



Trinity Presbyterian Church
An Inviting Community Following Christ For Life

9:30 am

October 24, 2021

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Prelude	<i>O Christ, the Healer</i>	Brian Kain
Welcome		The Rev. Dr. Faulkner
Staying Connected		Pam Dougherty

PRAISING THE LORD OUR GOD

Call To Worship		The Rev. Ms. Craven
Prayer of Adoration		The Rev. Ms. Craven
Hymn 380 (vss. 1 & 2)	<i>O Christ, the Healer</i>	
Call to Confession		The Rev. Ms. Craven
Prayer of Confession (unison)		The Rev. Ms. Craven

**Gracious Creator,
You alone are the Source of Wholeness;
You are the true Emancipator;
You are our only Comfort
in life and in death.
Aware of your nearness,
we are aware that we are not entirely whole,
nor completely free,
nor fully comfortable with our following of Christ.
Have mercy on us
according to your inexhaustible compassion,
not according to our faithlessness.**

**Continue to heal us till we know
the wholeness you have given us.
Continue to free us till we live
the full liberty of the children of God.
Continue to grow our faith in Christ till
your comfort is our true home.
This we offer to you, Holy God,
trusting in Christ's intercession for us. Amen.**

Assurance of God's Mercy Thanks be to God!		The Rev. Ms. Craven
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**Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning,
is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

HEARING GOD'S HOLY WORD

Prayer for Illumination

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Gospel Lesson

Mark 10: 13-52

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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Thanks be to God.

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner

Anthem

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee
Adult Choir

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flow'rs before You,
Op'ning to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day!

All thy works with joy surround thee,
earth and heav'n reflect thy rays,
stars and angels sing around thee,
center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain,
call us to rejoin in thee.

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee!

Thou art giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
well-spring of the joy of living,
ocean-depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother,
all who live in love are thine;
Teach us how to love each other,
lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the mighty chorus,
which the morning stars began;
love divine is reigning o'er us,
binding all within its span.
Ever singing, march we onward,
victors in the midst of strife;
joyful music leads us sunward
in the triumph song of life.

Joyful, joyful we adore Thee Sing unto
the Lord.

We adore thee, Lord of love!

RESPONDING TO CHRIST'S CALL

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

GOING OUT TO SERVE IN THE SPIRIT'S POWER

Sending Hymn 280 (vss. 1 & 4)

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

Charge and Pastoral Benediction

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Silent Prayer

Postlude

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

Brian Kain

***We regret that at this time we will not be continuing with Fellowship Hour in the Fellowship Hall after worship. This decision was made in order to keep everyone as safe as possible. Bottled water will be available at the front of the church outside.

We hope you will stay for some outside fellowship/conversation
with your Trinity friends.***

TRINITY AT WORK AND WORSHIP
An Inviting Community Serving Christ For Life
Loving God, Welcoming All, Helping Many

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner, Senior Pastor/Head of Staff
The Rev. Ms. Sarah Craven, Associate Pastor
The Rev. Mr. Barry Gruver, Parish Associate
The Rev. Dr. James D. O'Dell, Pastor Emeritus
Jenny Stark, Clerk of Session
Lisa K. Marcelli, Director of Music
Brian Kain, Music Associate

Let Us Pray for Members of Our Church Family: Melinda Hall, Dorothy Rathje, Phyllis Johnson, Bill & Susan Greenwood, Betty Young, Erica Heyer, Marie Willem, Dale Long, Linda Thorpe, Ruth Kain-Palmer, Marcia Spatola, Dick Wolbach, Nancy Hickman.

Friends and Family: Jim Moore (Donna Allen's father), Ilene Kreadle (Wilson family friend), Jan (George Sanders' friend), Terri Skill (Steve Skill's wife), Richard D'Eustachio (Carol D'Eustachio's husband), Drew Young (Heather Young Keagle's uncle).

Let us pray for all those of our Trinity family who are serving in the United States Military: Cory Allen, Connor Barnes, and Connor Strobel. We thank them all for their service to our country.

Large Print Bibles and Hymnals are available in the Narthex. Along with Bulletins!

Pastoral Care – Dr. Faulkner is available to you for prayer, counsel and comfort in times of need. If there is an urgent need, contact Dr. Faulkner at 609-273-8110.

Please silence all electronic equipment during the worship service.

Please remember to sign the Fellowship Register. Maintaining connections with our membership is critical to the health of our community, so thank you for helping us with this important outreach by signing in every time you attend worship!

Visit our website at www.trinpres.org for all of the current news, information and updates about everything that's going on at Trinity!

