

building God's Church...blessing our community THE LORD'S DAY May 12, 2024

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP	FROM PSALMS	107,	103,	139
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Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever. Let the redeemed of the LORD say so.

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget none of His benefits:

He pardons all your iniquities, heals all your diseases, and redeems your life from the pit; He crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.

How precious also are Your thoughts to me, O God! How vast is the sum of them!

Who is wise? Let him give heed to these things, and consider the steadfast love of the LORD.

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host, praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE......Praise Him! Praise Him! No. 106 *HYMN OF JOYFUL WORSHIPPRINCE OF PEACE

WORDS & MUSIC: MARC IMBODEN & TAMMI RHOTON

You are holy (women echo) You are mighty, You are worthy, Worthy of praise I will follow, I will listen, I will love you, All of my days

I will sing to and worship the King who is worthy I will love him adore him I will bow down before him I will sing to and worship the King who is worthy I will love him Adore him I will bow down before him

Women:

You're the Lord of Lords You're the King of Kings You are Mighty God Lord of everything You're Emmanuel You're the Great I Am You're the Prince of Peace Who is the Lamb You're the Living God You're my saving grace You will reign forever You are Ancient of Days You are Alpha, Omega Beginning and End You're my Savior, Messiah Redeemer and friend

Together:

You're my Prince of Peace, and I will live my life for you

*CONFESSION OF FAITH......THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell2; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic³ Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN.

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

1 Although not written by the apostles, the Apostles' Creed is a concise summary of their teachings. It originated in the 2nd century and developed into its present form by the 6th century. 2 By referring to Jesus' descent into hell, the Christian embraces three truths. First, we acknowledge the reality of Jesus' suffering 33 years of temptation. Second, he received the full sentence of hell on behalf of his people while on the cross. Thirdly, he experienced the reign of death by remaining in the tomb after the crucifixion. 3 The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, or geographic barriers.

WORDS: WILLIAM WILLIAMS ALT. JEREMY CASELLA MUSIC: JEREMY CASELLA

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land. I am weak, but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy powerful hand. Bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore; Bread of heaven. Feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing waters flow; Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through. Strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my Strength and Shield. Strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside: Death of death, and hell's destruction. Land me safe on Canaan's side. Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee; Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee.

Land me safe on Canaan's side Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears I and me safe on Canaan's side Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears, goodbye

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

O Lord, no day of our lives has passed that has not proved us guilty in your sight. Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart. praise has often been praiseless sound. We have done things we should not have done, and we have not done things we should have done. If we were to stand before you on our own. we must surely be rejected. However, all things in Christ plead for our acceptance. By his stripes we are healed, and he was bruised for our iniquities. He has been made sin so that we might be made righteous in you. We pray for your cleansing touch to wash away our corruption. and for your hands to rework our lives anew. We pray these things in Christ's holy name. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

*Assurance of Pardon......Titus 3:3-5

"For we ourselves were once foolish, disobedient, led astray, slaves to various passions and pleasures, passing our days in malice and envy, hated by others and hating one another. But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit.""

*HYMN OF ASSURANCE......Now Why This Fear

Verses: Augustus Toplady, 1772 Music & Additional Words: Doublas Plank, 2011

Now why this fear and unbelief? Has not the Father put to grief His spotless Son for us? And will the righteous Judge of men Condemn me for that debt of sin Now canceled at the cross?

> Jesus, all my trust is in Your blood Jesus, You've rescued us Through Your great love

Complete atonement You have made And by Your death have fully paid The debt Your people owed No wrath remains for us to face We're sheltered by Your saving grace And sprinkled with Your blood

How sweet the sound of saving grace, How sweet the sound of saving grace Christ died for me Be still my soul and know this peace The merits of your great high priest Have bought your liberty Rely then on His precious blood Don't fear your banishment from God Since Jesus sets you free

SHEPHERDING PRAYER......RE FRANK MYERS SERMON EPHESIANS 4:25-32

²⁵ Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another. ²⁶ Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, 27 and give no opportunity to the devil. 28 Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need. ²⁹ Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. 30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. 31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. 32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

SERMON NOTES

RECIPE FOR A HEALTHY CHURCH PT. 1

EPHESIANS 4:25-32

SPEAK THE TRUTH

BE ANGRY

WORK HARD

WORDS: WILLIAM COWPER MUSIC: KARL DIGERNESS

There is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Immanuel's veins;
And sinners plunged beneath that flood,
Lose all their guilty stains
And sinners plunged beneath that flood
Lose all their guilty stains.

The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day,
And there may I, though vile as he,
Wash all my sins away
And there may I, though vile as he,
Wash all my sins away.

Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood Shall never lose its pow'r,
Till all the ransomed Church of God
Be saved, to sin no more
Till all the ransomed Church of God
Be saved to sin no more.

E'er since by faith I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply,
Redeeming love has been my theme,
And shall be till I die
Redeeming love has been my theme,
And shall be till I die.

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.

Our communion bread is gluten free

*BENEDICTION

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BULLETIN BOARD

GRADUATE RECOGNITION LUNCHEON NEXT SUNDAY

Plan to stay after worship next Sunday, May 19 as we celebrate this year's high school graduates, Ira Cash and Katherine Lambrecht. Please sign up at the information counter or by email if you can attend the catered lunch after church.

RENOVATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

The session and diaconate are considering flooring and painting updates for our facility. Would you please pray that the Lord would grant us wisdom and discernment in making these decisions? We desire to be good stewards of the resources the Lord has provided and maintain an attractive and inviting facility for all who use it.

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.

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Marvin & Cyndi Bozard - serving with UNTO, a ministry of Cru

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

Church of the week: Two Rivers Presbyterian, North Charleston; Jeremy Mullen, pastor

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

STAFF

John Mark Patrick, Pastor Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students Susan Ulmer, Women's Ministry Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant Sandral Jackson, Bookkeeper

ELDERS	DEACONS		
Michael Salley	Jeff Folk		
Alan Ulmer	Wayne Walling		
Woody Watford	Jeff Watford		

DEACON ASSISTANTS

Larry Adicks, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson

	CAL	ENDAR		
Sun 5/12	8:45am 9:30am 10:30am	PRAYER MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST MORNING WORSHIP		
Tues 5/14	6:30ам	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY		
WED 5/15	5:30рм	Prayer		
Sun 5/19	8:45AM 9:30AM 10:30AM 12:00PM	Prayer Sunday school Morning Worship Graduate Recognition Lunch		

TRINITY READING TOGETHER							
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
2 CHRON 17	2 CHRON 18	1 CORINTHIANS 1	1 Cor 2	1 Cor 3	1 Cor 4		

WELCOME TO TRINITY! WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

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