

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign up in the Social Hall to bring a dish for **next Sunday**, when it is staff's turn to host Social Hour. Can you help us out?

UWF **Off to College Drive** continues until August 30. See details in the narthex or speak with Debbie Livingston or Alta Hall.

Worship Committee meeting **today**, Sunday, August 23, 11:30 am.

Wednesday night Chancel Choir rehearsals will begin again on August 26th at 7:30 pm. The Trinity Ringers are invited to return on the same date at 6:00 pm.

TLC will be meeting on Wednesday, August 26, at 10:30 in the Opal Room.

Please submit your news/articles for the September Trinity View, by **Thursday, August 27.**

Continue gathering your donation items for the **Women's Retreat Rummage Sale**, happening on Saturday, August 29, 8:00 am until noon. You may drop off your donations in the Social Hall this **Thursday and Friday, 9-5:00.** No large furniture or clothing.

Weekly "**Women in the Bible**" study begins, Tuesday, September 8, 3:30-5:00 in the Social Hall. Details in the narthex or speak with Rebecca or Wendy. Email or call the office to register.

Welcome back Pastor Les!

Please welcome today's guest accompanist, Marian Kaser, as she opens the Worship Service with "Christians, We Have Met to Worship."



FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Please join Vera and her fabulous volunteers as they host Fellowship Hour today, immediately following the worship service.



13th Sunday after Pentecost
August 23, 2026

The Message:
"What Next?"

Rev. Les Lungren, Pastor

Opening Worship with a Chime and Lighting the Peace Candle: Joe Asire

Words of Welcome / Announcements: Joe Asire

Music to Begin Worship: “Christians, We Have Met to Worship” *tune: Holy Manna*, arr. by Mark Hayes.

***Call to Worship:** Joe Asire

Leader: God stands before the threshold of every soul.

People: We need only ask that our eyes be opened,

Leader: To the manna Jesus offers all.

People: For only in Christ and through Christ will our souls find the direction we seek in what's next.

***Opening Song:** “God of Love and God of Power” UMH 578

Passing the Peace of Christ: Joe Asire

Sung Response: “Spirit of the Living God” UMH 393

Choral Act of Praise: “Over My Head” arr. by John Bell

Young at Heart Moment / Young at Heart Blessing: Rev. Les Lungren, Pastor

Prayer Before the Word: Donna Asire

Scripture Lesson: Donna Asire

Exodus 16:4, 15, 19-20

1 Kings 19:9, 11-13, 15

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Praise be to God

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Sung Response: “His Eye Is on the Sparrow” TFWS 2146

Prayers of the People:

Giving of Our First Gifts

Musical Offering: “Hard Times Come Again No More” by Stephen Foster”, Rich Bolin, mountain dulcimer

***Doxology:**

***Prayers of Thanksgiving & Lord’s Prayer:** Joe Asire
In Unison

*Accept these gifts we humbly offer, gracious God.
Use them, and use us, to reach into places where your mystery remains hidden, where your goodness is not yet known.
Make us good stewards of your word.
Make us responsible heirs of your promises, in Jesus’ name. Amen.*

***Closing Song:** “Guide My Feet” verses 1,2,4, 6 TFWS 2208

***Words of Encouragement:**

“Shalom to You” UMH 666

Music for Going Forth: “Song Without Words, Opus 19, No. 4” Mendelssohn

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