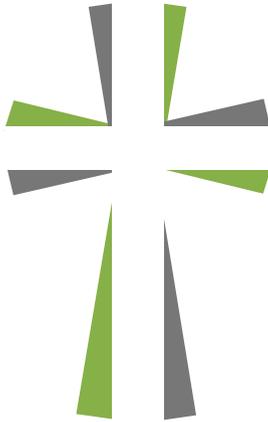


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PRESBYTERIAN (PCA) • MURFREESBORO



FEBRUARY 23, 2020

Honor God.
Welcome All.
Embody Christ's Reign.

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

February 23, 2020

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers a welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

ENTERING GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Rev. Brandon Eggar

PASTOR: Our help is in the name of the LORD!

PEOPLE: **For he is the Maker of Heaven and earth!**

PASTOR: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

PEOPLE: **Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us; and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.**

PASTOR: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!

ALL: **For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever; his faithfulness to all generations. Amen!**

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Adoration

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

Confession of Sin

Rev. Monty Hershberger

PASTOR: Let us now confess our sins together:

ALL: **O Lord, we confess that we are ready to fall, and our pain is ever before us. We confess our iniquity; we are sorry for our sin. Make haste to help us, O Lord, our salvation.**

From Psalm 38

Silent Confession

Song of Confession

“Trisagion”

*Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

PASTOR: The Lord will not forsake those who call upon him! He will not be far from us.

Adapted from Psalm 38:21

ALL: **Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, new creation! The old has passed away, behold, the new has come!**

*Extending God's Welcome of Peace

PASTOR: The peace of Christ be with you!

PEOPLE: **And also with you!**

*Song of Renewal

“Our Great God”

COMMITTING TO GOD'S KINGDOM

***Confession of Faith**

PASTOR: Christian, in whom do we believe?

ALL: We believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth. We believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic¹ church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Apostles' Creed- 215 AD

Prayer of Sending for the Hershberger Family

Jim Harris

Prayer of Intercession *(followed by a season of silent prayer)*

Common Prayer

PASTOR: Let us now join our voices together praying:

ALL: Most loving Father, your will for us is to give thanks in all circumstances, to dread nothing but the loss of you, and to cast all of our cares upon you. Preserve us from faithless fears and worldly anxieties and grant us true trust of your Son, the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Song of Meditation and Offertory

“If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee”

***Doxology**

At this time, children ages four to seven may dismiss through the center doors for Worship Training. After the sermon, children will return through the same doors so they can rejoin their families for the remainder of worship.

¹The term “catholic” refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, or geographic barriers.

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

“Abraham’s Faith”

Hebrews 11:8-22

Continuing the Sermon Series: Our Supreme and Sufficient Savior

Rev. Brandon Eggar

(See insert for Sermon Notes)

FEASTING AT GOD'S TABLE

Holy Communion (see insert)

Trinity Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to forsake their sin and trust in Christ for salvation, and who are members in good standing of a congregation that proclaims the gospel, to receive Holy Communion with us. Baptized covenant children who have not made profession of faith before the elders should abstain from receiving communion until they are received as communing members by the session. TPC serves wine and grape juice for communion. The **clear** cups contain wine and the **purple** cups contain grape juice. Gluten free communion bread is in the dish in the serving basket.

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

*Song of Sending

“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

*The Sending

PASTOR: Count it all joy, my dear family when you encounter trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect, complete, and lack in nothing.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God!**

*Benediction

PASTOR: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. *Numbers 6:24-26*

PEOPLE: **Amen!**

*Postlude

Senior Pastor: Rev. Brandon Eggar

Assistant Pastor: Rev. Monty Hershberger

Director of A/V: David White

Director of Children's Christian Formation: Neecea Eggar

Director of Hispanic Ministries: Carlos Sepulveda

Director of Music Ministries: Kimberly Robertson

Musicians: Michael Cardel, Jackie Pasarilla, Anna Robertson, Graham Widener

Song Leaders: Elle Cardel, Denise Hiott, Kimberly Robertson, Paul Shearer

*The Congregation stands

SERMON NOTES

“ABRAHAM’S FAITH”

HEBREWS 11:8-22

INTRODUCTION

FAITH OBEYS GOD’S CALL

FAITH TRUSTS GOD’S PROMISE

FAITH PASSES GOD’S TEST

MEMBER/GUEST INFO

Please fill in form and place in the offering plate or box in the foyer. Thank you!

