



Trinity Presbyterian Church
An Inviting Community Following Christ For Life

9:30 am

February 11, 2018

HOPING IN GOD ALONE, WE GATHER TO PRAY

Welcome

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Introit

*(At the sound of the music, the congregation begins the discipline of silent prayer,
so all might prepare their hearts and minds for worship.)*

TURNING TO THE FATHER, WE BRING OUR PRAISE

Call To Worship (responsively) Isaiah 62:1-3

The Rev. Ms. Craven

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,
until her vindication shines out like the dawn,
and her salvation like a burning torch.

**The nations shall see your vindication,
and all the kings your glory;
and you shall be called by a new name
that the mouth of the Lord will give.**

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord,
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

***Prayer of Adoration**

The Rev. Ms. Craven

***Processional Hymn 73**

Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory

Call to Confession

The Rev. Ms. Craven

Prayer of Confession (unison)

The Rev. Ms. Craven

**Gracious God,
the light of your only Son,
our Lord Jesus Christ, shines in our hearts,
causing us to rejoice in every gift he has won for us.
Relying upon your gracious love,
we ask you to again give us the gift of the Holy Spirit
that Christ's light might shine through your Word,
and seal upon us the promise of your redeeming power.
Hear us for we ask it through the name of Christ. Amen.**

Assurance of God's Mercy (responsively)
The glory of God shines in the face of Jesus,
and we have beheld his glory.

The Rev. Ms. Craven

The glory of God's power is beyond words,
and the glory of his salvation is beyond our imagining.

The holy love of the Father was revealed through the Son.
The light of God is once more shining through us.

Sisters and brothers,
through the redemptive work of Jesus Christ
our sins are forgiven and we are set free.
Thanks be to God, now and forevermore!

***Gloria Patri**

No. 579

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost
as it was in the beginning
is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

***Children Grades 1–6 will be dismissed to Church School at this time. Church School teachers will be at the rear sanctuary doors to escort your child to Witherspoon Center. Children may be picked up by their parents in Witherspoon, located in the rear parking lot, at 10:40 am.*

RELYING ON THE SPIRIT, WE ATTEND TO THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**Gentle God,
you have revealed
the greatness of your love
by establishing an everlasting covenant with us,
your forgiven people,
through the life, death
and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us that
we may understand your holy Word
and then seal it upon our hearts
the promise of your covenantal faithfulness
so we might live
as your obedient disciples all our days.
This we ask in Jesus' holy name. Amen.**

Psalm 5:8

Lead Me, Lord

Wesley

Kristi Paulson, soloist

Lead me, Lord, lead me in Thy righteousness, make Thy way plain before my face.

For it is Thou, Lord, Thou, Lord, only that makes me dwell in safety.

Lead me, Lord, lead me in true holiness, teach me to love and trust in Thee.

Thou art our God, the God of our salvation, all nations shall praise Thy holy name.

Old Testament Lesson

2 Kings 2:1-14

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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Thanks be to God.

New Testament Lesson

Mark 9:2-10

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Riding in Chariots of Fire

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner

RESPONDING TO CHRIST, WE GIVE OUR BEST

***Hymn of Response 75** (sung to tune #423)

O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair

The Sacrament of Baptism

Presentation

Elder Susan Bastnagel

Questions to the Parents

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Question for the Congregation

Elder Susan Bastnagel

Baptismal Questions

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

***Profession of Faith**

The Apostle's Creed

Elder Susan Bastnagel

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, 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 sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick 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.

Thanksgiving Over the Water

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Baptism

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Blessing and Welcome

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Call to Present Our Gifts to the Lord

The Rev. Ms. Craven

Offertory

Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing
Adult Bells with Cate Marcelli, trumpet

Moklebust

***Doxology**

No. 592

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***Prayer of Dedication**

The Rev. Ms. Craven

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

LOVING THE TRIUNE LORD, WE GO TO SERVE

***Sending Hymn 474**

O Splendor of God's Glory Bright

***Charge and Pastoral Benediction**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

(The congregation will please be seated.)

