

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Charlie Swanger by Robbie Swanger

**Birthdays August 7th thru August 13th**

07-Betsy Cassidy      08-Chris Bodle      11-Doug Lutz

**BULLETINS AND FLOWERS - August 14th**

BULLETINS - Steve and Vicki Brightbill

**Nittany Valley Benefit Dinner - Saturday, Sept 3rd**  
**from Noon to 7:00 pm - 125 Fire House Lane**  
**Hublersburg.**

**PRAYER MINISTRY** (contacts: Church Office 355-9425)

Pastor Doug Conway and family -- Trinity members at home or in assisted living -- our church and its ministries -- our community nation -- world -- Our military and families -- Desi McNichol Tanisha Ranio -- Donna Brooks -- Janet Houser -- All people afflicted with COVID-19 and caregivers and all front-line workers Bethany Schwartz -- Sonia Myers -- David Walker -- Mike Faulkner Connor Wagner -- Raymond Brooks -- Brenda Blue Tom Scornavacchi -- Scott Young -- Ed Steele -- Pat King Pastor Doug's uncles Steve, Matt and Jim -- Gerry Lynn Schultz Cathy Drysdale -- Roy Goreck -- Ed Drummond -- Mike Moyer Donna Bennett -- Robert Pluebill -- Jane Bodle -- Carole Hockman Mike Sheckler -- Robin Burns -- Trudy Snyder -- Sharon Lowe Richard Sterling -- Mark Adams -- Brittany Kay -- Harry Brooks Tony Michael and Torri -- Pat King -- Sharon Kosman Stacy Showers -- Ed Adams

**Please join us downstairs in The Gathering Room directly after worship for our Potluck Luncheon.**

***Bring the Love of Jesus Christ  
to Our World***



**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**128 W. Howard Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823**

[www.TrinityBellefonte.com](http://www.TrinityBellefonte.com)  
(814) 355-9425

[barbtumc@comcast.net](mailto:barbtumc@comcast.net) or [jconway@susumc.org](mailto:jconway@susumc.org)

Pastor James D. Conway - 570-660-6515

J. Karen Arnold -- Music Director      Barb Catherman - Secretary

**Worship: 10:00 am on Sunday; 6:00 pm on Wednesday**

08/07/2022

Trinity United Methodist Church  
Pastor James "Doug" Conway  
Sunday, August 07, 2022 10:00 am  
*Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*

(\* Indicates: Please stand if you are able.)

The Prelude:

The Greeting/Calendar

\* Hymn: To God be the Glory 98 (Red Hymnal)

\*The Call to Worship

Come!

Come and worship,

you who woke early and you who slept late;

you who come often, and you who don't.

**Whether we are first or last or somewhere in between, there is room for all of us in God's kingdom, and more than enough grace to go around.**

**Let's worship God together!**

Hymn: Shine, Jesus, Shine 2173 (Black Hymnal)

The Opening Prayer

**Almighty God, through Jesus you say to us that whoever wishes to be first must become the least and the servant of all.**

**We enter into your presence, knowing that your victory is won through the powerlessness of the cross. We come to pray that your church may be one. Teach us to accept humbly that this unity is a gift of your Spirit; through this gift, change and transform us and make us more like your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

New Testament Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:5-9

Open Our Eyes

**1. Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.**

**2. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen. Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.**

\*Gospel Reading: Matthew 20:1-16

The Message: Pastor Doug

Hymn: Amazing Grace 378 (Red Hymnal)

The Morning Prayer

The Offertory

\*The Doxology 94 (Red Hymnal)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Praise God, the source of all our gifts!**

**Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!**

**Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

\*Offering Prayer

**God of love, you abide with us; you provide for all our needs and guide us in your ways.**

**Out of gratitude for your care, we bring our gifts before you.**

**Use them for your work of caring, that all may feast at the table of abundance, walk without fear, and drink deeply from the cup of compassion. Amen.**

\*Hymn: Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast 339 (Red Hymnal)

Holy Communion 9 (Red Hymnal)

\*Blessing

**Go out from here as workers in God's upside-down kingdom, where the last are first and the first are last, where needs are met in miraculous ways, and there is grace enough for all! And may the blessing of God, the love of Jesus Christ, and the presence of the Holy Spirit surround you and sustain you in the coming days. Amen.**

\*Hymn: Spirit Song 347 (Red Hymnal)