



Trinity Church

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building God's Church...blessing our community

THE LORD'S DAY

NOVEMBER 8, 2020

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP**PSALM 100

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!

Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

Know that the Lord, He is God.

It is he who made us, and we are His; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise.

Give thanks to Him, let us praise His name!

For the Lord is good, His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations!

***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**COME PRAISE AND GLORIFY

MUSIC AND WORDS BY JOEL SCZEBEL AND PAT SCZEBEL

Come praise and glorify our God The Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
His blessings on us poured
For pure and blameless in His sight He destined us to be
And now we've been adopted through His Son eternally

**To the praise of Your glory
To the praise of Your mercy and grace
To the praise of Your glory
You are the God who saves**

Come praise and glorify our God
Who gives His grace in Christ
In Him our sins are washed away
Redeemed through sacrifice
In Him God has made known to us The myst'ry of His will
That Christ should be the head of all His purpose to fulfill

Come praise and glorify our God
For we've believed the Word
And through our faith we have a seal The Spirit of the Lord
The Spirit guarantees our hope Until redemption's done
Until we join in endless praise To God, the Three in One

SCRIPTURE READING.....1 SAMUEL 2

HYMN OF ADORATION.....HE LEADETH ME

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!

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CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty and most merciful Father;
we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost
sheep.**

**We have followed too much the pattern of this world
and the desires of our hearts.**

We have broken your holy laws.

**We have left undone those things that we ought to
have done,
and we have done those things that we ought not to
have done.**

There is no health in us.

O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.

**Restore to us the joy of our salvation; bind up that
which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to
our wills and rest to our souls, through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDONROMANS 6:5-7**

“For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. For one who has died has been set free from sin.”

*HYMN OF ASSURANCETHE POWER OF THE CROSS

WORDS AND MUSIC BY: KEITH GETTY & STUART TOWNEND

Oh to see the dawn of the darkest day:
Christ on the road to calvary.
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten then
nailed to a cross of wood.

*This the power of the cross: Christ became sin for us.
Took the blame, bore the wrath, we stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh to see the pain written on your face:
bearing the awesome weight of sin.
Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed,
crowning your blood-stained brow.

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath,
quakes as its maker bows his head.
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life,
finished the vict'ry cry.

Oh to see my name written in the wounds
for through Your suff'ring I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,
won through Your selfless love.

HYMN OF PREPARATION.....SHOW US CHRIST

WORDS: DOUG PLANK MUSIC: DOUG PLANK & BOB KAUFNIN

Prepare our hearts, O God, help us to receive
Break the hard and stony ground, help our unbelief
Plant Your Word down deep in us, cause it to bear fruit
Open up our ears to hear, lead us in Your truth

**Show us Christ, show us Christ
O God, reveal Your glory
through the preaching of Your Word
Until every heart confesses Christ is Lord**

Your Word is living light upon our darkened eyes
Guards us through temptations, makes the simple wise
Your Word is food for famished ones, freedom for the slave
Riches for the needy soul, come speak to us today

Where else can we go, Lord, where else can we go
You have the words of eternal life

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE SAM LAMBRECHT

SERMON.....JOHN 19:16B-30

^{16b} So they took Jesus, ¹⁷ and he went out, bearing his own cross, to the place called The Place of a Skull, which in Aramaic is called Golgotha. ¹⁸ There they crucified him, and with him two others, one on either side, and Jesus between them. ¹⁹ Pilate also wrote an inscription and put it on the cross. It read, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews." ²⁰ Many of the Jews read this inscription, for the place where Jesus was crucified was near the city, and it was written in Aramaic, in Latin, and in Greek. ²¹ So the chief priests of the Jews said to Pilate, "Do not write, 'The King of the Jews,' but rather, 'This man said, I am King of the Jews.'" ²² Pilate answered, "What I have written I have written."

²³ When the soldiers had crucified Jesus, they took his garments and divided them into four parts, one part for each soldier; also his tunic. But the tunic was seamless, woven in one piece from top to bottom, ²⁴ so they said to one another, "Let us not tear it, but cast lots for it to see whose it shall be." This was to fulfill the Scripture which says,

"They divided my garments among them,
and for my clothing they cast lots."

So the soldiers did these things, ²⁵ but standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. ²⁶ When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son!" ²⁷ Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother!" And from that hour the disciple took her to his own home.

²⁸ After this, Jesus, knowing that all was now finished, said (to fulfill the Scripture), "I thirst." ²⁹ A jar full of sour wine stood there, so they put a sponge full of the sour wine on a hyssop branch and held it to his mouth. ³⁰ When Jesus had received the sour wine, he said, "It is finished," and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

SERMON NOTES

AT THE CROSS: SUFFERING AND SIN

JOHN 19:16B - 30

***HYMN OF PREPARATION.....COMMUNION HYMN**

WORDS & MUSIC: KEITH & KRISTYN GETTY AND STUART TOWNEND

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,
slain for us...and we remember
The promise made that all who come in faith
find forgiveness at the cross.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of peace
around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you...
eat and remember
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life
paid the price to make us one.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of love
around the table of the King.

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

A WORD ABOUT COMMUNION AT TRINITY:

This is a time for all people to seek the Lord. For Christians, Communion is a time to meet with their Savior by faith, to be strengthened and renewed by Him as they eat bread and drink juice. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior and Lord, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, are at peace with their fellow neighbor, and seek strength and grace to live more faithfully to Christ, are invited to participate. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in

prayer and to consider more deeply your relationship to Jesus Christ.
We also ask that children who have not yet publicly professed their faith
in Christ refrain from partaking until doing so.

***HYMN OF RESPONSE.....COMMUNION HYMN**

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,
shed for you...drink and remember
He drained death's cup that all may enter in
to receive the life of God.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of grace
around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond...
and to remember
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ
as His body here on earth.
As we share in His suffering,
we proclaim Christ will come again!
And we'll join in the feast of heaven
around the table of the King.

***BENEDICTION**

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partners: Marty Huddleston - MNA Disaster Response logistics specialist

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

Church of the week: Eastbridge Presbyterian, Mount Pleasant; Ron Steel, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Dave Tussey: recovering from heart bypass surgery

Herb Tait: relief from eye pressure issues

Jerry Smith: pray for his blood pressure to be regulated, for continued memory recovery and improved physical abilities.

Frank Myers: recovery from back surgery

Linda Wactor: wisdom for doctors in managing her pain

Claudia Wilkes: recovering from ankle surgery

Lawton Porter: recovery from broken leg, ongoing therapy after brain aneurysm

Linda Wells: neuropathy, improved stamina

Christie Churchwell: relief from headaches

FINANCIAL UPDATE	YR TO DATE GENERAL RECEIPTS \$223,809	OCTOBER GENERAL RECEIPTS \$15,888
	YR TO DATE GENERAL EXPENSES \$202,209	OCTOBER GENERAL EXPENSES \$16,816
	YTD FAITH PROMISE RECEIPTS \$45,858	OCTOBER FAITH PROMISE RECEIPTS \$4,782
	YTD FAITH PROMISE EXPENSES \$58,800	OCTOBER FAITH PROMISE EXPENSES \$4,346