



P R E S B Y T E R I A N
building God's Church...blessing our community
THE LORD'S DAY

MAY 8, 2016

GATHERING HYMN.....COME, YE SINNERS

WORDS: JOSEPH HART, 1759 MUSIC: MATTHEW SMITH

Come, ye sinners, poor and wretched, weak and wounded, sick and sore;
Jesus, ready, stands to save you, full of pity, joined with power.
He is able, He is able; He is willing; doubt no more.

Come ye needy, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify;
True belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh.
Without money, without money come to Jesus Christ and buy.

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, bruised and broken by the fall;
If you tarry 'til you're better, you will never come at all.
Not the righteous, not the righteous; sinners Jesus came to call.

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream;
All the fitness He requires is to feel your need of Him.
This He gives you, this He gives you, 'tis the Spirit's rising beam.
Lo! The Incarnate God, ascended; pleads the merit of His blood.
Venture on Him; venture wholly, let no other trust intrude.
None but Jesus, none but Jesus can do helpless sinners good.

WELCOME

to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest
to all who mourn and long for comfort
to all who struggle and desire victory
to all who sin and need a Savior
to all who are strangers and want fellowship
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness
and to any and all who will come
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Risen Lord Jesus Christ

-CITY TEMPLE CHURCH, LONDON, ENGLAND, 1960s

***HYMN OF PRAISE.....**PRAISE HIM! PRAISE HIM!

No. 106

***CALL TO WORSHIP**FROM 1 CHRONICLES 16

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!

Sing to Him; sing praises to Him! Tell of all His wondrous works!

Glory in His holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

Seek the LORD and His strength; seek His presence continually!

Sing to the LORD, all the earth! Tell of His salvation from day to day.

Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples!

***INVOCATION**

***PSALM OF ADORATION**PSALM 62

TO THE TUNE OF ALAS & DID MY SAVIOR BLEED

My soul in silence waits for God; He's my salvation proved.
He is my stronghold and my rock; I'll not be greatly moved.

In God alone my glory is and my salvation sure;
My rock of strength is found in God, my refuge most secure.

On Him, O people, ever more rely with confidence;
Before Him pour ye out your heart, for God is our defense.

For truly God has spoken once; He twice to me made known:
That strength and power belong to God and unto Him alone.

For so it is that sovereign grace belongs to Thee, my Lord,
For Thou according to his work dost every man reward.

CONFESION OF FAITHWESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM¹, Q. 34

Q. 34 What is adoption?

A. Adoption is the act of God's free grace by which we become His sons with all the rights and privileges of being His.²

¹ The Westminster Shorter Catechism, along with the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Westminster Larger Catechism, serve together as the statement of faith for Trinity Presbyterian Church and the PCA. Formulated in the 17th century in England, they are a second level of authority under the Scriptures and serve to explain the system of doctrine revealed in the Bible.

² 1 John 3:1; John 1:12; Romans 8:17

SHEPHERDING PRAYERPASTOR SEAN

READING OF GOD'S WORD.....ACTS 21:27-40

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to record your attendance in the black folder as it is passed down the row.

OFFERTORY

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Holy Father, forgive us.

Though you should guide us, we inform ourselves.

Though you should rule us, we control ourselves.

Though you should fulfill us, we console ourselves.

**For we think your truth too high, your will too hard,
your power too remote, your love too free.**

But they are not!

**Heal our confused minds with your word,
our divided will with your law,**

our troubled conscience with your love

**and our anxious hearts with your presence,
all for the sake of your Son,**

who loves us and gave himself for us. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....ISAIAH 55:6-7**

"Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'ly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

TAKE A MOMENT TO GREET YOUR FELLOW WORSHIPPERS!

***FELLOWSHIP HYMN**WHATE'ER MY GOD ORDAINS IS RIGHT

WORDS: SAMUEL RODIGAST

MUSIC: DAVID BRAUD

1. Whate'er my God ordains is right,
Holy His will abideth.

I will be still whate'er He does,
And follow where He guideth.