Silent Prayer

*Those who are able may stand.

TRINITY AT WORK AND WORSHIP

An Inviting Community Following Christ For Life

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner, Senior Pastor/Head of Staff

The Rev. Ms. Sarah Craven, Associate Pastor

The Rev. Mr. Barry Gruver, Parish Associate

The Rev. Dr. James D. O'Dell, Pastor Emeritus

Margery Sly, Clerk of Session

Lisa K. Marcelli, Director of Music

Brian Kain, Interim Music Associate

Marina Pappas, Weekday Nursery School Director

We rejoice this morning on the occasion of the following baptism:

Liam Patrick Cockey

son of Nikki and William Cockey

The flowers were given to the glory of God by Opal Stockwell in loving memory of her husband, Elb; and by Steve and Liz Holderness in loving memory of their parents, Stephen and Elsie Holderness and Louis and Elizabeth Gasko.

Let Us Pray for Members of Our Church Family: Linda Thorpe, Holly Sanborn, Marty Flynn, Ruth Bohm, Bruce Brown, Dick Wolbach, Fran Werrell, Nancy Hickman, Helen Prickitt.

Let Us Also Pray for Friends and Family: Lois DeMone (friend of Janelle Curl and Audrey Azevedo), Daniel Hawley-Lowry (friend of Greg Faulkner), Carl Bartley (Jim Flanary's cousin), Ginny Ceneviva (Tony Ceneviva's mother), Rich Van Doren (Melissa Smith's brother), Brittany Franco (Mary Ellen Litton's daughter-in-law), Arlene Fraraccio (Bonnie Jones' friend), Zona Hall (Larry Hall's wife), Lynnore Compton (Ellen McCaney's sister-in-law), Marilyn Hoffmann (Marty Flynn's cousin),Carolynn Hazel (Susan Greenwood's mother), Elsie Pearson (Donna Bordner's mother), David Parks (Nancy Parks' brother), Larry Hansen (Linda Thorpe's brother), Ron Bishop (Martha Stem's brother), Bruce and Shirley Muni (Susan Bryfogle's parents), Robert Spatola (Joe Spatola's brother), Lily Lux (daughter of Juliana Brennan).

Let us pray for all those of our Trinity family who are serving in the United States Military: Cory Allen, Connor Barnes, William Bohm, Troy Graham, Brian Regensburg, Peter Slusser Jr., Robert Volkman.

We express our sympathies to Pat and Carl Turner on the death of Pat's mother, Maria.

Large Print Bibles and Hymnals are available in the narthex.

Pastoral Care – Dr. Faulkner is available to you for prayer, counsel and comfort in times of need. If there is an urgent need, contact Rev. Faulkner at 609-273-8110.

Visit our website at www.trinpres.org for all of the current news, information and updates about everything that's going on at Trinity!

Please silence all electronic equipment during the worship service.

Sunday Church School Schedule

Nursery-Kindergarten (main building)

Pick up is immediately after the conclusion of the service

Room #1	Infant through Toddler
Room #6	Twos and Threes, must be 24 months by Oct. 1, 2017
Room #4	Fours, Fives and Kindergarten

Witherspoon Center

Dismissal is at 10:40 am.

Room #1	First and Second grade
Room #2	Third and Fourth grade
Room #5	Fifth and Sixth Grade

*****Parents, please drop off children kindergarten age and younger at their classrooms *before* the service.**

Please remember to sign the Fellowship Register. Maintaining connections with our membership is critical to the health of our community, so thank you for helping us with this important outreach by signing in every time you attend worship!

In case of inclement weather, please check our website at www.trinpres.org. Any changes to or cancellations of worship services will be listed on the home page. If nothing is posted there, worship will take place as usual. If you do not have internet access, please ask a friend or family member to check for you.