PLEASE notify the church office if your address, email or phone number changes. You can email Pam Dougherty at pam.dougherty@trinpres.org **OR** you can indicate any changes on the Fellowship Register sheets. Thank you!

EasyTithe, our online giving option, allows you to make your offering electronically. This option makes giving more convenient for you (no more checks to write) and ensures consistency in your giving which helps the church manage its cash flow requirements better. EasyTithe can be accessed through your computer, tablet and cell phone. The setup process is very straightforward and can be accomplished in just a couple of minutes. To sign up, go to Trinity's home page and click on "Online Giving" or go directly to www.easytithe.com/trinpres.



An *EasyTithe* app is also available for download to your tablet or cell phone. Once you're set up, you can also text a gift in one simple step! Our phone number for text giving is 856-238-5444.

We encourage all members to establish automatic recurring gifts using *EasyTithe*.

Sunday Church School Schedule

Nursery-Kindergarten (main building)

Pick up is immediately after the conclusion of the service

No Nursery care is being at this time (for the children's safety)

Room #6 Twos and Threes (must be 2 1/2 yrs. old by Oct. 1, 2021)
through Kindergarten

Witherspoon Center

Dismissal is 10 minutes after the conclusion of the worship service

Room #2 First- Third grades

Room #5 Fourth- Sixth grades

*****Parents, please drop off children kindergarten age and younger at their classrooms *before* the service.**

Racism Study- Join our ONE CHURCH ONE BOOK study project for the 2021-2022 program year by reading Jemar Tisby's book **How to Fight Racism**. We are also offering two ZOOM opportunities each month for small group discussion and response planning to this compelling text. We will read one or two chapters each month according to the schedule. The calendar and more information can be found in the September issue of Tidings or email the study leader, Pat Weikart at: patweikart1952@gmail.com

Discussing the Gospel of John— has begun this month. If you are interested in this study or want more information about it, please contact Dr. Faulkner directly at: greg@trinpres.org

From Children's Ministries – In-person Church School has resumed for children age 2-1/2 through Grade 6. Three groups are offered (2-1/2 year old through Kindergarten, class meets downstairs in the main Church building), Grades 1-3 and 4-6 (classes meet in Witherspoon Center). Children should report directly to their class location on Sunday mornings.

And we're excited to announce the launch of *new and exciting Church School programs, starting on Sunday November 7th*. These new programs will help our children to participate in Trinity's mission programs and promote family worship and learning. Watch for more details in November Tidings!

This Week at Trinity

Sunday, October 24

9:30 am Worship Service
9:30 am Church School (PreK-6th Grade)
10:45 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
11:30 am Esther Circle– Witherspoon Center
11:15 am Youth Bells
7:00 pm Sr. Highs– Witherspoon Center

Monday, October 25

7:30 pm BASIC

Tuesday, October 26

10:00 am Care 'n Share Shop

Wednesday, October 27

6:15 pm Commissioning– Witherspoon Center
6:40 pm Adult Bells Rehearsal
7:00 pm Cub Scouts– Community Room
7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 28

10:00 am Mission Thursday– Witherspoon Center
10:00 am Care 'n Share Shop
12:00 pm Alzheimer's Support Group—Witherspoon Center
4:30-5:00 pm Cherub Choir
5:00-5:30 pm Carol Choir
5:30-6:00 pm TEAM Choir
6:00-6:30 pm TEAM Bells
8:00 pm AA Group—Witherspoon Center

Sunday, October 31

9:30 am Worship Service
9:30 am Church School (PreK & K) 1st—6th grades will attend worship **TODAY**
10:45 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
11:15 am Youth Bells

Trinity Presbyterian Church Vision and Values
An Inviting Community Serving Christ for Life
Loving God, Welcoming All, Helping Many

At Trinity we:

- believe the Holy Spirit empowers us to reach out to others in order to serve God by sharing the good news of Jesus Christ. It is this truth that governs all that we do and all that we are.
- worship as a community of faith gathering in the Triune God's presence to further our knowledge of Scripture, participate in the Sacraments and gain inspiration for our lives. Music is part of our worship in that it enhances the spoken words of worship in an uplifting multigenerational manner. We offer our musical gifts to the Lord.
- affirm that members of all ages contribute to the rich tapestry of our witness, interests and talents. We encourage others to join us. Through fellowship all members are supported on a communal and personal level as our church family gathers for many purposes.
- acknowledge the blessings the Triune God has bestowed upon us and we respond by offering our time, talents and treasure as a dynamic sacrifice in gratitude to the loving and caring God.
- recognize the importance of life long learning to further our knowledge of God and better grow in our relationship with God, our families and our Community.
- experience the love of God revealed in Jesus Christ and go from our worshipping fellowship into the world to serve others.

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