

## Church Events

- **Men's Prayer Breakfast**  
Sunday, October 6 at 7:00 am
- **Women's Bible Study Class**  
Sundays at 8:30 am
- **Men's Bible Study Class**  
Sundays at 8:30 am
- **Youth Sunday School Class**  
Sundays at 9:00 am
- **Worship (Nursery available)**  
Sundays at 10:00 am  
Children's Church during worship
- **Red Cross Blood Drive**  
Monday, October 7 at noon - 6:00 pm
- **Youth Fellowship Lock-In**  
Friday, October 18 at 7:00 pm
- **LEO at The Country Farm House**  
Thursday, October 24 @ 6:30 pm
- **"The Come Back Effect" Book Study**  
- Dates & Times TBD

*Happy fall*

# Trinity *Times*



October 2024



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# Pastor's Page



## ***“Donut Miss the Opportunity”***

Diabetes runs in my family. If, instead of diabetes running, I ran, things might be different for me.

Probably not.

I live in Gibsonburg. “Ideal Bakery” is located in the heart of Gibsonburg. “Ideal” means “to satisfy one’s conception of what is perfect.” You know, perfect, like righteousness. Blasphemy? No, truth. It’s the pastry palace of perfection. When God’s kingdom is established on earth, it will have an Ideal Bakery. Further, I’ve heard that every time the bakery door bell rings, an angel gets its wings. That angel was a person formerly struggling with healthy eating, but now he’s an angel. Good for him. He got the best of both worlds.

“Ideal” is located on a street corner. That’s interesting because with one little tap of the spacebar, “Ideal” turns into “I deal.” I now have a “dealer” on the corner of 300 and 600. Hello, I’m Travis, and I donut have a problem.

Traffic laws require that I stop at red lights. The bakery is next to the only traffic light in town. I believe in equality of opportunity, therefore, I stop at

the traffic light in Gibsonburg no matter what color is illuminated- red, yellow, or green. That gives me an equal opportunity to say, “Oh, look! The bakery!” I don’t discriminate based on color.

Further, my daughter works at Ideal Bakery. When I go out of my way to do something unexpected for her, she often buys me donuts to say, “Thank you.” What kind of father would I be if I declined my sweet daughter’s sweet gifts? The Bible states that we are to be cheerful givers, and my daughter would have no cheer if I turned them down. That would be unbiblical. Also, we are to be good stewards of what God has given us. Clearly, wasting a donut, or two, or twelve would be a sin.

What would happen to my daughter’s job if we didn’t eat donuts? Eat them for the children. Variety is the pumpkin spice of life, so one of each flavor ought to work.

No matter what stands in my way, I’ll figure out the proper inspiration to get there. There are many motivations to reach the “Ideal,” but there’s only one ideal.

Jesus is the shelter for those who need protection. He’s the peace for those who are disrupted. He’s the answer for those questioning and truth for those who have suffered from lies. He’s the strength for the weak and encouragement for those who are disheartened. He knows what we need and he wants us to fill those needs.

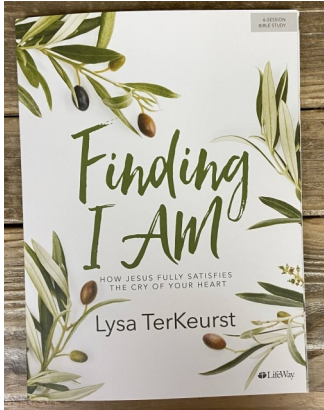
Come to the throne of the ideal, no matter what brings you. He’ll give you what you need.

(P.S. I know there’s an Ideal Bakery in Fremont. It’s still the same business. Just roll with it.)

- Pastor Travis Montgomery



## Fall Women's Study 2024

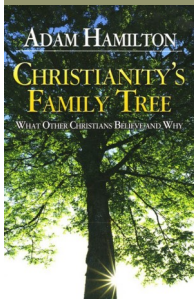


The fall Women's Bible Study group gathers each Sunday morning at 8:30 am in the basement classroom now through October 20th. Together we dive into Lysa TerKeurst's series called "Finding I Am." Join us to explore the seven "I AM" statements of Jesus found in the Gospel of John.

Each week, we will start with a light breakfast, fellowship and prayer. (Even if you aren't able to attend all six weeks, please consider coming when you can.)

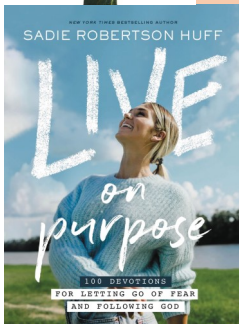
If you are interested in doing a deeper dive of this study with personalized activities during the week between our Sunday gatherings, you will want to order your own copy of the book *Finding I AM* by Lysa TerKeurst (available on Amazon). Purchasing the book is NOT a requirement to participate.

Contact Andrea Smith at 419-463-4841 or by email to [asmith2707@gmail.com](mailto:asmith2707@gmail.com) if you have any questions. We hope you will consider this study and look forward to seeing you on Sunday mornings.



