

**Preludes**

Kit Unman

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Greeting One Another**

*"I Lift My Eyes Up"*

Kit Ulman

**Opening Prayer**

Gracious God, renew our minds with the power of your Holy Spirit. Cleanse our spirits with the mercy of your grace. Bring us into fellowship with one another and grant us courage to defend the lowly. Part the waters of our troubled thoughts, that we might see others as you see them. Protect us with your powerful hand, that we might sing of your faithfulness and dance to your glory. Amen.

**Hymn**

*"Lead On, O Cloud of Presence"*

FWS #2234

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

*Fordson Robert Fletcher*

**Vows of Baptism**

**Baptism and Prayer**

**Congregational Response**

We promise to give Rob and Gin our support as they guide Fordson in the pathways of Christ. We offer ourselves also, as people who will take Fordson into our daily lives, striving to build a community filled with the Spirit of God in which to nurture him.

**Baptismal Song**

*"I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry"*

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**A Time of Prayer/The Lord's Prayer**

**Special Music**

*"Shout to the North"*

Mike Mangan & Steve Johnson

**Scripture Reading**

Exodus 14:19-31

**Message**

*"Dealing With Our Fear"*

Pastor Cherie Forret

**Invitation to Reflection and Offering**

**Offertory**

*"Two Spirituals"*

Kit Ulman

**Prayer of Dedication**

Merciful God, transform this offering into hope and joy for a troubled world. Receive the blessings we return to you this day, and transform our ministries into instruments of your grace. Through our giving, may places of sorrow and mourning know the sound of love and laughter. Through our living, mold us into your people - a people of promise and hope, a people who live and die in the Lord. Amen.

**Hymn**

*"Wade in the Water"*

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**Final Announcements**

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

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Stay tuned for **Children's Time** with our Youth Ministry Coordinator, Carrie Vujnovich.

Immediately following the worship service!

**Trinity Church Welcomes You!**

Trinity Church-United Methodist acknowledges God claims each and every person as a beloved child. No matter who you are, where you come from, how much you have, who you love, or how you identify, we welcome everyone who wishes to grow in their faith in Jesus Christ. Regardless of where you are in your life and faith journey, we invite you to join us as we strive to serve each and every person, practicing the same inclusive love and intentional hospitality God so freely gives to us. Trinity Church protects diversity in all its forms by focusing on God's grace being available to all and living out that grace through acts of love, mercy and justice.

**ALL are welcome at Trinity Church.**

## Virtual Sunday School - Sundays 9:00AM

Today we began an online virtual Sunday School on Zoom for children who are in kindergarten to fifth grade. They will discuss the scripture with Jeni Tyjeski and Trish Moyer each Sunday morning before our online service. Look for other Sunday School teachers as special guests!

## Blessing of Animals - Sunday, September 20

We will be celebrating our annual blessing of animals on September 20 in a different way this year. Please take a picture of the animal or animals who are important to your life and send it to us by September 15. If you need someone from church to come take a picture just let us know --- we'll be giving thanks for the creatures in our lives in a special time of prayer on Sept. 20, while we share a slideshow of their pictures!

## World Communion Sunday, October 4

World Communion Sunday is the first Sunday of October; that morning - we will be serving drive-through communion in the parking lot all morning. We'll be glad to serve communion elements to occupants of each car and pray with you!

## Trinity Facebook Group

Request to join our Facebook Group here: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TrinityUMBD>.

## Let's Worship Together!

### Website & Facebook Page

Join us on [TrinityUMBD.org](http://TrinityUMBD.org) or [facebook.com/TrinityUMBD](https://www.facebook.com/TrinityUMBD) as we "go live" for our 9:30am worship service!

### Radio Broadcast

Our worship services are broadcast on AM1430 WBEV on Sundays at 11:00am. This morning's radio broadcast is given to the glory of God by an anonymous donor and Allen, Mark & Reagan Born in memory of Beatrice Born.

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## Join us for our Virtual Coffee Hour!

### Everyone is Invited.

Let's reconnect as a worshipping community by sharing a short coffee time together on Sundays at 10:30am after the worship service is over. Grab your cup of coffee and a snack, and connect with us on Zoom. The link is below or can also be found in our Facebook group. *If you need help, please email Pastor Cherie.*

Join here: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93654854812?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93654854812?pwd=ZXgyU2UyTUY3MEZPcmdDTXc1WFllZz09)

[pwd=ZXgyU2UyTUY3MEZPcmdDTXc1WFllZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93654854812?pwd=ZXgyU2UyTUY3MEZPcmdDTXc1WFllZz09).

## September Melodies in Mission

Melodies in Mission for September will be directed to the United Methodist Committee on Relief's ***US Disaster Response and Recovery***.

That program helps care for current disasters like the wildfires in the west, storms in the Midwest and along the Gulf coast. Thank you for your gifts that continue to strengthen our denominational response!