

TRINITY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 4, 2024

Proclaiming Jesus as the way, the truth, and the life.

W O R S H I P S E R V I C E

Sunday 9:00 & 10:30AM

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Welcome and Announcements

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

————— *Reflecting on God's Glory* —————

Call to Worship

Pastor Allen Taha

Psalm 41:1-3

Leader: Blessed is the one who considers the poor! In the day of trouble the Lord delivers him;

People: **The Lord protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land; you do not give him up to the will of his enemies.**

All: **The Lord sustains him on his sickbed; in his illness you restore him to full health.**

Hymn of Praise

We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator

1. We praise you, O God, our Re - deem - er, Cre - a - tor;
 2. We wor - ship you, God of our fa - thers, we bless you;
 3. With voic - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer,

in grate - ful de - vo - tion our tri - bute we bring.
 through life's storm and tem - pest our Guide you have been.
 to you, great Je - ho - vah, glad an - thems we raise.

We lay it be - fore you, we kneel and a - dore you;
 When per - ils o'er - take us, es - cape you will make us,
 Your strong arm will guide us, our God is be - side us;

we bless your ho - ly name, glad prais - es we sing.
 and with your help, O Lord, our bat - tles we win.
 to you, our great Re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise.

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, whence He shall come to judge the living 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.

Prayer of Praise

Repenting of Our Sin

God's Word Examines Our Hearts

Matthew 25:31-40

Scott Norris

Confessing Our Sins

God of all grace, we confess to you that we are disillusioned and cynical about the poor. We abdicate to government programs and social pressures. Instead of having compassion, we are selfish and neglect to share and show generosity with what you have blessed us with. We ask for tender hearts to show mercy, to love kindness and to walk humbly with you. All so that we reflect the mercy and love you have shown to us in Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Grace

Ephesians 2:8-10

Hymn of Grace

How Deep the Father's Love for Us



1. How deep the Fa - ther's love for us, how vast be - yond all meas - ure
2. Be - hold the Man up - on a cross, my sin up - on his shoul - ders.
3. I will not boast in an - y - thing: no gifts, no pow'r, no wis - dom.



that he should give his on - ly Son to make a wretch his treas - ure.
A - shamed, I hear my mock - ing voice call out a - mong the scof - fers.
But I will boast in Je - sus Christ: His death and res - ur - rec - tion.



How great the pain of sear - ing loss. The Fa - ther turns his face a - way
It was my sin that held him there un - til it was ac - com - plished;
Why should I gain from his re - ward? I can - not give an an - swer.



as wounds which mar the Cho - sen One bring man - y sons to glo - ry.
his dy - ing breath has brought me life. I know that it is fin - ished.
But this I know with all my heart: his wounds have paid my ran - som.

Words and Music by Stuart Townend

Prayers for Trinity, Boerne, and the World

Sermon

Pastor Allen Taha

“A Liberal Faith”

James 2:14-19

1. Saving faith (vs. 14)
2. Giving faith (vs. 15-16)
3. Dead faith (vs. 17)

The Lord's Supper & God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Be Thou My Vision



1. Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart; naught be all
2. Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word; I ev - er
3. Be thou my bat - tle shield, sword for my fight; be thou my
4. Rich - es I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise, thou mine in -
5. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won, may I reach



else to me, save that thou art— thou my best thought by
with thee and thou with me, Lord; thou my great Fa - ther,
dig - ni - ty, thou my de - light, thou my soul's shel - ter,
her - i - tance, now and al - ways: thou and thou on - ly,
heav - en's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, what-



day or by night, wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
I thy true son; thou in me dwell - ing, and I with thee one.
thou my high tow'r: raise thou me heav'n - ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.
first in my heart, High King of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
ev - er be - fall, still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

Ancient Irish poem, Irish melody

About the Lord's Supper at Trinity

The Lord's Supper, also called Communion, is a time for Christians to meet with the Savior to be strengthened in our faith. We invite those who are baptized members of an evangelical church to participate. As part of our worship service, we come forward to the table by using the center aisles. Take one of the double stacked cups that contain bread on the bottom and grape juice on the top. Return to your seat using the outside aisles and join in singing. Children who have not yet publicly professed their faith in Christ should refrain from participating in communion. Trinity has resources to help assist you in the process of your child becoming a communing member and participating in communion. Gluten free communion bread is labeled and located in the center tray on the table. This also serves as our offering time. Offering plates are located up front. We ask that you give as the Lord leads you to help support Trinity's mission locally and globally. Our giving comes from an understanding that God has blessed us generously in Christ.

Benediction

Hymn of Blessing

Glorify Thy Name

Father, we love you
We praise you and adore you
Glorify thy name in all the earth

Glorify thy name
Glorify thy name
Glorify thy name in all the earth

Jesus, we love you
We praise you and adore you
Glorify thy name in all the earth

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Spirit, we love you
We praise you and adore you
Glorify thy name in all the earth

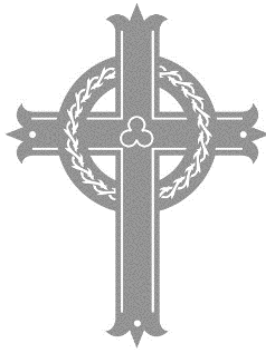
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TRINITY'S MISSION

Proclaiming Jesus as the way, the truth, and the life. (John 14:6)

TRINITY'S CORE VALUES

1. ***Kingdom Living*** (Matthew 5:1-12) — We endeavor to live with humility and a courageous commitment to Christ. We recognize that we are sinners and model repentance in our daily living that we might reflect the priorities of God's kingdom consistent with being followers of Christ.
2. ***Healthy Relationships*** (Ephesians 4:25-32) — We believe that our lives should be marked by trust, integrity, and transparency. The end result will be a community of people reconciled to each other and to God. By relating in a healthy manner with each other, with the Boerne community, and with God, we will give him glory.
3. ***Authentic Worship*** (Isaiah 6:1-8) — Our worship is passionate and involves fervent participation. We are mindful of God's presence and that worship is our primary calling. All of life is an offering of worship to our worthy God.
4. ***Christ-centered Teaching and Preaching*** (Romans 8:1-8) — Our aim in teaching and preaching is to point to the sufficiency of Christ in salvation and sanctification. We desire the practical outworking and application of Scriptural truth rather than merely the accumulation of information. We see a difference in knowing God and knowing about God.
5. ***Community Outreach*** (Acts 17:22-34) — We communicate the life transforming truth of the gospel to any who will listen so that the church's demographics reflect the community God has called us to serve. We engage in outreach that is understandable and we trust for God's Spirit to move in the hearts of those who hear. We initiate into the messiness of life with love and mercy rather than foster a come and see mentality.



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