## Fall Men's Study 2024

The Men's Group meets in the Fellowship Hall Conference Room Sunday mornings at 8:30 am now through November 3rd. We are diving into: "Christianity's Family Tree, What Other Christians Believe and Why", by Adam Hamilton. A light breakfast is included. If you wish to purchase a study guide to follow along, they can be purchased online for around \$12.00, but the study guide is not necessary. If you have any questions. Please contact Ryan Smith 419-680-6301



## Youth Sunday School Class

We meet at 9:00 am every Sunday - open to all youth grades 7 & up.

This year we will explore Sadie Robertson-Huff's book "Live on Purpose: 100 Devotionals for Letting Go of Fear and Following God." At each class we will share the best and worst part of our week, enjoy snacks, share great conversations, play games, and grow closer to God.

See Tammy Jahns (419-559-7840) for more information.



## Children's Church

During the 10 am Worship Service!

Open to all kids potty trained - 5th grade

"Digging Into the Life of Jesus" Lead kids in walking Jesus' footsteps from his birth to his resurrection and ascension.

Go to <https://www.lindseytrinity.org> & click "Children's Church Registration" or send a completed registration form with your child(ren) to class.

Classes will be offered during the school year until Memorial Day weekend. To volunteer as a Children's Church Teacher, please see Carol Montgomery.



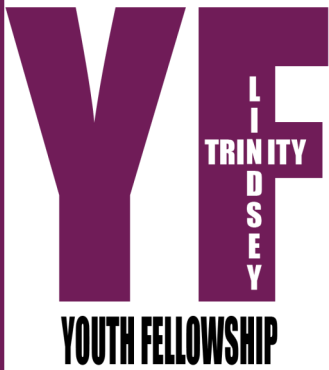
Pastor Travis is hosting a book study open to everyone in the congregation who is interested in joining.

"The Come Back Effect" teaches the kind of hospitality that encourages visitors to return and grow our congregation. Meeting dates and times to be determined.

The church will purchase the books for anyone who wants to participate, or you may purchase your own if you would like.

See Pastor Travis for more information.

**Introducing Ethan Lantz, Becky Jahns & Marissa Overmyer  
as our new Youth Fellowship leaders!**



Our Youth Fellowship group had a great time at the YF Bonfire in September. They played games, had good food, and of course good fellowship. Ethan led the devotional and talked about learning and seeing God through the eyes of a child. Overall a great night, and looking forward to the next one.

## YF Lock-In

**Friday, October 18th at 7:00 pm - Saturday, October 19th at 8:30 am**

Grades 7 - 12 Join us for pizza, games, & a devo by Ethan

Bring sleeping bag, pillow and a snack or drink to share.

Parent permission forms required, text Becky for more info at 567-201-0667.

## LINDSEY *Trick or* TREAT

Sunday, Oct. 27th

4:30-6:00 pm



## L.E.O. (Ladies Eat Out)

In September, the ladies enjoyed dining at the Front Nine in Kansas, OH.

Join us October 24 at 6:30 pm at  
The Country Farmhouse located at  
117 E Main St, Wayne, OH 43466.

Please RSVP to  
Barb Opelt at 419-215-0400,  
Ruth Zimmerman at 419-334-1960  
or Cate Knipp at 419-680-9066.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

## BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, October 7  
Lindsey Trinity Church  
Fellowship Hall  
Noon - 6:00 pm



## For the Love of Liz

Ginny Chambers has graciously donated two bags of memory care materials for members of our church to use when visiting their loved ones with memory loss.

*"For the Love of Liz* is my way of honoring the memory of my sister, Liz Doust. She spent the last years of her life in a senior memory care unit. Engaging Liz was very important to me. I found a company called Relish which has memory care materials. I assembled many of their materials in this bag to share with other caregivers. The bag has been donated to Lindsey Trinity Church for use by caregivers when they spend time with their loved ones."

- Ginny Chambers

Materials in the bag include: Puzzles, Aquapaint book, brush and water container, Wordsearch, Wooden marble track maze, Brain Games sticker by number book, deck of cards, and Relish brochures.

## MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Sunday, October 6 @ 7:00 am



## You've made a difference for Yamukelo!



Yamukelo is a 9 year old girl in the country of Eswatini in South Africa sponsored by Lindsey Trinity Church.

We recently received an update about her from World Vision. Yamukelo is currently in fourth grade and she is in good health. This year she and her family benefited from clean water safety training. She participated in Children's camp where

she was free to play and have fun with her friends in a safe environment. Her family attended a child protection workshop to learn and understand the rights of children and how to report a suspected case of child abuse. She took part in a birthday celebration. She said, "I felt valued during a special celebration for children in my community who share birthdays."

