

March 3, 2019



BREAD FROM HEAVEN

EXODUS 16: 1-15, 18, 31-35



TRINITY
Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship — Sunday, March 3, 2019

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Song of Gathering and Preparation

The people of God always sang as they ascended the hill in Jerusalem up to the temple to worship (see Psalms 120-134). We, as well, prepare our hearts, minds and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.

Once And For All

By Lauren Daigle, Paul Duncan and Paul Mabury

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God I give You what I can today
These scattered ashes that I hid away
I lay it all at Your feet

From the corners of my deepest shame
The empty places where I've worn Your name
Show me the love I say I believe

Help me lay it down
O Lord I lay it down

O let this be where I die
My Lord with Thee crucified
Be lifted high as my kingdoms fall
Once and for all
Once and for all

There is victory in my Savior's loss
In the crimson flowing from the cross
Pour over me pour over me

O let this be where I die ...

O Lord I lay it down
O Lord I lay it down
Help me to lay it down
O Lord I lay it down

O let this be where I die ...

Call to Worship

We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reveals to us who God is and what He expects of us.

John 6:30-35 (ESV)

So they said to him, "Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform? Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Jesus then said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst."

Prayer of Adoration and Confession – Dan Anthony

We pray together praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).

Assurance of Pardon

We read God's Word together and are reminded that mercy and grace are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.

John 6:27-29 (ESV)

“Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you. For on him God the Father has set his seal.” Then they said to him, “What must we do, to be doing the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.”

Worship Through Giving

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace for us in Jesus by giving generously to the work of this church and the kingdom of God.

Abide With Me

Words by Henry Lyte alt by Justin Smith, Music by Justin Smith

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Abide with me fast falls the eventide

The darkness deepens Lord with me abide

When other helpers fail and comforts flee

Help of the helpless abide with me

Thou on my head in early youth didst smile

And though rebellious and perverse meanwhile

Thou hast not left me though I oft left Thee

On to the close Lord abide with me

I need Thy presence every passing hour

What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?

Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?

Through cloud and sunshine abide with me

I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless

Ills have no weight tears lose their bitterness

Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory?

I triumph still abide with me

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes

Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies

Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee

In life in death Lord abide with me

Praise and Celebration

Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who He is and what He has done for us.

His Mercy Is More

By Matt Boswell and Matt Papa, arrangement by Shane & Shane

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Praise the Lord

His mercy is more

Stronger than darkness new every morn

Our sins they are many

His mercy is more

What love could remember no wrongs we have done

Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum

Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore

Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Praise the Lord ...

What patience would wait as we constantly roam

What Father so tender is calling us home

He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor

Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Praise the Lord ...

What riches of kindness He lavished on us

His blood was the payment His life was the cost

We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford

Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Praise the Lord ...

(repeat)

More Than Conquerors

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When my hope and strength is gone

You're The One who calls me on

You are the life

You are the fight that's in my soul

Oh Your resurrection pow'r

Burns like fire in my heart

When waters rise

I lift my eyes up to Your throne

*We are more than conquerors through Christ
You have overcome this world this life
We will not bow to sin or to shame
We are defiant in Your name
You are the fire that cannot be tamed
You are the power in our veins
Our Lord our God our Conqueror*

*I will sing into the night
Christ is risen and on high
Greater is He
Living in me than in the world*

*No surrender no retreat
We are free and we're redeemed
We will declare
Over despair You are the hope*

We are more than conquerors through Christ ...

*Nothing is impossible
Every chain is breakable
With You we are victorious
You are stronger than our hearts
You are greater than the dark
With You we are victorious
(repeat)*

*We are more than conquerors through Christ ...
(repeat)*

Kids' Worship Dismissal

Infants - Kindergarten are dismissed. Please see your child's check-in name tag for class assignment.

Greeting

Just as the Apostle Paul urged fellow believers to be hospitable, in the Gospel, Jesus has welcomed us - the worst of sinners - into His home and family. In the same spirit we greet each other to show the hospitality of Jesus.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession — Dan Anthony

We express in prayer our gratitude to God for what He has done and ask Him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community and world.

Proclamation of God's Word — Tim Rice, Lead Pastor and Director of Church Planting

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our lives and circumstances.

Confession of Faith

As an expression of our faith in Jesus Christ in solidarity with his people, we declare the substance of what we believe.

