



building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

SEPTEMBER 11, 2022

**REFLECTION & PREPARATION**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**.....PSALM 147:7-11

Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving; make melody to our God on the lyre!

**He covers the heavens with clouds; he prepares rain for the earth; he makes grass grow on the hills.**

He gives to the beasts their food, and to the young ravens that cry. His delight is not in the strength of the horse, nor his pleasure in the legs of a man,

**but the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him, in those who hope in his steadfast love.**

**\*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** .....ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME

No. 97

**\*HYMN OF JOYFUL WORSHIP** .....HOW GREAT YOU ARE

WORDS & MUSIC: TIM CHESTER AND BOB KAUFMAN

Our God is great, The Father of Creation His splendor fills the earth,  
The Lightning crash The thunder sings His praises,  
The galaxies can't help but shout His worth.

**My soul must sing to You an offering, How great You are  
My soul must sing, oh, let the heavens ring How great you are, Oh, how great You are.**

The Word made flesh, God's promise to the fallen He came with pow'r to save,  
The light of life was crushed for our rebellion He died our death and rose up from the grave.

Our King will come, With trumpet blasts resounding To claim His blood-washed bride  
He'll rend the skies, descending in His glory And in an instant faith will turn to sight.

**SCRIPTURE READING**.....EZEKIEL 27

**HYMN OF ADORATION** .....I ASKED THE LORD

WORDS: JOHN NEWTON MUSIC: LAURA TAYLOR

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| 1. I asked the Lord that I might grow<br>In faith and love and every grace<br>Might more of His salvation know<br>And seek more earnestly His face  | 4. Instead of this He made me feel<br>The hidden evils of my heart<br>And let the angry powers of Hell<br>Assault my soul in every part                      |
| 2. Twas He who taught me thus to pray<br>And He I trust has answered prayer<br>But it has been in such a way<br>As almost drove me to despair   | 5. Yea more with His own hand He seemed<br>Intent to aggravate my woe<br>Crossed all the fair designs I schemed,<br>Cast out my feelings, laid me low        |
| 3. I hoped that in some favored hour<br>At once He'd answer my request<br>And by His love's constraining power<br>Subdue my sins and give me rest   | 6. Lord why is this, I trembling cried<br>Wilt Thou pursue thy worm to death?<br>"Tis in this way" The Lord replied<br>"I answer prayer for grace and faith" |
| 7. "These inward trials I employ<br>From self and pride to set thee free<br>And break thy schemes of earthly joy<br>That thou mayest seek thy all in me,<br>That thou mayest seek thy all in me." |  |

## CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, we have sinned against you and we have offended you.  
And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses,  
so also do we acknowledge you to be a merciful God,  
a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you.  
And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your Son,  
to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses.  
By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts,  
so that, not only the actions of our lives,  
but also the words of our mouths,  
and the smallest thoughts of our minds,  
may be guided and governed by you.  
Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, be all honor and glory, now and forever.  
Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

## \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON ..... 1 TIMOTHY 1:15

“The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance,  
that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.”

### REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

**Ministry Partner:** Brian Howard - serving with RUF-I at Clemson University

**Our Troops:** pray for Hunter Warren who is stationed at Eglin Air Force Base in FL and all of our troops and their chaplains around the world

**Church of the week:** Point Hope Presbyterian, church plant in Daniel Island area of Charleston - Rob Hamby, church planter

### TRINITY FAMILY

**Betty Lamigo:** continued strength and stamina during her transition to hospice care

**Wayne Walling:** clear answers and an effective treatment plan

**Dan Steffen:** recovering at home after hospitalization

**Joe Junquet:** recovering at home after hospitalization

**Melonie Anderson:** recovering from surgery after badly broken wrist

**Theresa Hickson:** clear diagnosis of cause for ongoing respiratory issues

**Claudia Wilkes:** for her kidney function to continue at 25 percent to avoid dialysis

**Lawton Porter:** ongoing therapy

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

## \*HYMN OF ASSURANCE ..... BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE

WORDS & MUSIC: CHARITIE LEES BANCROFT AND VIKKI COOK

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea;  
A great high priest whose name is love, Who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is graven on His hands; My name is written on His heart.  
I know that while in heav'n He stands, No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, And tells me of the guilt within;  
Upward I look and see Him there, Who made an end of all my sin.  
Because a sinless Savior died, My sinful soul is counted free,  
For God the just is satisfied To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, The perfect spotless righteousness,  
The great unchangeable I AM, The King of glory and of grace.  
One with himself I cannot die; My soul is purchased with His blood,  
My life is hid with Christ on high, With Christ my Savior and my God.