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email* _____

I would like more information about Trinity Presbyterian Church.

*I want to receive the weekly E-news.

Sign me up for:

TPC 101

FEASTING AT GOD'S TABLE

Celebration of Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

PASTOR: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**

PASTOR: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

PASTOR: Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

PEOPLE: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

PASTOR: It is indeed good, right and our delight that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we praise and magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing...

ALL: **Holy, Holy, Holy...**

Prayer of Consecration

Words of Institution

PASTOR: Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us!

PEOPLE: **Hallelujah!**

PASTOR: Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

ALL: **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. Hallelujah!**

PASTOR: And now Our Holy Master, that with boldness and without condemnation, we dare to call upon You, the Heavenly God, as our Father, and to say:

ALL: **Our Father...**

PASTOR: The holy gifts of God for the holy people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith and with thanksgiving. Let us partake of the feast!

Prayer Request

This Week at TPC...February 23, 2020

Today	CE - Children 11:00 a.m., Adults 11:10 a.m. Pasarilla Community Group 3:00 p.m. Student Ministry 5:00 p.m. Hershberger Party 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Men's Bible Study 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Ash Wednesday Service noon-12:30 p.m. ELC 6:00-7:30 p.m. Fine Arts 6:00-7:30 p.m.
Thursday	Women's morning Bible study 9:30-11:30 a.m. Ministerio Hispano 6:00 p.m.
Friday	Friday Night Community Group 7:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events/Announcements

Student Ministry - We will meet one final time with Monty to discuss plans for the future and to say goodbye at 5:00 p.m. this evening in the Student Room. All students and parents are invited to this informational meeting.

Hershberger Party - Tonight at 6:00 p.m. we will have a party for the Hershberger family to celebrate their time with us and to wish them well in their new life and ministry in Elizabethtown, KY. Snacks will be served.

Ash Wednesday Service - Join us Wednesday, February 26 from 12:00-12:30 p.m. for a special service as we begin the season of Lent.

Women's Ministry - Ladies, we will be having a women's night out to Mellow Mushroom on Thursday, March 5. Plan to arrive at 6:30 p.m. for some fun, food, and fellowship. Contact Sarah Shearer (614) 204-0633 with questions.

TPC 101 - Class begins Sunday, March 8 and will continue each Sunday during the CE hour for those interested in becoming members or for those who want to learn more about our church. Sign-up online via the Enews, at the Welcome Center, or by checking the insert and placing it in the offering tray.

Children's Ministry - all are invited to join the children's ministry reading *The Pilgrim's Progress* during the season of Lent. See the table in the lobby or our ministry page on the website for suggested versions of John Bunyan's classic tale.

TPC Men's Softball - The men's softball team has 3-4 open spots for this spring season. Contact Chris Nowlin (615) 531-9778 for more information.

Missionary of the Month: Please be in prayer for Rob and Claudia Holmes who are serving in France working with refugees. Please see the printout at the Missions table for more information on their prayer needs.

Ministry of the Week: Please pray for Doors of Hope which is a non-profit organization sharing the Gospel and providing soon-to-be released female inmates with group mentoring/life skill classes. Opendoorsofhope.org.

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Lord's Day Worship

9:30 a.m.

Christian Education

Children & Youth 11:00 a.m.

Adult 11:10 a.m.

Trinity Presbyterian Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) and a member of the Nashville Presbytery. For more information about Trinity Presbyterian, visit www.trinitymboro.com. For more information about the Presbyterian Church in America, visit www.pcanet.org.

Guests! We are especially glad that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. It is our hope that worship is an encouragement to you and that you will have opportunity to return soon. Please take time to fill out the Guest Info Slip on the insert and place it in the offering plate or in the box located in the foyer.

Welcome Center: Located in the front foyer, our Welcome Center is designed to assist you in understanding the ministry of Trinity and includes an area to sign up for upcoming events. Please help yourself to our brochures and other resources.

Community Groups are small fellowships of people meeting at the church or in homes around Murfreesboro. They are primary places where we share life together in pursuit of Jesus as we learn to apply the gospel to our lives. For more information, please check the TPC website (www.trinitymboro.com/community-groups) or Monty Hershberger at monty@trinitymboro.com.

Hearing Impaired Headsets are available in the sound booth in the Sanctuary.

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Ron Phillips

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Paul Shearer, Treasurer

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