



Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

JUNE 9, 2024

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP.....FROM PSALM 104

O LORD my God, You are very great! You are clothed with splendor and majesty.

Bless the LORD, O my soul!

May the LORD's glory endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in His works.

I will sing praise to the LORD, my God as long as I live!

The LORD looks on the earth and it trembles; He touches the mountains and they smoke!

May my meditation be pleasing to Him, for I rejoice in the LORD.

Bless the LORD, O my soul! Let us praise the LORD together!

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below; alleluia, alleluia!

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host,
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

*INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISECOME PRAISE AND GLORIFY

MUSIC AND WORDS BY JOEL SCZEBEL AND PAT SCZEBEL

Come praise and glorify our God The Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms His blessings on us poured
For pure and blameless in His sight He destined us to be
And now we've been adopted through His Son eternally

To the praise of Your glory To the praise of Your mercy and grace
To the praise of Your glory You are the God who saves

Come praise and glorify our God Who gives His grace in Christ
In Him our sins are washed away Redeemed through sacrifice
In Him God has made known to us The myst'ry of His will
That Christ should be the head of all His purpose to fulfill

Come praise and glorify our God For we've believed the Word
And through our faith we have a seal The Spirit of the Lord
The Spirit guarantees our hope Until redemption's done
Until we join in endless praise To God, the Three in One

*HYMN OF JOYFUL WORSHIPYOUR NAME

WORDS & MUSIC: PAUL BALOCHE & GLENN PACKIAM

As morning dawns and evening fades,
You inspire songs of praise
That rise from earth to touch Your heart and glorify Your Name

*Your Name is a strong and mighty tower
Your Name is a shelter like no other
Your Name, let the nations sing it louder
'Cause nothing has the power to save
But Your Name*

Jesus, in Your Name we pray
Come and fill our hearts today
Lord, give us strength to live for You and glorify Your Name

*CONFESSION OF FAITH.....THE APOSTLES CREED¹

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell²; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic³ Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN.

¹ Although not written by the apostles, the Apostles' Creed is a concise summary of their teachings. It originated in the 2nd century and developed into its present form by the 6th century. ² By referring to Jesus' descent into hell, the Christian embraces three truths. First, we acknowledge the reality of Jesus' suffering 33 years of temptation. Second, he received the full sentence of hell on behalf of his people while on the cross. Thirdly, he experienced the reign of death by remaining in the tomb after the crucifixion. ³ The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, or geographic barriers.

SCRIPTURE READING2 CHRONICLES 36

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

HYMN OF ADORATIONISAIAH 43

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you.
And the waves will not overcome you.
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name, you are Mine.

Chorus: Men (Ladies echo)
For I am the Lord your God (I am the Lord your God),
I am the Lord your God (I am)
The Holy One of Israel, your Savior
{repeat}
I am the Lord (do not fear) {4x}

When you walk through the fire, you'll not be burned.
And the flames will not consume you.
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name, you are Mine.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Lord Jesus Christ, though being in very nature God,
when you came to redeem us you humbled yourself
and made yourself nothing.
Though you were rich, for our sakes you became poor,
so that through your poverty we might become rich.
We confess how unlike you we are in our attitudes and actions.
We strive for recognition from others,
and we sulk and become bitter if we do not get it.
We attend to our own needs and concerns,
yet fail to care for others except when it serves our purposes.
Forgive us our sin and renew our hearts.
Grant us to realize that we only achieve greatness
and gain our lives by giving them away.
Work in us by the power of your Spirit
so that we become more like you
and so bring glory to our Father in heaven. 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.”

***HYMN OF ASSURANCE**I LAY MY SINS ON JESUS

WORDS: HORATIUS BONAR MUSIC: TRADITIONAL GREEK MELODY

I lay my sins on Jesus, The spotless Lamb of God;
He bears them all, and frees us From the accursed load.
I bring my guilt to Jesus To wash my crimson stains
White in His blood most precious, Till not a spot remains.

I lay my wants on Jesus - All fullness dwells in Him;
He heals all my diseases, He doth my soul redeem.
I lay my griefs on Jesus, My burdens and my cares;
He from them all releases, He all my sorrows shares.

