

**Sunday, May 26**  
 8:30p.m. Coffee & Fellowship (A)  
**9:00a.m. Worship (S & livestream)**  
 10:15a.m. NO Education Hour  
 11:30p.m. FEAST Lunch (FH)  
 7:30p.m. AA Meeting (FH)

**Monday, May 27**  
*Memorial Day*  
*Office Closed*

**Tuesday, May 28**  
 1:00p.m. Bible Study (FC)  
 3:30p.m. Jubilee Rehearsal (S)  
 6:30p.m. "Cool Beans" Bible Study (BAC)

**Wednesday, May 29**

**Thursday, May 30**  
 7:00a.m. Men's Study (FC)

**Friday, May 31**  
*Synod Assembly in Kearney*

**Saturday, June 1**  
*Synod Assembly in Kearney*  
 10:00a.m. Layettes of Love

**Sunday, June 2**  
*Synod Assembly in Kearney*  
 8:30p.m. Coffee & Fellowship (A)  
**9:00a.m. Worship (S & livestream)**  
**11:00a.m. All-Synod Worship & Lunch (CR)**  
 7:30p.m. AA Meeting (FH)

A = Atrium  
 BAC = Basement Activity Center  
 CH = Chapel  
 CR = Community Room  
 CY—Court yard  
 FH = Fellowship Hall  
 FC = Founder's Center  
 HS  
 K = Kitchen  
 S = Sanctuary

## Sunday Details

**Worship:** Sundays, 9:00a.m.  
 (in person & live-stream)  
**Education Hour/Sunday School:** Sundays, 10:15

**Thank you this week to:**  
**Worship Leader:** Pastor Tobi White  
**Music:** Lily Harms, Alexa Thompson, Set Free  
**Video/Sound:** Isaac Zohner & Anna Allison  
**Altar Flowers:** Elaine Peters, in memory of Rich  
**Treats/Coffee:**

### NOTES ABOUT WORSHIP

**Holy Communion** We practice an 'open table communion,' which means that we invite ALL people to partake in the Lord's Supper. Children of all ages, with parents' permission, are also welcome to receive. White grape juice, as well as allergen-free wafers ARE available.

**Ways to give** We always accept cash or check. An offering basket is set up for when you come forward for communion.

#### Today we pray for:

**Those Needing Support:** Mary Jo Vitamvas, Victoria Heaton, Russell Wardlow, Manny Yezinai, Melanie Fowler, Kaitlyn, Jesse Blackstock, Cindy Mejia, Darlene Endsley, Bruce Cudly, Joshua Matz, Eldon Tillberg, Hunter Flink, Kris Hubbard, Deb Eschliman, Matthew Weller, Sandy Guida, Joeseeph Ridgley, Denis Schneckloth, Bonnie Nelson, Harry Herrington, Mike Skinner, Kathy Hansen

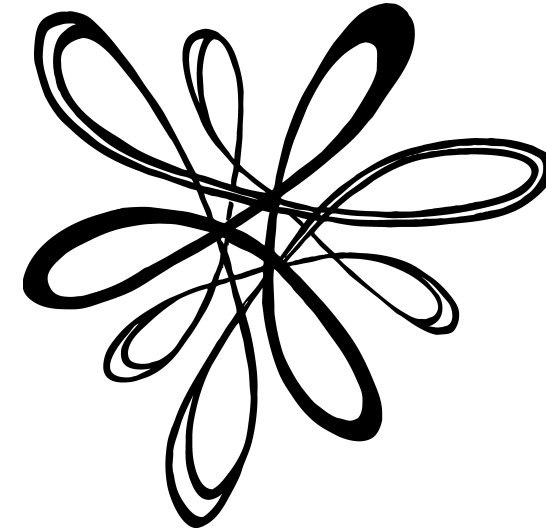
**Homebound:** Jan Albers, Betty Alm, Cooper Dennis, Sandee Fruhling, Eloise Landgren, Norm Leach, Kaye Marquart, Naomi Maske, Marlin Pals, Dwaine Rogge, Dorothy Wise

**First Responders & Military Personnel:** Coty Surrounded, Tollie Yoder, Noah Yoder, Jose Magana

**Justice & Peace:** Those impacted by last week's tornadoes

**Grieving:** Dave & June Baumgartner and family at the death of his father, Eugene Fredrick Baumgartner

**Trinity Sunday**  
**May 26, 2024**  
**9:00a.m.**



### WELCOME

We're so glad to worship with you today. We hope to make you feel welcome. Please let us know if there is anything you need.

