



building God's Church...blessing our community  
THE LORD'S DAY SEPTEMBER 29, 2019

**REFLECTION & PREPARATION**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**.....PSALM 24:3-8

Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD? And who shall stand in His holy place?

**He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully.**

He will receive blessing from the LORD and righteousness from the God of his salvation. Such is the generation of those who seek Him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

**Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is this King of glory?

**The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!**

(ALL) **Arise, shine, for your light has come, for the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.**

**\*DOXOLOGY**

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**.....PRAISE HIM! PRAISE HIM!  
No. 106

**SCRIPTURE READING** .....2 PETER 2

**HYMN OF ADORATION** .....I HEAR THE WORDS OF LOVE

WORDS: HORATIUS BONAR MUSIC: HENRY GAUNTLETT

I hear the words of love, I gaze upon the blood,  
I see the mighty sacrifice, And I have peace with God.

'Tis everlasting peace! Sure as Jehovah's name;  
'Tis stable as His steadfast throne, Forevermore the same.

The clouds may come and go And storms may sweep my sky;  
This blood-sealed friendship changes not; The cross is ever nigh.

My love is oft-times low, My joy still ebbs and flows;  
But peace with Him remains the same; No change Jehovah knows.

I change, He changes not, The Christ can never die;  
His love, not mine, the resting place, His truth, not mine, the tie.

**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.....NOW WHY THIS FEAR**

VERSES: AUGUSTUS TOPLADY, 1772    MUSIC & ADDITIONAL WORDS: DOUBLAS PLANK, 2011

Now why this fear and unbelief? Has not the Father put to grief  
His spotless Son for us? And will the righteous Judge of men  
Condemn me for that debt of sin Now canceled at the cross?

*Jesus, all my trust is in Your blood  
Jesus, You've rescued us  
Through Your great love*

Complete atonement You have made And by Your death have fully paid  
The debt Your people owed No wrath remains for us to face  
We're sheltered by Your saving grace And sprinkled with Your blood

How sweet the sound of saving grace  
How sweet the sound of saving grace  
Christ died for me

Be still my soul and know this peace The merits of your great high priest  
Have bought your liberty Rely then on His precious blood  
Don't fear your banishment from God Since Jesus sets you free

**COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

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

**Visiting?** Please fill out a **Connect Card** and bring it to the Welcome Table in the Narthex after the service.

**OFFERTORY HYMN.....JESUS, I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN (v. 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.....RE SAM LAMBRECHT**

**SERMON.....JOHN 9:1-12**

<sup>1</sup> As he passed by, he saw a man blind from birth. <sup>2</sup> And his disciples asked him, "Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" <sup>3</sup> Jesus answered, "It was not that this man sinned, or his parents, but that the works of God might be displayed in him. <sup>4</sup> We must work the works of him who sent me while it is day; night is coming, when no one can work. <sup>5</sup> As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world." <sup>6</sup> Having said these things, he spit on the ground and made mud with the saliva. Then he anointed the man's eyes with the mud <sup>7</sup> and said to him, "Go, wash in the pool of Siloam" (which means Sent). So he went and washed and came back seeing.

<sup>8</sup> The neighbors and those who had seen him before as a beggar were saying, "Is this not the man who used to sit and beg?" <sup>9</sup> Some said, "It is he." Others said, "No, but he is like him." He kept saying, "I am the man." <sup>10</sup> So they said to him, "Then how were your eyes opened?" <sup>11</sup> He answered, "The man called Jesus made mud and anointed my eyes and said to me, 'Go to Siloam and wash.' So I went and washed and received my sight." <sup>12</sup> They said to him, "Where is he?" He said, "I do not know."

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 PETER 3	DANIEL 1-2	DANIEL 3-4	DANIEL 5-6	DANIEL 7-8	DANIEL 9-10

# SERMON NOTES

## SUFFERING & THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD

JOHN 9:1-7

IS SIN THE CAUSE OF SUFFERING?

TO WHAT EXTENT IS GOD INVOLVED IN SUFFERING?

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** .....JESUS, I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN (v. 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:** Mike & Caroline Miller - serving with a church planting team in Athens, Greece

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

**Church of the week:** Hilton Head Presbyterian; Bill McCutchen, pastor

### TRINITY FAMILY

**Debbie Carter:** in the loss of her brother

**Melonie Anderson:** recovering from procedure to remove kidney stones

**Claudia Wilkes:** recovering from ankle surgery

**Lawton Porter, Connie's infant grandson:** recovery and therapy after brain aneurysm surgery

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Mark Cash:** suitable employment

**Willie Lou Jackson:** at Tyler Restmore home in Orangeburg

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

**Ann Betsill:** at Calhoun Convalescent Center

# BULLETIN BOARD

## SIGN UP FOR OCTOBER 2ND DWELL SUPPER

Sign up today for the first of our monthly DWELL suppers, which is planned on Wednesday, October 2. Pizza, drinks and dessert are on the menu, and the cost is \$5 per person or \$20 maximum per family. DWELL meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm.

## OFFICER NOMINATIONS

We will receive nominations for the office of deacon during the month of September. Please prayerfully consider the biblical qualifications within 1 Timothy 3 and nominate men accordingly. All five of our ruling elders will be returning for the coming year, so we are only seeking deacon nominees at this time. Nomination forms are located on the information counter.

# THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

SERVING	SEPTEMBER 29		OCTOBER 6	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-3	Sammie Edwards	Donna Helms & Abby Lyn Pantaleon	Nancy Henson	Jennifer & Ira Cash
USHERS	Steve Hawley, David Myers, Joey Sloop, Jeff Watford		Peter Forwood, Mark Ford, Bubba Morrell, Jeff Folk	

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John Mark Patrick, Pastor Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students Mary Beth Myers, Middle School Ministry Susan Ulmer, Women's Ministry Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant Ann Axson, Bookkeeper	
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Larry Adicks, Linda Bonnette, Brian Henson, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson	

CALENDAR		
SUN 9/29	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 10/1	6:30AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 10/2	6:30PM	DWELL MIDWEEK WORSHIP
SUN 10/6	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

FINANCIAL UPDATE	BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$6,992	FAITH PROMISE RECEIPTS	\$295
	BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY	\$5,678	FAITH PROMISE BUDGETED WEEKLY	\$1,042

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