

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Week's Sermon. The text of next week's sermon is Genesis 1:2.

Sunday School. Sunday school meets Sunday afternoons @ 2 PM. The adults are studying the Book of Psalms. The children are studying the Ten Commandments.

Bible Studies. Bible studies are Thursday nights @ 7 PM. The women meet at Dorothea's and are studying Nancy Guthrie's *Blessed: Experiencing the Promise of the Book of Revelation*. The men meet at LCM and are studying the Book of Matthew. Contact Sue or Lisa, and John, for more information.

INFORMATION

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FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR AUGUST, 2022

	AUGUST, 2022	YEAR TO DATE
BUDGET GOAL	\$7,967	\$63,733
CURRENT GIVING	\$8,279	\$64,241
EXPENSES	\$12,715	\$69,971
DIFFERENCE	\$-4,437	\$-5,730
ANNUAL BUDGET GOAL FOR 2022		\$95,600
CURRENT BUILDING FUND BALANCE		\$76,785

For more detailed information please see Jim Stafford, Treasurer

Welcome to



A Reformed Church For Toledo, OH

The Lord's Day, October 2, 2022

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome And Preparation For Worship

Prelude

Call To Worship

Rev. Taylor Wright

***Hymn Of Adoration**

“O Father, You Are Sovereign”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #233

***Prayer Of Invocation And The Lord’s Prayer**

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***Confession Of Faith**

Minister: Christians, what do you believe?

All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into Hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. (The Apostles Creed)

Old Testament Reading

Amos 7:1–17

Confession Of Sin

All: You are the Lord, You alone, Who made and preserves the heaven of heavens and the earth. You chose Abraham and worked wonders against Pharaoh and Canaan. You gave Your law on Sinai, and bread from heaven, and water from the rock. But our fathers refused to obey, they forgot Your wonders, and worshiped false gods. You in Your great mercies did not forsake them. When they cried to You, You delivered them according to Your mercies. By the gospel of Your Son, You have freed us from all our sins. Our God, the great, the mighty, and the awesome God, Who keeps covenant and steadfast love, hear our prayer. You have been righteous and faithful in all Your ways and we have acted wickedly. (based on Nehemiah 9:5–38)

* Congregation stands as able.

Assurance Of Pardon

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night Your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to You, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and You forgave the iniquity of my sin. (Psalm 32:1–5)

Hymn

"With Joy Let Us Sing To The Lord"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #33

Tithes And Offerings

***The Doxology**

Trinity Psalter Hymnal #567

***Hymn**

"For The Beauty Of The Earth"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #249

Sermon

Genesis 1:1
"The Trinity In Creation: God the Father" (Genesis, 1)
Rev. Taylor Wright

***Hymn**

"This Is My Father's World"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #252

Celebration of the Lord's Supper: The Bread and the Cup

Mercy Offering

***Closing Hymn**

"Now Thank We All Our God"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #181

***Closing Prayer**

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response**

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal Trinity Psalter
Hymnal#244, Verse 4

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