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THE LORD'S DAY

MARCH 2, 2025

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP**.....FROM PSALM 33 & 34

Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear Him, on those who hope in His steadfast love.

**Our souls wait for the LORD; He is our help and our shield.
Our hearts are glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name.**

The eyes of the LORD are toward the righteous and His ears toward their cry.

The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.

***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**IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE
No. 25

SCRIPTURE READING.....1 TIMOTHY 6

READER: The Word of the Lord
CONGREGATION: **Thanks be to God**

HYMN OF ADORATION.....JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL

WORDS: CHARLES WESLEY MUSIC: GREG THOMPSON

Jesus, lover of my soul, Let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll, While the tempest still is high.
Hide me, O my Savior, hide, Til lifes storm is past;
Safe into the haven guide; Receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, I helpless, hang on Thee;
Leave, oh leave me not alone, Support and comfort me.
All my trust on Thee is stayed, All help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenseless head In the shadow of Thy wing.

Thou, O Christ, are all I want, Here more than all I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, Heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is Thy Name, I am all unrighteousness;
False and full of sin I am; Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found, Grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound; Make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art, Let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart; For all eternity.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Most merciful Father, we have sinned against and are guilty before you.
Forgive us the sins of our tongues—
For deception and untruthfulness in our dealings with others;
for resentment, coldness, impatience,
and tempers out of control.(Silence)**

**Forgive us for the sins of our eyes—
For impurity in our glances and imagination;
for pining after more beauty, comfort, status,
and wealth than you have given us. (Silence)**

**Forgive us the sins of our hearts—
For hard-heartedness towards you and our neighbors;
for pride, self-absorption, and self-pity;
and above all, for rebelling against your Lordship
and doubting your love. (Silence)**

**Forgive us, we pray, most merciful Father,
and free us from our sin.
Renew us in the grace and strength of your Holy Spirit,
for the sake of Jesus Christ your Son, our Savior. Amen.**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....ROMANS 8:1**

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.”

***HYMN OF ASSURANCE.....NOW WHY THIS FEAR**

VERSES: AUGUSTUS TOPLADY, 1772 MUSIC & ADDITIONAL WORDS: DOUBLAS PLANK, 2011

Now why this fear and unbelief? Has not the Father put to grief
His spotless Son for us? And will the righteous Judge of men
Condemn me for that debt of sin Now canceled at the cross?

*Jesus, all my trust is in Your blood
Jesus, You've rescued us
Through Your great love*

Complete atonement You have made And by Your death have fully paid
The debt Your people owed No wrath remains for us to face
We're sheltered by Your saving grace And sprinkled with Your blood

How sweet the sound of saving grace
How sweet the sound of saving grace
Christ died for me

Be still my soul and know this peace The merits of your great high priest
Have bought your liberty Rely then on His precious blood
Don't fear your banishment from God Since Jesus sets you free

***SONG OF PREPARATIONSPEAK O LORD**

WORDS & MUSIC: KEITH GETTY & STUART TOWNEND

Speak, O Lord as we come to You to receive the food of Your Holy Word.
Take Your Truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness
That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience, holy reverence, true humility.
Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.
Cause our faith to rise cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority.
Words of power that can never fail, let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord and renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time, that will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.
Speak O Lord till Your church is built and the earth is filled with Your glory.

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE MICHAEL SALLEY

SERMON.....GENESIS 40

¹ Some time after this, the cupbearer of the king of Egypt and his baker committed an offense against their lord the king of Egypt. ² And Pharaoh was angry with his two officers, the chief cupbearer and the chief baker, ³ and he put them in custody in the house of the captain of the guard, in the prison where Joseph was confined. ⁴ The captain of the guard appointed Joseph to be with them, and he attended them. They continued for some time in custody.

⁵ And one night they both dreamed—the cupbearer and the baker of the king of Egypt, who were confined in the prison—each his own dream, and each dream with its own interpretation. ⁶ When Joseph came to them in the morning, he saw that they were troubled. ⁷ So he asked Pharaoh's officers who were with him in custody in his master's house, "Why are your faces downcast today?" ⁸ They said to him, "We have had dreams, and there is no one to interpret them." And Joseph said to them, "Do not interpretations belong to God? Please tell them to me."

⁹ So the chief cupbearer told his dream to Joseph and said to him, "In my dream there was a vine before me, ¹⁰ and on the vine there were three branches. As soon as it budded, its blossoms shot forth, and the clusters ripened into grapes. ¹¹ Pharaoh's cup was in my hand, and I took the grapes and pressed them into Pharaoh's cup and placed the cup in Pharaoh's hand." ¹² Then Joseph said to him, "This is its

interpretation: the three branches are three days. ¹³ In three days Pharaoh will lift up your head and restore you to your office, and you shall place Pharaoh's cup in his hand as formerly, when you were his cupbearer. ¹⁴ Only remember me, when it is well with you, and please do me the kindness to mention me to Pharaoh, and so get me out of this house. ¹⁵ For I was indeed stolen out of the land of the Hebrews, and here also I have done nothing that they should put me into the pit."

