



# Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

AUGUST 30, 2020

## REFLECTION & PREPARATION

### **\*CALL TO WORSHIP.....FROM 1 KINGS 8:57-61**

May the LORD our God be with us, as He was with our fathers; may He not leave us or forsake us.

**May He incline our hearts to Himself, to walk in all His ways and to keep His commandments.**

May the LORD our God day and night maintain the cause of His people, so that all the peoples of the earth may know that the LORD is God.

**Let our hearts be wholly devoted to the LORD our God, to walk in His statutes and to keep His commandments.**

### **\*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 PRAISE** ..... **O PRAISE THE NAME**

WORDS AND MUSIC: MARTY SAMPSON, BENJAMIN HASTINGS & DEAN USSHER

I cast my mind to Calvary  
where Jesus bled and died for me.  
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet.  
My Savior on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears,  
they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.  
The entrance sealed by heavy stone,  
Messiah still and all alone.

**Oh praise the Name of the Lord our God.  
O praise His Name forever more.  
For endless days we will sing Your praise.  
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.**

Then on the third at break of dawn,  
the Son of heaven rose again.  
O trampled death, where is your sting?  
The angels roar for Christ the King.

He shall return in robes of white,  
the blazing sun shall pierce the night.  
And I will rise among the saints,  
my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face

**SCRIPTURE READING** ..... **DEUTERONOMY 30**

**HYMN OF ADORATION**.....ALAS, AND DID  
MY SAVIOR BLEED

Alas! and did my Savior bleed,  
And did my sovereign die?  
Would He devote that sacred Head  
For sinners such as I?

Was it for sins that I have done  
He suffered on the tree?  
Amazing pity! grace unknown!  
And love beyond degree!

Well might the sun in darkness hide  
And shut His glories in,  
When Christ, the great Redeemer, died  
For man the creature's sin.

Thus might I hide my blushing face  
While his dear cross appears,  
Dissolve my heart in thankfulness,  
And melt mine eyes to tears.

But drops of grief can ne'er repay  
The debt of love I owe;  
Here, Lord, I give myself away -  
'Tis all that I can do.

## **CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

**Lord God, eternal and almighty Father,  
we acknowledge before your holiness  
that we are poor sinners,  
born into guilt and in corruption,  
prone to do evil and unable of our own power  
to do good.**

**Because of our sin, we endlessly violate  
your holy commandments.**

**But, O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent  
and turn away from all our offenses.**

**Have compassion on us, Father of all mercies,  
for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

**And in removing our guilt, also grow us daily in the  
grace of your Holy Spirit,  
and produce in us the fruits of a life that is pleasing  
in your sight,  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

## **\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON .....1 JOHN 4:9-10**

“In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only son into the world, so that we might live through him.

In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.”

**\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE** .....JUST AS I AM

Just as I am, without one plea  
But that Thy blood was shed for me,  
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee,  
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am, and waiting not  
To rid my soul of one dark blot,  
To Thee whose blood can cleanse each spot,  
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am, tho tossed about  
With many a conflict, many a doubt,  
Fightings and fears within, without,  
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind -  
Sight, riches, healing of the mind,  
Yea, all I need in Thee to find -  
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am, Thou wilt receive,  
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;  
Because Thy promise I believe,  
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** .....JESUS, I MY CROSS  
HAVE TAKEN (VS 1-3)

WORDS: HENRY LYTE    MUSIC: BILL MOORE

1. Jesus, I my cross have taken,  
All to leave and follow Thee.  
Destitute, despised, forsaken,  
Thou from hence my all shall be.  
Perish every fond ambition,  
All I've sought or hoped or known.  
Yet how rich is my condition!  
God and heaven are still my own.
  
2. Let the world despise and leave me,  
They have left my Savior, too.  
Human hearts and looks deceive me;  
Thou art not, like them, untrue.  
O while Thou dost smile upon me,  
God of wisdom, love, and might,  
Foes may hate and friends disown me,  
Show Thy face and all is bright.
  
3. Man may trouble and distress me,  
'Twill but drive me to Thy breast.  
Life with trials hard may press me;  
Heaven will bring me sweeter rest.  
Oh, 'tis not in grief to harm me  
While Thy love is left to me;  
Oh, 'twere not in joy to charm me,  
Were that joy unmixed with Thee.

# **SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....PASTOR JOHN MARK**

## **SERMON.....EPHESIANS 4:1-16**

<sup>1</sup> I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, <sup>2</sup> with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, <sup>3</sup> eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. <sup>4</sup> There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—<sup>5</sup> one Lord, one faith, one baptism, <sup>6</sup> one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. <sup>7</sup> But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift. <sup>8</sup> Therefore it says, "When he ascended on high he led a host of captives, and he gave gifts to men."

<sup>9</sup> (In saying, "He ascended," what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower regions, the earth? <sup>10</sup> He who descended is the one who also ascended far above all the heavens, that he might fill all things.) <sup>11</sup> And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, <sup>12</sup> to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, <sup>13</sup> until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, <sup>14</sup> so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. <sup>15</sup> Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, <sup>16</sup> from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

# SERMON NOTES

## **WALKING WORTHY**

EPHESIANS 4:1-2

**WALKING**

CALLING

WORTHY

**HUMILITY**

**GENTLENESS**

**PATIENCE**

**BEARING WITH ONE ANOTHER**

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE.....JESUS, I MY CROSS  
HAVE TAKEN(VS 4-6)**

4. Go, then, earthly fame and treasure,  
Come disaster, scorn and pain  
In Thy service, pain is pleasure,  
With Thy favor, loss is gain  
I have called Thee Abba Father,  
I have stayed my heart on Thee  
Storms may howl, and clouds may gather;  
All must work for good to me.

5. Soul, then know thy full salvation  
Rise o'er sin and fear and care  
Joy to find in every station,  
Something still to do or bear.  
Think what Spirit dwells within thee,  
Think what Father's smiles are thine,  
Think that Jesus died to win thee,  
Child of heaven, canst thou repine.

6. Haste thee on from grace to glory,  
Armed by faith, and winged by prayer.  
Heaven's eternal days before thee,  
God's own hand shall guide us there.  
Soon shall close thy earthly mission,  
Soon shall pass thy pilgrim days,  
Hope shall change to glad fruition,  
Faith to sight, and prayer to praise.

# \*BENEDICTION

## REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

**Ministry Partner:** Bobbi Jo - serving in Europe supporting church planting through community outreach and development with main focus on art and culture makers

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

**Church of the week:** Grace Coastal Presbyterian, Okatie; Sam Joyner, pastor

## TRINITY FAMILY

**Herb Tait:** relief from eye pressure issues

**Reed Salley:** recovery from burns and skin graft surgery

**Adele Hawley:** recovery after colon surgery

**Jerry Smith:** for complete recovery of his memory and ability to walk without assistance

**Frank Myers:** recovery from back surgery

**Linda Wactor:** wisdom for doctors in managing her pain

**Claudia Wilkes:** recovering from ankle surgery

**Lawton Porter:** recovery from broken leg, ongoing therapy after brain aneurysm

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

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