

June 4, 2023

Trinity Sunday

9:30 am

PRELUDE

“Arioso”

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GREETING

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Great is the Lord!

P: God’s greatness is beyond our understanding.

L: Yet God has revealed God’s self in Jesus Christ.

P: Through Jesus we have come to know the absolute love of God.

L: Lift up your hearts and praise the Lord!

P: May God continue to bless God’s people with peace. AMEN.

***OPENING HYMN #64** *“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”*

***OPENING PRAYER**

O Sovereign of the universe, we stand in your temple, proclaiming your splendor and majesty. You are the Holy One! You are full of glory! You speak, and the oaks whirl and the cedars fall! We stand in your presence in awe and humility. We stand in your presence with boldness and courage. We look and listen for your presence here today. Amen.

***APOSTLES CREED**

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ANTHEM

by Barb Nissen

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God our Light, we admit that we do indeed try to tear Christ apart; a piece of him here to support our politics, a part of him to undergird our economic views, the rest of him to bolster our fears of others. We could leave immediately to follow him, but need to wait until we see where he might lead us. We want you to look upon us with favor always but have no trouble turning our backs on those around us. Hear us as we speak. May your love become the core of our hearts, may your compassion become the words we speak, and may your hope illuminate the ways in which we serve others, even as we seek to follow the One who calls us to new life, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

DECLARATION OF PARDON

*Gloria Patri #70

CHILDREN’S SERMON

(Please sing *“Jesus Loves the Little Children”* as the children come up & leave.)

*SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 22:34-46

SERMON

Our Irreducible Core – Part II

HYMN #399

“Take My Life, and Let It Be”

THE OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Holy Lord, the whole earth is full of your glory! We are in awe of your majesty. In great kindness, you reveal yourself as the One who forgives us. You give us gifts and invite us to go into the world to tell your good news. Help us to respond in faith and go where you lead us each day. We dedicate our gifts so that our community will draw closer to you. Amen.

JOYS & CONCERNS: Carol Williams, Wesley Duhn, Teri Hall, Lynn Anderson, Denny Moore, Sharen Cassem, Marilyn Ostheimer, Jerome Millsap, Todd Hobert, Amy Herr, Darwin Schnell, Jerry Thompson, Ivan Madsen, Roxie Stevens, David Stevens and Richard Baker.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (Trespases)

*CLOSING HYMN #156

“I Love To Tell the Story”

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Shalom!

THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 4

Pastor Kevin at Annual
Conference

9:30am Worship with Jeff Griffith
10:30am Coffee & Fellowship Time
11:00am Central De Vida Worship
6:00pm Ice Cream & BINGO in
Fellowship Hall

Monday, June 5

9:00am Staff meeting
9:30am Stretch with Jan
2:00pm Bible Study

Friday, June 9

Pastor Kevin's day off
RISEFEST

Saturday, June 10

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Sunday, June 11

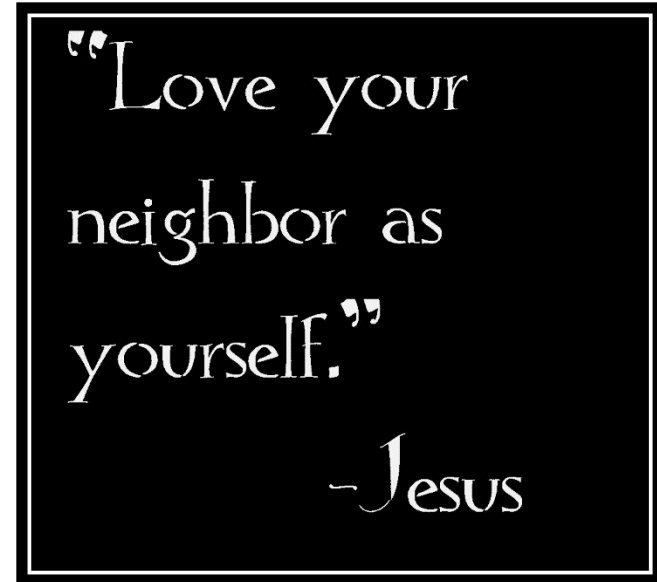
9:30am Worship with Communion
10:30am Coffee & Fellowship Time
11:00am Central De Vida Worship

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:00am- 3:00pm



**Estherville
United Methodist Church**



**Pastor Kevin Moore
Jeff Griffith
Pam Lair, Worship Leader
Sunday, June 4, 2023**

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Acolytes: Ella Soper
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Media Specialists: Larinda Mueller & Nancy Anderson

GREETER FOR TODAY:

LaVonne Slingerland Ardis Hanson Judy Iverson

GREETERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Dawn Claypool Judi Graff

USHERS:

Marlis Tribby Grace Spalding
 Sharon Ross Dennis Ross

Membership to date	639
Last Sunday	61
Same Sunday Last Year	63

Radio Broadcast: There is no sponsor for the radio broadcast today. If you would like to sponsor this week or another week, please contact the church office. It is \$65.

If you would like to use the **Church Nursery**, it is open for you and your child/children. We will no longer have attendants/nannies available so a parent/guardian will need to stay with their children. There are speakers in the nursery so you will be able to hear the service if you wish.

The SPRC is now taking applications for a **Church Custodian, Administrative Assistant and Treasurer**. If you are interested in any of these positions, please contact Deb Clague or Ryan Ross.

Media Team Needed! We are still looking for someone to train that would be responsible for Facebook streaming, running the sound system and managing the computer for visuals on the large screen. If you are interested in joining our media team, contact the office.

You asked, and the
 Hospitality Committee listened!
 They will be hosting another
BINGO night!
 Join us TODAY at 6:00pm for
ICE CREAM & BINGO
 in the Fellowship Hall!

The United Women in Faith would like to invite the women of our church and the women of other churches to their **SPRING FLING & GUEST BRUNCH!** This will be held here on June 9th from 9:30-11:00am with a program by Jackie Carpenter.

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF MARRIAGE! The family of Darvin and Marilyn Schnell would like to invite you to a celebration for their 60th Wedding Anniversary on June 11th from 2:00-4:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. No gifts please.

Be sure to join us on June 18th for worship and fellowship time to help celebrate **PASTOR KEVIN'S RETIREMENT**. A card basket will be available.

Community Events

FREE COMMUNITY BREAKFAST at the Grandview Baptist Church Gym will be Saturday, June 10th from 8:00-10:00am.

ESTHERVILLE DINNER DATE has a new caterer! Come for lunch at 11:45am to 4 N 7th Street in Estherville. Please call the day before to reserve your meal 712-380-3716.