



"Life in the Son"

Loving, Inviting, Faithful Examples, Serving Our Neighbors

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Today's Worship Music
The King Is In the Room
What a Beautiful Name
Reckless Love
Give Me Faith

Readings:
Luke 15:1-10

Sermon:
The Lost and Found
Rev. Stephanie Schellinger

We welcome you all to the service today; please feel free to take a snack and a water from the table in the back. An offering basket is also available if you are so moved to support Trinity in all we do.



The pastors and congregation will be in prayer this week for the following:

Joe & Patti Schott Betty Sharpe Ken & Lori Shoemaker
Betty Skeen Alan & Sarah Jane Slaughter Keith & Karen Smith

Please also keep our armed forces, police officers, first responders and teachers in your prayers.

Ushers for September 14: Ann Aiken & Kendyl Finney

Worship With Us:

Traditional Sunday Services at 8:30 am and 11:00 am

Contemporary Worship Service on Sunday at 9:45 am

The Nursery is available during all of our Sunday services.

Nursery (ages 0-3) AG Greene Nursery

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Phone: 843-272-5236

**Our Gifts: Weekly Offering Week
of September 7, 2025**

Needed each week:	\$ 16,899.08
Received:	\$ 17,940.00
Received online:	\$ 951.00
Total received	\$ 18,891.00

Year to date

Received:	\$ 556,355.62
Expenditures:	\$ 533,725.43



**Attendance for Sunday,
September 7, 2025:**

8:30 am: **134**
9:45 am: **57**
11:00 am: **148**
In-Person Total = **339**
Online Total: **179**
Facebook Total: **701**

Hearing amplification devices are available for anyone needing assistance hearing throughout the service. Please see an usher for assistance.

The New Building Fund

Amount donated this week:	\$ 1,247.00
Amount received online:	\$ 295.00
Total Received	\$ 1,542.00
YTD Received:	\$ 193,292.10
YTD Expenditures:	\$ 647,263.92

Epworth Work Day Sunday

Epworth Children's Home was founded in 1896 with a mission of serving children whose families could not care for them. In 2024, 1,677 children, youth, and families were served because they had experienced some form of trauma. After 129 years, the mission remains the same: to serve children, youth and families through caring, safe, Christian communities where hurts are healed, hope is nurtured and faith in God, self and others is developed. Epworth ensures the children are surrounded by loving Christian adults who work hard to create a warm, friendly and welcoming environment so that the children feel safe. Only then can they learn to break the cycle of abuse, neglect, and shame and replace it with a life of self-respect, responsibility, and productivity.

How does Epworth do this work? Because of our generosity, Epworth relies heavily on the contributions received through the Work Day offering to provide direct care for the children who live on campus, those in foster care and the children and families receiving care and support through Epworth's variety of programs across our state. Please pray for Epworth and its clients and please prayerfully consider your part in supporting the work that Epworth does to make a difference in the lives of children and families every day.

Clothing Drive for Sea Haven Youth Crisis Center

In September, the Mission Committee will be accepting new and GENTLY used tshirts and hoodies (up to XXL), gym shorts, belts, and slide-on shoes (sizes 8-15). Collection boxes will be in the hallways on either side of the choir loft.

New Member Class - Fall 2025

Are you interested in becoming a member of Trinity United Methodist Church? We invite you to join our new members' class, which will span six weeks and delve into the beliefs and practices of the United Methodist Church as well as what makes Trinity UMC a special place. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet fellow newcomers and engage with our committee leaders.

The class will be facilitated by Pastor Stephanie Schellinger and will occur on Mondays starting **September 15 from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm**. Classes will go from 9/15 - 10/20 with new members joining on Sunday, October 26.

If you are unable to attend this session, another class will be available in January. You can signup using the bulletin insert or on Realm. For any further information, please reach out to Pastor Stephanie.

Wonderful Wednesday Meals

On the Menu: Spaghetti with salad and garlic bread

Wednesday night meals are back! Please join us *every other week* for fellowship, games and a meal, starting **September 17**. Doors open at 5:15 pm for a time of fellowship, and dinner will be served at 6 pm. We request that you make a reservation and, if possible, pay for your meal in advance. You can register on Realm or on the signup sheet in the Sunday bulletin. Please register by the Monday, September 15 by 12 pm. Adults are \$10 per meal (Youth and kids eat free.). There will be a kid-friendly menu available.

September - PEP Club

Thursday, September 18th at 11:30 am in Trinity Hall

It's tailgate time. Let's have a tailgate party!

Come and join us for food, fellowship, and fun. See your friends and make new ones. Bring a friend! Let's have some good laughs together! How are your football skills? Are you a quarterback or a runner? Do you prefer defending your team? Come prepared!

Dress Code: Wear your favorite team colors or jersey or tshirt.

Food: If your last name begins with A-L, bring a dessert, or if your last name begins with M-Z, bring a side dish to share.

Sign up on Realm or in today's bulletin. Everyone is invited. Come and see your friends, make new ones and prepare to have a great time!

Any questions call or text Rhonda Thompson at 843-655-1922.

Come Decorate for the Parade!

Be a part of the North Myrtle Beach Christmas Parade with TUMC by helping us at the upcoming parade workshops. Join us upstairs in the old Trinity Kids' Room on **Thursday, September 18** from 1 pm until 3 pm. Contact Patti Schott for more information at 717-658-7505.

Meetings This Week

Today *Worship Service: 8:30 am (Sanctuary & Live Streaming Online)*

9/14 *Contemporary Band Rehearsal: 9:00 am (AG Greene Choir Room)*
*Adult Sunday School: 9:45 am (Second Floor, Rms. 2) **XYZ Sunday School is not meeting today***
Contemporary Worship Service: 9:45 am (Sanctuary & Streaming Online)
Worship Service: 11:00 am (Sanctuary & Streaming Online)
Children's Sunday School: 11:00 am (AG Greene Choir Room)
Trinity Youth Group: 5:00 pm (Youth Room)

Monday *TUMM Breakfast Meeting: 8:30 am (Trinity Hall)*

9/15 *Weight Watchers: 9:30 am (AG Greene Choir Room & New Kids' Room)*
Monday Golf: 3:00 pm tee time (Crown Park Golf Course)
Administrative Council Meeting: 6:00 pm (Trinity Hall)
New Members' Class: 6:00 pm (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 2)
Gamblers Anonymous: 7:00 pm (AG Greene Choir Room)

Tuesday ***12 Daring Women of the Bible**—Bible Study: 10:00 am (Trinity Hall)*

9/16 *Staff Meeting: 12:00 pm (Library)*
GriefShare Support Group: 3:30 pm (AG Greene Choir Room)
SAG Meeting: 7:00 pm (AG Greene Choir Room)

Wednesday *Bridge: 9:00 am (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 1)*

9/17 *Crafters: 9:30 am (AG Greene Choir Room)*
Master's Meal: 12 noon (Trinity Hall)
Trinity Kids: 4:30 pm (AG Greene Building)
Wonderful Wednesday Meal: 5:30 pm (Trinity Hall)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 pm (Sanctuary)

Thursday ***The Missions of Jesus** Bible Study: 9:00 am (Library & Upstairs' Room 2)*

9/18 *PEP Club: 11:30 am (Trinity Hall)*
Christmas Parade Decorating: 1:00 pm (Upstairs' Kids' Room)
Contemporary Worship Rehearsal: 3:30 pm (Sanctuary)
Gamblers Anonymous: 7:00 pm (Trinity Hall Meeting Room 1)

Friday
9/19

Saturday
9/20