

# Holy Trinity United Methodist Church

**August 9, 2026**

**9:30am**

# God in the Dark: The Battle For Your Mind

*If you have a prayer request today, please fill out the card in your pew rack and hand it to an usher during the offering.*

# Prelude

# Welcome

## Call to Worship

## Centering Time

Hymn                      “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy” (verses 1-3)                      Hymnal 121

## Kids' Time

Scripture Genesis 37:1-4 and 12-28

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| Special Music | “A Hard Rain’s A-Gonna Fall”<br>written by Bob Dylan | Marly Bahmer<br>Kim Bahmer-Rada |
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Message Rev. Leigh Brown

## Offering

Doxology                      “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”                      Hymnal 94

**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!**

## Joys and Concerns

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

## Announcements

Hymn

## “Be Thou My Vision”

Hymnal 451

## Blessing

## Postlude

Marly Bahmer  
Kim Bahmer-Rada

## Holy Trinity's Reconciling Statement

Holy Trinity United Methodist Church follows God's directive to love all and welcome all with open arms. We celebrate God's gift of diversity and value the wholeness made possible in community equally shared and shepherded by all. We welcome and affirm people of every gender identity, gender expression, and sexual orientation, who are also of every age, race, ethnicity, physical and mental ability, level of education, and family structure, and of every economic, immigration, marital, and social status, and so much more. We acknowledge that we live in a world of profound social, economic, and political inequities. As followers of Jesus, we commit ourselves to the pursuit of justice and pledge to stand in solidarity with all who are marginalized and oppressed.

**Worship Leaders**

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| <b>Pastor:</b> Rev. Leigh Brown<br>pastor@htumc.org<br>(651) 245-4889 | <b>Church Admin:</b> Tina Chant<br>office@htumc.org<br>(952) 447-2990 |
| <b>Choir Director:</b> Randi Erlandson                                | <b>Liturgist:</b> Dan Stanley                                         |
| <b>Bell Choir Director:</b> Kay Petterson                             | <b>Ushers:</b> John and Darla Bauchle                                 |
| <b>Pianist/Vocalist:</b> Randi Erlandson                              | <b>Greeters:</b> Harold Jensen and Kathy Nelson                       |
| <b>AV Coordinator:</b> Janean Mestnik                                 | <b>Fellowship Hosts:</b> Maia and Vic Noer                            |
| <b>Nursery:</b> Maria German & Kathy Nelson                           | <b>Kids' Church:</b> Nursery Only                                     |

**This Week:**

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|--------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday, August 10  | 2-6pm<br>5-7:30pm<br>6:30pm<br>7:00pm  | Hope Café & Pantry<br>VBS at Glendale UMC<br>Core Team Meeting<br>Al-Anon Meeting (Fellowship Hall)               |
| Tuesday, August 11 | 12:00pm<br>2-6pm<br>5-7:30pm<br>7:00pm | UW Faith Picnic at Wild's Park<br>Hope Café & Pantry<br>VBS at Glendale UMC<br>Codependents Anonymous (Parsonage) |
| Wednesday, Aug. 12 | 3:00pm<br>5-7:30pm                     | Coffee & Ice Cream at Culver's<br>VBS at Glendale UMC                                                             |
| Sunday, August 16  | 9:30am                                 | Worship/Live-Stream                                                                                               |



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**Prayer Requests:**

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