The Apostle's Creed:

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified dead and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The ritual meal of Communion is a sign and seal of the grace we have in Jesus. That is, it symbolizes the work Christ did for our salvation (sign) and communicates the grace and mercy we have been given (seal) as a result of His death and resurrection.

Christ Be All Around Me

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As I rise strength of God go before lift me up
As I wake eyes of God look upon be my sight

As I wait heart of God satisfy and sustain
As I hear voice of God lead me on be my guide
Be my guide

*Above and below me before and behind me
In every eye that sees me Christ be all around me
(repeat)*

As I go hand of God my defense by my side
As I rest breath of God fall upon bring me peace
Bring me peace

*Above and below me before and behind me
In every eye that sees me Christ be all around me
(repeat)*

Oh Christ be all around me
(repeat)

Your life Your death Your blood was shed
For every moment every moment
(repeat)

*Above and below me before and behind me
In every eye that sees me Christ be all around me
(repeat)*

Song of Response

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by singing again of His goodness and greatness.

In Christ Alone

*By Stuart Townend and Keith Getty, arrangement by Kristian Stanfill
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In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid ground firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace when fears are stilled when strivings cease

My Comforter my All in All here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone Who took on flesh fullness of God in helpless Babe
This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save

Till on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious day up from the grave He rose again

And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me

From life's first cry to final breath Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Benediction

Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus, we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.

*May the LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,
both now and forevermore. Amen.*

Seasons of the Cross

The color green: a sign of life. In the plant kingdom, growth within an organism extends outward into tender green shoots, culminating in a blossom of life and a plant goes to seed, multiplying itself over and over again. On the cross, green is a symbol of the ongoing work of Christ in our hearts. Starting with the smallest seed, His work grows in us over our lifetime, shooting tendrils outward into the lives of others as His kingdom grows. Christ's work is ongoing, vibrant and alive in the hearts of His people.

Scripture Passage and Sermon Outline

Proclamation of God's Word

Text: Exodus 16:1-15, 18, 31-35 (ESV)

Title: Bread From Heaven

Teacher: Tim Rice

¹ They set out from Elim, and all the congregation of the people of Israel came to the wilderness of Sin, which is between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after they had departed from the land of Egypt. ² And the whole congregation of the people of Israel grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness, ³ and the people of Israel said to them, "Would that we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." ⁴ Then the LORD said to Moses, "Behold, I am about to rain bread from heaven for you, and the people shall go out and gather a day's portion every day, that I may test them, whether they will walk in my law or not. ⁵ On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather daily." ⁶ So Moses and Aaron said to all the people of Israel, "At evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, ⁷ and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your grumbling against the LORD. For what are we, that you grumble against us?" ⁸ And Moses said, "When the LORD gives you in the evening meat to eat and in the morning bread to the full, because the LORD has heard your grumbling that you grumble against him—what are we? Your grumbling is not against us but against the LORD." ⁹ Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, 'Come near before the LORD, for he has heard your grumbling.'" ¹⁰ And as soon as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, they looked toward the wilderness, and behold, the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. ¹¹ And the LORD said to Moses, ¹² "I have heard the grumbling of the people of Israel. Say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall be filled with bread. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'" ¹³ In the evening quail came up and covered the camp, and in the morning dew lay around the camp. ¹⁴ And when the dew had gone up, there was on the face of the wilderness a fine, flake-like thing, fine as frost on the ground. ¹⁵ When the people of Israel saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. And Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat. ... ¹⁸ But when they measured it with an omer, whoever gathered much had nothing left over, and whoever gathered little had no lack. Each of them gathered as much as he could eat. ... ³¹ Now the house of Israel called its name manna. It was like coriander seed, white, and the taste of it was like wafers made with honey. ³² Moses said, "This is what the LORD has commanded: 'Let an omer of it be kept throughout your generations, so that they may see the bread with which I fed you in the wilderness, when I brought you out of the land of Egypt.'" ³³ And Moses said to Aaron, "Take a jar, and put an omer of manna in it, and place it before the LORD to be kept throughout your generations." ³⁴ As the LORD commanded Moses, so Aaron placed it before the testimony to be kept. ³⁵ The people of Israel ate the manna forty years, till they came to a habitable land. They ate the manna till they came to the border of the land of Canaan.

Intro: When did you last hear a complaint about food?

