



# Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

OCTOBER 3, 2021

## 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.**

## **\*GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost:  
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen, Amen.

## **\*INVOCATION**

## **\*HYMN OF PRAISE.....I STAND AMAZED**

I stand amazed in the presence  
Of Jesus the Nazarene,  
And wonder how He could love me,  
A sinner, condemned, unclean.

For me it was in the garden  
He prayed, "Not My will, but Thine";  
He had no tears for His own griefs,  
But sweat-drops of blood for mine.

*How marvelous! how wonderful!  
And my song shall ever be:  
How marvelous! how wonderful!  
Is my Savior's love for me!*

He took my sins and my sorrows,  
He made them His very own;  
He bore the burden to Calv'ry  
And suffered and died alone.

When with the ransomed in glory  
His face I at last shall see,  
'Twill be my joy thru the ages  
To sing of His love for me.

# **\*SONG OF JOYFUL WORSHIP.....BLESSED BE YOUR NAME**

WORDS & MUSIC: MATT & BETH REDMAN

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful,  
where Your streams of abundance flow,  
blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place,  
though I walk through the wilderness,  
blessed be Your name.

***Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise.  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,  
"Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord,  
blessed be Your glorious name."***

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me,  
when the world is all as it should be, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering,  
though there's pain in the offering blessed be Your name.

***You give and take away, You give and take away.  
My heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be Your name."***

**SCRIPTURE READING.....PSALMS 23 & 24**

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**HYMN OF ADORATION** .....SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD  
LEAD US

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.

## **CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

O most great, just and gracious God.  
You condemn the ungodly,  
but you have promised mercy through Jesus Christ.  
We confess that we have all sinned  
and fallen short of the glory of God.  
We have dishonored and neglected those around us.  
We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our  
neighbors.  
We have run into temptations,  
and the sin, which we should have hated.  
We are careless, ignorant, rash and presumptuous  
against your commands, promises,  
threats, mercies and judgments.  
Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father.  
Be reconciled to us, and let the blood of Jesus Christ  
cleanse us from all our sins. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the Lord.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....ROMANS 5:8-9**

“...but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God.”

**\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE .....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)

**SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE STEVE HAWLEY**

## **SERMON** .....GENESIS 12:4-9

<sup>4</sup> So Abram went, as the LORD had told him, and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. <sup>5</sup> And Abram took Sarai his wife, and Lot his brother's son, and all their possessions that they had gathered, and the people that they had acquired in Haran, and they set out to go to the land of Canaan. When they came to the land of Canaan, <sup>6</sup> Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. <sup>7</sup> Then the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built there an altar to the LORD, who had appeared to him. <sup>8</sup> From there he moved to the hill country on the east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. And there he built an altar to the LORD and called upon the name of the LORD. <sup>9</sup> And Abram journeyed on, still going toward the Negeb.

# SERMON NOTES

## **MOST LIKELY TO OBEY**

GENESIS 12:4-9

**OBEDIENCE**

**FAITH**

**WORSHIP**

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** .....THE GOODNESS OF JESUS

Come you weary heart now to Jesus  
Come you anxious soul now and see  
There is perfect love and comfort in your tears  
Rest here in His wondrous peace

***Oh the goodness, the goodness of Jesus  
Satisfied, He is all that I need  
May it be, come what may, that I rest all my days  
In the goodness of Jesus***

Come find what this world cannot offer  
Come and find your joy here complete  
Taste the living water, never thirst again  
Rest here in His wondrous peace

Come and find your hope now in Jesus  
He is all He said He would be  
Grace is overflowing from the Savior's heart  
Rest here in His wondrous peace

**\*BENEDICTION**

## **REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK**

**Ministry Partners:** Roger & Dianne Smalling, writing and publishing reformed literature for training programs and seminars in Latin America

**Our Troops:** pray for Hunter Warren who will be stationed at Eglin Air Force Base near Destin, FL and all of our troops and their chaplains around the world

**Church of the week:** New City Fellowship, Orangeburg; J.P. Sibley, pastor

## **TRINITY FAMILY**

**Nancy Henson:** recovering at home after recent hospitalization

**Herb Tait:** recovering at home after recent hospitalization

**Sarah Hutto:** recovering from open heart and hernia surgery

**Melonie Anderson:** adjusting to new medication for advancing MS

**Linda Wactor:** recovering from recent infection

**Claudia Wilkes:** in stage 4 renal failure, not eligible for another transplant

**Lawton Porter:** ongoing therapy, healing for foot

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches