

Trinity

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday
July 1, 2018

Worship of the Living God

The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. The LORD is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made. | Psalm 145:8-19

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*Season of Praise

This Is Amazing Grace

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness;
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder;
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

(Chorus)

*This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love, That You would take my place,
That You would bear my cross, You would lay down Your life,
That I would be set free, Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me.*

(All that You've done for me.)

Who brings our chaos back into order;
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

Who rules the nations with truth and justice;
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

(Chorus)

(Bridge)

*Worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquered the grave,
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
Worthy is the King who conquers the grave,
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquers the grave.*

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, Worthy, worthy, worthy!

(Chorus)

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Reminder

Please silence cell phones and devices during the Worship Service.

Call to Worship

As those created to know and enjoy Him, God (Father, Son and Spirit) invites us to worship Him together.

Songs of Praise

As God calls us into His presence, we respond with praise and thanksgiving for who He is, and what He has done for us.

***Indicates the congregation standing**

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Good Good Father

I've heard a thousand stories Of what they think You're like;
But I've heard the tender whisper Of love in the dead of night.
You tell me that You're pleased, And that I'm never alone.

(Chorus)

*You're a Good, Good Father; It's who You are; It's who You are;
It's who You are; And I'm loved by You, It's who I am,
It's who I am, It's who I am.*

I've seen many searching for answers Far and wide;
But I know we're all searching for answers Only You provide;
Because You know just what we need Before we say a word.

(Bridge)

*You are perfect in all of Your ways, You are perfect in all of Your ways,
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.*

Love so undeniable I can hardly speak,
Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think,
As You call me deeper still, As You call me deeper still,
As You call me deeper still Into love, love, love.

By Anthony Brown | Pat Barrett © 2014 Capitol CMG Paragon

All Heaven Declares

Psalm 19:1

All heav'n declares the glory of the risen Lord.
Who can compare with the beauty of the Lord?
Forever He will be the Lamb upon the throne.
I gladly bow the knee and worship Him alone.

I will proclaim the glory of the risen Lord
Who once was slain to reconcile man to God.
Forever You will be the Lamb upon the throne.
I gladly bow the knee and worship You alone.
I gladly bow the knee and worship You alone.

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*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor Matt Abel

Confession of Sin | Job 19:7-12 ,25-27

Leader: Behold, I cry out, 'Violence!' but I am not answered; I call for help, but there is no justice. He has walled up my way, so that I cannot pass, and he has set darkness upon my paths. He has stripped from me my glory and taken the crown from my head. He breaks me down on every side, and I am gone, and my hope has he pulled up like a tree. He has kindled his wrath against me and counts me as his adversary. His troops come on together; they have cast up their siege ramp against me and encamp around my tent.

Confession of Sin

We worship God as the merciful and faithful One. We confess and repent of our sins corporately because we all sin, and individually because we each sin in our own unique way.

People: For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. My heart faints within me!

Silent Time of Repentance

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading | Hebrews 12:1-11

Leader: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

People: Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted. In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood.

Leader: And have you forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as sons? "My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, nor be weary when reproved by him. For the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives."

People: It is for discipline that you have to endure. God is treating you as sons. For what son is there whom his father does not discipline?

Leader: If you are left without discipline, in which all have participated, then you are illegitimate children and not sons. Besides this, we have had earthly fathers who disciplined us and we respected them. Shall we not much more be subject to the Father of spirits and live? For they disciplined us for a short time as it seemed best to them, but he disciplines us for our good, that we may share his holiness.

People: For the moment all discipline seems painful rather than pleasant, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Assurance of Pardon

*Together we affirm
God's gracious mercy
and our freedom to
draw near with joy and
confidence in Christ.*

Responsive Reading

*We respond to God's
grace by reminding
one another of our
standing and high
calling in Christ
through the reading of
His word, or through a
historic profession of
our faith.*

*Hymn 30

Our God, Our Help, in Ages Past

Sacrament of Baptism

Evelyn Frances Parker

Commissioning of the Cherokee Team *Matt Abel, Janinne Abel, William Abel, James Abel, Tori Bouchillon, Taylor Bouchillon, Sarah Harris, Sam Mitchell, Will Mitchell, Matt Mitchell, Emma Grace Mitchell, Tom Mitchell*

Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Sermon

Pastor Rob Rienstra

Lord, Hear My Prayer

Psalm 41

Blessed is the one who considers the poor! In the day of trouble the Lord delivers him; 2 the Lord protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land; you do not give him up to the will of his enemies.

3 The Lord sustains him on his sickbed; in his illness you restore him to full health. 4 As for me, I said, "O Lord, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned against you!" 5 My enemies say of me in malice, "When will he die, and his name perish?" 6 And when one comes to see me, he utters empty words, while his heart gathers iniquity; when he goes out, he tells it abroad. 7 All who hate me whisper together about me; they imagine the worst for me. 8 They say, "A deadly thing is poured out on him; he will not rise again from where he lies." 9 Even my close friend in whom I trusted, who ate my bread, has lifted his heel against me.

10 But you, O Lord, be gracious to me, and raise me up, that I may repay them! 11 By this I know that you delight in me: my enemy will not shout in triumph over me. 12 But you have upheld me because of my integrity, and set me in your presence forever. 13 Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting! Amen and Amen.

