



**Trinity Presbyterian Church**  
*An Inviting Community Following Christ For Life*

9:30 am

May 27, 2018

**HOPING IN GOD ALONE, WE GATHER TO PRAY**

**Welcome**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**Introit**

**TURNING TO THE FATHER, WE BRING OUR PRAISE**

**Call To Worship** (responsively)

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

God is our Gracious Creator, the giver of all good things:

**We will praise God for unfailing mercy.**

God is our Faithful Redeemer, the giver of salvation:

**We will praise God for the gift of eternal life.**

God is the Spirit of Holiness, the Giver of life:

**We will praise God for abiding with us even now.**

Our God is the Triune Lord:

**We will praise the Lord our God  
who has made us and redeemed us  
and now makes us to be his holy people.**

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**\*Processional Hymn 139**

*Come, Thou Almighty King*

**TRUSTING GOD, WE CONFESS OUR SINS**

**Call to Confession**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Prayer of Confession (unison)**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Merciful Father, you sent your Word  
to bring us truth and your Spirit to make us holy.  
Through them we come to know the mystery of your life  
yet we too often refuse to heed your Son's words**

**and we ignore the Spirit's guiding presence.  
Look with compassion upon us and forgive us.  
Help us to worship you, one God in three Persons,  
by proclaiming and living our faith in you.  
Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

**Words of Assurance**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Thanks be to God!**

**\*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.**

**RELYING ON THE SPIRIT, WE ATTEND TO THE WORD**

**Prayer for Illumination (unison)**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Heavenly Father, coming to us in your only-begotten Son,  
you have revealed your glory  
and manifesting yourself to us through your Holy Spirit,  
you have disclosed that glory to the Church.  
Through the present reality of the Spirit among us,  
grant us to hear again the voice of your Son, our Lord,  
and so know you, the only true God.  
For this we ask in Christ Jesus' name. Amen.**

**Old Testament Lesson**

Isaiah 6:1-8

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**This is the Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.**

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**Epistle Lesson**

Romans 8:12-17

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**This is the Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.**

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**Gospel Lesson**

John 3:1-17

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

*Baptizing Into the Trinity*

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner

**\*Hymn of Response 137**

*We All Believe in One True God*

**OBEYING JESUS' COMMAND, WE BAPTIZE INTO THE TRINITY**

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

**Presentation**

Elder Dave Wean

**Questions to the Parents**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**Question for the Congregation**

Elder Dave Wean

**Baptismal Questions**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**\*Profession of Faith**

The Nicene Creed

Elder Dave Wean

**I believe in one God: the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,  
and of all things visible and invisible;**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God: begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, through whom all things were made; who for us and our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**Thanksgiving Over the Water**  
**Baptism**  
**Blessing and Welcome**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner  
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**\*Passing of the Peace**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**RESPONDING TO CHRIST, WE GIVE OUR BEST**

**Call to Present Our Offerings to the Lord**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Offertory**

*Simple Song*  
Brian Kain, tenor

Leonard Bernstein

**\*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. Mr. Gruver

**Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**LOVING THE TRIUNE LORD, WE GO TO SERVE**

**\*Sending Hymn 138**

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

**\*Charge and Pastoral Benediction**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**Silent Prayer**

**Postlude**

\*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, Music Associate

Marina Pappas, Weekday Nursery School Director

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

***Eva Grace Wean***

**daughter of Emily and Steven Wean**

**The flowers were given to the glory of God by Bob and Linda Thorpe in loving memory of Linda's mother, Florence C. Hansen; and by Frank and Ellen McCaney in memory of our parents, Earle and Barbara Compton and Frank and Mary McCaney.**

**Let Us Pray for Members of Our Church Family:** Marcia Spatola, Liz Gyswyt, Linda Thorpe, Holly Sanborn, Marty Flynn, Dick Wolbach, Fran Werrell, Nancy Hickman, Helen Prickitt.

