

**BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald, Pastor

Dennis Morgan, Liturgist

Gail Tutt, Worship Music Leader

Trinity Sunday

Morning Worship

9:00 a.m.

May 31, 2026

Prelude

A Special Welcome to Anne Calder and Rich Garrett from the Quad City Community Foundation

Announcements

Call to Worship

“Come, let us sing to the Lord;  
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**Let us come into God’s presence with thanksgiving;  
let us make a joyful noise to the Lord with songs of praise!”**

\*Hymn #139, “Come, Thou Almighty King”

\*Confession of Faith

I saw another angel coming down from heaven,  
having great authority, and the earth was illumined by his  
splendor. He called out with a mighty voice,

**“Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great!  
It has become a dwelling place of demons,  
a haunt of every foul spirit,  
a haunt of every foul bird,  
a haunt of every foul and hateful beast.  
For all the nations have fallen.”**

Then I heard another voice from heaven saying,

**“Come out of her, my people,  
so that you do not take part in her sins  
and so that you do not share in her plagues,  
for her sins are heaped high as heaven,  
and God has remembered her iniquities.”**

\*Assurance of Pardon

“See, the home of God is among mortals.  
The Lord will dwell with them;  
they will be God’s peoples,  
and God himself will be with them and be their God;  
God will wipe every tear from their eyes.  
for the first things have passed away.”  
Believe and share the Good News!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

**In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!**

\*Gloria Patri

Team Jesus

Offering / Offertory Music

\*Doxology #592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading **Revelation 12 and 13**, pg. 252

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

**“Evil As An Invasive Species”**

\*Hymn #420, “God of Grace & God of Glory”

\* Prayers of the Community and the Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy  
will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and  
forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into  
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and  
the glory, forever. Amen.**

\*Hymn (*please see insert*), “Once to Every Man & Nation”

\*Charge / Benediction

\*Congregational Response (*please see insert*), “Father, I Adore You”

Postlude

*\*Indicates to stand as you are able – for everyone to rise in spirit.*

## Welcome to Beulah!

Christ calls us into community, so we are glad to be with you today. Everyone is invited to have refreshments, which are in the Narthex right outside of the sanctuary. Stay for as little or as long as you like, but let someone know you are glad they are here! If you are interested in bringing goodies to share, the sign-up book is by the sanctuary door.

### Today, May 31 | Giving Focus & Catered Lunch after Worship:

A 45-minute presentation by the QC Community Foundation on the Beulah Endowment and estate planning will be in our Fellowship Hall.

Please welcome our two guests from the Quad City Community Foundation. They will be presenting information on the Beulah Endowment and the tax benefits:

#### Anne Calder, CAP®

##### Vice President of Philanthropy

Anne serves as vice president of philanthropy at the Quad Cities Community Foundation, where she supports gift planning and philanthropic services. Her work encompasses planned giving, stewardship and donor engagement, nonprofit endowment building initiatives, and disaster fundraising—helping donors and partners make a lasting impact in the Quad Cities region and beyond. A Chartered Advisor in Philanthropy® (CAP®), Anne brings expertise in guiding individuals and organizations through strategic, values-based charitable planning. Her career in philanthropy includes previous roles with the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, and nearly a decade at Augustana College in Rock Island, Illinois. Anne serves on the boards of the Alliance of Illinois Community Foundations and the Quad City Planned Giving Council. She and her husband live in Geneseo, Illinois.

#### Rich Garrett

##### Senior Philanthropic Advisor and Director of Gift Planning

Rich helps donors achieve their giving goals as the Senior Philanthropic Advisor and Director of Gift Planning. Rich earned his bachelor's degree from Western Illinois University School of Business and holds the designation of Certified Financial Planner. He brought over 30 years of financial services experience to the Community Foundation. Rich currently serves on 3 non-profit boards: QC Summer Games, The Salvation Army, and as president of the Quad City Planned Giving Council.

Session has called a  
**Congregational Meeting to be held next Sunday, June 7,**  
during worship service for the sole purpose of electing Deacons and Elders.

### Beulah Calendar

Sunday	May 31	9:00am	Worship after Worship	Giving Focus & Catered Lunch in our Fellowship Hall
Sunday	June 7	9:00am	Worship / Communion / Food Pantry Collection / Congregational Meeting	Last day to RSVP to attend the Bridal Shower on June 13 for Jennie Abbott & Lucas Althaus

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### Upcoming Events & Special Sundays (Note: Subject to Change)

**June 14 | Rhubarb Day:** Enjoy homemade rhubarb treats after the service, coordinated by Carol Browning.

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### Bridal Shower

All the ladies of Beulah are invited to a bridal shower honoring **Jennie Abbott and Lucas Althaus!!!** Join us on Saturday, June 13th at 11:00am for food, fun and fellowship. We would love to see a large turn-out to help us celebrate the happy couple.

Please RSVP to Lynn Fritz or Sherrill Hills by June 7th.

We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Jennie and Lucas are registered at Target and Farm & Fleet.

<https://www.target.com/gift-registry/gift/thealthaus>

<https://www.farmandfleet.com/gift-registry/view-list/40965/408B83C3F2596989151FDBFBD0A0C2504DOEF116/>

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### Prayer List

Lindsey Breiby	Rich Cox	Heather DeHaven
Robert DeVries	Martha Green	Bill Pinger
Donna Pinger	Dylan Preston	

- ♥ Joyce King
- ♥ Don Paulsen
- ♥ Terry Vincent
- ♥ Jackie Williams

### Missionary relatives and friends of our church family

Ted & Kim Treadway in Guatemala.

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### This week's Home Study Lectionary Readings

Gen 12:1-9	Ps 33:1-12	Hos 5:15 – 6:6	Ps 50:7-15
Rom 4:13-25	Matt 9:9-13, 18-26		