God a tenth (or "tithe") of one's income. This principle was later codified in the Law given to Moses. God told the people of Israel to give a tenth to provide for the livelihood of His priests, to maintain the work of the Tabernacle/Temple, and to provide for the poor (Deut. 14:28-29).

For the Israelites the offerings were usually animals, crops, or prepared food. They were elements of God's creation which the people had cultivated by long hours of labor and care. As the fruit of human labor they symbolized the life of the people. Thus, in offering the work of their hands, the people were offering their very lives to God that He might use them to accomplish His purposes.

These principles were carried over into the New Covenant. The Early Church was known for sacrificial generosity (Acts 4:32-37). Recognizing that God had offered His own Son for them, they gladly gave all they had to Him.

For these reasons the offering is a significant part of our worship service. It is not simply a way for the church to keep the lights on. Nor is it payment for spiritual services rendered or dues for a holy club.

When we drop our tithes into the plate, we must remember that we are offering our very selves to God. He accepts our tribute, not because of anything within us, but because we are united to His Beloved Son, Jesus Christ. In Christ our lives and our work have been made pleasing to God and useful for the advancement of His Kingdom in our community and throughout the world.



# TRINITY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 7, 2026

*The Second Sunday after Pentecost*

Prelude

Announcements

### GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 66:1-5

†Congregational Singing

#108 "Come Christians Join To Sing"

†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, the Strength of all who trust in You, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing, grant us Your grace to keep Your commandments that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

†Congregational Singing

"Every Promise"

### GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

Psalm 66:16-20

*Silent Confession*

Corporate Confession

**Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we**

ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Jesus Christ, our Lord. And grant, for his sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

†Assurance of Forgiveness

†Congregational Singing

“Lion Of Judah”

### GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 17:8-16

Epistle Reading

Hebrews 11:32-40

†Gospel Reading

Luke 4:24-30

†Profession of Faith

The Colossian Hymn

Sermon

Pastor David Salyer

“Elijah and the Widow in Zarephath”

Sermon Series: Kings

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 the pastor after the service.*

*The outer ring of cups contain 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

“Speak O Lord”

### GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD

†Commission and Benediction

†Congregational Response

#628 IV “Threefold Amen”

Postlude

**Worship Leader:** Pastor David Salyer  
**Nursery Volunteers:** Annie & Nora Hooton

### CHURCH LIFE

Sunday, June 7 - The Second Sunday after Pentecost

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service

Sunday, June 14 - The Third Sunday after Pentecost

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service

3:00 p.m. . . . Youth Group

- ◆ **WIC Nominations 2026/2027:** Kacia’s 2-year term as President of WIC ends after this summer. Ladies, please prayerfully consider joining WIC. Please contact Kacia Hughett or fill out the WIC Survey (see weekly emails) if you would be willing to serve as the leader of an area or would like to nominate someone else for the coming year.
- ◆ **Church Picnic** | There will be a Fellowship Picnic Sunday, **June 28th**, after the service at the large pavilion at Harmon Park. Please bring a main dish, side, or dessert to share. Contact Carol Holl with questions. Serving Team #3 will be in charge of serving: Hooton, J. Holl, LeFeber, D. Holl, J. Hajda, L. Salyer, Brock, Reiter, Gibbons, Parish, M. Johnson, Wood, Dunn. Note: Being on the list in no way obligates you to attend or serve at Fellowship Meals but is, rather, a way to include everyone in the invitation and give opportunities to serve for those willing and able to do so.
- ◆ **Financial Report:** Budgeted need each week: \$4,067.02. Budgeted need year-to-date: \$89,474.44. Received 5/17: \$3,013.95. Received year-to-date: \$75,886.39.
- ◆ **June Birthdays:** (16) Aria Goodbrake 2016, (17) Floyd Butterfield, (24) Margaret Hajda 1998, (25) Mimi Frerichs, (26) Nora Hooton 2010, (27) Charlotte Burr

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- ◆ That God would keep us from division and grant us unity in the Spirit for the sake of the Gospel.
- ◆ **Presbytery:** Grace Church Fremont - Pastor Clint Eberspacher.
- ◆ **Missions:** John and Terri - MTW Middle East
- ◆ For our new and expecting mothers, Kristin Holl (Owen Daniel born 4/25), Amara Block (Alette Marie born 4/29), and Rachel Goodbrake.

### STAFF

**Pastor:** David Salyer | **Youth:** Eric Wood | **Music:** Jason Robertson  
**Treasurer:** Michael Frietag | **Admin:** Sarah Salyer | **Custodian:** Charlotte Hajda