

## WORSHIP NOTES

\* Those who are able, please stand.



The sanctuary is equipped with a **hearing loop** for those who have a compatible hearing aid. Portable compatible devices are available from an usher.

**AEDs** are located in the back of the sanctuary (small north room), Trinity Hall (entryway), Office wing (hallway), and CE Bldg (first floor hallway).

**Overflow parking** is available at Gambino's Restaurant.

If you are visiting us for the first time, we are so glad that you are here! Be sure to pick up a **First-Time Visitor** bag located at each exit.

You are invited to join us after the 10:00 a.m. service for **fellowship and refreshments** in Trinity Hall.

**New members** are received on the first Sunday of the month.

A **nursery** is available for ages 2 and under, in the CE Building.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL 9AM

Adults:	"Gospel of John" – Trinity Hall, Rm 201 (Bill Quinn, Toby Gurley) "How Should We Then Live?" – Trinity Hall, Rm 206 (Margaret Davis)
Young Adults:	"Faith Weavers" – CE Bldg, Bay Room (Carrys and Scott Sasser)
Children:	Pre-K – CE Bldg, Rm 103 (Danielle Ready) Grades 1-4 – CE Bldg, Rm 106 (Andrea Lytle, Rebecca Moes)
Youth:	Grades 5-12 – CE Bldg, Rm 204 (Megg Edgar, Lizl Kok, Ginna Inge)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Assisting today:** Ushers (8am) Craig and Lisa Dahle (10am) David Carver, Brenda Hedstrom, Jeff Hosterman, Aaron Watkins; PW Greeter Peggy Weimorts; Acolyte Mamie Richerson; Children's Church Parissa Clarke, Claire Marie Maceina; Liturgist Kate Wellborn; Fellowship Hosts Ron Gearhart, Kathy Hosterman, Joanne Vicich, Pam Williams;

The **chancel flowers** this morning are given by Peggy Barham Hadley, to the glory of God in memory of her father, Si Calhoun.

The Session has called for a **Congregational Meeting today** at 11 a.m. for the purpose of presenting the 2025 budget and renewing the pastors' terms of call.

**Presbyterian Women!** Come join us tomorrow morning for **Day Circle** in Trinity Hall. We begin at 9:30 a.m. with fellowship and light refreshments, followed at 10:00 a.m. with a Bible study. The **lesson outline** for Session 3 of "Amazing" is available in the office lobby. The **PW Night Circle** meets tomorrow at 6:45 p.m., in the home of Shirley Shipman, 222 Divot Loop in Fairhope.

### Church Staff

Matt McCollum, Pastor  
Bill Quinn, Associate Pastor  
Carrys Sasser, Youth Director  
Danielle Ready, Children's Director  
Alexandra Trosper, Music Director  
Joe Rambo, Organist  
Jennifer Smith, Finance Administrator  
Ana Waller, Administrative Assistant

### The Session

Cynthia Nelson, Clerk

### Elders Class of 2025

Donna Calhoun  
Tommy Henry  
Carol Kirby  
Virginia McCrory  
Brant Richerson  
Janie Stone  
Jim Young

### Elders Class of 2026

Joe Bullard  
Dahlia Davis  
Annette Lay  
Scott Mayes  
Nancy McLeod  
Laura Osborn  
Burton Prewitt

### Elders Class of 2027

Julian "Buddy" Brackin  
Stephen Davis  
Mitch Kidd  
Rebecca Moes  
Rhoda Passmore  
Harry Toothaker  
Joanne Vicich

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John Ward, Elder Emeritus

### Trustees

Ferd Zundel (2025)  
Ron Allen (2026)  
Linda Glaze (2027)

## January 12 – 19

Elder on Call: Donna Calhoun

### Today, January 12

8:00 a.m. Worship  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
11:00 a.m. Congregational Meeting  
11:15 a.m. Fellowship & Refreshments  
4:00 p.m. Trinity Kids at Baytreat  
5:30 p.m. TriYouth

### Monday, January 13

9:30 a.m. PW Day Circle  
6:00 p.m. ES Choral Society  
6:45 p.m. PW Night Circle

### Tuesday, January 14

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study

### Wednesday, January 15

6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

### Thursday, January 16

8:00 a.m. Hour of Prayer  
11:00 a.m. John Bible Study

### Saturday, January 18

6:00 p.m. Navigators Homeschool Formal

### Next Sunday, January 19

8:00 a.m. Worship  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
11:00 a.m. Fellowship & Refreshments  
11:15 a.m. All Committees  
5:30 p.m. TriYouth

# Service of Worship



January 12, 2025

Trinity Presbyterian Church

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## Assemble in God's Name

Gathering *We informally greet one another and prepare for worship.*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light* J.S. Bach

\*Call to Worship (Psalm 29, Luke 3:21-22)

One: The voice of God resounds upon the water.  
**All: The Spirit of the Lord hovers over the stream.**  
One: The Son of God is named, "Beloved."  
**All: And all who worship shout out, "Glory!"**  
One: Ascribe to the Lord majesty and strength.  
**All: Let us worship God in holy splendor.**

\*Hymn 366 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* HYFRYDOL

\*Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession (unison)

**God of everlasting mercy, hear our prayer today, as we bring our lives before you. We come as people who dwell on the past. We want to face your new day with life and hope in our hearts, but many times the events of our lives weigh us down. We forget to forgive one another. We dwell on our own past mistakes. We refuse to bury dead issues and worn-out memories. Free us from ourselves, O God, so that we might walk your new pathways alive with grace, through Jesus Christ. Amen.**

\*Kyrie

O\_\_ Lord, have mer - cy; O\_\_ Christ, have mer - cy;

<sup>5</sup>  
O\_\_ Lord, have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us.

\*Assurance of Pardon

\*Our Response *Gloria Patri* Hymn 581 GREATOREX

**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.**

## Proclaim God's Word

Welcome of the Children (10 am) Danielle Ready

*Children ages 3 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade may be excused to Children's Church in the C.E. Bldg.*

Prayer of the Day

First Lesson: 1 John 4:7-12

Second Lesson: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Sermon "What You're Worth" Rev. Matt McCollum

## Respond to God's Word

\*Hymn 286 *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* TRENTHAM

\*Affirmation of Faith "The Apostles' 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 Ghost, 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 sitteth 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory (8am) *Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)* Chris Tomlin  
Alexandra Trosper and Joe Rambo

(10am) *Come, Thou Fount* Craig Courtney  
Trinity Chancel Choir

\*Doxology Hymn 606, OLD HUNDREDTH

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**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 Thanksgiving

\*Hymn 8 *Eternal Father, Strong to Save* MELITA

\*Charge and Benediction

\*Benediction Response Hymn 192, SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

*Shine, Jesus, Shine*

**Shine, Jesus, shine; fill this land with the Father's glory.  
Blaze, Spirit, blaze; set our hearts on fire.  
Flow, river, flow; flood the nations with grace and mercy.  
Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.**

Postlude *How Lovely Shines the Morning Star* setting by J.C. Bach

## And Now the Service Begins