¹⁶ When the chief baker saw that the interpretation was favorable, he said to Joseph, "I also had a dream: there were three cake baskets on my head, ¹⁷ and in the uppermost basket there were all sorts of baked food for Pharaoh, but the birds were eating it out of the basket on my head." ¹⁸ And Joseph answered and said, "This is its interpretation: the three baskets are three days. ¹⁹ In three days Pharaoh will lift up your head—from you!—and hang you on a tree. And the birds will eat the flesh from you."

²⁰ On the third day, which was Pharaoh's birthday, he made a feast for all his servants and lifted up the head of the chief cupbearer and the head of the chief baker among his servants. ²¹ He restored the chief cupbearer to his position, and he placed the cup in Pharaoh's hand. ²² But he hanged the chief baker, as Joseph had interpreted to them. ²³ Yet the chief cupbearer did not remember Joseph, but forgot him.

SERMON NOTES

WHEN YOUR HOPES ARE DASHED GENESIS 40

1. GOD'S SOVEREIGNTY OVER DETAILS AND TIMING

2. WHAT TO DO IN OUR SUFFERING

FOUNDATION: GOD KNOWS WHAT HE'S DOING!

HUMILITY

HOMEWORK:

LOOK FOR WHAT SUFFERING PRODUCES

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**MY FAITH HAS FOUND A RESTING PLACE
No. 405

My faith has found a resting place -
Not in device nor creed;
I trust the Ever-living One -
His wounds for me shall plead.

**I need no other argument,
I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died,
And that He died for me.**

Enough for me that Jesus saves -
This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul I come to Him -
He'll never cast me out.

My heart is leaning on the Word -
The written Word of God;
Salvation by my Savior's name -
Salvation thru His blood.

My great Physician heals the sick -
The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed -
For me His life He gave.

*BENEDICTION

VISITATION SCHEDULE		
WEEK OF MARCH 3-9	WEEK OF MARCH 10-16	WEEK OF MARCH 17-23
Connie Porter	Michael & Wanda Salley	Sam & Rosa Helen Reid

BULLETIN BOARD

PIZZA & PRAYER

Join us Wednesday, March 12 at 5:30pm for a pizza supper and corporate prayer with your Trinity family. At our Soup & Supplication in January we had the opportunity to lift up every Trinity family in prayer and look forward to doing that again! Please sign up on the information counter today!

MISSIONS PRAYER GUIDE AVAILABLE

Pick up your copy of the Trinity Ministry Partner Prayer Guide on the information counter today. Thank you to the Missions Committee and all those who participated in last weekend's Global Missions Sunday, especially those who provided meals or lodging for our ministry partners who attended. Please keep our ministry partners in your prayers throughout the coming year.

HELP NEEDED WITH RUF-I MEALS

Trinity will be providing meals for international students at the University of South Carolina again during the spring semester. Remaining meal dates are March 25 and April 15. If you can assist with preparing meals or delivering them to Columbia, please contact the office or Pastor John Mark.

2025 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 2025 plan are available on the information counter in the Narthex. A [link](#) to the reading plan is also on the church website.

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Stan and Connie Beasley - serve with MTW as mobilizers to identify and develop new missionaries.

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

Church of the week: Eastbridge Presbyterian, Mount Pleasant; Daniel Cohee, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Rosa Helen and Sam Reid: in the loss of Rosa Helen's sister, Mary Sims Gue

David Helms: recovery from foot surgery

Deborah Finkelstein: recovering at home

Brush Babb: continued strengthening and improvement

Joe Junquet: continued healing of his nerves

Melonie Anderson: recovering from recent knee replacement surgery

Claudia Wilkes: for her kidney function to continue at 25 percent to avoid dialysis, balance issues

Lawton Porter: recovery from recent surgery

Christie Churchwell: relief from headaches

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

STAFF

John Mark Patrick, Pastor
Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students
Susan Ulmer, Women's Ministry
Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist
Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant
Sandral Jackson, Bookkeeper

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Sam Lambrecht
Michael Salley

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Jeff Folk
Evan Lambrecht
Frank Myers
Chris Rickenbaker
Jeff Watford

DEACON ASSISTANTS

Larry Adicks,
Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson

CALENDAR

SUN 3/2	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
TUE 3/4	6:30AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 3/5	5:30PM	PRAYER
SUN 3/9	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 TIMOTHY 1	2 TIMOTHY 2	2 TIMOTHY 3	2 TIMOTHY 4	ECCLESIASTES 1	ECCLESIASTES 2

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