

# TRINITY DAYS SCHEDULE

## Thursday, September 24

7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Registration and coffee <i>Koinonia Center</i>
9:00 a.m.	Opening worship & presentation of awards <i>Gloria Dei Worship Center</i>
10:30 a.m.	First Presentation, Brian McLaren <i>Gloria Dei Worship Center</i>
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch and book signing <i>Koinonia Center</i>
1:00 p.m.	Second presentation, Brian McLaren <i>Gloria Dei Worship Center</i>
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Free time; visit bookstore
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Alumni reception <i>Koinonia Center</i>
5:00 p.m.	Homecoming dinner <i>Koinonia Center</i>

## Friday, September 25

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.	Workshops
10:15 a.m.	Prayer at football field
10:30 a.m.	Homecoming Flag Football Game Alumni vs. Students <i>On the Capital University campus</i>
12:00 p.m.	Lunch <i>Christ the Teacher Courtyard, Trinity</i>

# ABOUT THE PRESENTATION & SPEAKER

**Brian McLaren** is an author, speaker, pastor and networker among innovative Christian leaders, thinkers, and activists. His groundbreaking books include *A New Kind of Christian*, *A Generous Orthodoxy*, *The Secret Message of Jesus*, and *Everything Must Change*. Named by *Time* magazine as of one America’s top 25 evangelicals, McLaren has appeared on *Nightline* and *Larry King Live*, and has been covered by *The Washington Post* and the *New York Times*. During his time at Trinity, McLaren will be presented with the Joseph A. Sittler Award for Theological Leadership.

McLaren’s overarching theme for Trinity Days is “Christian Identity and Mission Tomorrow.” He will explore this theme through the following presentations:

- Christian identity in a multi-faith world
- Christian mission in an unsustainable economy

Immediately following his presentations, McLaren will board a plane and fly to Washington, D.C., where he will lead an event at the National Cathedral with environmentally-oriented interdenominational and multi-faith partners. This event has been scheduled as a way to respond to Pope Francis’ *Laudato Si* encyclical on climate change, which calls attention to “the cry of the earth” and “the cry of the poor,” as well as the Pope’s speech to a joint session of Congress on the afternoon of September 24.

In his response to Trinity’s invitation to be the keynote speaker for Trinity Days, McLaren wrote: “I hope that in some way the link between Trinity Days and the National Cathedral event can enrich my time with you.” Given Trinity’s commitment to ecological stewardship and the growing gap between the rich and the poor, we welcome McLaren’s insights about the connection between Christian mission and care of the planet.

McLaren graduated with a master’s degree in English from the University of Maryland, and holds two honorary Doctor of Divinity degrees from Carey Theological Seminary and Virginia Theological Seminary. In 1982, after eight years teaching college English, McLaren helped form Cedar Ridge Community Church, a missional emerging church in Spencerville, Maryland. He served as their pastor from 1986-2006, when he left to become a full-time author and speaker.

# FRIDAY WORKSHOPS

Participants are invited to choose from a variety of workshops related to the Trinity Days theme. Presenters include Trinity faculty and alumni. More information about the workshops will be forthcoming and available on the Trinity website, TLSohio.edu.

# TRINITY DAYS REGISTRATION

Registration deadline: **September 2, 2015**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Billing address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Seminary \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

I will be attending with \_\_\_\_\_

If you have special dietary needs (gluten free, vegan) please e-mail  
Communications@TLSohio.edu

## Trinity Days Program

The cost of registration is **\$40 per person** (through September 2) and **\$20 for a spouse**. Late registration is \$50 per person (after September 2).

*Please insert the number attending*

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\_\_\_\_\_ Trinity Days \$40 (includes lectures and lunch); \$50 late registration  
\_\_\_\_\_ 2015 Alumni Association member rate \$30 (includes lectures and lunch)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Spouse registration \$20 (includes lectures and lunch)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Trinity Days Total**

**Join/Renew Alumni Association Membership for 2015**  
*(If you join the Alumni Association and send in your dues with this form, you are eligible for the Trinity Days \$30 member rate)*

\_\_\_\_\_ Annual membership dues \$50  
\_\_\_\_\_ Graduate couple dues \$75  
\_\_\_\_\_ Retirees or those in the first 5 years of ministry dues \$25

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Membership Dues Total**

ALUMNI CELEBRATION EVENTS

Homecoming Dinner

Thursday, September 24

(Dinner not included in Trinity Days program registration)

Please insert the number attending

\_\_\_\_\_ Class of 1965 or earlier attending banquet at no cost

\_\_\_\_\_ Spouse attending at no cost

\_\_\_\_\_ Alumnus/na attending dinner at a cost of \$20 per person

\_\_\_\_\_ Additional guest attending \$20

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Homecoming Dinner Total

Homecoming Flag Football Game and Lunch

Friday, September 25

The football game and lunch are free and open to all alumni.

Please indicate if you plan to attend in order to help us plan for this event.

Thank you!

\_\_\_\_\_ I /We plan to attend the homecoming flag football game and lunch (no cost)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL ENCLOSED

Payment Method

\_\_\_\_\_ Check enclosed (payable to Trinity Lutheran Seminary)

\_\_\_\_\_ Credit card (provide account information below)

\_\_\_\_\_ Visa    \_\_\_\_\_ MC    \_\_\_\_\_ Discover    Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Send registration form and payment to Trinity Lutheran Seminary.  
Attention: Trinity Days, Trinity Lutheran Seminary, 2199 East Main Street,  
Columbus, Ohio 43209, 614-235-4136.

You may register online at [www.TLSohio.edu](http://www.TLSohio.edu). Additional information,  
including hotel accommodations, will also be available on the Trinity website.

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BRIAN McLAREN

SEPTEMBER 24 & 25, 2015

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