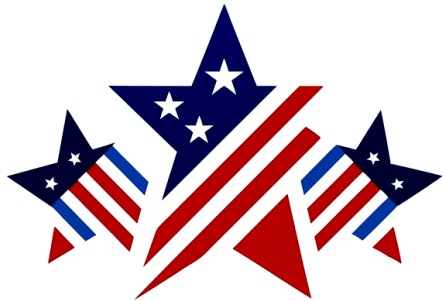


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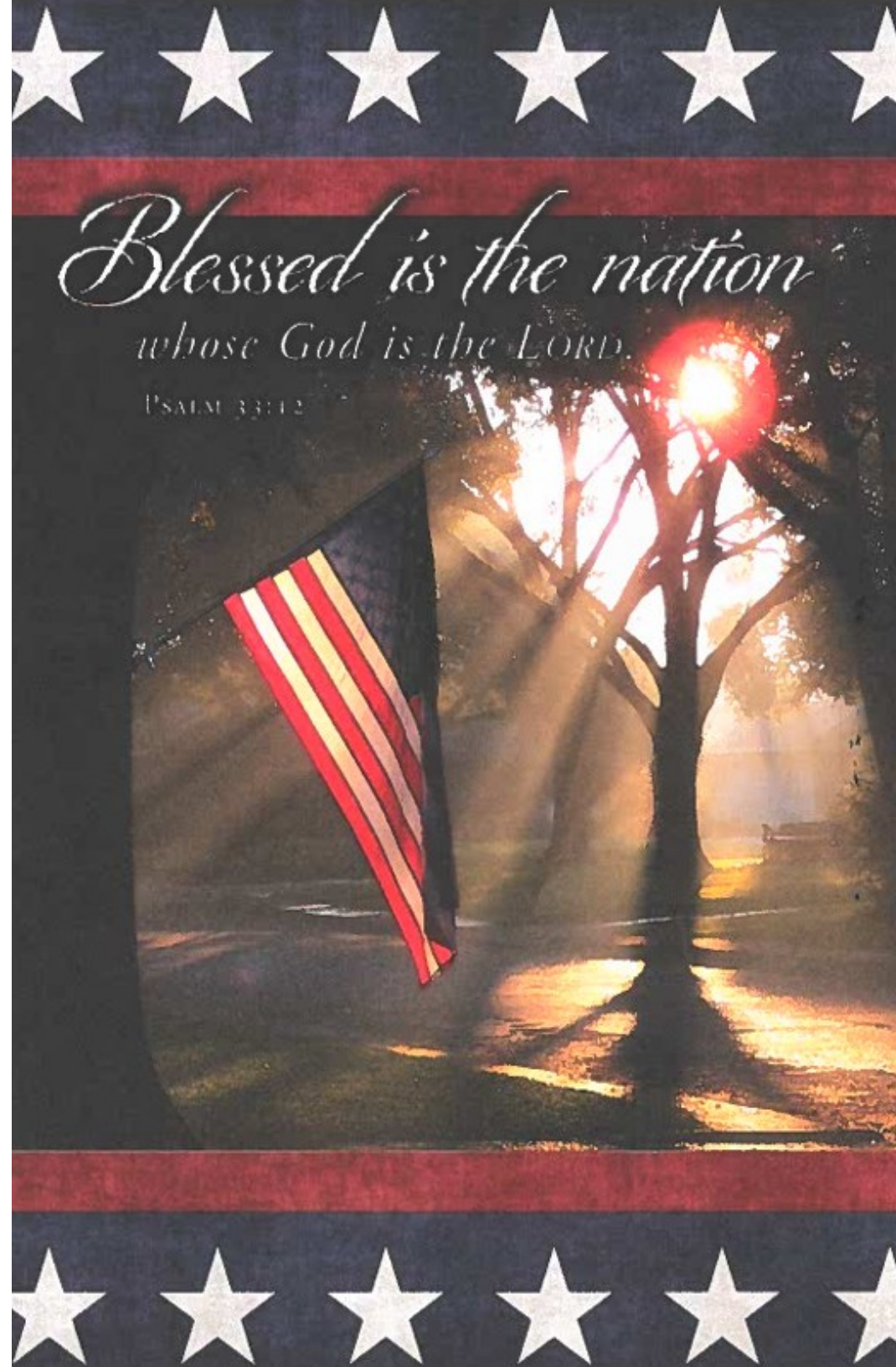
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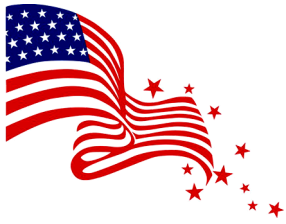
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Trinity Reformed

