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THE LORD'S DAY — AUGUST 16, 2026

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP**.....FROM PSALM 118

This is the day that the Lord has made!
Let us rejoice and be glad in it!
The Lord is God!
He has made His light to shine upon us.
You are our God, and we will give thanks to You
You are our God and we will extol You.
Oh give thanks to the Lord for He is good!
His steadfast love endures forever!

***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** .....GOD, OUR FATHER, WE ADORE THEE
No. 268

***SONG OF JOYFUL WORSHIP** .....O PRAISE THE NAME
WORDS AND MUSIC: MARTY SAMPSON, BENJAMIN HASTINGS & DEAN USSHER

I cast my mind to Calvary where Jesus bled and died for me.
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet. My Savior on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears, they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.
The entrance sealed by heavy stone, Messiah still and all alone.

Oh praise the Name of the Lord our God.
O praise His Name forever more.
For endless days we will sing Your praise.
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

Then on the third at break of dawn, the Son of heaven rose again.
O trampled death, where is your sting? The angels roar for Christ the King.

He shall return in robes of white, the blazing sun shall pierce the night.
And I will rise among the saints, my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face.

SCRIPTURE READING .....JEREMIAH 33

Hymn of Adoration ..... Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right

Words by Samuel Rodigast & Music by David Braud

Whate'er my God ordains is right, Holy His will abideth.
I will be still whateer He does, And follow where He guideth.
He is my God, Though dark my road.
He holds me that I shall not fall Wherefore to Him I leave it all

Whate'er my God ordains is right, He never will deceive me
He leads me by the proper path, I know He will not leave me
I take, content, What He hath sent
His hand can turn my griefs away And patiently I wait His day

Whate'er my God ordains is right, Though now this cup in drinking
May bitter seem to my faint heart, I take it all unshrinking
My God is true, Each morn anew
Sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart And pain and sorrow shall depart

Whate'er my God ordains is right, Here shall my stand be taken
Though sorrow, need, or death be mine, Yet I am not forsaken
My Father's care Is round me there
He holds me that I shall not fall And so to Him I leave it all

Corporate Confession of Sin

Lord God, eternal and almighty Father,
we acknowledge before your holiness that we are poor sinners,
born into guilt and in corruption,
prone to do evil and unable of our own power to do good.
Because of our sin, we endlessly violate your holy commandments.
But, O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent
and turn away from all our offenses.
Have compassion on us, Father of all mercies,
for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
And in removing our guilt, also grow us daily in the grace of your Holy Spirit,
and produce in us the fruits of a life that is pleasing in your sight,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the Lord.

*Assurance of Pardon ..... 1 John 4:9-10

"In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only son into the world,
so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved God
but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins."

*Hymn of Assurance ..... How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds In a believer's ear!
It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, And drives away his fear.

It makes the wounded spirit whole And calms the troubled breast;
'Tis manna to the hungry soul And to the weary, rest.

Dear name! the rock on which I build, My shield and hiding place;
My never-failing treasury, filled With boundless stores of grace!

By Thee my prayers acceptance gain, Although with sin defiled;
Satan accuses me in vain, And I am owned a child.

Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend, My Prophet, Priest and King,
My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, Accept the praise I bring.

Weak is the effort of my heart, And cold my warmest thought;
But when I see Thee as Thou art I'll praise Thee as I ought.

Till then I would Thy love proclaim With ev'ry fleeting breath;
And may the music of Thy name Refresh my soul in death.

Shepherding Prayer ..... RE Michael Salley

Sermon ..... Jonah 1:7-16

7 And they said to one another, "Come, let us cast lots, that we may know on whose account
this evil has come upon us." So they cast lots, and the lot fell on Jonah. 8 Then they said to him,
"Tell us on whose account this evil has come upon us. What is your occupation? And where do
you come from? What is your country? And of what people are you?" 9 And he said to them, "I
am a Hebrew, and I fear the LORD, the God of heaven, who made the sea and the dry land." 10
Then the men were exceedingly afraid and said to him, "What is this that you have done!" For
the men knew that he was fleeing from the presence of the LORD, because he had told them.