### RESTROOMS

Restrooms are available both on the main floor and on the lower level.

### CHILDREN'S RESOURCES

A staffed nursery is available for children 3 years old and younger. A quiet room is also available for families who want some 'wobble' room and still participate in worship. Children's bulletins are available for kids to doodle on. Just ask ushers.

### WORSHIP RESOURCES

Access to the bulletin is found at [www.osllincoln.org](http://www.osllincoln.org). Additional resources can also be found on the website, including the Taking Faith Home brochure and Children's Worship Bulletins.

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Worship: Sundays, 9:00 a.m. | Education Hour/Sunday School: Sundays, 10:15 a.m.  
 Online worship available on YouTube.

ELW = cranberry hymnal in your pew. NTF = booklet found inside front cover of hymnal \* = indicates to stand  
Scripture readings come from the Inclusive Bible: First Egalitarian Translation,  
Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc.: Lanham, Maryland, 2007.

## GATHERING

### GREETING

L: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*HYMN— *“Come, Join the Dance of Trinity,”* ELW #412

### GOD THE FATHER

#### \*CREED

L: We begin our affirmation of faith.

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

READING— Genesis 1:26-27

### MESSAGE

#### \*CONFESSION

L: We confess...

All: That we are bound by our image of God as a man. We struggle to imagine God as mother, nurturer, and comforter. Yet, God is more than all these words. God is more than descriptions can identify. In your abundant creativity, inspire in us a holy imagination that helps us recognize your truest nature—Abundant Lover. Amen.

\*HYMN— *“God of the Sparrow,”* ELW #740, vs. 1-3

### GOD THE SON

#### \*CREED

L: We continue our affirmation of faith.

All: 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 seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

READING— John 1:1-5

### MESSAGE

#### \*CONFESSION

L: We confess...

All: That we often forget God’s Word is a living, breathing being. That our lives our bound up in the person of Jesus through his life, death and resurrection. That Christ is a title and commission that compelled Jesus to show God’s love to the world. Help us recognize the identity of ‘Child of God’ in all of your children. Amen.

\*HYMN— *“He Comes to Us as One Unknown,”* ELW #737, vs. 1, 4-5

### GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT

#### \*CREED

L: We conclude our affirmation of faith.

All: 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.

READING— John 3:7-8; Romans 8:26-27

### MESSAGE

#### \*CONFESSION

L: We confess...

All: That we understand the work of the Holy Spirit the least. That the Spirit’s inspiration within us is often thwarted by our attempts to be in control. And that we may feel threatened by the Spirit’s movement among us. Open our eyes to see your grace abounding in our midst. Amen.

\*HYMN— *“O Living Breath of God,”* ELW #407, vs. 1, 3

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

L: Hear us, O God.

All: Your mercy is great.

## MEAL

### \*PASSING THE PEACE

L: The peace of Christ be with you always.

All: And also with you.

OFFERING/ANTHEM— *“This I Believe,”* by Matt Crocker & Ben Fielding

### \*OFFERTORY PRAYER

### \*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

L: ...With this bread and cup we remember your Son, and await his coming.

All: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

L: We look to your Holy Spirit...whose fire rouses us to love.

All: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

L: We long for you, Gracious God...

All: Amen.

### \*LORD’S PRAYER

### DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

*“Amazing Grace/My Chains Are Gone,”* insert  
*“Here is Bread,”* ELW #483

### POST-COMMUNION BLESSING | BENEDICTION

## SENDING

### MILESTONES

\*HYMN— *“The Trees of the Field,”* insert

### \*DISMISSAL

### DISCIPLESHIP & FAITH FORMATION

**Cool Beans Bible Study** meets Tuesdays, at 6:30pm in the Basement Activity Center. Study continues of the “Sermon on the Mount”. No class on June 11th. Contact Dan Warren or Karrie Lickliter with questions or call the church office. 402-483-4126

**Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study** Is studying Book of Daniel on Tuesdays 1pm in the Founder’s Room with a zoom option.

**Vacation Bible School** Registration is open! VBS will take place at OSLC June 17-21, 2024. The theme is “Who is my neighbor?” Register on our website: [www.osllincoln.org](http://www.osllincoln.org)

### EDUCATION HOUR (Sundays, 10:15a.m.)

May 26—NO Education Hour

June 2—Synod Worship ‘watch party’ @ 11am

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH

**Star City Pride Participation** We will be participating in this year’s parade and vendor fair, June 7-8, 2024. We’re asking those who will be walking in the parade on Saturday at 10am to sign up with us. We’ll share gathering time/place with you. Window clings are available for a \$5 donation.