## SHEPHERDING PRAYER ..... RE STEVE HAWLEY

## SERMON ..... 1 PETER 2:13-17

<sup>13</sup> Be subject for the Lord's sake to every human institution, whether it be to the emperor as supreme, <sup>14</sup> or to governors as sent by him to punish those who do evil and to praise those who do good. <sup>15</sup> For this is the will of God, that by doing good you should put to silence the ignorance of foolish people. <sup>16</sup> Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God. <sup>17</sup> Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the emperor.

# SERMON NOTES

## BAD LEADERS, GOOD GOD

1 PETER 2:13-17

### I. BE SUBJECT

#### A. WHAT

#### B. WHO

#### C. WHY

### II. EXCEPTIONS?

### III. IN A NUTSHELL

## 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

### \*HYMN OF RESPONSE.....JESUS THANK YOU

WORDS & MUSIC: PAT SCZEBEL

The mystery of the cross I cannot comprehend,  
the agonies of Calvary.

You the perfect Holy One crushed your Son  
who drank the bitter cup reserved for me.

**Your blood, has washed away my sin; Jesus, thank you.  
The Father's wrath completely satisfied; Jesus, thank you.  
Once your enemy now seated at your table;  
Jesus, thank you.**

By your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near,  
your enemy you've made your friend.  
Pouring out the riches of your glorious grace,  
your mercy and your kindness know no end.

Lover of my soul, I want to live for you. (repeat)

### \*BENEDICTION

# BULLETIN BOARD

## NOMINATE NEW OFFICERS

Nominations are being accepted for new deacons and elders. Prayerfully consider who you will nominate for these leadership positions, and submit their names in the box on the information counter. You can also email your nomination to the church office.

## MEN'S BIBLE STUDY RESUMES TUESDAY

Trinity's men's Bible study resumes this Tuesday, September 13, at 6:30 am. They are continuing their study of the book of Isaiah. For more information, see Steve Hawley.

## COOKOUT AT THE PATRICK'S

You are invited to a cookout at the Patrick's at 5 pm next Sunday, Sept. 11. Burgers, hot dogs, and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side if your last name starts with A - M, or a sweet if your name starts with N - Z. For more information, see Shea or Pastor John Mark.

## POLLY'S PANTRY NEEDS TO BE RESTOCKED

Since 2018, Trinity has given away almost 100 bags/boxes of food. Thank you to everyone who has donated food. The pantry is very low and needs to be restocked for 2022-23. If you would like to donate to continue helping to bless our community please pick up a shopping list of needed items on the information counter. Make sure the food expiration dates are 2022 or later. If you would rather not shop, monetary donations are also accepted. Make your check out to Trinity Presbyterian and earmark it for Polly's Pantry. Questions? See Jane Junquet.

## HELP NEEDED WITH COMMUNION PREPARATION

Please sign up to help prepare for the Lord's Supper sometime in the coming year. A signup sheet is on the information counter. You can also email the office to let us know which month you would like to help. Your assistance with this monthly task is greatly appreciated!

## DAZZ SEEKING DONATIONS

Parenting classes at DAZZ, Orangeburg's pregnancy and parenting support center, started up again in April after a long hiatus because of Covid. Trinity's own Sammy Edwards is the Volunteer Parenting Teacher. Class participants receive Baby Bucks for coming to class and participating. They can use them to shop for new items in the Baby Boutique. We are running low on the following new items for the Boutique. If you would like to donate any of these items you can drop them off at church anytime. Needed items include the following: **receiving blankets, towels, pacifiers, socks, tethers, bibs, bottles, nursing supplies, burp cloths, and newborn sleepers.** For more information, see Jane Junquet.

# THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

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CALENDAR		
<b>SUN 9/11</b>	<b>8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM 5:00PM</b>	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP COOKOUT AT THE PATRICK'S
<b>TUES 9/13</b>	<b>6:30AM</b>	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
<b>SUN 9/18</b>	<b>8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM</b>	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
EZEKIEL 28-29	EZEKIEL 30-31	EZEKIEL 32	EZEKIEL 33	EZEKIEL 34	EZEKIEL 35-36

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