

Trinity

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday
August 26, 2018

Worship of the Living God

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods. | Psalm 95:1-3

Reminder

Please silence cell phones and devices during the Worship Service.

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

*Season of Praise

Call to Worship

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

Greater

From Him through Him and to Him are all things,
To God be the glory.

His Word endures from beginning to end;
To God be the glory, to God be the glory.

(Chorus)

*Greater is the One who lives in me, Greater is the love of Jesus,
Greater than my sin, Greater than the grave,
Above all other thrones, Above all other names greater.*

(You are greater.)

He was and is and forever will be; To God be the glory.

His pow'r in us, His strength for the weak;
To God be the glory, to God be the glory.

(Bridge)

Jesus, You reign forever; Jesus, You reign forever;

There's no one like You, Jesus You reign,

Jesus You reign forever, Jesus, You reign forever.

There's none beside You, Jesus, You reign, Jesus, You reign.

(Ending)

You are greater, You are greater, You are greater!

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One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)

Higher than the mountains that I face, Stronger than the power of the
grave; Constant in the trial and the change

One thing remains, One thing remains

(Chorus)

Your love never fails, It never gives up, Never runs out on me.

(Repeat 3X)

Your love...

On and on, and on and on it goes,

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.

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It overwhelms and satisfies my soul; And I never ever have to be afraid,
One thing remains, One thing remains,
(Bridge)

*In death, in life, I'm confident, and Cover'd by the power of Your great
love. My debt is paid, there's nothing that
Can separate my heart from Your great love.*

(Repeat)
Your love...

*Brian Johnson | Christa Black Gifford | Jeremy Riddle
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Before The Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea,
A great High Priest whose name is "Love," Who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands, My name is written on His heart;
I know that while in heaven He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart, No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, And tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there Who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, My sinful soul is counted free;
For God the Just is satisfied To look on Him and pardon me,
To look on Him and pardon me

Alleluia.Alleluia! Praise the one risen Son of God
Behold Him there! the Risen Lamb, My perfect, spotless, Righteousness,
The great unchangeable I Am, The King of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die, My soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high, With Christ, my Savior and my God,
With Christ my Savior and my God.

Alleluia.Alleluia! Praise the one risen Son of God. (3X)
By Charitie Lees Bancroft and Vikki Cook C. 1997 Sovereign Grace Worship

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Confession of Sin | Colossians 1:15-23

Leader: Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

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: And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard,

Silent Time of Repentance

Assurance of Pardon

Unison Reading | Revelation 19:6-9

Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a great multitude, like the roar of many waters and like the sound of mighty peals of thunder, crying out, “Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready; it was granted her to clothe herself with fine linen, bright and pure”— for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints. And the angel said to me, “Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.” And he said to me, “These are the true words of God.”

*Hymn 53

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Special Music | Choir

How Great Thou Art

Sermon

Pastor Robert Rienstra

God with Us

Psalm 48

Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised in the city of our God! His holy mountain, 2 beautiful in elevation, is the joy of all the earth, Mount Zion, in the far north, the city of the great King. 3 Within her citadels God has made himself known as a fortress. 4 For behold, the kings assembled; they came on together. 5 As soon as they saw it, they were astounded; they were in panic; they took to flight. 6 Trembling took hold of them there, anguish as of a woman in labor. 7 By the east wind you shattered the ships of Tarshish.

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.*

8 As we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God, which God will establish forever. Selah 9 We have thought on your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple. 10 As your name, O God, so your praise reaches to the ends of the earth. Your right hand is filled with righteousness. 11 Let Mount Zion be glad!

Let the daughters of Judah rejoice because of your judgments! 12 Walk about Zion, go around her, number her towers, 13 consider well her ramparts, go through her citadels, that you may tell the next generation 14 that this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever.

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

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.

*Hymn 44

How Great Thou Art

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*Closing Hymn 725

Lord's Prayer

*Benediction

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

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.

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.

Turkey (#31 on the Open Door List) is in the process of moving from being a secular state to a Sunni Muslim state, where Christians have no access to state jobs and are facing increasing persecution for any employment. Pray for the Lord to strengthen believers to keep their hope in Him, even as they are labeled as traitors. Pray also, that the Lord would bless their sharing His good news.

Pray that all of us would walk more closely with the Lord, abiding in Him that we in turn might be a greater blessing to others. Pray that we would live out of the freedom that is our in Christ, to share mercy and grace with all in need, and that many would join with us in praising God.

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

Please pray for our **Military Chaplains** as they provide pastoral care for our service members and their families around the world. Pray that the Lord would give them great freedom to share good news and great fruit from their labors.

Trinity Missionaries All of us

Rick and Betty Aschmann
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MNA DISASTER RESPONSE

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OCTAVIUS DELFILS
RPC, Haiti

**THE CHALMERS CENTER FOR
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

**WILLING HELPERS FOOD BANK
AND MEDICAL CLINIC**

Dave Crandall
The Galletin Project

Announcements

Continue to pray for the Lord's strength and wisdom for the many who are caring for loved ones through health struggles, particularly for the St.Clairs, Myers, and Alexanders, that the Lord would sustain them with His presence and His rest.

Sunday School for all ages has restarted after our summer break, at 9:30 a.m. Please join us as we seek to grow in the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ so that we might be more faithful witnesses of Him. If you have any questions please speak with Matt or Rob.

Pathfinders RSVP Reminders: If you are planning to attend Friday night's Gwinnett Stripers game (6pm departure this Friday from Trinity), please RSVP by tomorrow, Monday August 27.

Similarly, if you are planning to attend the Labor Day Weekend Cookout & Pool party (6-8pm next Sunday in Clarks Grove), please RSVP by tomorrow as well.

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

There will be **Choir Rehearsal** this evening from 4:30-5:30 PM.

The Building Ministry Team will be resuming it's work this Thursday, August 30 at 7p.m. at the church.

A new Inquirer's class just started, but it's not too late if you are interested in learning more about Trinity and/or becoming a member. We meet in Rob's study at 9:30 a.m. on Sundays. See Rob if you have any questions.

The Men's and Women's Bible studies will begin on September 12 and 13.

Haiti Missions Project – We have been working with Mazie Davis to support Pastor Louis Sully and Hand & Way Ministries in Haiti. Currently they are working to start a Sewing School to help women to provide for their families and others. Please make out any donations to Trinity, clearly marked for Hand & Way Ministries. There is a trunk in the hall if you would like to donate fabric. See Mazie 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	Paul Green	Robert Chini
Greeter	Robertson	Robinson
Sound System	Justin Sugg	Taylor Bouchillon
Children's Church	Matt Abel	Matt Abel
Infant Nursery	Sunday School- Jenny Autry, Suzi Kawa Worship- Jenny Autry, Suzi Kawa	Sunday School- Melody Hughes, Francie Little Worship- Melody Hughes, Francie Little
Toddler Nursery	Beth Mitchell, Rachel Park	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

Elders

Jeff Alexander, Norris Little, Henry Little,
Tim Park, Henry Patton, Paul Stevenson

Deacons

Bill Abel, Paul Green

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