



Trinity Presbyterian Church
An Inviting Community Following Christ For Life

9:30 am

January 20, 2019

AS GOD'S PEOPLE, WE COME BEFORE THE LORD

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.)

WITH JOY, WE CELEBRATE GOD'S AMAZING LOVE

Call To Worship

The Rev. Ms. Craven

***Prayer of Adoration**

The Rev. Ms. Craven

***Processional Hymn 457**

I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

Call to Confession

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

Prayer of Confession (unison)

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

**Ever-Faithful God,
we live and move and have our being in You,
yet we often fail to perceive Your nearness.
We turn from Your holy will for our lives.
We confess Christ as Lord,
and still seek to please ourselves and others,
only giving You an afterthought of obedience.
In Your abundance of mercy,
look upon us in our need.
Draw near to us in compassion
and forgive us our weakness of belief.
By the descent of the Holy Spirit
empower us once more to love You
with all our heart
and all our mind
and all our strength.
For the sake of Him we own as Lord,
even Jesus Christ, we ask it. Amen.**

**Assurance of God's Mercy
Thanks be to God!**

The Rev. Mr. Gruver

***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.

WE LISTEN FOR THE FATHER’S MESSAGE OF LOVE

Prayer for Illumination

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Old Testament Lesson

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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Thanks be to God

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 22:34-40

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

This is the Word of the Lord.

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Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Winning When You Lose the National Championship

The Rev. Dr. Gregory C. Faulkner

***Hymn of Response 434**

Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples

***Profession of Faith**

The Apostle’s Creed

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.

Ordination and Installation of Elders

Introduction of the Service

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Presentation of Elders Elect

Elder Margery Sly

Our Baptismal Call

Elder Margery Sly

In baptism, these individuals were clothed with Christ, and are now called by God through the voice of the church to enter into ministries of service and governance, announcing in word and deed the good news of Jesus Christ.

**We remember with joy our common calling to serve Christ,
and we celebrate God’s particular call to our brothers and sisters.**

Sentences of Scripture

The Rev. Ms. Craven

Constitutional Questions for Elder Candidates

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

**Constitutional Questions for the Congregation
Laying on of Hands and Prayer of Ordination
Prayer of Installation
Declaration of Ordination & Installation**

Elder Margery Sly
The Session
The Rev. Ms. Craven
The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

Call to Present Our Gifts to the Lord

The Rev. Ms. Craven

Offertory

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

arr. Forrest

The King of love my Shepherd is, whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His and He is mine forever.
Where streams of living water flow, my ransomed soul He leadeth,
and where the verdant pastures grown, with food celestial feedeth.
Perverse and foolish oft I strayed, but yet in love He sought me,
and on His shoulder gently laid, and home, rejoicing brought me.
And so through all the length of days Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd may I sing Thy praise within Thy house forever.

***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

**HAVING TASTED THE GOODNESS OF THE SAVIOR,
WE LEAVE READY TO SERVE**

***Sending Hymn 525**

Here I Am, Lord

***Charge and Pastoral Benediction**

The Rev. Dr. Faulkner

(The congregation will please be seated.)

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

Elders being Ordained and/or Installed this morning:

Peter Bowman

Janet Cohen

Rich Fletcher

Rick Fletcher

David Large

Tracy Miller

Gary Naumick

The flowers were given to the glory of God by the Hamilton family in loving memory of Charles G. Hamilton, husband, father and grandfather; and by Linda Flanary and family, Carol Marquis and John Robert Milne in loving memory of David A. Milne, father, brother and Pop Pop.

Let Us Pray for Members of Our Church Family: Ray Bastnagel, Laurie Lausi, Heath Barnes, Ruth Kain-Palmer, Naomi Higuchi, Susan Greenwood, Barbara Cardea, Marcia Spatola, Linda Thorpe, Dick Wolbach, Nancy Hickman, Helen Prickitt.