**Let Us Also Pray for Friends and Family:** James Moore (Donna Allen's father), Bob Freed (Cindy Mailahn's father), Chuck Roberts (Jim Robert's brother), Rev. Bruce Quigley (Kristi Paulson's cousin), Liz Shapiro (Heather Kern's friend), Janet Lani (Nancy Roberts' sister), Lisa Schwarz (Alison Schwarz's sister-in-law), Lois DeMone (friend of Janelle Curl and Audrey Azevedo), 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), Lynnore Compton (Ellen McCaney's sister-in-law), Marilyn Hoffmann (Marty Flynn's cousin), 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).

**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.

**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.

## Sunday Summer Church Childcare Schedule

### Nursery-Kindergarten (main building)

Pick up is immediately after the conclusion of the service

Room #1 Infant through Kindergarten age

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

**From Children's Ministries:** It is that time of year again that we give the teachers of our terrific Sunday School a much needed break. Starting **TODAY and continuing until September 9**, we would like just one volunteer to help with our Sunday School each week. We do and will have another person in the classroom each week so there will be two covering each week. Please think about it. Our teachers have worked hard all year and deserve some time off. Please sign up during Coffee Hour. The Children's Ministries Committee thanks you in advance.



**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](http://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*.

**Please sign the Fellowship Registers every Sunday during the summer months.**

Because so many of our members are on vacation during the summer, the Membership Committee will not be *tracking* attendance again until Rally Day, September 16<sup>th</sup>. This means that we won't write emails or notes, or make telephone calls to members who have been absent from worship for 4, 8, or 12 consecutive weeks. We will continue to *record* the information from the Fellowship Registers so that we have accurate attendance records for as many members as possible, so please continue to sign in whenever you attend worship. Thanks!

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

**Attention Trinity Members and Visitors!** After Sunday services, please stop by our Membership Information Table in Fellowship Hall! Meet members of our Courtesy Council, check out our new Website and Facebook pages and learn about events and activities going on here on a regular basis. You can also watch our fantastic video lovingly put together by our staff and PR/Advertising Committee Chair Susan Bastnagel. We are here to help you learn more about Trinity and get involved! Find your Place at our Place!

**Attention Graduates!** Send us your graduation photo and future plans! Let your Trinity family celebrate your accomplishments with you. Please drop them off or mail them to the church office **no later than June 15**. When possible, please email the information to Alysia Badskey at [alysia.sieh@trinpres.org](mailto:alysia.sieh@trinpres.org). **Please note: no pictures can be accepted after the firm date of June 15.**



**THANK YOU** to PW Circles, other church groups and everyone in the congregation who donated items to the Mothers Matter Project. We collected 250 items that were used to make gift baskets for many deserving mothers. They were delivered for Mother's Day. This is the only gift many women received. We appreciate your help with this project. Thank you again, Jan Caffrey.

**Trinity Family Fun Fest 2018! Fun was had by ALL!**  
Thank you Judges: **Peter Brown, Tracy Miller, Doug Nork, and Elizabeth Tilsner**  
Thank you bakers of all ages: **13 judged and 5 non-judged entries**  
Thank you everyone: **\$649 was donated towards the M&O Mission Trip Fund.**  
Thank you kitchen crew and salad makers and “setter-uppers” and “take-it-downers”.  
Trinity knows how to celebrate. Thanks for coming and.....**Lets do it again next May!**

**Christmas in July.** Sign-ups begin next Sunday! Please visit the Mission and Outreach Table for more information.





# Spring Gathering

Tuesday June 5th , 2018 @ 6:30 PM

All Women are invited to come!

JOIN IN FOR

- \*Installation of New Officers
- \*Entertainment by Bells of East
- \*Cinco de Juno, a Mexican themed food bar that will feature three proteins, rice, beans, salsa.
- \*Caesar salad and Rolls
- \*Cake

Tickets \$15

Ticket sales will be held on May 13, 20, 27 and June 3

Trinity Presbyterian Church  
Cherry Hill, NJ

We will be collecting for the organization, *Distributing Dignity*, as our mission on June 5. Please bring feminine hygiene products to donate.

