

# Prospect Street United Methodist Church

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**Sunday, June 15th, 2025**

**10:30 a.m.**



## Mission Statement:

"We are united to love God,  
to grow in our commitment to Christ,  
to serve others, and welcome all people."

# Trinity Sunday

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Joshua Freshour, Pastor

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\*Please stand if you are able

Please silence electronic devices

WELCOME

Michelle Fassler

OPENING PRAISE SONG

**"He Is Exalted"**  
**He is exalted,**  
**the King is exalted on high;**  
**I will praise Him.**  
**He is exalted, forever exalted**  
**and I will praise His name!**  
**He is the Lord,**  
**forever His truth shall reign;**  
**Heaven and earth**  
**rejoice in His holy name.**  
**He is exalted,**  
**the King is exalted on high.**  
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**the King is exalted on high;**  
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**rejoice in His holy name.**  
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PASS THE PEACE

Leader:

The Lord Be With You

People:

And Also with You

CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

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PRELUDE

"My Tribute"

Pianist, Scott O'Neil

Lighting of the Altar Candles

*Use this time to prepare your heart for worship*

## RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELL

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We are children of God!

**People: And our God is the Father of all!**

Leader: We are children of God!

**People: And our God is the Father of all!**

Leader: Our God is a God of love!

**People: May the apple not fall far from the tree!!**

### \*OPENING HYMN

"Happy the Home When God Is There"

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### \*INVOCATION

Heavenly Father, there is no explaining the greatness or majesty of who and what You are. All of our words fall short. We are humbled and amazed that despite how awesome You are as the creator of all things, Your love for us prevails. You didn't just create us simply to exist. You created us out of love with a purpose to love. It is in our DNA to love You O God, to love one another, and to love the created world You have set before us. It is for this reason that You give us grace. Not because we deserve it, but because You believe not in the selfish stories we write for ourselves but in the story You have written for each of us. And that is to live and love in Your likeness. Amen.

### SPECIAL MUSIC

"How Beautiful" by Twila Paris

Lorelei Heineman

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

"Jesus Loves Me" vs. 1  
Children under age four may go to the Nursery

### OFFERING

Offertory

Jim Anderson & Gary Flach

"Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us" arr. by Harold DeCou

Special Offering

"Peace with Justice"

Please use a pew envelope

\*Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

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\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

### SCRIPTURE READING

John 13:1, 4-5, 12-16

Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. 4 Jesus got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. 5 Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. 12 After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? 13 You call me Teacher and Lord – and you are right, for that is what I am. 14 So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. 15 For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. 16 Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them.

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God**

### MESSAGE

"What More Do You Need?"

### HYMN OF PRAYER

"More Like You"

## PASTORAL PRAYER

### 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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

### \*CLOSING HYMN

"Who Is My Mother, Who Is My Brother"

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"God Be With You"  
**God be with you till we meet again;  
by his counsels guide, uphold you,  
with his sheep securely fold you;  
God be with you till we meet again.  
Till we meet, till we meet,  
till we meet at Jesus' feet;  
till we meet, till we meet,  
God be with you till we meet again.**

### POSTLUDE

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit" arr. by John F. Wilson

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Liturgist: Mary Flach  
Greeters/Acolytes: The Deeter Family

Next Sunday Scripture: 1 Kings 19:1-4, 8-15a & Sermon Title: "The Purenness of God"

*The clear candle burning on our altar signifies our appreciation for the men and women serving our country during this time of national concern.*

If you have a **Prayer Request**, please call Pastor Josh at 614-519-8870.

**Altar Flowers** are placed in honor of Patty & Barry Franklin's 50th wedding anniversary.

**Peace with Justice Sunday** – please use a pew envelope and mark it "Peace with Justice Offering".

If you would like to have the **church directory** on your phone or desktop, please let us know by adding your name to the sign-up sheet that is being passed around this morning. Janey Fassler, Deb Welch, and/or Erika will email you the directions.

