



building God's Church...blessing our community
THE LORD'S DAY JANUARY 19, 2020

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP**.....FROM PSALM 139:1-4, 7-8, 13-18, 23-24

O LORD, you have searched me and known me! You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from afar.

You search out my path and my lying down and are acquainted with all my ways. Even before a word is on my tongue, behold, O Lord, you know it altogether.

Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? If I ascend to heaven, you are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there!

For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.

Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well. My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.

Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them.

How precious to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them! If I would count them, they are more than the sand. I awake, and I am still with you.

Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts!

ALL: And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

***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**.....LET US LOVE & SING & WONDER

WORDS: JOHN NEWTON MUSIC: LAURA TAYLOR

Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder, He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with His blood (Repeat) - He has brought us nigh to God

Let us love the Lord Who bought us, pitied us when enemies
Called us by His grace and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes
He has washed us with His blood (Repeat) - He presents our souls to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord, our strong salvation, holds in view the conqueror's crown
He, Who washed us with His blood, (Repeat) - Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder grace and justice join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is justice smiles and asks no more
He, Who washed us with His blood, (Repeat) - Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted Him before us, now their praises fill the sky
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood (Repeat) - Thou art worthy Lamb of God

SCRIPTURE READING.....MATTHEW 9

HYMN OF ADORATIONLOVE DIVINE ALL LOVES EXCELLING
No. 92

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
GENESIS 12	GENESIS 13	GENESIS 14	GENESIS 15	GENESIS 16	GENESIS 17

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 PARDONROMANS 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 ASSURANCEO LOVE THAT WILL NOT LET ME GO

WORDS: GEORGE MATHESON MUSIC: CHRISTOPHER MINER

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe, that in thine ocean depths its flow,
may richer, fuller be.

O light that followest all my way, I yield my flickering torch to thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray, that in thy sunshine's blaze its day,
may brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain, & feel the promise is not vain,
that morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red,
life that shall endless be.

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to record your attendance in the black folder as it is passed down the row.
Visiting? Please fill out a **Connect Card** and bring it to the Welcome Table in the Narthex after the service.

OFFERTORY

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE MARK FORD

SERMONJOHN 11:17-27

¹⁷ Now when Jesus came, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb four days. ¹⁸ Bethany was near Jerusalem, about two miles off, ¹⁹ and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them concerning their brother. ²⁰ So when Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, but Mary remained seated in the house. ²¹ Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. ²² But even now I know that whatever you ask from God, God will give you.” ²³ Jesus said to her, “Your brother will rise again.” ²⁴ Martha said to him, “I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.” ²⁵ Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, ²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?” ²⁷ She said to him, “Yes, Lord; I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, who is coming into the world.”

SERMON NOTES

IMPERFECT FAITH IN A PERFECT SAVIOR

JOHN 11:17-27

A DESPERATE SITUATION (GIVES US A DEEP SENSE OF HUMILITY)

JESUS' IDENTITY AS OUR RESCUER (GIVES US A DEEP SENSE OF SATISFACTION)

SHAKY FAITH IS SUFFICIENT FAITH (GIVES US A DEEP SENSE OF HOPE)

*HYMN OF RESPONSECOME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY

WORDS & MUSIC: MATT PAPA, MATT BOSWELL, & MICHAEL BLEECKER

Come behold the wondrous mystery, in the dawning of the King.
He, the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity.
In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come!
Look to Christ who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous mystery: He the perfect Son of Man,
in His living, in His suffering, never trace nor stain of sin.
See the true and better Adam, come to save the hell-bound man,
Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law, in Him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous mystery: Christ the Lord upon the tree.
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory!
See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold,
Bringing many sons to glory: grace unmeasured, love untold!

Come behold the wondrous mystery: slain by death, the God of life.
But no grave could e'er restrain Him; Praise the Lord! He is alive!
What a foretaste of deliv'rance, how unwavering our hope.
Christ in power resurrected, as we will be when He comes.

*BENEDICTION

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Ed & Vicki Germann - serving with International Students, Inc. in the Southeast and Great Lakes regions.

Our Troops: pray for our troops and their chaplains around the world

Church of the week: Two Rivers Pres, North Charleston; Jeremy Mullen, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Brush Babb: in the loss of his mother

Brooke Pantaleon: recovery from recent surgery, ongoing treatment for breast cancer

Louise Beckett: recovery from heart procedure, possible upcoming knee replacement surgery

Linda Wactor: wisdom for doctors in better managing her pain

Claudia Wilkes: recovering from ankle surgery

Lawton Porter: recovery and therapy after brain aneurysm

Linda Wells: neuropathy, improved stamina

Mark Cash: suitable employment

Willie Lou Jackson: at The Oaks in Orangeburg

Christie Churchwell: relief from headaches

Ann Betsill: at Calhoun Convalescent Center

BULLETIN BOARD

POLLY'S PANTRY FOOD BANK NEEDS TO BE REPLENISHED

In 2019, Polly's Pantry gave away 25 large bags of food! Thank you to everyone who gave food last year. The pantry is low and needs to be restocked for 2020. If you would like to donate to continue helping to bless our community, please pick up a list of requested items on the information counter. Make sure all expiration dates are 2020 or later - we do not need any canned vegetables. If you have any questions, see Jane Junquet.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE IN CHARLOTTE JAN 31 - FEB 1

Have you ever wondered what difference it would make if we actually believed we were better when we were hinged together to Christ and one another? A conference for women called "Hinged: Vitally Connected to Christ and His Church" is planned in Charlotte January 31 - February 1 to explore this important concept through a focus on the book of Ephesians. A sign-up sheet is on the information table - see Shea Patrick for more information.

SIGN UP FOR TRIP TO HELP MNA DISASTER RESPONSE IN ROME, GA

A trip to help at the MNA Disaster Response Warehouse in Rome, GA is planned for February 7-8. Work tasks will include packing flood buckets and hygiene kits, building shelves for additional storage, and minor repairs on trailers. The group plans to leave Orangeburg at 3 pm on Friday, Feb. 7, work at the warehouse Saturday from 9 am to 4 pm, and return home by 9 pm. The cost of a motel room for Friday night will be about \$60 per person if two people share a room. Other costs will include meals and possibly fuel. A sign-up sheet for the trip is on the information counter - please sign up no later than Wednesday, January 29. You can also sign up by emailing the office. For more details, see Woody Watford.

HELP US UPDATE THE CHURCH DIRECTORY

A copy of the current church directory is on the information counter - please make any changes or corrections needed so we can keep the directory up-to-date.

TRINITY READING TOGETHER

Join us as we return to year one of our three-year Bible reading plan and develop a new habit or reinforce an old one: reading God's word every day! Laminated copies of the 2020 Bible reading plan are available on the information counter and on the church website under the "Connect" tab. Reading assignments are printed in Sunday's bulletin each week, and the scripture reading in corporate worship each Sunday is that day's assignment from the plan.

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

SERVING	JANUARY 19		JANUARY 26	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-3	Gresha Steffen	Tamara & Mary Rickenbaker	Kathy Forwood	D'Lynn Polson & David Myers
USHERS	Mark Ford, Peter Forwood, Wayne Walling, Sam Reid			

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Larry Adicks, Linda Bonnette, Brian Henson, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson	

CALENDAR		
SUN 1/19	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 1/21	6:30AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 1/22	6:30PM	DWELL MIDWEEK WORSHIP
SUN 1/26	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

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