

# Trinity

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday  
November 4, 2018

# Worship of the Living God

O God, you are my God; earnestly I seek you; my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water. So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory. Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you. So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands. | Psalm 63:1-4

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

\*Season of Praise

## Our God

Water you turned into wine;  
Opened the eyes of the blind  
There's no one like you, none like you  
Into the darkness you shine;  
Out of the ashes we rise  
There is no one like you, none like you  
(Chorus)  
Our God is greater, Our God is stronger.  
God you are higher than any other  
Our God is Healer, Awesome in power  
Our God, Our God.  
(Bridge 2X)  
And if our God is for us,  
Then who could ever stop us.  
And if our God is with us,  
Then what could stand against  
(Chorus)

By Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves, Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman c. 2010  
Thankyou Music

## 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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## Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King Would welcome me  
I was lost but He brought me in Oh His love for me  
Oh His love for me

*(Chorus 1)*

*Who the Son sets free Oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God Yes I am*

Free at last He has ransomed me His grace runs deep  
While I was a slave to sin Jesus died for me  
Yes He died for me

*(Chorus 2)*

*Who the Son sets free Oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God Yes I am  
In my Father's house There's a place for me  
I'm a child of God Yes I am*

*(Bridge)*

*I am chosen not forsaken I am who You say I am  
You are for me not against me I am who You say I am*

*(Repeat Bridge)*

*(Oh) (Yes) I am who You say I am*

*(Repeat Chorus 2)*

*Ben Fielding | Reuben Morgan*

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## Lord, You Have My Heart

*Psalm 27:8*

Lord, You have my heart,  
And I will search for Yours.  
Jesus, take my life and lead me on.  
Lord, You have my heart,  
And I will search for Yours.  
Let me be to You a sacrifice.

*(Chorus)*

*And I will praise You, Lord.  
And I will sing of love come down.  
And as You show Your face  
We'll see Your glory here.*

*Words and Music by Martin Smith © 1992 Thankyou Music*

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

### Confession of Sin

*Leader: See that no one repays anyone evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to everyone. Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. (1 Thess.5:15-18)*

**People: Pardon our sins, merciful Lord. We have been hasty and short in prayer, and this sin leads to so many others. Keep us from robbing you of the true worship which your glory requires and which our hearts so urgently need. Wipe out our sins, known and unknown, felt and unfelt, remembered and forgotten. Enable us to remember the blood that cleanses from all sin, and the grace which overwhelms all evil, in Jesus' name. Amen.** (Claudia Wooten)

Silent Time of Repentance

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading | Romans 5:1-11

*Leader: Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.*

**People: Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.**

*Leader: Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.*

**People: 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.**

*Leader: Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God.*

**People: For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.**

### **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.*

### **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 188  
(Refrain after last verse only)

*Jesus I Am Resting, Resting*

Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

*God So Loved the World*

Sermon

*Pastor Robert Rienstra*

### **Loving Commitment**

I Corinthians 13:4-8a

4 Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant  
5 or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; [a]  
6 it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. 7 Love bears  
all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. 8 Love  
never ends.

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

\*Hymn 529

*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

\*Closing Hymn 731

*Doxology*

\*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.*

## Prayer Reminders

Please pray for those who help **lead us in Worship** that the Lord would bless them to see more of His glory so as to help all of us to worship in Spirit and Truth: Mike Sugg, Josh Harms, Heather Hauser, the Praise Team, and the Choir.

**Please pray for John St. Clair as he worked with Kairos Ministries to run a weekend retreat for prisoners in Sandersville on November 1-4. Pray that the Lord would call many to Himself, and for those who already are His, that they might grow richly in His grace, truly growing into the new creation that they are in Christ.**

**Pray for Missions:** Each of us individually where the Lord sends us each day; corporately living as a community of Jesus before the world; Frisbees, RUF – Tracey West, Michael Phillips, Stephen Maginas, Ben Coppedge; the Hills, Octavius Defils, Bobbi Jo, the Aschmanns, the Bradfords, Dara Lynn Rieger, Crosspoint Encuentro Church, and the Crandall's.

