



# Trinity Presbyterian Church

**Sunday Morning Worship and Fellowship**

August 17, 2025

10:00 AM– Fellowship

10:30 AM - Worship

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THE LORD'S DAY  
August 17, 2025

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship\***

Shout for joy to God, all the earth; <sup>2</sup> sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise! <sup>3</sup> Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to you. <sup>4</sup> All the earth worships you and sings praises to you; they sing praises to your name."

<sup>5</sup> Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man.

**Psalm 66:1-5**

**Invocation\***

**Song of Adoration\***

**Praise to the Lord, the Almighty!**

(See hymn at the back of the bulletin)

**God's Call to Holiness**

**Elder:** Our Lord Jesus summarized God's call to holiness by saying,

**Congregation:** "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no commandment greater than these."

**Mark 12:31**

**Confession of Sin**

**Congregation:** Father, loving you is the greatest joy imaginable. But I confess that I so often love other things more than You. I know that loving You is more fulfilling than anything this world can offer. Nothing else can satisfy the longings of my soul like You; yet, I seek that fulfillment in people, in things and in my accomplishments. All of these things will pass away; none of them will last. And none of them even compare with the joy that you so graciously lavish on me when I love you. Please forgive me for cherishing idols the way that I do. Please help me to love you with more of my heart, and my soul, and my mind, and my strength. And please help me to love my neighbors more and more. Thank You that Christ has done this in my place, and that because of Him, I can confess this to you without fear.

**Declaration of Forgiveness\***

**Elder:** Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? <sup>36</sup> As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." <sup>37</sup> No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. <sup>38</sup> For I am sure that neither

death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers,<sup>39</sup> nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Romans 8:35-39**

## **Songs of Gratitude\***

### **All I Have is Christ**

I once was lost in darkest night  
Yet thought I knew the way  
The sin that promised joy and life  
Had led me to the grave  
I had no hope that You would own  
A rebel to Your will  
And if You had not loved me first  
I would refuse You still

But as I ran my hell-bound race  
Indifferent to the cost  
You looked upon my helpless state  
And led me to the cross  
And I beheld God's love displayed  
You suffered in my place  
You bore the wrath reserved for me  
Now all I know is grace

### **Chorus**

Hallelujah all I have is Christ  
Hallelujah Jesus is my life

Now Lord I would be Yours alone  
And live so all might see  
The strength to follow Your commands  
Could never come from me  
O Father use my ransomed life  
In any way You choose  
And let my song forever be  
My only boast is You

### **Chorus**

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## How Deep the Father's Love for Us

How deep the Father's love for us,  
How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss,  
The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the chosen One,  
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross,  
My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice,  
Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished  
His dying breath has brought me life  
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything  
No gifts, no power, no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ  
His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward?  
I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart  
His wounds have paid my ransom

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## Confession of Faith\*

### Westminster Larger Catechism Q. 4

#### *How does it appear that the Scriptures are the Word of God?*

**Answer:** The Scriptures manifest themselves to be the Word of God, by their majesty and purity; by the consent of all the parts, and the scope of the whole, which is to give all glory to God; by their light and power to convince and convert sinners, to comfort and build up believers unto salvation: but the Spirit of God bearing witness by and with the Scriptures in the heart of man, is alone able fully to persuade it that they are the very Word of God.

## Pastoral Prayer 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.

## Offertory

### For Your Gift of God the Spirit

For Your gift of God the Spirit  
Power to make our lives anew  
Pledge of life and hope of glory  
Saviour we would worship You  
Crowning gift of resurrection  
Sent from Your ascended throne  
Fullness of the very God-head  
Come to make your life our own

He who in creation's dawning  
Brooded on the lifeless deep  
Still across our nature's darkness  
Moves to wake our souls from sleep  
Moves to stir to draw to quicken  
Thrusts us through with sense of sin  
Brings to birth and seals and fills us  
Saving Advocate within

He the mighty God indwells us  
His to strengthen help empower  
His to overcome the tempter  
Ours to call in danger's hour  
In His strength we dare to battle  
All the raging hosts of sin  
And by Him alone we conquer  
Foes without and foes within

Father grant Your Holy Spirit  
In our hearts may rule today  
Grieved not quenched not but unhindered  
Work in us His sovereign way

Fill us with Your holy fullness  
God the Father Spirit Son  
In us through us then forever  
Shall Your perfect will be done  
*(Repeat last 4 lines)*

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## **Doxology\***

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost  
Amen

## **Scripture Reading**

**John 8:31-59**

(Children are invited to the front for a brief lesson. After the lesson,  
parents may escort children participating in YWIT to room B212.)