THE LORD IS GRACIOUS

In the face of bitter grumbling, how does the LORD graciously provide for our needs?

THE ROOTS OF GRUMBLING

How is there bad theology in every episode of grumbling?

HIS AMAZING PROVISION

Only the LORD can free us. So how does He?

YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the LORD for His generous provision and His power to save. Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit for His ability to turn what looks like destruction into the very place that He is glorified as the God who saves.
2. How have you lived grumbling and complaining? Confess your pride and unbelief to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you and to quiet your heart with His love.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for absorbing the accusations that only we deserve and for giving us blessings that only He has earned. Thank Him for being broken in His death, and for giving you life by His resurrection.
4. Who do you know that lives with a complaining mindset? Pray for them, asking the Lord to open their eyes to His true love and power and to lead them away from grumbling to a life of joy and gratitude.
5. Ask the Holy Spirit to bear in your heart the fruit of love and joy, giving you a sense of awe at God's ways. Pray for fullness in Christ and the skill to lament in your sorrows rather than grumbling or complaining.

Communication

Online Giving at Trinity – We are switching our online giving to Planning Center. Visit trinitylakeland.org/giving to make the change. If you have previously given online to Trinity, you should have received an email with information on how to cancel your current account and how to get set up in the new system. Thank you for your patience as we transition. Contact the church office if you have questions, 863-603-7777.

2019 Photo Directory Picture Day – March 3, 9:15-10:15a at Trinity. Whether you're new to Trinity or need to update your family portrait, get your picture taken for our 2019 Directory. Photos will be taken on the FL Ave steps. To register contact Luke Wolfe at luke@trinitylakeland.org or visit trinitylakeland.org/events.

Strong Tower Particularization Service – Our daughter church is excited to celebrate their five year anniversary and install their first elders during a special worship service Sunday, March 3, 4:30p at 719 N Massachusetts Ave. We hope you will attend to celebrate this milestone in the life of Strong Tower.

Bridal Shower for Ashlee Tucker – We will gather Sunday, March 3, 2p at the home of Esther Spence (2705 Fairmount Ave) to celebrate Ashlee's upcoming marriage. The couple is registered at amazon.com and Target. Please RSVP to Esther at 863-221-3415.

Vacation Bible School – “Roar! When Life is Wild, God is Good!” June 10-13, 8:45a-12p. All children ages 4 through 5th grade are welcome. Registration begins on April 7. If you are interested in reaching children with God's love at Roar, please email callie@trinitylakeland.org. There will be a volunteer informational meeting on Sunday, March 17, at 8:30a in the upstairs conference room.



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CALENDAR

For more information and additional calendar items,
visit our website at trinitylakeland.org.

* Childcare provided

SUNDAY (March 3)

8:00 am Prayer

9:15 am Church Directory Picture Day

*10:15 am Worship Service
Lord's Supper

4:30 pm Strong Tower
Particularization Service

FRAT MidWinter Retreat

TUESDAY (March 5)

*9:15 am Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY (March 6)

12:00 pm Person of Jesus Lunch Study

6:00 pm Middle & High School Worship

6:30 pm Women's Bible Study

SUNDAY (March 10)

8:00 am Prayer

*8:30am CG Cohort

*10:15 am Worship Service

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

We're so glad you are here.

Name (Please Print)

Gender: Male Female

Spouse

Children (Include DOB for Children's Ministry)

Address: Street

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Country/Zip

Phone

E-mail Address

First-Time Visitor

Regular Attendee

Member

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Update my contact information

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Monday	Acts 21 1 Kings 14	Genesis 45 Isaiah 37
Tuesday	Acts 22 1 Kings 15	Genesis 46 Isaiah 38
Wednesday	Acts 23 1 Kings 16	Genesis 47 Isaiah 39
Thursday	Acts 24 1 Kings 17	Genesis 48 Isaiah 40
Friday	Acts 25 1 Kings 18	Genesis 49 Isaiah 41
Saturday	Psalms 62	Psalms 10 Psalm 113

(3-year plan: read **bold passages** | 1-year plan: read all)

Scripture Memory for the Week:

Exodus 16:8b & 15 (ESV)

16:8b "what are we (Moses and Aaron)? Your grumbling is not against us but against the LORD." ... 15 When the people of Israel saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. And Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat."

Prayer

How can our staff pray for you?
Please use the space below to tell us.

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