



# Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

JANUARY 1, 2023

## REFLECTION & PREPARATION

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP.....REVELATION 15:3-4

Great and marvelous are Your deeds, LORD God Almighty.

**Righteous and true are Your ways, King of the ages.**

Who will not fear You, O LORD, and bring glory to Your name? For You alone are holy.

**All nations will come and worship before You, for Your righteous acts have been revealed.**

### \*DOXOLOGY

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.

### \*INVOCATION

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE .....ANGELS, FROM THE REALMS OF GLORY

Angels, from the realms of glory,  
Wing your flight o'er all the earth;  
Ye who sang creation's story,  
Now proclaim Messiah's birth:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

Shepherds, in the fields abiding,  
Watching o'er your flocks by night,  
God with man is now residing,  
Yonder shines the infant Light:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

Sages, leave your contemplations,  
Brighter visions beam afar;  
Seek the great Desire of nations,  
Ye have seen His natal star:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

Saints before the altar bending,  
Watching long in hope and fear,  
Suddenly the Lord, descending,  
In His temple shall appear:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

### SCRIPTURE READING.....GENESIS 1

**HYMN OF ADORATION**.....O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,  
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem!  
Come and behold Him - born the King of angels!

**O come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him,  
Christ the Lord!**

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation,  
O sing, all ye bright hosts of heav'n above!  
Glory to God, all glory in the highest!

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning,  
Jesus, to Thee be all glory giv'n:  
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing!

**CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

**Lord Jesus, my sins cannot be numbered,  
I have been guilty of pride and unbelief,  
and of neglect to seek you in my daily life.  
My sins and shortcomings present me with a list of accusations,  
but I thank you that they will not stand against me,  
for all have been laid on Christ.  
Deliver me from every evil habit, every interest of former sins,  
everything that dims the brightness of your grace in me,  
everything that prevents me taking delight in you. Amen**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON** .....ROMANS 5:17

“For if, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man,  
much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and  
the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.”

**\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE** .....MAN OF SORROWS

"Man of Sorrows!" what a name For the Son of God, who came  
Ruined sinners to reclaim! Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, In my place condemned He stood -  
Sealed my pardon with His blood; Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Guilty, vile and helpless we, Spotless Lamb of God was He;  
Full atonement! can it be? Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Lifted up was He to die, "It is finished!" was His cry;  
Now in heav'n exalted high: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

When He comes, our glorious King, All His ransomed home to bring,  
Then anew this song we'll sing: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

**SHEPHERDING PRAYER** .....RE SAM LAMBRECHT

**SERMON** .....THOM WATSON

**1 Thessalonians 5:12-24**

<sup>12</sup> We ask you, brothers, to respect those who labor among you and are over you in the Lord and admonish you, <sup>13</sup> and to esteem them very highly in love because of their work. Be at peace among yourselves. <sup>14</sup> And we urge you, brothers, admonish the idle, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with them all. <sup>15</sup> See that no one repays anyone evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to everyone. <sup>16</sup> Rejoice always, <sup>17</sup> pray without ceasing, <sup>18</sup> give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. <sup>19</sup> Do not quench the Spirit. <sup>20</sup> Do not despise prophecies, <sup>21</sup> but test everything; hold fast what is good. <sup>22</sup> Abstain from every form of evil.

<sup>23</sup> Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>24</sup> He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

# SERMON NOTES

## PRAYER IS A LIFESTYLE

1 THESSALONIANS 5:12-24

MAIN POINT: CONSISTENT PRAYER SHOULD BE EVIDENT IN EVERY BELIEVER

IT IS PART OF CHRISTIAN LIFE

IT IS PART OF GOD'S WILL

IT IS A REMINDER OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** .....JOY TO THE WORLD

WORDS: ISAAC WATTS MUSIC: GEORGE FREDERICK HANDEL

Joy to the world! the Lord is come;  
Let earth receive her King;  
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room,  
And heav'n and nature sing,  
And heav'n and nature sing,  
And heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the earth! the Savior reigns;  
Let men their songs employ;  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains.  
Repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

No more let sins and sorrows grow,  
Nor thorns infest the ground;  
He comes to make His blessings flow  
Far as the curse is found,  
Far as the curse is found,  
Far as, far as the curse is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace  
And makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness,  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders, wonders of His love.

**\*BENEDICTION**

# BULLETIN BOARD

## 2023 BIBLE READING PLAN AVAILABLE

Join us as we continue our three-year Bible reading plan and develop a new habit or reinforce an old one: reading God's word every day! The plan is simple - usually just one chapter a day. The Session is regularly praying for your growth in Christlikeness - God's Word is one of the primary means He uses to change our lives and make us more like Jesus. Reading His Word together provides both accountability and deeper fellowship in our body. Laminated copies of the 2023 plan are available on the information counter.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST NEXT SATURDAY

A men's breakfast is planned next Saturday, January 7, at 8 am. Another men's breakfast is planned on Saturday, February 4 at Shoney's. For more information, talk to Woody Watford.

## REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

**Ministry Partner:** Roger & Dianne Smalling, writing and publishing reformed literature for training programs and seminars in Latin America

**Our Troops:** pray for Hunter Warren who is stationed at Eglin Air Force Base in FL and all of our troops and their chaplains around the world

**Church of the week:** Hilton Head Presbyterian; Bill McCutchen, pastor

## TRINITY FAMILY

**Betty Lamigo:** continued strength and stamina during her transition to hospice care

**Wayne Walling:** recovering at home after recent hospitalization and treatment completion

**Joe Junquet:** continued healing of his nerves

**Melonie Anderson:** recovering from surgery after badly broken wrist

**Theresa Hickson:** clear diagnosis of cause for ongoing respiratory issues

**Claudia Wilkes:** for her kidney function to continue at 25 percent to avoid dialysis

**Lawton Porter:** ongoing therapy

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

# THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

STAFF	
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CALENDAR		
SUN 1/1	10:30AM	MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 1/3	6:30AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
SAT 1/7	8:00AM	MEN'S BREAKFAST @ SHONEY'S
SUN 1/8	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
GENESIS 2	GENESIS 3	GENESIS 4	GENESIS 5	GENESIS 6	GENESIS 7

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**HERE!**

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