## **Sermon**

**Who is This? My Father and Your Father**

## **Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

## **Song of Response\***

### **Before the Throne of God Above**

Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong and perfect plea  
A great High Priest whose name is Love  
Who ever lives and pleads for me  
My name is graven on His hands  
My name is written on His heart  
I know that while in heav'n He stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart  
No tongue can bid me thence depart

When Satan tempts me to despair  
And tells me of the guilt within  
Upward I look and see Him there  
Who made an end to all my sin  
Because the sinless Savior died  
My sinful soul is counted free  
For God the Just is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me  
To look on Him and pardon me

Behold Him there the risen Lamb  
My perfect spotless righteousness  
The great unchangeable I Am  
The King of glory and of grace  
One with Himself I cannot die  
My soul is purchased by His blood  
My life is hid with Christ on high  
With Christ my Savior and my God

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## **Benediction\***

### **The Steadfast Love**

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;  
His mercies never come to an end.  
They are new ev'ry morning, new ev'ry morning,  
Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord!  
Great is Thy faithfulness.

## Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

*Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits. Ps. 103:1, 2*

1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -  
 2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so won - drous - ly  
 3. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy work and de -  
 4. Praise to the Lord, who with mar - vel - ous wis - dom hath  
 5. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

a reign - tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy  
 eth, shel - ters thee un - der his wings, yea, so  
 fend thee! Sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy here  
 made thee, decked thee with health, and with lov - ing hand  
 dore him! All that hath life and breath, come now with

health and sal - va - tion! All ye who hear, now to his  
 gent - ly sus - tain - eth! Hast thou not seen how thy de -  
 dai - ly at - tend thee; pon - der a - new what the Al -  
 guid - ed and stayed thee. How oft in grief hath not he  
 prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his

tem - ple draw near, join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion.  
 sires e'er have been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?  
 • might - y will do, if with his love he be - friend thee.  
 brought thee re - lief, spread - ing his wings to o'er - shade thee!  
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for - e'er we a - dore him.



## Notes

**What is this Scripture text about?**

**How did this text expose my sin?**

**How was I shown that Christ is the solution to my sin?**

**How was I encouraged to respond to this good news?**

## Community Group Information

For details on joining or starting a community group, please reach out to Ben Zintak ([bczintak@gmail.com](mailto:bczintak@gmail.com)).

## Missionary Information

**Diaso family** in San Diego-Tijuana border and Baha CA- [diasolifeontheborder.org](http://diasolifeontheborder.org)

**Sarran family** in Lyon, France- [missiongo.org/Missionary%20tags/alex-and-suzan](http://missiongo.org/Missionary%20tags/alex-and-suzan)

**Dwyer family** in Asia

## Trinity Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, August 17

10AM– Fellowship  
10:30AM– Worship  
1PM– Youth Lunch at David & Hannah Putnams’

### Monday, August 18

### Tuesday, August 19

### Wednesday, August 20

6AM– Men’s Breakfast at Waugh Chapel Panera  
8PM- Children’s Ministry Training (virtual)

### Thursday, August 21

### Friday, August 22

### Saturday, August 23

Youth Service Day

## Looking Ahead

Sunday School resumes September 7th  
September 19-21- Women’s Retreat

## Mercy Fund Available

Mercy Fund resources are available to members of Trinity in financial need. If you have a monetary need, please reach out to your deacon.

## Counseling Services Available

Trinity has partnered with Heart Song Counseling Services to provide quality Christian counseling for our congregation. Needs based financial assistance is available through the Trinity counseling assistance fund. If you would like to utilize the Heart Song Counseling services talk with any of the Elders.

## Nursery Information

**Nursery** for 0-2 is available during Sunday School and Worship Young Worshipper in Training (**YWIT**) is offered on the first and third Sundays each month. In YWIT, children at least 3yo but not yet 6 will learn our liturgical practices with age-appropriate material.

*Nursery and YWIT during the worship service is optional. It is our goal that all the children of our church would worship in the main service as early and often as possible!*

## Sunday School Information

Sunday schools are available for 0-3 Year Olds, 4yr-1st Grade, 2nd-5th Grade, and Middle School.

Our High school students are with the Adult Class.

# Keeping Connected

*Please Place in the Offertory Plate*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Children: Name/Age \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- First time visitor                       I would like a call from the Pastor
- Member                                       I am interested in volunteering in Children's Ministry
- Regular attender                       I am interested volunteering in Youth Ministry
- Please update my contact information
- I would like information about \_\_\_\_\_ ministry.

## Contact Information:

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## Elders

Terry Everhart  
Candido Giron\*  
Chris Schwartz  
Joe Stephens  
Dale Vander Wall\*  
Jim Wilkins  
Andy Wolverton\*  
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## Deacons

Kendrick Doolan*	Ben McKeown*
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Matt Gordon	David Putnam
Ryan Leif	Logan Putnam
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