Please sign the cards in Fellowship Hall every Sunday—the goal is to get as many signatures as possible! All you need to do is sign your name! The cards mean so much to those who are in need of a cheery hello, get well wishes, or words of sympathy. Thank you for participating in this important outreach to members of our Trinity family!

PLEASE notify the church office if your address, email or phone number changes. You can email Pam Dougherty at pam.dougherty@trinpres.org **OR** you can indicate any changes on the Fellowship Register sheets. Thank you!

***EasyTithe*, our online giving option, allows you to make your offering electronically.** This option makes giving more convenient for you (no more checks to write) and ensures consistency in your giving which helps the church manage its cash flow requirements better. EasyTithe can be accessed through your computer, tablet and cell phone. The setup process is very straightforward and can be accomplished in just a couple of minutes. To sign up, go to Trinity's home page and click on "Online Giving" or go directly to www.easytithe.com/trinpres.



An *EasyTithe* app is also available for download to your tablet or cell phone. Once you're set up, you can also text a gift in one simple step! Our phone number for text giving is 856-238-5444.

We encourage all members to establish automatic recurring gifts using *EasyTithe*.

30 Hour Famine is being hosted once again at Trinity on February 23-24. Over the past few years we've had close to a 100 participants from the West Jersey Presbytery. If you'd like to support our youth during this meaningful weekend, we are looking for donations of juice, Gatorade, and water in any size bottle or food donations for the dinner when we break our fast at the end of the weekend. Please see signups in the Fellowship Hall or drop off donations in Sarah's office. Thanks for always supporting our youth!



Lenten Soup 'n Sound— The Soup 'n Sound Series on Wednesdays during Lent continues at noon. We are in need of soup, bread or desserts and assistance with setup or cleanup. If you are available to help or donate food, please stop by the sign-up table in Fellowship Hall during coffee hour.



TRINITY WORK TRIP 2018 Trinity Mission & Outreach Committee is pleased to announce a 5-day work trip to Johnsonburg Presbyterian Camp in northern New Jersey this spring. Each year Camp Johnson-



burg hosts our youth groups for church related events. Camp Johnsonburg is currently in the process of refurbishing 20 or so cabins for the upcoming summer season. Trinity has volunteered to send a group of workers to help them achieve their goals. The dates are Wednesday April 4th to Sunday April 8th, 2018. There is plenty of work to do. We are seeking workers of all skill levels...there will be something for everyone. Partial availability is ok too. You can visit the Mission and Outreach table in Fellowship Hall during coffee hour each Sunday. There, you can get more trip details, see some of the things Trinity has already done at Camp Johnsonburg, and sign up to participate. Come join in the fun!

CALLING ALL SENIORS The Trinity Daytime Men's Group is inviting all seniors (male and female) to join us on **February 20th 2018 at 10 AM in Witherspoon**

Center for a presentation on what all seniors have available to them thru the Township programs for seniors. Many of the programs have been a well kept secret but now they are

actively communicating just how much fun and educational they are for seniors. Don't miss this chance to learn about these programs and ask questions about how you can get involved. Come a little early and enjoy good coffee, tea and some sweet treats. and start your SUPER COLOSSAL DAY and the upward curve. See you Tuesday, February 20th.



Care 'n Share is still accepting winter clothing, house wares, books, toys etc. Please make sure all items are clean & serviceable. We have a big inventory of very nice winter clothing...come check us out!

Your donations may be brought in during regular shop hours and on Sundays following the 9:30 worship service. The shop is open on Tuesdays, Thursdays & the first Saturday of the month (March 3) from 10 am to 1 pm.

We will be switching to spring clothing in March.



Care n' Share

2018 Pledge Boxes are now available for pick up. Please visit the Anteroom off Fellowship Hall where you can find your box alphabetically by last name. Due to high postage fees, they will not be mailed out. Please help conserve costs and materials by picking up your box and consider delivering one to a friend who might not be able to make it to church to pick theirs up! Thank you from the Finance and Stewardship Committee.

