



Trinity Presbyterian Church

Sunday Morning Worship and Fellowship

August 24, 2025

10:00 AM– Fellowship

10:30 AM - Worship

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THE LORD'S DAY
August 24, 2025

Welcome

Call to Worship*

How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts! ² My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God. ³ Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God. ⁴ Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise! ⁵ Blessed are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

Psalm 84:1-5

Invocation*

Song of Adoration*

All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above!
verses 1-4, 6

(Please see hymn at the back of the bulletin)

God's Call to Holiness

Elder: The Apostle Paul explained God's call to be holy by saying,

Congregation: Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

Ephesians 4:31-32

Confession of Sin

Congregation: Father, I confess that I do not value Your love and Your grace towards me the way that I should. Because I entitle myself to so much, I am often bitter and angry at You and at others when I do not get what I demand. Why do I think so little of You and those that You have put in my life? I am sorry that I am often willing to use my words to hurt others rather than help them. You have treated me with such amazing kindness and compassion yet I so often withhold that from others. And seeing how much You have forgiven me, it is horrifying that I often fail to forgive those who sin against me. I am sorry for this, Father. Change me, O Lord, and make me more like Your Son.

Declaration of Forgiveness*

Elder: But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ--by grace you have been saved.

Ephesians 2:4-5

Songs of Gratitude*

Alas, and did My Savior Bleed?

Alas! and did my Savior bleed
And did my Sovereign die?
Did he devote that sacred head
For such a wretch as I?

Was it for crimes that I have done
He groaned upon the tree?
Amazing pity grace unknown
And love beyond degree.

Well might the sun in darkness hide
And shut his glories in
When God the mighty Maker died
for man the creature's sin.

Thus might I hide my blushing face
While his dear cross appears
dissolve my heart in thankfulness
and melt mine eyes to tears.

But drops of grief can ne'er repay
the debt of love I owe;
Here Lord I give myself away
'Tis all that I can do.

Here Lord I give myself away
'Tis all that I can do.

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Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Savior he will stay
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed
To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And he was raised to overthrow the grave
To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me

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Confession of Faith*

Belgic Confession: Articles 12-13

We believe that the Father, by the Word, that is, by his Son, has created of nothing, the heaven, the earth, and all creatures, as it seemed good unto him, giving unto every creature its being, shape, form, and several offices to serve its Creator. That he does also still uphold and govern them by his eternal providence, and infinite power, for the service of mankind, to the end that man may serve his God... We believe that the same God, after he had created all things, did not forsake them, or give them up to fortune or chance, but that he rules and governs them according to his holy will, so that nothing happens in this world without his appointment.

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

This is My Father's World

(Please see hymn at the back of the bulletin)

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 9:1-41

(Children are invited to the front for a brief lesson)

Sermon

Who is This? The Light of the World Meets Those in Darkness

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Song of Response*

Come Thou Fount

(Please see hymn at the back of the bulletin)

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.

All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above

Let them give thanks to the LORD for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for men. Ps. 107:15

1. All praise to God, who reigns a - bove, the God of all cre -
 2. What God's al - might - y pow'r hath made his gra - cious mer - cy
 3. I cried to him in time of need: Lord God, O hear my
 4. The Lord for - sak - eth not his flock, his cho - sen gen - er -

a - tion, the God of won - ders, pow'r, and love, the God of our sal -
 keep - eth; by morn - ing dawn or eve - ning shade his watch - ful eye ne'er
 call - ing! For death he gave me life in - deed and kept my feet from
 a - tion; he is their ref - uge and their rock, their peace and their sal -

va - tion! With heal - ing balm my soul he fills, the God who
 sleep - eth; with - in the king - dom of his might, lo, all is
 fall - ing. For this my thanks shall end - less be; O thank him,
 va - tion. As with a moth - er's ten - der hand he leads his

ev - ery sor - row stills. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 just and all is right. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 thank our God with me. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 own, his cho - sen band. To God all praise and glo - ry!

6. Then come before his presence now and banish fear and sadness;
 to your Redeemer pay your vow and sing with joy and gladness:
 Though great distress my soul befell, the Lord, my God, did all things well.
 To God all praise and glory!

This Is My Father's World

Sovereign Lord ... you made the heaven and the earth and the sea, and everything in them. Acts 4:24

1. This is my Fa - ther's world, and to my lis - t'ning ears,
 2. This is my Fa - ther's world, the birds their car - ols raise,
 3. This is my Fa - ther's world, O let me ne'er for - get

all na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.
 the morn - ing light, the lil - y white, de - clare their Mak - er's praise.
 that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Rul - er yet.

This is my Fa - ther's world: I rest me in the thought of
 This is my Fa - ther's world: he shines in all that's fair; in the
 This is my Fa - ther's world: the bat - tle is not done; Je -

rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the won - ders wrought.
 rus - tling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me ev - ery - where.
 sus who died shall be sat - is - fied, and earth and heav'n be one.

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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Samuel ... named it Ebenezer, saying, "Thus far has the LORD helped us." 1 Sam. 7:12

♩ D A⁷ D A D G D A⁷ D

1. Come, thou fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
 2. Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer; hith - er by thy help I'm come;
 3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be;

A⁷ D A D G D A⁷ D

streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
 and I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.
 let that grace now, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.

A⁷ D G D A⁷ D G D

Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;
 Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of God:
 Prone to wan - der— Lord, I feel it— prone to leave the God I love:

A⁷ D A D G D A⁷ D 7

praise the mount! I'm fixed up - on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.
 he, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.
 here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.

Oh that day when freed from sinning I shall see Thy lovely face
 Full arrayed in blood-washed linen How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace
 Come my Lord no longer tarry Bring Thy promises to pass
 For I know Thy pow'r will keep me Till I'm home with Thee at last

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).

Missionary Information

Diaso family in San Diego-Tijuana border and Baha CA- diasolifeontheborder.org

Sarran family in Lyon, France- missiongo.org/Missionary%20tags/alex-and-suzan

Dwyer family in Asia

Trinity Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 24

10AM– Fellowship
10:30AM– Worship

Thursday, August 28

Friday, August 29

Monday, August 25

Saturday, August 30

Tuesday, August 26

Wednesday, August 27

6AM– Men’s Breakfast at Waugh Chapel
Panera

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.

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