



# Trinity Church

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THE LORD'S DAY

NOVEMBER 29, 2020

**ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING.....ALAN & SUSAN ULMER**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP.....REVELATION 15:3-4**

Great and marvelous are Your deeds, LORD God Almighty.

**Righteous and true are Your ways, King of the ages.**

Who will not fear You, O LORD, and bring glory to Your name? For You alone are holy.

**All nations will come and worship before You, for Your righteous acts have been revealed.**

**\*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** .....TO GOD BE THE GLORY

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To God be the glory - great things He hath done!  
So loved He the world that he gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin  
And opened the Life-gate that all may go in.

***Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory - great things He hath done!***

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!  
To ev'ry believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done,  
And great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son;  
But purer and higher and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

**SCRIPTURE READING**.....1 SAMUEL 23

**HYMN OF ADORATION** .....WHAT A FRIEND  
WE HAVE IN JESUS

What a Friend we have in Jesus,  
All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry  
Everything to God in prayer!  
O what peace we often forfeit,  
O what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?  
Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged,  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
Can we find a friend so faithful  
Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness,  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy-laden,  
Cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our Refuge -  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?  
Take it to the Lord in prayer;  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,  
Thou wilt find a solace there.

## **CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

**Lord, we have not kept watch for you.**

**We have occupied ourselves with our own concerns.**

**We have not waited to find your will for us.**

**We have not noticed the needs of the people  
around us.**

**We have not acknowledged the love that has been  
shown to us. Forgive us for our lack of watchfulness.**

**Help us to wait to know your will.**

**Help us to look out for the needs of others.**

**Help us to work and watch for your coming. Amen.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

### **\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON .....EPHESIANS 2:4-5**

“But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ, by grace you have been saved”

### **\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE .....AMAZING GRACE**

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound -

That saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost but now am found,

Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,

And grace my fears relieved;

How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed.

The Lord has promised good to me,  
His Word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Thru many dangers, toils and snares  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

**SHEPHERDING PRAYER**.....RE ALAN ULMER

**SERMON**.....REV. THOM WATSON

## Psalm 91

- <sup>1</sup> He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High  
will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.
- <sup>2</sup> I will say to the LORD, "My refuge and my fortress,  
my God, in whom I trust."
- <sup>3</sup> For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler  
and from the deadly pestilence.

<sup>4</sup> He will cover you with his pinions,  
and under his wings you will find refuge;  
his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.

<sup>5</sup> You will not fear the terror of the night,  
nor the arrow that flies by day,

<sup>6</sup> nor the pestilence that stalks in darkness,  
nor the destruction that wastes at noonday.

<sup>7</sup> A thousand may fall at your side,  
ten thousand at your right hand,  
but it will not come near you.

<sup>8</sup> You will only look with your eyes  
and see the recompense of the wicked.

<sup>9</sup> Because you have made the LORD your dwelling place—  
the Most High, who is my refuge—

<sup>10</sup> no evil shall be allowed to befall you,  
no plague come near your tent.

<sup>11</sup> For he will command his angels concerning you  
to guard you in all your ways.

<sup>12</sup> On their hands they will bear you up,  
lest you strike your foot against a stone.

<sup>13</sup> You will tread on the lion and the adder;  
the young lion and the serpent you will trample underfoot.

<sup>14</sup> “Because he holds fast to me in love, I will deliver him;  
I will protect him, because he knows my name.

<sup>15</sup> When he calls to me, I will answer him;  
I will be with him in trouble;  
I will rescue him and honor him.

<sup>16</sup> With long life I will satisfy him  
and show him my salvation.”

# SERMON NOTES

## Psalm 91

EVERY PERSON CAN \_\_\_\_\_.

- BY TRUSTING IN HIS \_\_\_\_\_

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WHAT ARE YOU \_\_\_\_\_?

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE.....MAY THE MIND OF CHRIST,  
MY SAVIOR**

May the mind of Christ my Savior  
Live in me from day to day,  
By His love and pow'r controlling All I do and say.

May the Word of God dwell richly  
In my heart from hour to hour,  
So that all may see I triumph Only thro' His pow'r.

May the peace of God my Father  
Rule my life in ev'rything,  
That I may be calm to comfort Sick and sorrowing.

May the love of Jesus fill me  
as the waters fill the sea;  
Him exalting, self abasing - This is victory.

May I run the race before me  
Strong and brave to face the foe,  
Looking only unto Jesus As I onward go.

May His beauty rest upon me  
As I seek the lost to win,  
And may they forget the channel, Seeing only Him.

**\*BENEDICTION**



## **REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK**

**Ministry Partners:** Keith & Ruth Powlison - Serving on MTW's Hinterland team in Cusco, Peru.

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

**Church of the week:** Grace Coastal Presbyterian, Okatie; Sam Joyner, 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:** ongoing therapy, healing for foot

**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina

**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches

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