



Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP.....PSALM 146:5-10

Blessed are all those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the LORD,
Who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, Who remains faithful
forever.

The LORD sets the prisoners free; He opens the eyes of the blind.

The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; He loves His people.

The LORD will reign forever!

Your God, O People of God, to all generations. Praise the LORD!

*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 PRAISETHIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD No. 58

*HYMN OF JOYFUL WORSHIPALL I HAVE IS CHRIST

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.

I once was lost in darkest night Yet thought I knew the way.
The sin that promised joy and life Had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own A rebel to Your will.
And if you had not loved me first, I would refuse you still.

But as I ran my hell-bound race Indifferent to the cost
You looked upon my helpless state And led me to the cross.
And I beheld God's love displayed You suffered in my place
You bore the wrath reserved for me Now all I know is grace.

Now Lord I would be Yours alone And live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands Could never come from me.
O Father use my ransomed life In any way You choose
And let my song forever be My only boast is You.

SCRIPTURE READINGEZEKIEL 41

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

HYMN OF ADORATIONGUIDE ME O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

WORDS: WILLIAM WILLIAMS ALT. JEREMY CASELLA MUSIC: JEREMY CASELLA
Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore;
Bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing waters flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.
Strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction, Land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee;
Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee.

Land me safe on Canaan's side Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears, goodbye

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.”

***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.....PASTOR JOHN MARK

SERMON.....MATTHEW 5:17-20

¹⁷ “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. ¹⁸ For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. ¹⁹ Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

SERMON NOTES

LAW & RIGHTEOUSNESS PT. 1 MATTHEW 5:17-20

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US

No. 462

Savior, like a shepherd lead us,
Much we need Thy tender care;
In Thy pleasant pastures feed us,
For our use Thy folds prepare:
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou hast bought us, Thine we are;
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou hast bought us, Thine we are.

We are Thine; do Thou befriend us,
Be the Guardian of our way;
Keep Thy flock, from sin defend us,
Seek us when we go astray:
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Hear, O hear us when we pray;
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Hear, O hear us when we pray.

Thou hast promised to receive us,
Poor and sinful though we be;
Thou hast mercy to relieve us,
Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free:
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Early let us turn to Thee;
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Early let us turn to Thee.

Early let us seek Thy favor;
Early let us do Thy will;
Blessed Lord and only Savior,
With Thy love our beings fill:
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou hast loved us, love us still;
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou hast loved us, love us still.

***BENEDICTION**

BULLETIN BOARD

OFFICER NOMINATIONS NOW UNDERWAY

Nominations for deacon and elder candidates are being received through September 30. Prayerfully consider who you will nominate for these leadership positions in our church, and submit their names in the box on the information counter. You can also email your nomination to the church office.

VISITATION SCHEDULE		
WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22-28	WEEK OF SEPT 29 - OCT 5	WEEK OF OCTOBER 6 - 12
Sammie Edwards	Jeff & Mary Watford	Mark & Karen Ford

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Jeff & Sissie D'Jernes - serving with Wycliffe Bible Translators in Papua New Guinea
Our Troops: pray all of our troops and their chaplains around the world
Church of the week: Grace Coastal Presbyterian, Okatie; without a pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Deborah Finkelstein: ongoing medical concerns
Brush Babb: continued strengthening and improvement
Joe Junquet: adjustment to the loss of his vision
Melonie Anderson: recovering from knee replacement surgery
Claudia Wilkes: for her kidney function to continue at 25 percent to avoid dialysis, balance issues
Lawton Porter: ongoing therapy
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 Helen Meacham, Pianist Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant Sandra Jackson, Bookkeeper	
ELDERS	DEACONS
Mark Ford Sam Lambrecht Michael Salley	Jeff Folk Evan Lambrecht Frank Myers Chris Rickenbaker Jeff Watford
DEACON ASSISTANTS	
Larry Adicks, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson	

CALENDAR		
SUN 9/21	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 9/23	7:00AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 9/24	5:30PM	PRAYER
SUN 9/28	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
EZEKIEL 42-43	EZEKIEL 44	EZEKIEL 45	EZEKIEL 46-47	EZEKIEL 48	2 PETER 1

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