Let Us Also Pray for Friends and Family: Cornelia Vonlersner Benson & mission team (co-worker & friend of Doug Nork & Trinity,) Dr. Joseph Meloche (Superintendent of Cherry Hill Schools and coworker of Janet Cohen), Sarah Lane Ritchie (friend of the Faulkners), Andrew Pruss (Louisa Coffin-Tilsner's cousin), Al Tutem (friend of Linda and Bob Thorpe), Charleen Rieth (Ben Rieth's mother), Brian Alden (Barb Wilson's nephew), Jim Tomaselli (Barb DeSanto's brother), Clara Ballard (Marty Flynn's mother), Nicole Goss (Elissa Goss's daughter-in-law), Toni Rath (Janet Cohen's friend), Janet Rogers (friend of the Dougherty family), Alex Rivers (friend of Melanie & Greg Faulkner), James Moore (Donna Allen's father), Liz Shapiro (Heather Kern's friend), Rich Van Doren (Melissa Smith's brother), Arlene Fraraccio (Bonnie Jones' friend), David Parks (Nancy Parks' brother), Larry Hansen (Linda Thorpe's brother), Ron Bishop (Martha Stem's brother), Shirley Muni (Susan Bryfogle's mother).

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

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, 2018
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.**

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 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!

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!

This is a friendly reminder that our Stewardship Campaign continues and your pledge is **critical** to maintain Trinity's programs, mission and staff. At this point in the Campaign, we have achieved 92% of our financial goal and have received 214 pledges against our goal of 250. Since we will be finalizing the 2019 budget next week at the Budget Forum, receipt of your pledge this week is critical. Insufficient funds in 2019 will require us to reduce mission, property maintenance and staff compensation adjustments.



Thank you if you have already submitted your pledge. If you have not pledged, we encourage you to return your 2019 pledge card by mailing it to the Church office. You can also pledge on-line through EasyTithe. If you do not have your pledge card, a card can be obtained through the Church office or from the Church pews.

Let's **"Step Out in Faith"** and secure the future of our Church.

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*.

2019 Pledge Boxes are 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.

Presbyterian Women News

Have you been in a Circle or never been in a Circle? Because the time just didn't work out? We are seeing how much interest people may have in attending a Circle on the third Sunday of the month. It will meet sometime after church, at Trinity. If you are interested or would like more information, **come to Witherspoon Center TODAY at noon.** If you can't make it but are interested please contact Linda Craven at lscraven77@aol.com. Hope to see you there! Linda Craven, PW Vice moderator.

Adult Ministries Presents: **SCIENCE AND RELIGION Part 2** **A Question and Answer Discussion**

With: Ed Behrens Physicist and Mathematician
Eby Banas Neurologist and Researcher

Join us TODAY at 11 AM in Witherspoon Center

Bring your friends and your questions!

Creation and evolution, advances in physical science and Biblical interpretation, etc.

Can science and religion shake hands?

Who/what initiated the idea that there is a God?



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, January 22 from 5:30 to 7:30pm, and Thursday, January 24 from 10:30 to 1:30pm. If you can help, please sign up during the coffee hour after church today or email elissagoss@hotmail.com to sign up for whatever 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 the front of the Pantry.

Save the Date! The semi-annual New York City bus trip sponsored by Presbyterian Women is scheduled for this spring on Wednesday, May 8. Mark your calendars now and look for more details in the future.



The **2019 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. **There are openings on March 31, April 7, May 19 as well as several over the summer months.**



Membership Information Session, Sunday,

February 3 Are you ready to start a new adventure? Do you feel as though something has been missing in your life and you need to fill the void? Perhaps God is calling you to enhance your relationship with Him by joining a church. Perhaps that church is Trinity.



We invite you to explore this possibility at our next Membership Information Session on **Sunday, February 3**. (Yes, we know it's Super Bowl Sunday, but you'll be home in plenty of time to see the big game!) **Please be our guest at the Senior High Breakfast in the Community Room at 10:30.** Just tell the ticket-takers that you're a guest of the Membership Committee and they'll point you to the table with the RESERVED sign. We'll enjoy a lovely breakfast and relaxed conversation before adjourning to the Office Conference Room, where Rev. Faulkner will lead a discussion and you'll have the opportunity to ask more questions and learn what it means to be a Presbyterian here at Trinity.

Childcare is available with advance notice. Please call the church office at 856-428-2050 or visit the Membership table during coffee hour to reserve your space. All you need to bring is an open heart. We look forward to seeing you there!

