



# Trinity Church

P R E S B Y T E R I A N

building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

OCTOBER 28, 2018

## REFLECTION & PREPARATION

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP.....PSALM 96:1-9

Oh sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the LORD all the earth!  
**Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.**  
 Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!  
**For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods. For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols, but the LORD made the heavens.**  
 Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.  
**Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength!**  
 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts!  
**Worship the LORD in splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth!**

### \*DOXOLOGY

### \*INVOCATION

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE.....A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD No. 26

### SCRIPTURE READING.....PSALM 49

### HYMN OF ADORATION.....JESUS, CAST A LOOK ON ME

WORDS: JOHN BERRIDGE

MUSIC: MATTHEW PERRYMAN JONES

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| 1. Jesus cast a look on me,<br>Give me sweet simplicity<br>Make me poor and keep me low,<br>Seeking only Thee to know          | 2. All that feeds my busy pride,<br>Cast it evermore aside<br>Bid my will to Thine submit,<br>Lay me humbly at Thy feet              |
| 3. Make me like a little child,<br>Of my strength and wisdom spoiled<br>Seeing only in Thy light,<br>Walking only in Thy might | 4. Leaning on Thy loving breast,<br>Where a weary soul can rest<br>Feeling well the peace of God,<br>Flowing from His precious blood |
|  | 5. In this posture let me live,<br>And hosannas daily give<br>In this temper let me die,<br>And hosannas ever cry!                   |

### CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty Father, God of gods and Lord of lords,  
 Father to the fatherless, Husband to the widow,  
 Defender of the helpless, Judge of all the earth, have mercy on us.  
 We have not sought freedom for the oppressed,  
 even though you freed us.  
 We have not bound up the broken even though you healed us.  
 We have not forgiven others even though you forgave us.  
 We withhold kindness from the needy even though you freely gave us  
 your own Son.  
 We are without excuse, but not without hope.  
 By your power and grace, account our sins to Jesus' bloody death  
 and amend our ways by the power of his glorious resurrection.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....HEBREWS 10:4,12,14

"For it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins.... But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God.... For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified."

**\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE** .....ROCK OF AGES

WORDS: AUGUSTUS TOPLADY      MUSIC: JAMES WARD

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee;  
Let the water and the blood, From Thy wounded side which flowed,  
Be of sin the double cure, Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.

Not the labors of my hands Can fulfill Thy law's demands;  
Could my zeal no respite know, Could my tears forever flow,  
All for sin could not atone; thou must save an Thou alone.

Nothing in my hands I bring, Simply to Thy cross I cling;  
Naked, come to Thee for dress, Helpless, look to Thee for grace;  
Foul, I to the fountain fly, Wash me, Savior, or I die!

While I draw this fleeting breath, When my eyelids close in death,  
When I soar to worlds unknown, See Thee on Thy judgment throne,  
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee.

**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** .....SPEAK O LORD

WORDS & MUSIC: KEITH GETTY & STUART TOWNEND

Speak, O Lord as we come to You to receive the food of Your Holy Word.  
Take Your Truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness  
That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds of faith  
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience, holy reverence, true humility.  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.  
Cause our faith to rise cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of power that can never fail, let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord and renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time, that will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.  
Speak O Lord till Your church is built and the earth is filled with Your glory.

**SHEPHERDING PRAYER** .....RE MICHAEL SALLEY

**SERMON** .....JOHN 1:19-28

<sup>19</sup> And this is the testimony of John, when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, "Who are you?" <sup>20</sup> He confessed, and did not deny, but confessed, "I am not the Christ." <sup>21</sup> And they asked him, "What then? Are you Elijah?" He said, "I am not." "Are you the Prophet?" And he answered, "No." <sup>22</sup> So they said to him, "Who are you? We need to give an answer to those who sent us. What do you say about yourself?" <sup>23</sup> He said, "I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, 'Make straight the way of the Lord,' as the prophet Isaiah said."

<sup>24</sup> (Now they had been sent from the Pharisees.) <sup>25</sup> They asked him, "Then why are you baptizing, if you are neither the Christ, nor Elijah, nor the Prophet?" <sup>26</sup> John answered them, "I baptize with water, but among you stands one you do not know, <sup>27</sup> even he who comes after me, the strap of whose sandal I am not worthy to untie." <sup>28</sup> These things took place in Bethany across the Jordan, where John was baptizing.

**REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK**

**Ministry Partners:** DAZZ - lowcountry pregnancy care center and ministry to new parents

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

**Church of the week:** Redeemer Presbyterian, Charleston; Craig Bailey, pastor

**TRINITY FAMILY**

**Ray Steffen and family:** in the loss of his brother

**Linda Wells:** in the loss of her brother

**Deborah Finkelstein:** recovering from knee surgery

**Connie Porter:** recovering from ankle surgery

**Wayne Walling:** recovering from knee replacement surgery

**Mark Cash:** recovering from back surgery

**Frank Myers:** recovering from back surgery

**Rebecca Sibley:** recovering from back surgery

**Willie Lou Jackson:** at home in Orangeburg battling multiple health issues

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

**Ann Betsill:** at Calhoun Convalescent Center

# SERMON NOTES

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** .....O CHURCH ARISE

WORDS AND MUSIC: KEITH GETTY & STUART TOWNEND

O Church, arise, and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our Captain.  
 For now the weak can say that they are strong in the strength that God has given.  
 With shield of faith and belt of truth we'll stand against the devil's lies;  
 An army bold, whose battle cry is "Love," reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor;  
 And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight with faith and valor,  
 When faced with trials on every side, we know the outcome is secure,  
 And Christ will have the prize for which he died: an inheritance of nations.

Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken,  
 Then see his foes lie crushed beneath His feet for the Conqueror has risen!  
 And as the stone is rolled away, and Christ emerges from the grave,  
 This vict'ry march continues til the day every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit come, put strength in every stride, give grace for every hurdle,  
 That we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.  
 As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,  
 We hear their calls and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in glory.

**\*BENEDICTION**

COME BACK TONIGHT AT **6:00 PM**  
 FOR SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PSALM 50	PSALM 51	PSALM 52	PSALM 53	PSALM 54	PSALM 55

# BULLETIN BOARD

## MEALS NEEDED FOR JOBS FOR LIFE

Jobs for Life, a program that trains unemployed or underemployed people job skills with a biblical focus, needs volunteers to bring meals for the students and their mentors on several upcoming Thursday nights. Please choose a night when you can help and sign up at the Information Counter or online (see Thursday's email newsletter). Plan to feed 10 to 12 people most nights except Dec. 20, which is graduation and will be a larger group. Jobs for Life meets at the Orangeburg County Library at 510 Louis Street.

## FILL A SHOEBOX FOR OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

It's Shoebox Season again! If you would like to fill a shoebox with items for Operation Christmas Child, you can pick one up at the table in the Narthex and start shopping. Brochures are also available which outline suggested items to pack in your box such as toys, hygiene items and school supplies, along with a list of things you shouldn't pack. Each box, which is sent to a needy child around the world by the Samaritan's Purse ministry, should include a \$9 donation to cover shipping and other costs. Please bring your shoebox gift back to the church by Sunday, November 11, or drop it off at the First Baptist Church Family Life Center the week of November 12 through 19.

## SAVE THE DATE: THANKSGIVING CAMP MEETING/MEAL NOV. 17

We are switching things up a bit this year, and combining our Camp Meeting and Thanksgiving meal in November. Those who would like to camp are welcome to hook up their campers or pitch their tents on Friday and Saturday nights, November 16 and 17. We'll have a corn hole tournament Saturday at 3 pm and our Thanksgiving meal at 5:30 that evening. More details about the meal will be announced soon. We'll have a bonfire and hayrides Saturday evening as well. Make plans now to join us!

## HANGING OF THE GREENS IS SUNDAY, NOV. 18

Plan to stay after worship on Sunday, November 18 to help decorate the church for Christmas. We need to have the large wreaths hung, the large trees assembled, and all the garlands and ornaments put in place. Lunch will be provided, so please sign up at the Information Counter and let us know you can be there. Questions? See Linda Bonnette.

## OFFICER TRAINING SCHEDULED

Training for officer nominees and current church officers will continue on Sunday, November 4 at 4:45. Any former church officers are also welcome to attend.

# THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

SERVING	OCTOBER 28		NOVEMBER 4	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-3	Debbie Carter	Jennifer & Ira Cash	Kathy Forwood	Tamara & Mary Rickenbaker
USHERS	Peter Forwood, Mark Ford, Bubba Morrell, Jeff Folk		Dan Steffen, Alan Ulmer, Jerry Samples, Michael Salley	

FINANCIAL UPDATE	
BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$3,040
BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY	\$5,337
FAITH PROMISE	
\$125 GIVEN	\$1,137 BUDGETED WEEKLY
STAFF	
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	
ELDERS	DEACONS
Steve Hawley Michael Salley Jeff Watford Alan Ulmer	Brian Henson Daniel Peeler Gregg Waters Daniel Pantaleon
Deacon Assistants:	
Larry Adicks, Linda Bonnette, Lyle Polson, Jerry & Lee Ann Smith, Alan Ulmer, Randy Zeigler	

CALENDAR		
SUN 10/28	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 6:00PM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP 2:42, YOUTH & KIDS 4 CHRIST
MON 10/29	5:30PM	WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
TUES 10/30	6:00AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
SUN 11/4	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 4:45 PM 6:00PM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP OFFICER TRAINING 2:42, YOUTH & KIDS 4 CHRIST

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