*The Holy Bible, English Standard Version © 2001 by Crossway Bible
Children up to age 5 are dismissed to Children's Church*

*Hymn 251

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*Closing Hymn 725

The Lord's Prayer

*Benediction

Prayer

Together we celebrate God's character and promises, looking to Him for all that He would have us be and do as we bring our requests before him.

Tithes & Offerings

With thanks, we give back to God trusting in His provision, knowing that all good gifts are from Him.

Proclaiming the Word

The Bible, as God's living and active word through the Spirit's power, guides us in worship, renews our minds in truth, and strengthens us to abide in Jesus.

The Lord's Supper

Jesus invites all who follow Him to partake in this meal by faith, thereby proclaiming his death and receiving strength and grace as together we commune with Him.

Benediction

Having brought us together, God now sends us out as His ambassadors with the call to continue our worship in the places He has sown us.

BAPTISM OF
EVELYN FRANCES PARKER
JULY 1, 2018

“I will establish my covenant as an everlasting covenant between me and you and your descendants after you for the generations to come, to be your God and the God of your descendants after you.” *Genesis 17:7*

Questions for Baptism:

1. Do you acknowledge your child’s need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God’s covenant promises on her behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for her salvation, as you do for your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before her a godly example, that you will pray with and for her, that you will teach her the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God’s appointment to bring her up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

To the congregation:

Do you as the covenant people of God undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of this child?

Prayer Reminders

Please pray that the Lord would give much wisdom and encouragement to our parents not to exasperate their children but to rear them in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

The constitution of Malaysia (#23 on Open Doors List) prohibits conversion from Islam, and considers all converts to Christianity as law-breakers and traitors. Pray for protection for the church as it meets in secret, and for an abundance of God’s grace to believers to be Christ’s family, as they face being kicked out of their homes and isolation from family and friends.

Please continue to pray for those experiencing violence and persecution throughout the Middle East. Pray for wisdom as the church—both locally and globally—considers its role in being agents of Christ’s reconciling work in the midst of these crises.

Continue to pray for God's strength and mercy for healing for Lynn Bradford, Dana Little’s mom, Stacey Denard’s mom, Loretta Moon and family, Willie Taft, Beth Milikin, Ginny Elliott and Margaret Frisbee. Please lift up others in our church family, and their extended families, who are struggling with ongoing health issues, particularly that God would sustain all of them with his rest, protection and strength.

Announcements

Second Cup Fellowship has started, so please join us at 10 a.m. on Sundays before worship for a time of fellowship, and feel free to bring along a breakfast snack to share.

A large limb has fallen near the Annex, if anyone needs fire wood please feel free to come help yourself.

Please be in prayer for the Cherokee Mission Team (waiting on names), as they head out this Saturday to serve alongside of our MTW team there in sharing the gospel in word and deed.

Pathfinders will meet this evening for Dinner and Discussion at Trinity from 5:30-7:30 PM.

There will be an Eagle Scout Court of Honor Ceremony to honor Ethan and Deacon Green and Andrew Leach at the church at 3:00 PM today. All are invited to attend.

The 190th Salem Camp Meeting will be held July 13-20 on Salem Camp Grounds on Salem Rd in Covington. The featured speaker this year is Dr. Luder Whitlock, former president of Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson Mississippi. Brochures are available on the table in the hall.

Ladies (Rising High Schoolers and above) Thursday Evening Study has started, but you are still welcome to join us for our study on Melissa Kruger's book *The Envy of Eve*, which deals with the problem of Covetousness. We start at 7 in the annex, with an optional fellowship time at 6:30. Childcare is provided, and the books are available on the table in the hall. Please see Janinne Abel if you have any questions.

The Men's Retreat will be September 27-29 at Lake Wattsbar in Tennessee. All men High School and above are welcome to join us as we study God's Word together, enjoy the lake, enjoy fellowship and good food. The cost is free. See Norris Little or Pastor Rob for details.

Serving on Sunday

	This Week	Next Week
Deacon	Robert Chini	Greg Myers
Greeter	Moore	Needham
Sound System	Justin Sugg	Taylor Bouchillon
Children's Church	Matt Abel	Lynne Rienstra
Infant Nursery	Sunday School- Worship- Melody Hughes, Francie Little	Sunday School- Worship- DeAnna Harris, Sarah Harris
Toddler Nursery	Tim Park, Lynn Park	Dara Lynn Rieger, Emma Rasmussen

Trinity Presbyterian Church, PCA

Welcome

Sunday Services

9:30 AM - Sunday School

10:45 AM - Worship Service

Our Mission is to grow in the knowledge of God, that we may become mature witnesses to the resurrection of Jesus Christ in Worship, Word, and Deed.

We welcome our visitors in the name of Jesus Christ. Please fill out a visitor card (found on the table in the hall). Our desire is that you experience the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ with us today, growing in the knowledge of God, and that you will join with us in witnessing to the resurrection of Jesus Christ in worship, word, and deed.

Children are welcome to stay in the service; however, if you would rather, there is a Parent/Child room in the back left of the sanctuary.

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Tim Park, Henry Patton, Paul Stevenson

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