

- ◆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 new and expecting parents, Micah & Kristin Holl (Owen Daniel born 4/25), Corbus & Amara Block (Alette Marie born 4/29), and Josh & Rachel Goodbrake.

STAFF

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

What is the Collect?

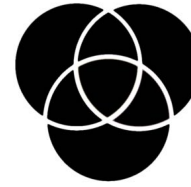
The Collect (usually pronounced KAH-lekt) is a compact but powerful prayer that "collects" the thoughts of the congregation with the theme of that particular day or season in the Church Year, often borrowing language from the scripture readings for the day.

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

July 12, 2026

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Announcements

GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 16:28-30

†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

Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of Your great mercy keep us in the same; 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

#195 "Nothing But The Blood"

GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

1 John 1:8-9

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 #12 "Holy God We Praise Thy Name"

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading 2 Kings 4:8-11, 15-28, 32-37

Epistle Reading Hebrews 2:14-18

†Gospel Reading Mark 5:35-43

†Profession of Faith The Apostle's Creed

Sermon Eric Wood

"Following the Master"

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...

†Congregational Singing #383 "Be Thou My Vision"

GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD

†Commission and Benediction

†Congregational Response #628 IV "Threefold Amen"

Postlude

Worship Leader: Ruling Elder Tory Hooton

Nursery Volunteers: Anne Lano & Miabelle Lano

CHURCH LIFE

Sunday, July 12 - *The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*

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

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

Monday, July 13

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

Sunday, July 19 - *The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*

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

Wednesday, July 22

6:30 p.m. . . . Silent Retreat

♦ **Salyer Vacation** | Pastor Dave and family will be on vacation July 6-12. Please contact elders Michael Freitag, David Holl, Tory Hooton, or Jordan Hughett with any shepherding needs.

♦ **Communion** will not be celebrated during the Sunday, July 12 worship service due to Pastor Dave's absence.

♦ **Silent Retreat** | Please consider joining us for a Silent Retreat on Wednesday, July 22, from 6:30–8:30 p.m. at the church. This quiet evening is an invitation to step away from noise and distraction and simply be present with God. Light guidance will be offered, but much of the time will be spent in silence, prayer, and reflection. All are welcome—no experience necessary! Please reach out to Lisa Hajda or Julie LeFeber with any questions.

♦ **Women in the Church 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.

♦ **Officer Nominations** | Officer nomination forms are available in the church foyer. Please prayerfully consider individuals you would like to nominate for the office of Elder or Deacon and speak with them about their willingness before nominating them. Completed forms must be filled out in full, signed, and returned to the church office/Sarah.

♦ **Financial Report:** Budgeted need each week: \$4,067.02. Budgeted need year-to-date: \$113,876.56. Received 6/28: \$2,287.78. Received year-to-date: \$97,289.11.

♦ **July Birthdays:** (2) Aiden Freitag 2010, Nora Johnson 2013, Josh Goodbrake, (8) Aliyah Hughett 2018, (9) Micah Holl, (10) Eleanor Hajda, (13) Rollie Gibbins, (15) Haven Salyer 2009, (18) Marla Reiter, (22) Andrew Goodbrake 2022, (28) Mordecai LeFeber 2011, Brooklynn Remm 2025, (29) Roz Gibbins, (29) Miabelle Lano 2010, (30) Beth Cole

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.