**Bangladesh is #41 on the Open Door list and Christian converts from Muslim, Hindu, or ethnic and tribal backgrounds suffer severe persecution for their faith. Please pray for the Lord's power and presence as they meet in house churches or secret small groups, that He would grow them in His grace and provide for their needs.**

Pray for our maturing youth that the Lord would make clear to them His calling for their lives, that they would have a strong hope in Him for whatever field He calls them to glorify Him and bless others.

**Continue to pray for God's strength and mercy for healing for** Dana Little's mom, Stacey Denard's mom, Loretta Moon and family, Willie Taft, Beth Milikin, and Ginny Elliott. 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.

As you fill shoeboxes, pray for the **children** who will be receiving them that they may hear the Gospel message and **open their hearts to receive the Love of God.**

## Mission Prayer

Please keep the ministry arms of the **Presbyterian Church in America** in prayer: Committee on Discipleship Ministries, Mission to the World, Mission to North America, Reformed University Ministries, Covenant College, Covenant Seminary, and the Administrative Committee.

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## Trinity Missionaries

### All of us

#### **Rick and Betty Aschmann**

MTW Ecuador

#### **MICHAEL PHILLIPS**

RUF-GA Tech

#### **STEPHEN MAGINAS**

RUF-Emory

#### **Ben Coppedge**

RUF, UGA

#### **TRACEY WEST**

RUF International-GA Tech

#### **NEWTON PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER**

#### **MARGARET FRISBEE**

PEF

#### **CROSSPOINT ENCUENTRO CHURCH SMYRNA, GA**

#### **SCOTT AND RUTH HILL**

MTW, Cherokee, NC

#### **DAVID AND LYNN BRADFORD**

Find Hope Counseling

#### **MNA DISASTER RESPONSE**

#### **BOBBIE JO**

MTW, Europe

#### **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 Alexanders, that the Lord would sustain them with His presence and His rest.

**Choir** will practice at 4:00 PM.

**Pathfinders** testimony time will be from 6:00-7:00 PM this evening at Trinity.

**Bible Studies** - Please join one of our regular Bible Studies - **Wednesday evening** study of Genesis open to everyone at 7 p.m.; **Thursday morning** Ladies Study on the Son of David at 10 a.m. (both meet at the Annex and provide childcare); or **the every other week Men's study on Tuesday** (see Kevin Lanclos for details)

**Raise the Roof** - The Persecuted Church Ministry Team has two ways we can support believers suffering for the cause of Christ. First there is a daily prayer guide on the back table for everyone to take home and pray through each day. Secondly, we invite you to pray about participating with us in Project Nehemiah through Samaritan's Purse which helps Iraqi Christians displaced by ISIS rebuild their homes and restart their lives. We can rebuild a home for \$2500 (90% of contributions go straight to beneficiaries). If you would like the Prayer guide by email please speak to Pastor Rob or Dana Little.

We have 100 shoeboxes available to fill for **Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child**. Be sure to pick-up the flyer: 'Declare His Glory' for information on **How to PACK a SHOEBOX** and the **BOY/GIRL shipping label** for your box. Boxes are due back by **Nov. 18th**.

Check out the **Christmas Tree** at the display table for additional ways to support Operational Christmas Child. School supplies and 'Wow' gifts in bulk are needed at the Processing Center to 'fill out' boxes. **Monetary donations may be directed towards shipping costs and providing 'The Greatest Journey' materials.**

## Serving on Sunday

	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Deacon</b>	Robert Chini	Greg Myers
<b>Greeter</b>	Ellis	Green
<b>Sound System</b>	Levi Green	Jonathan Sugg
<b>Children's Church</b>	Matt Abel	Lynne Rienstra
<b>Infant Nursery</b>	<b>Sunday School/Worship</b> Melody Hughes and Francie Little	<b>Sunday School/Worship</b> Rick and Tiffany Rasmussen
<b>Toddler Nursery</b>	Missy Morgan and Paula McKinney	Dara Lynn Rieger and Abby Sugg

# 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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## Church Officers

### Elders

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

### Deacons

Bill Abel, Paul Green

### Women's Ministry Officers

Dana Little, Sara Chini, Janinne Abel, Mary Lake Abel,  
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