I long to be like Jesus - Meek, loving, lowly, mild;
I long to be like Jesus - The Father's holy Child.
I long to be with Jesus, Amid the heav'nly throng,
To sing with saints His praises, To learn the angels' song.

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE JEFF WATFORD

SERMON.....EPHESIANS 5:1-6

¹ Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. ² And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. ³ But sexual immorality and all impurity or covetousness must not even be named among you, as is proper among saints. ⁴ Let there be no filthiness nor foolish talk nor crude joking, which are out of place, but instead let there be thanksgiving. ⁵ For you may be sure of this, that everyone who is sexually immoral or impure, or who is covetous (that is, an idolater), has no inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. ⁶ Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience.

SERMON NOTES

SIN'S SURPRISING STRUGGLE

EPHESIANS 5:3-6

SIN'S STRATEGY

SIN'S FALSE PROMISE

SIN'S SENTENCE

SUCCESS OVER SIN

SIN'S ROOT

SIN'S POWER

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**WHAT WONDROUS LOVE IS THIS

No. 177

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

A WORD ABOUT COMMUNION AT TRINITY:

This is a time for all people to seek the Lord. For Christians, Communion is a time to meet with their Savior by faith, to be strengthened and renewed by Him as they eat bread and drink juice. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior and Lord, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, are at peace with their fellow neighbor, and seek strength and grace to live more faithfully to Christ, are invited to participate. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer and to consider more deeply your relationship to Jesus Christ. We also ask that children who have not yet publicly professed their faith in Christ refrain from partaking until doing so.

Our communion bread is gluten free

*BENEDICTION

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BULLETIN BOARD

MEAL AND MEETING PLANNED TO DISCUSS RENOVATION UPDATES

Mark your calendar for Sunday evening, June 23, to gather for supper and an information session on plans to update the church's flooring and paint. The session and diaconate welcome your input and hope you will take advantage of this opportunity to share your thoughts. The 6:00 pm meal will be provided - please bring your favorite dessert to share.

LETTER ABOUT PASTOR JOHN MARK'S SABBATICAL

Pastor John Mark will be taking a sabbatical this summer and printed copies of a letter from our session about it are on the information counter. Please be in prayer for this time of rest and refreshment the Patrick family will enjoy this July.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ON 2 PETER

Join us on Sundays at 9:30 as we study the book of 2 Peter. "You will see how 2 Peter urges you to be a believer who lives in the present by looking to the future, to live now in light of then," according to the study guide's introduction. If you would like to purchase a book, the cost is \$12.

SHARE THE GOSPEL WITH 5-DAY CLUB THIS SUMMER

We have another opportunity to reach local children with the gospel this summer through Child Evangelism Fellowship's 5-Day Club program. Are you available June 17 through 21 to help? We are looking for someone to coordinate our team and workers who can present the Bible lesson and other aspects of the club. We plan to visit the nearby Orangeburg Prep Summer Program and Sugar N Spice Daycare, and will add more if we have enough willing workers. Please contact Pastor John Mark if you are able to help or if you have questions.

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: DAZZ - pregnancy care center and ministry to new parents
Our Troops: pray all of our troops and their chaplains around the world
Church of the week: Point Hope Presbyterian, Daniel Island - Rob Hamby, church planter

TRINITY FAMILY

Dan Steffen: clear diagnosis from kidney biopsy
Joe Junquet: continued healing of his nerves
Melonie Anderson: recovering from knee surgery, pray for balance issues when she walks
Claudia Wilkes: for her kidney function to continue at 25 percent to avoid dialysis, balance issues
Lawton Porter: ongoing therapy
Linda Wells: neuropathy, improved stamina
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

ELDERS

Michael Salley
 Alan Ulmer
 Woody Watford

DEACONS

Jeff Folk
 Wayne Walling
 Jeff Watford

DEACON ASSISTANTS

Larry Adicks,
 Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson

CALENDAR

SUN 6/9	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
WED 6/12	5:30PM	PRAYER
SUN 6/16	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 COR 10	1 COR 11	1 COR 12	1 COR 13	1 COR 14	1 COR 15

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