**You are helping families feed their children and give them a better life. God bless you!**



National Wreaths Across America Day will take place on Saturday, 12/14/24. Wreaths will be placed on the graves of service men and women at the Lindsey Cemeteries. Many buried in Lindsey no longer have family in the area, so extra donations are appreciated. For information or to donate visit: [www.wreathscrossamerica.org](http://www.wreathscrossamerica.org)

### August 2024 Offering Report

August 2024 offering = \$11,064.89  
August 2023 offering = \$12,618.43  
August 2024 need = \$14,150.00



Scan the QR Code to give through Easy Tithe



## LINDSEY LIONS FOOD DRIVE

Saturday  
**OCT. 12**  
W.C. Miller Park  
**10 - noon**



**Un-expired canned food (NO GLASS), non-perishable food items, paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, etc.), personal care products (toothpaste, toothbrush, deodorant, shampoo, soap, etc.), laundry soap... Monetary donations always needed!**

The truck will also be at Creek Bend Farm from 1-3 pm that same day, during their "Farm Day Celebration"



**Everyone is invited to join us and help fill boxes at the shoebox packing party November 10th in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service.**

We also have empty shoeboxes at the back of the sanctuary for you take home & fill.

**The cost to ship each box is \$10.**

If you'd like to contribute to the shipping cost, you may put your donation in the offering plate and mark it "OCC".

**Our goal is to ship over 200 boxes!**

You can also build a shoebox online at <https://samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/buildonline>

Contact Bob & Trish Dahlie for more information at 419-956-1517



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 Office hours: most Wednesdays 6-7 pm  
 & Fridays noon - 4:00 pm  
 Prayer chain: cate.knipp@gmail.com  
 Live streaming on Facebook & Instagram  
 at 10:00 am on Sundays.

# CELEBRATE!

## October Anniversaries

10/16 Robert & Mary (Jaquillard)  
 Catalano  
 10/21 Ryan & Sarah Zimmerman  
 10/24 Anne & Tim Arnold  
 10/24 Rod & Barb Opelt  
 10/26 Tonya & Nate Craft

## October Birthdays

10/1 Ashley Schroeder  
 10/2 Nick Arnold  
 10/2 Carter Craft  
 10/3 Jonas Jaquillard  
 10/4 Ella Eppley  
 10/11 Easton Coe  
 10/14 Brianna Montgomery  
 10/14 Marcia Rauch  
 10/14 Faith Zimmerman  
 10/14 Lauren Zimmerman  
 10/17 Eowyn Montgomery  
 10/21 Rebecca Minick  
 10/21 Ben Opelt  
 10/23 Larry Hasselbach  
 10/23 Zane Tolbert  
 10/25 Megan Evans  
 10/26 Tonya Craft  
 10/26 Darin Draeger  
 10/26 Tyler Ritchey  
 10/27 Eve Kiser  
 10/28 Sharon Sutton  
 10/30 Dylan Maynard

\*Email lindseytrinity@amplex.net  
 to be added to the  
 birthday & anniversary list\*

## Please Pray for:

Corey Beard	Jacob Hasselbach	Cheryl & Smokey
Jerry Beard	Beth Holcomb	Overmyer
Greg Bigadza	Jeff Holcomb	Paul Parkhurst
Gary Boyer	Don & Helen Hollis	Grant Reed
Hazel Brown	Judy Knipp	Larry & Jane Schaffer
Sharon Busson	Audine Leeper	Penny Schroeder
Myla Jo Chapman	Austin Mabus	Jera Shehorn
Doug Cheek	Clyde & Janet	Shelly Sherman
Sean Connors	Michael	Sara Siegfried
Bill Draeger	Becky Minick	Dick Sievert
Judy Drusback	Grant Montgomery	Megan Steffens
Jack Eppley	Ann Mussell	Lori Stout
Brian Geller	Chris O'Brien	Sharon Sutton
Lisa Haas		Marcus & Anna Tille

To be added to the Prayer Chain, send an email to cate.knipp@gmail.com.

## October Worship Assistants

<b>Ushers</b>	Kathy Arndt, Becky Baker, Beth Holcomb and Barb Opelt			
	<b>October 6</b>	<b>October 13</b>	<b>October 20</b>	<b>October 27</b>
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Anne Arnold	Linda Eppley	Tom Waugaman	Cate Knipp
<b>Acolyte</b>	Ellie Hetrick	Gavin & Landon Voelker	Eowyn Montgomery	Ellie Hetrick
<b>Nursery</b>	Megan Parkhurst & Becky Jahns	Kay Yeagle & McKenzie Montgomery	Tammy Jahns & Kennedy Waugaman	Tim Arnold & Abigail Montgomery
<b>Children's Church</b>	Chris Opelt & Eowyn Montgomery	Anne Arnold & Peyton Montgomery	Barb & Megan Parkhurst	Erika Montgomery & Gavin Voelker
<b>Greeters</b>	Matt & Erica Overmyer	Jim & Barb Parkhurst	Alex Durbin Family	Ben & Alex Opelt
<b>Open &amp; Close Church</b>	Ryan Smith	Jim Lipstraw	Barb Opelt	Eric Jahns
<b>Media</b>	Eric & Tammy Jahns	Becky & Allen Jahns	Eric & Allen Jahns	Russ Zimmerman & Ryan Smith