He is my God, though dark my road.
He holds me that I shall not fall
Wherefore to Him I leave it all

2. Whate'er my God ordains is right,
He never will deceive me
He leads me by the proper path,
I know He will not leave me
I take, content, what He hath sent
His hand can turn my griefs away
And patiently I wait His day

3. Whate'er my God ordains is right,
Though now this cup in drinking
May bitter seem to my faint heart,
I take it all unshrinking

My God is true, each morn anew
Sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart
And pain and sorrow shall depart

4. Whate'er my God ordains is right,
Here shall my stand be taken
Though sorrow, need, or death be mine,
Yet I am not forsaken
My Father's care is round me there
He holds me that I shall not fall
And so to Him I leave it all

POETRY, ZOMBIES & PEACE

JAMES 2:14-26

¹⁴ What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? ¹⁵ If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food, ¹⁶ and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, be warmed and filled," without giving them the things needed for the body, what good is that? ¹⁷ So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

¹⁸ But someone will say, "You have faith and I have works." Show me your faith apart from your works, and I will show you my faith by my works. ¹⁹ You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder! ²⁰ Do you want to be shown, you foolish person, that faith apart from works is useless? ²¹ Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered up his son Isaac on the altar? ²² You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was completed by his works; ²³ and the Scripture was fulfilled that says, "Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him as righteousness"—and he was called a friend of God. ²⁴ You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone. ²⁵ And in the same way was not also Rahab the prostitute justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out by another way? ²⁶ For as the body apart from the spirit is dead, so also faith apart from works is dead.

*HYMN OF RESPONSEJESUS, THOU JOY OF LOVING HEARTS

WORDS: BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX, 12TH CENTURY

MUSIC: BRIAN T. MURPHY

Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts Thou fount of life, thou light of men
From the best bliss that earth imparts, we turn unfilled to Thee again.

Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood; Thou savest those that on Thee call
To them that seek Thee thou art good, to them that find Thee all in all.

We taste of Thee, O living bread and long to feast upon Thee still
We drink of Thee the fountain head and thirst our souls from Thee to fill.

Our restless spirits yearn for Thee where'er our changeful lot is cast
Glad when Thy gracious smile we see, blessed when our faith can hold Thee fast.

O Jesus ever with us stay, make all our moments calm and bright
Chase the dark night of sin away, shed over the world thy holy light.

*BENEDICTION

SERMON Notes

POETRY, ZOMBIES & PEACE

JAMES 2:14-26

Gospel transformation is about the whole person, not just what we say or do.

DEAD ORTHODOXY (v. 14-19)

SERMON SCHEDULE

Please use this schedule to prepare for public worship.

May 8	James 2:14-26
May 15	James 3:1-12
May 22	James 3:13-18
May 29	James 4:1-12

LIVING FAITH (v. 20-26)

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY		MAY 15 TH	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-1	Shea Patrick	Mary Beth & Grace Myers	Betty Lynne Henson	Lori & Will Summers
2-3	D'lynn Polson Susan Gonzalez		D'lynn Polson Susan Gonzalez	
USHERS	Jerry Samples, Chuck Henson, Daniel Peeler, Lyle Polson			

FINANCIAL UPDATE	
BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$5,535
BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY	\$6,971

STAFF
Sean Sawyers, Lead Pastor
John Mark Patrick, Assoc. Pastor
Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students
Mary Beth Myers, Middle School Ministry
Louise Beckett, Choir Director
Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist
Ann Axson, Bookkeeper
Church office hours: 9:00am to 5:00pm Monday - Thursday

CALENDAR		
SUN 5/8	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM	INTERCESSORS SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
MON 5/9	6:00AM	SESSION PRAYER MEETING
TUE 5/10	6:00AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 5/11	12:00PM 6:45PM	MEN'S LUNCH BIBLE STUDY CHOIR PRACTICE
SUN 5/15	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 12:00PM 4:00PM 6:00PM	INTERCESSORS SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP DEACONS MEETING SESSION MEETING 2:42; KIDS 4 CHRIST

BULLETIN BOARD

GRADUATE RECOGNITION Join us for LUNCH on Sunday, May 22 immediately following morning worship as we recognize our high school graduates: Hannah Bernardo and McKenzie Morrell.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Online registration is now available on our website (www.trinityorangegburg.com). Please spread the word!

THREE CROSSES OUTREACH Once again, Trinity will have a team working in Norway to assist Three Crosses Outreach. We will not be teaching this year - just assisting the 3 Crosses workers. We need youth and adults to sign up to help out during the mornings of July 5-8.

TONIGHT No evening activities scheduled today, May 8.

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partners: Nancy Matsinger

Our Troops: continue to pray for our troops around the world

Church of the week: Two Rivers PCA, North Charleston; Phil Stogner, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Linda Wells: ongoing treatment for breast cancer

Michael Salley's father: recent lung cancer diagnosis

Cheryl Walling: recovery from recent surgery

Lee Ann Smith: continued treatment for and recovery from illness

Ann Betsill: at Calhoun Convalescent Center

Willie Lou Jackson: at home in Orangeburg

Grace Myers: ongoing physical therapy

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