Lenten Devotional

Once again, Trinity plans to publish a **Lenten Devotional** with reflections from our own congregation. You may remember from devotionals of the last three years that we are seeking submissions much in the style of *These Days*, *Daily Guideposts*, or another devotional with which you may be familiar. Submission to the devotional should include:

1. A verse or verses of scripture that comforts, challenges and/or teaches you.
2. A short discussion of how this scripture has been important to you (about 250 words).
3. A short prayer (2 or 3 sentences are fine).
4. Your name.

Since the devotionals need to be printed to be ready for distribution beginning the weekend before Ash Wednesday, the date due for submission has been established as **Wednesday, January 23rd**. Please send all submissions to SUSAN BASTNAGEL at sbastnagel@gmail.com and copy Alysia Sieh Badskey alysia.sieh@trinpres.org and Larry Miller at clm974@hotmail.com. Also please put Lenten Devotional in the subject line of the email.

All members of the Trinity community, both youth and adult, are invited to participate in this church wide publication. If you have any questions, please contact: Larry Miller at clm974@hotmail.com or Alysia Sieh Badskey at alysia.sieh@trinpres.org.

Trinity Spring 2019 Habitat Work Trip- Trinity Mission & Outreach Committee would like to announce a spring “**Stay-At-Home**” Work Trip. Once again, we will be teaming up locally with the Habitat For Humanity. We will be assisting a Habitat crew from Springfield/Columbus NJ. Dates are Wednesday, May 29 to Friday, May 31. We will meet at Trinity in the morning and return in the afternoon when our work is complete. Please visit the Mission & Outreach table at coffee hour to find out more details and sign up. If you have any questions or are interested but can't make it to coffee hour, please contact Chris Bryfogle @ cbryfogle@comcast.net or 609-234-0691. Thanks Trinity!



Care 'n Share is still accepting winter clothing as well as Valentine, St. Patrick & Easter décor. Please, please make sure all items are in **great shape & clean.**

We had some good sales due to "overstock" but spring is still 2 months away! The shop is for everyone, so browse when donating your items. We do not change over to Spring clothes until March.

Our hours are Tuesdays, Thursdays, & the 'first Saturday' of the month, February 2, 10 am to 1 pm. Items may be brought in during those hours. In addition, someone is usually in the shop following the 9:30 service on Sundays. Please do not leave items on the outside steps or in the outside stairwell. Bring them inside or at least to bottom of ramp which is under cover.

\$20,000 was donated out to local missions in 2018! Read Trinity's Annual Report for details.



Care n' Share

This Week at Trinity

Sunday, January 20

7:45 am Men's Fellowship— Witherspoon Center
9:30 am Worship Service/ Elder Ordination & Installation
9:30 am Church School (N-6th Grade)
11:00 am Adult Education— Witherspoon Center
11:30 am Worship Reflections— Witherspoon Center
12:00 pm PW Meeting— Witherspoon Center
6:30 pm Sr. Highs - Ice Skating at Cooper River

Monday, January 21 - Church Office Closed— Martin Luther King Holiday

1:00 p.m. Deborah Circle home of Doris Sapp
1:00 p.m. Priscilla Circle home of Opal Stockwell
7:00 p.m. Ruth Circle home of Karen Kain
7:30 pm Boy Scouts— Witherspoon Center

Tuesday, January 22

10:00 am Care 'n Share Shop
7:30 pm H.O.P.E.— Bereavement Group- Witherspoon Center, Rm. 2

Wednesday, January 23

6:15 pm Commissioning— Witherspoon Center
6:30 pm Adult Bells Rehearsal
7:00 pm Cub Scouts— Community Room
7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 24

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
6:20-6:50 pm TEAM Bells
6:30-9:00 pm AA Groups—Witherspoon Center

Saturday, January 26

4:00 pm *Trinity Out & About* - Family Bowling event

Sunday, January 27

9:30 am Worship Service
9:30 am Church School (N-6th Grade)
10:50 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
11:00 am Budget Forum— Community Room
11:30 am Youth Bells
3:00- 6:00 pm Sr. Highs— Triennium Gathering at Wenonah Pres.

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 worshipping fellowship into the world to serve others.

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