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PATRIOTIC SERVICE

June 28, 2026—10:30 A.M.

Our Mission: *To love God, love one another, and love the world through adoring worship, affectionate community, and active service*

**Designates "Those who are able please stand."*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Peggy Stout

PRELUDE

Marty Light, Organist

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Responsively*)

Kelly Barringer, Liturgist

There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours—

All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you and shall glorify your name—

For you are great and do wondrous things; you alone are God.

Blessed be the name of the Lord!

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN** "America, the Beautiful" #690 Blue Book

***PLEDGE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG** (*Unison*)

Natalie Travis

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

***SPECIAL MUSIC** "The Star-Spangled Banner"

Todd Dickerson

***PLEDGE TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG** (*Unison*)

Natalie Travis

I pledge allegiance to the Christian flag and to the Savior for whose kingdom it stands. One Savior, crucified, risen, and coming again with life and liberty to all who believe.

***PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND CONFESSION**

Rev. Peggy Stout

Gracious and Loving God, we give you thanks for all the blessings that we experience—

The freedom to worship you, the bounty and diversity of your creation, and the precious gift of life and your salvation.

HAPPENING AT TRINITY

Service Project Beginning NEXT Sunday!

We will be doing a youth-sponsored School Supply Drive from **July 5th—August 9th**. We hope you will consider donating some school supplies for our local schools!

Youth Night In!

We will be having a youth night in on **Sunday July 12th starting at 4:30pm**. We will be having devotional time and play games. Dinner will be provided. Let us know if you have any questions and as always, please bring a friend.



Singles & Good Timers Supper

Join us for supper at King Fish & Oyster Bar!

Tuesday, July 14th we will be having our supper at King Fish & Oyster Bar in Conover.

Plan to meet at the restaurant at **5pm**. Please join us for a time of food & fellowship, and invite a friend!

Vacation Bible School: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are currently looking for volunteers to help at our VBS this year! VBS is one of our biggest outreach opportunities. Can you help with your time or donations?

For more info, or if you have any questions, please contact Jessica Spain.

(828-228-0035)



Trinity VBS: July 19-22, 2026





Reminder:

Our church office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd in observance of Independence Day.



This Week

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE

(6-28-26)

Acolyte: Izzy Holt

Cross Bearer: John Houston

Elders: Michael Lingle and Ron Young

Treasurer's Assist.: David Kibbie

REMINDERS FOR NEXT WEEK:

Acolyte: Jacob Houston

Cross Bearer: Dennis Falder

Elders: Joye Lane and Pat Bowers

Flowers: Cindy Abel

Lay Reader: Kathy Alexander

Liturgist: David Eckard

Treasurer's Assist.: Troy Kuzmitsky

As we draw near to you during this hour, may we immerse ourselves in your healing presence.

Forgive us, O Lord, of our shortcomings as your people and as a nation. Refresh our souls and renew our minds that we may become faithful laborers in your harvest of peace, justice, and compassion in the world.

We ask all these things in the name of our loving Savior, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray:

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.

***PRAISE RESPONSE** "Morning Has Broken" (v. 3) #5 Blue Book
***Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
 Born of the first light Eden saw play!
 Praise with elation, Praise every morning,
 God's recreation Of the new day! Amen.***

(Please be seated.)

