

Trinity

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday
July 15, 2018

Worship of the Living God

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die— but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
Romans 5:6-8

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*Season of Praise

Better Is One Day

Psalm 84

How lovely is Your dwelling place, O Lord almighty.

For my soul longs and even faints for You.

For here my heart is satisfied within Your presence.

I sing beneath the shadow of Your wings.

(Chorus)

Better is one day in Your courts, better is one day in Your house,

Better is one day in Your courts than thousands elsewhere.

Better is one day in Your courts, better is one day in Your house,

Better is one day in Your courts than thousands elsewhere...

Than thousands elsewhere.

One thing I ask and I would seek: to see Your beauty,

To find You in the place Your glory dwells.

One thing I ask and I would seek: to see Your beauty,

To find You in the place Your glory dwells.

(Chorus)

(Bridge)

My heart and flesh cry out for You, the living God.

Your Spirit's water to my soul.

I've tasted and I've seen. Come once again to me.

I will draw near to You, I will draw near to You.

Better is one day than thousands elsewhere.

Better is one day, better is one day,

Better is one day than thousands elsewhere!

(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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One Pure and Holy Passion

Give me one pure and holy passion, Give me one magnificent obsession;
Jesus, give me one glorious ambition for my life:
To know and follow hard after You.

(Chorus)

*To know and follow hard after You, To grow as Your disciple in the truth.
This world is empty pale and poor Compared to knowing You, my Lord.
Lead me on and I will run after You.*

(Repeat Verse and Chorus)

Lead me on and I will run after You.
Lead me on and I will run after You.

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Wonderful, Merciful, Savior

Wonderful, Merciful, Savior,
Precious Redeemer and Friend;
Who would have thought that a Lamb
Could rescue the souls of men
Oh You rescue the souls of men.

(Chorus)

*You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for.*

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper, Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts
Have hopelessly lost the way;
Oh we hopelessly lost the way.

(Chorus)

Almighty infinite Father, Faithfully loving Your own,
Here in our weakness You find us,
Falling before Your throne;
Oh we're falling before Your throne.

(Chorus)

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*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Elder Tim Park

Confession of Sin | Psalm 103:8-14

*Leader: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and
abounding in steadfast love. He will not always chide, nor will
he keep his anger forever. He does not deal with us according
to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.*

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 as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust.

Silent Time of Repentance

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading | Romans 6:5-14

Leader: For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

People: We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. For one who has died has been set free from sin.

Leader: Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God.

People: So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus. Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, to make you obey its passions.

Leader: Do not present your members to sin as instruments for unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness.

People: For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

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.

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.

*Hymn 643

Judge Me, God of My Salvation

Report of the Cherokee Team

Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Seeking Vindication

Psalm 43

Vindicate me, O God, and defend my cause against an ungodly people, from the deceitful and unjust man deliver me! 2 For you are the God in whom I take refuge; why have you rejected me? Why do I go about mourning because of the oppression of the enemy? 3 Send out your light and your truth; let them lead me; let them bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling! 4 Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy, and I will praise you with the lyre, O God, my God. 5 Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.

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

*Hymn 81

O Love of God, How Strong and True

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*Closing Hymn 730

Benediction

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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.

Prayer Reminders

Pray for our **Elders** that they would have much wisdom and grace to be faithful and gracious shepherds of all those the Lord has entrusted to them.

Most of the persecution in Nepal (#25 on the Watch List) comes from radical Hindu groups. While the constitution declares it is a secular state, it also clearly specifies conversion to any other religious but Hinduism is a punishable offense. Pray for believers as they face persecution from family and state, that the Lord would strengthen their faith, and use them to be a blessing to those that persecute them.

Pray for those among us who are seeking employment or struggling with job and business issues, that the Lord would guide, lead and provide for them and their families.

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, and Valerie Smith's brother. 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.

Mission Prayer

Find Hope Counseling

Pray for **David and Lynn Bradford** with Find Hope Counseling:

- We would daily walk in humble dependence on our Father.
- God would continue to bring others to us who are seeking help and hope.
- God would continue to stir others' hearts to partner with us in this ministry.
- God would provide other pastors and churches that we can labor alongside with.

Trinity Missionaries

All of us

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**THE CHALMERS CENTER FOR
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**WILLING HELPERS FOOD BANK
AND MEDICAL CLINIC**

Dave Crandall
The Galletin Project

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.

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 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	Bill Abel	Paul Green
Greeter	Newman	T Park Family
Sound System	Andrew Leach	Zane Frost
Children's Church	Norris Little	Matt Abel
Infant Nursery	Sunday School- Worship- Stacey Denard, Emily Denard	Sunday School- Worship- Dana Green, Shelley Green
Toddler Nursery	Hannah Pitts, Abby Sugg	Missy Morgan, Paula McKinney

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.

Church Officers

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Tim Park, Henry Patton, Paul Stevenson

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