New York Bus Trip Enjoy the excitement and energy of New York City without the transportation hassles. The semi-annual New York bus trip, sponsored by Trinity's PW, returns on

Wednesday, April 11. Trinity members and friends are invited to create their own New York adventure by participating in this **transportation only** bus trip to New York. Pick up will be from the Trinity parking lot at 8:00 a.m. and return to Trinity will be in the 7:30-8:00 p.m. range. Whether you decide to tour a museum, catch a show, sight-see or shop, the two drop-off/ pick-up spots in New York, one in the Times Square area, the other in the Canal Street area, will provide interesting options.

The price of this **transportation only** trip to New York is **\$35**. Ticket sales for the bus trip **begin on Sunday, Feb. 11**, and will continue through the month of March or until the bus is filled.

Look for the ticket table in Fellowship Hall after the 9:30 service. **Money or checks made out to "Trinity Church" and memo line "bus trip" will be due at the time of sign up.** If you have any question, call Linda Thorpe at 856-428-6233 or Bonnie Jones at 856-983-1197 for more information.



Trinity is going SOLAR!

The shingles have been selected and the roofer is currently waiting for the weather to warm up a bit. As soon as there is a week of dry weather predicted, the work should commence.

The solar contractor may start work on interior electrical connections, meters, and junction boxes as early as this coming week. This should have no impact on church

activities. When the roof work and solar panel installation start, the rear square parking lot will be roped off for contractor use only. Dumpsters, tools and equipment will all be in that area to minimize impact to ongoing church functions. If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at:

w_steinle@verizon.net, and I'll do what I can to resolve any issues.

Walt Steinle, Chair of Property and Buildings committee.



The **2018 Flower Chart** is always available for sign ups every Sunday during coffee hour. Please consider donating the flowers around a date of significance in your lives, to remember loved ones, and to celebrate anniversaries, new life and new beginnings. Please sign up on the chart in Fellowship Hall or call the church office 856-428-2050 if you wish to reserve a spot. Thank you!



Trinity has something new!

MIXERS & MISSION

Who: Trinity's Teens and Tweens
(6th-12th grades)

When: Once a month

Where: Trinity and the community

Spring Details:

1/21/18 12:00 pm Lunch at Trinity followed by sandwich making for Cathedral Kitchen

2/11/18 12:00 pm Lunch and a Craft with the residents of R&M Boarding Home. Transportation provided.

4/15/18 12:00 pm Lunch at Trinity followed by a Scavenger Hunt

We hope you can join us this spring.....
once, twice or for all 3 activities.

Community Service points are available...

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact
Lisa Marcelli at lisa.marcelli@trinpres.org
or
Sarah Craven at sarah.craven@trinpres.org

Lenten Soup 'n Sound

Wednesday lunch hour concerts

Soup lunch at 12:00 pm,
concert starting at 12:30 pm
Admission—freewill donation

February 14

Soup lunch followed by
Ash Wednesday worship service

February 21

Young Artist Feature
Adam Abrams, saxophone
Dan Whalen, piano

February 28

Anna Meyer, flute

March 7

George Bowerman, piano

March 14

Kristine Biller, soprano

March 21

Jimmy Boyle, trumpet



Please join Dr. Greg Faulkner
immediately following each concert
for a

Lenten Bible Study Series
located in the Hospitality Room.

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This Week at Trinity

Sunday, February 11

- 9:30 am Worship Service/ Baptism
- 9:30 am Church School (N-6th Grade)
- 10:30 am Congregational Annual Meeting– following worship
- 10:50 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 11:15 am Deacon's Meeting– Anteroom
- 11:30 am Youth Bells
- 12:00 pm Mixers & Mission– R&M Boarding Home, lunch & crafts, transportation provided

Monday, February 12

- 7:30 pm Boy Scouts– Witherspoon Center

Tuesday, February 13

- 10:00 am Care 'n Share Shop
- 7:30 pm BASIC– Hospitality Room

Wednesday, February 14– *Ash Wednesday*

- 12:00 pm Light Soup Lunch– Community Room
- 12:30 pm Ash Wednesday Service
- 7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service
- 7:00 pm Cub Scouts– Community Room
- 7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal, following worship service