**Yesterday’s Youth** Thursday, June 6th, 12pm in the Community Room. Come & have fun brainstorming ideas for future gatherings following our Potluck Meal. There will be prizes for suggestions, ex: the silliest, the most eco-friendly, the most colorful, etc. There will also be two drawings for \$25 dollar gift certificates for those in attendance. Questions? Contact Karrie: 402-430-5383

**Garden Starts** Anyone seeking to donate seeds or plants for our vegetable garden, please talk to Lindsey @ [foodministry.oslc@gmail.com](mailto:foodministry.oslc@gmail.com).

*Worship with Nebraska Synod!*



**Sunday, June 2, 11:00a.m.**

**@ OSLC in the Community Room**

This year’s Synod Assembly will take place on Saturday and Sunday. The synod congregations are invited to worship alongside the assembly via a live-streamed service on Sunday morning. We will still provide worship at 9am. The 11am service will take place in the Community Room around our weekly meal, serving as communion. Please RSVP to [foodministry.oslc@gmail.com](mailto:foodministry.oslc@gmail.com) to reserve your meal.

## The Trees of the Field

Text: Isaiah 55:12, adapt. by  
Steffi Geiser Rubin

Music by Stuart Dauermann

You shall go out with joy—and be led forth with peace:— the  
 moun-tains and the hills will break forth be-fore you; there'll be shouts of joy,  
 — and all the trees of the field will clap, will clap their hands.  
 And all the trees of the field will clap their hands,— the  
 trees of the fields will clap their hands,— the trees of the field will  
 clap their hands— while you go out with joy.—

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## Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Text by Johns Newton (verses)  
Additional lyrics by Chris Tomlin and  
Louie Giglio

Tune: NEW BRITAIN  
Arr. and Chorus by  
Chris Tomlin and Louie Giglio

1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound That saved a wretch like  
 2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear; And grace my fears re -  
 3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me; His word my hope se -  
 4. The earth shall soon dis solve like snow, The sun for - bear to  
 me! I once was lost but now am found; Was blind, but now I  
 lieved. How pre - cious did that grace ap pear; The hour I first be -  
 cures. He will my shield and por - tion be As long as life en -  
 shine. But God who called me here be - low, will be for - ev - er  
 see. lieved. My chains are gone, I've been set  
 mine. (End) dures.  
 free. My God, my Sav - ior has ran - somed me. And like a  
 (Back to Beginning)  
 flood His mer - cy reigns, un - end - ing love, a - maz - ing grace.

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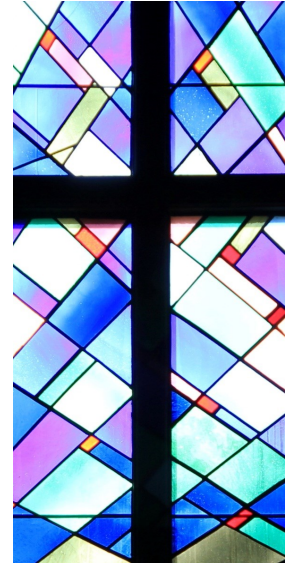
**Youth Gathering  
New Orleans Trip**

**Pizza Fundraiser**

With the help of Lindsey and any willing volunteers, we will be making pizzas to take home on Sunday, June 16th. Last day to place orders is **Sunday, June 9th.**

Orders can be placed by calling Karrie (402-430-5383), our office (402-483-4126), completing a hard copy form at the church, or online at <https://osllincoln.org/pizza-orders>. Cost is \$15/pizza.

Options include: **Cheese, Pepperoni, Hamburger, and Supreme.** Pick up on



**OSL Foundation  
Memorial Gifts**

**Mary Ann Barton**—in memory of Ben Splichal Larson

**Lisa & Tony Dresbach**—in memory of parents, Gene Wahrman & Connie Dresbach

**Stu & Denise Essman**—in memory of Lawrence & Jean Essman & Clayton & Carol Snover

**Nancy Haberstitch**—in memory of Mary & Jerry Brees

**Rachel Humann**—in memory of Cindy Humann

**Mike & Jody Rapp**—in memory of Leonard & Edna Rapp & Gerald & Sharon Rehm

