



Trinity Evangelical Church

The Lord's Day
August 24, 2025

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: Our help is in the name of the LORD,
Assembly: **who made heaven and earth.**

Scripture Reading

I lift up my eyes to the hills.
From where does my help come?
My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.
Behold, he who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.
The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade on your right hand.
The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.
The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.
The LORD will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.
(Psalm 121:1-8, ESV)

Prayer of Praise

Singing: *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*
Only a Holy God

CONFESSION OF SIN

Exhortation

Prayer of Confession

Scripture Reading

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness
and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,
in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.
(Colossians 1:13-14, ESV)

CONSECRATION

Singing: *The Son of God Goes Forth to War*
(Cantus #666)

Scripture Reading: Esther 1:1-12

Prayer of Supplication

Singing: *How Lovely, Lord of Hosts, to Me*
(Psalm 84 — Cantus #155)

Prayer for the Word

Preaching:

“Ballyhoo and Banquets”
Or, Setting Up a Story of Providence
Esther 1:1-12

Offering

Singing: *O Sing a New Song to the Lord*
(Psalm 98 — Cantus #181)

COMMUNION

Singing: *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*
In Christ Alone

COMMISSIONING

Charge and Benediction

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and
knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his
judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

“For who has known the mind of the Lord,
or who has been his counselor?”

“Or who has given a gift to him
that he might be repaid?”

For from him and through him and to him are all
things. To him be glory forever. Amen.
(Romans 11:33-36, ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today

Morning Worship 10:00 AM

Next Lord's Day – 8/31

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Life to Life Groups are not scheduled this week.

Information about L2L groups is on the back table.

Kuyperian Camaraderie

Monday, 8/25, 6:30 PM at the P. Kulishovs'

All men are invited to come and discuss various topics.

Comeford College Convocation

Tuesday, 8/26, 6:00 PM at TEC

All are welcome to the convocation and dessert reception.

Side by Side: A Study in Caring for One Another

Friday, 8/29, 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM at TEC

This study is continuing throughout the year. Flyers are on the back table. For details, contact Barbara Smith.

TEC Homeschool Co-op

Beginning the new year, Friday, 9/5, 10:00 AM to Noon at TEC or Lake Goodwin. Flyers are on the back table.

For more details, contact Kelly Bone.

Meat Eat

Monday, 9/8. More details coming soon.

Living by the Book – Learning the Inductive Bible

Study Method - Tuesdays, beginning on 9/9 at 10:00 AM

Meeting at the Dale Wibbenmeyers. Flyers are on the back table. For details, contact Ann Wibbenmeyer.

Comeford College Community Choir (C4)

Beginning Thursday, 9/11.

Rehearsals each Thursday 7-8:30 PM.

Come try it out for the first two weeks before committing.

\$50 for the semester. Concert is Thursday, 12/18, 7:00 PM.

For details contact Sonja Sarr.

50+ Ladies

Friday, 9/12, 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM at TEC.

For more details, contact Gale Light or RuthAnn Hoeglund.

General Offering (as of 8/17/2025)

2025 Goal	YTD Actual	Pace
\$485,419	\$319,967	\$11,913 Ahead

Deacons Fund

2025 Goal	YTD Actual
\$6,000	\$5,753

Deacons Fund

Designate giving for this alms/caring fund at anytime by writing "deacons fund" on the memo line or on an envelope and place it in the offering.

Noisy Little Worshippers Training Room

Mead Hall is set up for training our little worshippers.

Mothers and Infants Room

There is a room designated for mothers with infants in the small office to the right of the sanctuary.

Membership and Baptism

Application forms for baptism or membership are available at the back table. For more details, see: trinityevangel.org/membership

Communion

Gluten-free bread is available, as well as grape juice instead of wine. Just mention your preference to the elder distributing the elements.

Volunteer Opportunities

If you would like to volunteer to help at TEC, please fill out the "TEC Volunteering Opportunities" form available at the back table.

Online Information

Website: trinityevangel.org

Email: trinityevangel@gmail.com

Facebook: Look for "TEC Group" and request to be added to the group

Calendar of events: trinityevangel.org/calendar

TEC Directory: Set up One Church account - go to: tinyurl.com/teconechurch

Online giving: via your One Church account or trinityevangel.org/giving