



# Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

NOVEMBER 5, 2023

## 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

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below; alleluia, alleluia!

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host,  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

### \*INVOCATION

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE .....HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

No. 262

### \*HYMN OF JOYFUL WORSHIP .....ANCIENT OF DAYS

Though the nations rage, Kingdoms rise and fall  
There is still one King reigning over all  
So I will not fear for this truth remains:  
That my God is the Ancient of Days

**None above Him, none before Him  
All of time in His hands**

**For His throne it shall remain and ever stand**

**All the power, all the glory**

**I will trust in His name**

**For my God is the Ancient of Days**

Though the dread of night Overwhelms my soul  
He is here with me I am not alone  
O His love is sure and He knows my name  
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Though I may not see What the future brings  
I will watch and wait For the Savior King  
Then my joy complete standing face to face  
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

### SCRIPTURE READING.....RUTH 2

**HYMN OF ADORATION**.....HE LEADETH ME

No. 461

He leadeth me! O blessed thought!  
O words with heav'nly comfort fraught!  
Whate'er I do, where'er I be,  
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me!

**He leadeth me, He leadeth me,  
By His own hand He leadeth me:  
His faithful foll'wer I would be,  
For by His hand He leadeth me.**

Lord, I would clasp Thy hand in mine,  
Nor ever murmur nor repine,  
Content, whatever lot I see,  
Since 'tis Thy hand that leadeth me!

And when my task on earth is done,  
When, by Thy grace, the vict'ry's won,  
E'en death's cold wave I will not flee,  
Since God thru Jordan leadeth me!

**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**.....ALAS AND DID MY SAVIOR BLEED

WORDS: ISAAC WATTS MUSIC: BOBBY GUY AND MAC PURDY

Alas and did my savior bleed And did my Sovereign die?  
Would He devote that sacred head For sinners such as I?

Was it for sins that I have done He suffered on the tree?  
Amazing pity! Grace unknown! And love beyond degree!

Well might the sun in darkness hide (Well might the sun in darkness hide)  
And shut His glories in (And shut His glories in)  
When Christ, the great Redeemer died For man the creature's sin.

Thus might I hide my blushing face While His dear cross appears,  
Dissolve my heart in thankfulness, And melt mine eyes to tears.

But drops of grief can ne'er repay (But drops of grief can ne'er repay)  
The debt of love I owe: (The debt of love I owe:)  
Here, Lord, I give my self away 'Tis all that I can do.

**SHEPHERDING PRAYER**.....RE WOODY WATFORD

**SERMON**.....EPHESIANS 2:1-10

<sup>1</sup> And you were dead in the trespasses and sins <sup>2</sup> in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience—<sup>3</sup> among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. <sup>4</sup> But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, <sup>5</sup> even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—<sup>6</sup> and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, <sup>7</sup> so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. <sup>8</sup> For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, <sup>9</sup> not a result of works, so that no one may boast. <sup>10</sup> For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

# SERMON NOTES

## WORKS THAT SAVE

(AND THE WORK OF THE SAVED)

EPHESIANS 2:8-10

FAITH IS THE HAMMER

FAITH IS A GIFT

SAVED BY WORKS

SAVED FOR WORKS

**\*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**

# BULLETIN BOARD

## It's SHOEBOX PACKING TIME!

Join in the fun of sharing God's love with children around the world by packing a shoebox through Operation Christmas Child. Pick up a shoebox and label on the welcome counter in the Narthex, and return it by next Sunday, November 12. A \$10 donation covers the cost of processing and shipping.

## HELP DECORATE THE CHURCH FOR CHRISTMAS ON NOV. 18

We will gather at the church on Saturday morning, November 18, to decorate for Christmas. Come between 8 am and 1 pm to help.

## CAN YOU HELP PREPARE FOR COMMUNION IN JULY?

We still need volunteers to prepare for communion in July 2024. Please consider helping with this important part of our worship service - a sign-up sheet is on the information table.

## DAZZ NEEDS DIAPERS AND BABY WIPES

DAZZ, Orangeburg's crisis pregnancy center, is in need of size 3, 4 and 5 diapers and wipes. If you are able to donate any, you can drop them off at the church or at the DAZZ office, 923 Chestnut Street.

### REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

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

**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:** Redeemer Presbyterian, Charleston; Craig Bailey, pastor

### TRINITY FAMILY

**Karla Lambrecht:** recovering from knee surgery

**Dan Steffen:** recovering from back surgery

**Susan Ulmer:** recovering from gallbladder surgery

**Herb Tait:** healing for broken arm after surgery was ruled out. Pray for peace and comfort for Mrs. Betty.

**Joe Junquet:** continued healing of his nerves

**Melonie Anderson:** recovering from knee surgery, pray for balance issues when she walks

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

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

**Lawton Porter:** ongoing therapy

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**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 Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant Sandra Jackson, Bookkeeper	
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Michael Salley Alan Ulmer Woody Watford	Les Carter Jeff Folk Wayne Walling Jeff Watford
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Larry Adicks, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson	

CALENDAR		
SUN 11/5	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 11/7	6:30AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 11/8	6:30PM	PRAYER
SUN 11/12	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
RUTH 3-4	1 SAMUEL 1	1 SAMUEL 2	1 SAMUEL 3	1 SAMUEL 4	1 SAMUEL 5

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HERE!**

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