**Book Study** – **Tuesday, June 17**, at 7 p.m. and **Friday, June 20**, at 10:30 a.m.

The United Women in Faith **Spring Avon Sale** through **June 18**, with delivery Wednesday, June 25, here at church. Books are available in the atrium each Sunday. Please consider supporting the UWIF with this fundraiser.

**Newsletter Deadline** for our July Tower Notes will be on **Thursday, June 19**.

The **Neighborhood Supper** will be served on **Friday, June 20**, from 5 to 6 p.m. as a Carry-Out Meal.

**Men's Prayer Breakfast** will be on **Saturday, June 21**, at 8 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. There will be good food, devotions and fellowship! Please join this amazing group of men!

**Open House** to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary for Patty & Barry Franklin on **Saturday, June 21**, from 2 – 5 p.m. here at the church in the Fellowship Hall.

**Noisy Collection** will be on **Sunday, June 22**, for Vacation Bible School.

We will collect for the **Salvation Army Food Pantry** on **Sunday, June 22**. Suggested donations: Peanut Butter and Jelly. They are also in need of paper products. Put your donations in the shopping cart in the back of the sanctuary. Thank You!

**Children & Youth Education Meeting** – **Wednesday, June 25**, at 6 p.m. on the 3rd floor.

**Free Community Breakfast** will be held on **Saturday, June 28**, from 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. This breakfast is free and open to all (donations will be accepted). Come one, come all to help, support or just have breakfast and fellowship. Hope to see you there.

The **United Women In Faith Executive Board** will meet **Monday, June 30**, at 2 p.m.

**Laundry Love Ministry** will be held again on **Monday, June 30**, at 4:30 p.m. at the Southtown Cleaning Village, 355 S. Main Street in Marion. They are in need of Laundry Detergent. Please bring your donations to the church. Thank you!

**Liturgist, Greeter & Acolyte, and Bell Ringer** sign-up sheets for July – September are being passed through the pews this morning.

If you would like to help **decorate for Vacation Bible School**, we will be meeting **Wednesday, July 9**, from 5 – 8 p.m. This will be organized similarly to Christmas, all decorations will be provided and in the assigned rooms. I appreciate any help. Please see Sarah Lambert if you have any questions.

**VBS CARNIVAL** - Kick-Off Carnival will be held on **Saturday, July 12**, from 10 a.m. to noon in the church parking lot. We plan to have a wide variety of games, face-painting, a Bouncy House, and Snocones. There will be prizes! FREE admission!

**Vacation Bible School** - Our theme for this year is CAMP FIRELIGHT, A Summer Camp Adventure With GOD. VBS will be held here at PSUMC from **July 13 through July 17**. We are planning on serving a light supper for the children beginning at 5:30 each evening. Our program starts at 6 p.m. in the Sanctuary. See the flyer for supplies needed for VBS.

**Watch our services on YouTube!** Just go to our website and click the YouTube link. Our website address is: [www.prospectstreetumc.com](http://www.prospectstreetumc.com).

**Service DVD's for Shut-Ins!** We have DVD's available of our 10:30 a.m. worship service for anyone who would like to borrow or have a copy. We are delivering DVD's on Monday mornings!

**Memorial Pavers** can be ordered for summer installation. If you would like to purchase a paver for the Memorial Park, forms are available on the library table located in the south alcove. The pavers can be in memory of loved ones who have passed away, or in honor of anyone or anything that you would wish to praise. Cost of a paver is \$75.00. Order forms can be turned in to the office.

**E-Tithing** is an automatic withdrawal from your checking account and is remitted automatically to the church. We can set it up so it will deduct from your checking account on the 1<sup>st</sup> and/or the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. Contact the church office for more information!

**Kroger Community Rewards** – Please enroll in the Kroger Community Program. Go to [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com) and all the details on creating an online account are there. Under Community Rewards make sure you search and select “Prospect St. United Meth. Chur” our Organization number is VF478. Thank you!

**Attendance June 8:** Sunday School - 31

Worship Services – 22/94

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