11 Then they said to him, "What shall we do to you, that the sea may quiet down for us?" For the
sea grew more and more tempestuous. 12 He said to them, "Pick me up and hurl me into the
sea; then the sea will quiet down for you, for I know it is because of me that this great tempest
has come upon you." 13 Nevertheless, the men rowed hard to get back to dry land, but they
could not, for the sea grew more and more tempestuous against them. 14 Therefore they called
out to the LORD, "O LORD, let us not perish for this man's life, and lay not on us innocent blood,
for you, O LORD, have done as it pleased you." 15 So they picked up Jonah and hurled him into
the sea, and the sea ceased from its raging. 16 Then the men feared the LORD exceedingly, and
they offered a sacrifice to the LORD and made vows.

SERMON NOTES

BLAMING & TAMING THE STORM

JONAH 1:7-16

CASTING LOTS

JONAH'S IDENTITY

MIXED MOTIVES

*HYMN OF PREPARATION.....OH, THE DEEP, DEEP LOVE

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus
Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free
Rolling as a mighty ocean
In its fullness over me
Underneath me, all around me
Is the current of Your love
Leading onward, leading homeward
To Your glorious rest above

Oh the deep, deep love
All I need and trust
Is the deep, deep love of Jesus

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus
Spread His praise from shore to shore
How He came to pay our ransom
Through the saving cross He bore
How He watches o'er His loved ones
Those He died to make His own
How for them He's interceding
Pleading now before the throne

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus
Far surpassing all the rest
It's an ocean full of blessing
In the midst of every test
Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus
Mighty Savior, precious Friend
You will bring us home to glory
Where Your love will never end

*BENEDICTION

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BULLETIN BOARD

Help Replenish Polly's Pantry with Donation

Polly's Pantry, Trinity's food ministry, is running low on funds and our shelves are getting empty. Please donate to help us provide boxes of healthy food to our neighbors in need. We have given out 75 food boxes from November 2025 through July of this year. To make a monetary donation to the pantry, please make a check out to Trinity and earmark it for Polly's Pantry.

Officer Nominations Begin This Month

Nominations for elder and deacon will begin in August. Please pray about who you will nominate to join our church leadership. Nomination forms are available on the information counter.

Volunteers Needed for Music Outreach to CDC Children

The session is seeking volunteers to visit the Orangeburg Prep Child Development Center on our lower floor on Tuesday mornings. Volunteers will teach the children songs and share God's love! Music options have been identified and we have a few people willing to help, but more are needed. Please pray about whether the Lord is calling you to participate in this wonderful outreach opportunity. Contact Pastor John Mark if you have questions or are ready to sign up to help.

Remembering In Prayer This Week

Ministry Partner: Ed & Vicki Germann - serving with International Students, Inc. in the Southeast and Great Lakes regions. Pray for wisdom in the placement, training, and properly equipping and directing of their workers
Our Troops: pray for all of our troops and their chaplains around the world
Church of the week: Christ Church Presbyterian, Mount Pleasant; Jon Payne, pastor

Trinity Family

Family of Jan McClure: pray for peace and comfort after Jan's passing on Friday
David Myers: recovery from surgery and relief from pain
Adele Hawley: healing after surgery for broken wrist
Dottie Babb: recovery from broken shoulder
Joe Junquet: increase in appetite and lessening of pain
Adam Pate: battling severe weakness; pray for healing and renewed energy
Susan Gonzalez: seeking an accurate diagnosis from testing
Deborah Finkelstein: ongoing medical concerns
Brush Babb: pray that his upcoming test at MUSC will go well and give his neurologist new treatment to restore his ability to walk again without a cane or walker
Lawton Porter: ongoing therapy
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
Helen Meacham, Pianist
Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant
Sandral Jackson, Bookkeeper

ELDERS	DEACONS
Mark Ford Sam Lambrecht Alan Ulmer	Evan Lambrecht Frank Myers Chris Rickenbaker

DEACON ASSISTANTS
Larry Adicks, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson

CALENDAR

Sun 8/16	8:45am 9:30am 10:30am	Prayer Sunday School Morning Worship
Wed 8/19	5:30pm	Prayer
Sun 8/23	8:45am 9:30am 10:30am	Prayer Sunday School Morning Worship

Trinity Reading Together

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jeremiah 35-37	Jeremiah 38-40 Psalm 74, 79	2 Kings 24-25 2 Ch 36	Habakkuk 1-3	Jeremiah 41-45	Jeremiah 46-48

Welcome to Trinity!
We're glad you're here!

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