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THE LORD'S DAY

APRIL 21, 2024

#### **REFLECTION & PREPARATION**

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Give ear, O my people, to the words of my mouth...things that we have heard and known, that our fathers have told us.

We will not hide them from their children, but tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the LORD, and His might, and the wonders that He has done.

He commanded our fathers to teach to their children, that the next generation might know them--the children yet unborn--and arise and tell them to their children,

so that they should set their hope in God and not forget the works of God, but keep His commandments.

#### \*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

#### \*INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE	How Great	THOU AR
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WORDS & MUSIC: JONAS MYRIN & MATT REDMAN

#### Bless the lord, O my soul, O my soul Worship his holy name Sing like never before, O my soul I'll worship your holy name

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning, It's time to sing your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger, Your name is great and your heart is kind For all your goodness, I will keep on singing, 10,000 reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing your praise unending, 10,000 years and then forever more

SCRIPTURE READING ......ROMANS 11

READER: The Word of the Lord CONGREGATION: **Thanks be to God** 

HYMN OF ADORATION ......He WILL HOLD ME FAST

Words: Ada Habershon Music: Matt Merker

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast I could never keep my hold Through life's fearful path For my love is often cold, He must hold me fast

#### He will hold me fast He will hold me fast For my Savior loves me so He will hold me fast

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast He'll not let my soul be lost, His promises shall last Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast Till our faith is turned to sight, When he comes at last

#### **CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

Father in heaven, we need to be forgiven.

We have tried to heal ourselves.
Instead of trusting in the death of Jesus Christ,
we have tried to work off our guilt.

We have tried so hard to pile up good deeds that outweigh our sins.
When this doesn't work, we quickly turn to denial and distraction.
Instead of trusting in the resurrection of Jesus Christ,
we have tried to change through our own efforts.
We have tried to change our hearts through sheer willpower.
This has left some of us arrogant.
This has left most of us anxious and depressed.
Forgive us for trying to heal ourselves.
Forgive us for neglecting your grace.
Forgive us and heal us, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

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"Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God."

### \*HYMN OF ASSURANCE......NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus; What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Oh! precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow;
No other fount I know,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

For my pardon, this I see, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; For my cleansing, this my plea, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Nothing can for sin atone, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; Naught of good that I have done, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; This is all my righteousness, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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SERMON EPHESIANS 4:17-24

<sup>17</sup> Now this I say and testify in the Lord, that you must no longer walk as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds. <sup>18</sup> They are darkened in their understanding, alienated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them, due to their hardness of heart. <sup>19</sup> They have become callous and have given themselves up to sensuality, greedy to practice every kind of impurity. <sup>20</sup> But that is not the way you learned Christ!—<sup>21</sup> assuming that you have heard about him and were taught in him, as the truth is in Jesus, <sup>22</sup> to put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, <sup>23</sup> and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, <sup>24</sup> and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.

### SERMON NOTES

### GOOD RIDDANCE, OLD MAN!

EPHESIANS 4:20-22
LEARNING CHRIST?
SUPERFICIAL OR TRANSFORMING KNOWLEDGE?
WHY SUCH A STRUGGLE? POWER
Influence

How We Put Off the Old Man

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE .................................JESUS, I COME

WORDS: WILLIAM SLEEPER Music: Greg Thompson

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus I come. Into Thy freedom, gladness and light, Jesus, I come to Thee. Out of my sickness into Thy health, out of my wanting and into Thy wealth, Out of my sin and into Thyself, Jesus. I come to Thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus. I come: Jesus. I come. Into the glorious gain of Thy cross, Jesus, I come to Thee. Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm, out of life's storms and into Thy calm, Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus. I come to Thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into Thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to Thee. Out of myself to dwell in Thy love, out of despair into raptures above, Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb. Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into the joy and light of Thy home, Jesus, I come to Thee. Out of the depths of ruin untold, into the peace of Thy sheltering fold, Ever Thy glorious face to behold, Jesus. I come to Thee.

#### \*BENEDICTION

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## BULLETIN BOARD

#### **EXTRA GIFT FOR MISSIONS PARTNERS IN APRIL**

The Missions Team would like to praise God and thank our members for the excellent giving to Faith Promise in 2023. As a result of this giving, Trinity was able to provide a one-time total support amount of \$14,070.00 to our missionary partners in addition to our regular monthly contributions. These funds were dispersed evenly among each of our partners this month.

#### SHARE THE GOSPEL WITH 5-DAY CLUB THIS SUMMER

We have another opportunity to reach local children with the gospel this summer through Child Evangelism Fellowship's 5-Day Club program. Are you available June 17 through 21 to help? We are looking for someone to coordinate our team and workers who can present the Bible lesson and other aspects of the club. We plan to visit the nearby Orangeburg Prep Summer Program and Sugar N Spice Daycare, and will add more if we have enough willing workers. Please contact Pastor John Mark if you are able to help or if you have questions.

#### COOKS NEEDED TO PREPARE MEALS FOR USC GLOBAL CAFE

We are looking for volunteers to help with the April meal for the RUF-I Global Cafe ministry at the University of South Carolina. Contact Mary Watford if you can help cook or deliver the meal on April 30.

#### DAZZ OPEN HOUSE IS THURSDAY, APRIL 25

You are invited to join DAZZ in celebrating 10 years in Orangeburg at an open house planned for Thursday, April 25 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. DAZZ is a medical pregnancy and Christian ministry that serves women, babies and families. Since opening in September 2014, over 1,000 women who were clients at DAZZ and at risk for an abortion have chosen life. Many have also found new life in Jesus Christ. The open house will be held at the DAZZ offices, 923 Chestnut Street in Orangeburg, and refreshments will be served. RSVP by calling 803-937-3010.

#### REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Tom & Lucy Wright, serving with MTW in French-speaking African countries and Haiti

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

Church of the week: Hope Community Church in Cane Bay - Nathan Francis, church planter

#### **TRINITY FAMILY**

Dan Steffen: pray that his blood pressure will decrease so that he can undergo a kidney biopsy

Joe Junquet: continued healing of his nerves

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

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	CAL	ENDAR
S∪N 4/21	8:45am 9:30am 10:30am	Prayer Sunday school Morning Worship
Tues 4/23	6:30ам	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WED 4/24	5:30рм	Prayer
Sun 4/28	8:45am 9:30am 10:30am	Prayer Sunday school Morning Worship

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ROMANS 12	ROMANS 13	ROMANS 14	ROMANS 15	ROMANS 16	2 CHRONICLES 1

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