Thursday, February 15

- 10:00 am Care 'n Share Shop
- 12:00 pm Alzheimer's Support Group—Witherspoon Center
- 4:30-5:00 pm Cherub Choir
- 5:00-5:40 pm Carol Choir
- 5:40– 6:20 pm TEAM Choir
- 5:55– 6:15 pm TEAM Bells– TBD
- 6:30-9:00 pm AA Groups—Witherspoon Center

Saturday, February 17

- 8:30 am Officer Retreat– concludes approximately 3:00 pm

Sunday, February 18

- 7:45 am Men's Fellowship– Witherspoon Center
- 9:30 am Worship Service/ Communion
- 9:30 am Church School (N-6th Grade)
- 10:50 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 am Adult Education– Witherspoon Center
- 11:30 am Youth Bells
- 7:00 pm Sr. Highs– Witherspoon Center

Trinity Presbyterian Church Vision and Values
An Inviting Community Following Christ for Life

At Trinity we:

- believe the Holy Spirit empowers us to reach out to others in order to serve God by sharing the good news of Jesus Christ. It is this truth that governs all that we do and all that we are.
- worship as a community of faith gathering in the Triune God's presence to further our knowledge of Scripture, participate in the Sacraments and gain inspiration for our lives. Music is part of our worship in that it enhances the spoken words of worship in an uplifting multigenerational manner. We offer our musical gifts to the Lord.
- affirm that members of all ages contribute to the rich tapestry of our witness, interests and talents. We encourage others to join us. Through fellowship all members are supported on a communal and personal level as our church family gathers for many purposes.
- acknowledge the blessings the Triune God has bestowed upon us and we respond by offering our time, talents and treasure as a dynamic sacrifice in gratitude to the loving and caring God.
- recognize the importance of life long learning to further our knowledge of God and better grow in our relationship with God, our families and our Community.
- experience the love of God revealed in Jesus Christ and go from our worshiping fellowship into the world to serve others.

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*Trinity invites you to join us
for
worship, prayer & music during the
Lenten Season*



Wednesday, February 14

Ash Wednesday
12:00 pm light soup lunch
12:30 pm service
7:00 pm service

Wednesday, February 21

Soup 'n Sound at noon: Adam Abrams, saxophone & Dan Whalen, piano (Young Artist Feature).
Join us for Soup 'n Sound every Wednesday during Lent, for a simple lunch of soup and bread at noon, followed by a concert from 12:30 – 1:00 pm. Please stay for a Lenten Bible Study at 1:00 pm. with Dr. Faulkner.

Wednesday, February 28

Soup 'n Sound at noon: Anna Meyer, flute

Sunday, March 4

Gifts of Women Sunday, 9:30 am worship service

Wednesday, March 7

Soup 'n Sound at noon: George Bowerman, piano

Sunday, March 11

Malice in the Palace by Tom Long and Allen Pote.
The story of Esther, presented by Trinity's Children's Choirs during our 9:30am worship service.

Wednesday, March 14

Soup 'n Sound at noon: Kristine Biller, soprano

Sunday, March 18

TCCS Concert, Philadelphia Boys Choir & Chorale– 4:00 pm

Wednesday, March 21

Soup 'n Sound at noon: Jimmy Boyle, trumpet

Friday, March 23– Saturday March 24

24-hour Prayer Vigil

Sunday, March 25

Men's Palm Sunday Communion Service & Breakfast, 7:00 am
Palm Sunday Worship at 9:30 am.
Palm Sunday Celebration immediately following worship in the Anteroom (crafts and family fellowship)

Thursday, March 29

Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Communion Service at 7:30 pm

Sunday, April 1

Easter Sunday Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am
Choir, bells, brass and organ

1 Peter 1:3

*Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.*