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Jillian Helton

ANTHEM

"God Bless America"
 (Congregation to join on final refrain)

Chancel Choir

***God bless America, land that I love. Stand beside her and guide her
 Through the night, with a light from above.
 From the mountains, to the prairies, To the oceans, white with foam:
 God bless America; my home sweet home,
 God bless America, my home sweet home.***

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Unison) Carolyn Reitzel, Lay Reader
***Lord God, may your Word be a lamp to our feet and a light
 to our path through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.***

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Micah 6:6-8

Carolyn Reitzel

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Peggy Stout

THURSDAY, JULY 2
 No Sweet Adelines

FRIDAY, JULY 3
 Church Office Closed

SATURDAY, JULY 4
 Independence Day



SUNDAY, JULY 5
 6th Sunday after Pentecost
 9:30 am—Sunday School (all ages)
 10:30 am—Trad. & Lahu Worship
 Holy Communion
 10:30 am—You Tube Live Stream
 11:45 am—Brotherhood Meeting

SUNDAY, JUNE 28
 Patriotic Worship Service
 5th Sunday after Pentecost
 9:30 am—Sunday School (all ages)
 10:30 am—Trad. & Lahu Worship
 Prayer Baskets
 10:30 am—You Tube Live Stream
 12-3 pm—Kids Club Pool Party at
 Conover Swim Club

MONDAY, JUNE 29

TUESDAY, JUNE 30

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1
 6:30 pm—A.A. Meeting
 No Choir Rehearsal

ATTENDANCE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

	Sanctuary	Lahu	Live Stream	Total	Offering
June 7	94	—	35	129	\$4,977.00
June 14	89	14	50	153	\$3,616.00
June 21	130	—	55	185	\$1,687.00

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*The Apostle's Creed*)

Janie Setzer

Let us confess the faith of our baptism:

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again 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.

***HYMN**

"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"

#695 Blue Book

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Invitation

Ministry of Intercessory Prayer

Offertory

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Offertory Prayer**

Rev. Peggy Stout

***HYMN**

"Let There Be Peace on Earth"

#681 Blue Book

***BENEDICTION**

(*"Passing of the Peace"*)

Rev. Peggy Stout

***CHIMES**

***POSTLUDE**

Marty Light, Organist

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**THE FLOWERS** on the altar today are given to the glory of God and in recognition of Independence Day. Thank you to all those who have played their part in our nation's history.

Given By: Ken & Shirley Poovey



## **OLD TESTAMENT READING**

*Micah 6:6-8 (NIV)*

<sup>6</sup>With what shall I come before the Lord and bow down before the exalted God? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? <sup>7</sup>Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of olive oil? Shall I offer my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? <sup>8</sup>He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

The Word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God!***



## **REMEMBER IN PRAYER & with your cards, calls, and visits:**

### **PLEASE REMEMBER**

Mabel Lawing

Charles Gantt—medical issues

Wanda Sue Ammerman

Steve Thornburg

\*Garry Hill

Jane Hamilton—at Abernethy Laurels

Shirley & Ken Poovey

Yvonne Propst

Darlene Whittaker

Jo Ann Simmons

Jeanne Whitmire

Debbie & Frank Dickerson

Aimee Falder

Elizabeth Jackson

\*Lynn Dee David

Libby Overcash

Jane Bartholomew

Carolyn Reitzel

### **OTHERS**

\*Chris Espisido (P. Setzer's friend)

\*Zack Morin (C & K Stanford's nephew)

\*Rowe Eckard (D. Eckard's brother)

\*Michael Gantt (C & B Gantt's Son)

\*Tammy Billingsley (friend of D. Crotts.)

\*Mike Simmons (T. Simmons' Brother)

\*Bill Barnard (B. Adams' Brother)

Debbie Spencer-Ahrens

### **ASSISTED-LIVING FACILITIES**

#### **SPRINGS OF CATAWBA**

**Hickory, NC 28601**

Cyndy Adams

#### **CV ASSIST. LIVING—ROCK BARN**

**Conover, NC 28613**

Jeanne Whitmire (Room 107)

#### **MAGNOLIA LANE**

**Morganton, NC 28655**

Pat Roark (Room 1)

#### **CLEMMONS VILLAGE**

**Clemmons, NC 27012**

Danna Perkins (Room 1)

### **RECUPERATING AT HOME**

Stan & Margie Griffin

Rev. Earle Potts