The **Mission and Outreach Committee** needs your help at the **Cherry Hill Food Pantry**. We help the Food Pantry twice a year, by supplying eight people each day to work at the pantry. The clients pick their food choices with your help. The dates to help are Tuesday, June 19 and 26 from 5:30 to 7:30pm, and Thursday, June 21 and 28 from 10:30 to 1:30pm. If you can help, please sign up during the coffee hour after church or email [elissagoss@hotmail.com](mailto:elissagoss@hotmail.com) to sign up for what ever day is convenient for you. Thanks to all who can help. The Cherry Hill Food Pantry is located at 1463 Brace Road, Cherry Hill. Please park in he front of the Pantry.

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. **We have several dates in July and August as well as November open.** Thank you!



**Our 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Bazaar** and Craft Show will take place on **Saturday, November 17, 2018** from 9 am to 3pm. We are always looking for silent auction items. If you would like to donate something please contact Victoria Ebiri at: [tebiri@verizon.net](mailto:tebiri@verizon.net)

**Attention! Witherspoon Center closet** will be cleaned out this summer. If your group has **anything** stored in the larger closet located at the rear of the Witherspoon Center, it must be labeled. Anything left without a label after July 31 will be disposed of on August 1. Please help us by labeling anything you wish to store in this area.

## **This Week at Trinity**

### **Sunday, May 27**

9:30 am           Worship Service/ Baptism  
9:30 am           Summer Childcare Only (Nursery– Kindergarten)

### **Monday, May 28** *Memorial Day- Church Office Closed*

7:30 pm           Boy Scouts– Witherspoon Center

### **Tuesday, May 29**

10:00 am         Care ‘n Share Shop

### **Thursday, May 31**

10:00 am         Care ‘n Share Shop  
12:00 pm         Alzheimer’s Support Group—Witherspoon Center  
2:00 pm           Stephen Ministry– Witherspoon Center  
6:30-9:00 pm     AA Groups—Witherspoon Center

### **Saturday, June 2**

10:00 am         Care ‘n Share Shop– 1/2 price sale!

### **Sunday, June 3**

9:30 am           Worship Service/ Communion  
9:30 am           Summer Childcare Only (Nursery– Kindergarten)  
10:45 am         Trinity Band Rehearsal– Sanctuary



## Summer Worship Calendar

**When you are not on vacation please stop by our  
*Blessed Happy Hour* at 9:30 am on Sunday mornings!**

- 5/27** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Brian Kain, tenor
- 6/3** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Lisa Miller Armstrong, violin and Mike Armstrong, trombone
- 6/10** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Kristi Paulson and Kristen Viglietta, duet
- 6/17** The Rev. Ms. Sarah Craven with the Trinity Band
- 6/24** The Rev. Fleming Rutledge with Ian Willoughby, french horn and Ron Willoughby, clarinet
- 7/1** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Julia Clarke and Leah Marcelli, flute duet
- 7/8** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Michael Lazarow and Amelia Paulson, duet
- 7/15** The Rev. Mr. Barry Gruver with Jimmy Boyle, trumpet
- 7/22** The Rev. Ms. Sarah Craven with Joe Bechtel and Betty Stockwell, duet, and Paul Paulson, organ
- 7/29** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Steve Talbott, tenor and Bob Bross, guitar
- 8/5** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Cate, Leah, Lisa, and Olivia Marcelli, and Karen Kain, quintet
- 8/12** The Rev. Ms. Sarah Craven with Julia Wilson, piano
- 8/19** The Rev. Mr. Barry Gruver with Julia Clarke, flute
- 8/26** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Lauren Parsons, soprano
- 9/2** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Brian Kain, tenor
- 9/9** The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with a Pick Up Choir
- 9/16** Rally Day – The Rev. Dr. Greg Faulkner with Rally Day Choir, Trinity Band, Youth Bells and Mahalo Ukulele Band