

TRINITY

PRESBYTERIAN (PCA) • MURFREESBORO

Palm Sunday



MARCH 28, 2021

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

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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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: Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

PEOPLE: **He shall speak to the nations, his rule shall be from sea to sea, from the River to the ends of the earth.**

PASTOR: For how great is his goodness, and how great is his beauty! Save us, we pray, O LORD! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD!

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Adoration

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

Confession of Sin

Rev. Mitchell Carter

PASTOR: Let us confess our sins together:

PEOPLE: **O Lord and Master of my life, take from me the spirit of sloth, despondency, lust of power, and idle talk. But give rather the spirit of chastity, humility, patience, and love to your servant. Yes, O Lord and King, grant me to see my own transgressions, and not to judge my brother, for you are blessed, unto ages of ages. Amen.**

A Prayer of St. Ephraim the Syrian

Silent Confession

Song of Confession

“Trisagion”

*Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

PASTOR: For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

John 3:16-17

ALL: **Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.**

*Extending God's Welcome of Peace

PASTOR: The peace of Christ be with you!

PEOPLE: **And also with you!**

*Song of Renewal

“Satisfied”

COMMITTING TO GOD'S KINGDOM

*Confession of Faith

PASTOR: Christian, in whom do we believe?

ALL: We believe in one God, Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible; and in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the Only begotten not made, of one substance with the Father, through whom all things came into being, who for us human beings and for our salvation came down from the Heavens and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became human, and was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate and suffered and was buried and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures and ascended into the Heavens and is seated at the right hand of God the Father and is coming again with Glory to judge the living and the dead, of whose kingship there will be no end; and we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Life-giver, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who is co-worshipped and co-glorified with the Father and the Son, who has spoken through the prophets; and we believe in one holy, catholic¹ and apostolic Church. We confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins; we wait for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the age to come. Amen.

The Nicene Creed - 381 AD

Kingdom Reading

Psalm 31:9-16

READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

Philippians 2:5-11

READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

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

Common Prayer

PASTOR: Let us now join our voices together praying:

ALL: Almighty and Everliving Father, in your tender love for humanity, you sent your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, to take upon him our human nature and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection for your glory's sake. Amen.

Offering

(Tithes and offerings can be mailed to the church or made online through the Trinity website at trinityboro.com under the "About Us" tab, "Giving to TPC" and clicking on the link.)

*Doxology

At this time, children Pre-K 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. (9:00 a.m. service only.)

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

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

“The Habit of Following Jesus”

Luke 9:51-62

A Lenten Series

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. The communion bread in the purple cups is gluten free.

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

*Song of Sending

“If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee”

*The Sending

PASTOR: Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, bringing holiness to completion in the fear of God. *2 Corinthians 7:1*

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God!**

*Benediction

PASTOR: Peace be to all and love with faith from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love the Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible. *Ephesians 6:23-24*

PEOPLE: **To God be the glory forever and ever! Amen.**

Postlude

Senior Pastor: Rev. Brandon Eggar

Assistant Pastor: Rev. Mitchell Carter

Director of A/V: David White

Director of Children's Christian Formation: Sherry Nowlin

Director of Music Ministries: Kimberly Robertson

Director of Youth: Reilly Liner

Nursery Coordinator: Rachel Ehleben

Musicians: Jackie Pasarilla, Callie, Graham, & Grant Widener

Song Leader: Kimberly Robertson

*The Congregation stands

SERMON NOTES

“THE HABIT OF FOLLOWING JESUS”

LUKE 9:51-62

INTRODUCTION

THE DETERMINATION OF JESUS (v. 51)

THE DISAPPROVAL/REJECTION OF JESUS (vv. 52-56)

THE DEMAND OF JESUS (vv. 57-62)

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:

I would like to volunteer to:

Zoom link for Prayer services

Help with Youth

A.M. P.M. BOTH

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 Lord, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest!**

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...March 28, 2021

Today	Worship 9:00 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Training during 9:00 a.m. service Officer nominations through end of day today Palm Sunday Evening Service 6:00-6:45 p.m.
Monday	Holy Week service 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Holy Week service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Holy Week service 6:00 p.m.
Thursday	Maundy Thursday service 6:00 p.m.
Friday	Good Friday service 6:00 p.m.

Special Services for the Season of Lent

Palm Sunday Evening: March 28, 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Holy Week: March 29-31. Evening services will take place at 6:00 p.m. A light supper will be provided at the conclusion of each service.

Maundy Thursday: April 1, 6:00-7:00 p.m. Dinner not provided.

Good Friday: April 2, 6:00-7:00 p.m. Dinner not provided.

Easter Services

Easter Sunrise Celebration & Breakfast: **April 4**, 6:15 a.m.*

Resurrection Services: **April 4**, 9:00 & 10:45 a.m.*

***See website or E-news for sign up link.**

Upcoming Events/Announcements

Palm Sunday Evening service - Please join us for a special service this evening for the beginning of Holy Week. The service begins at 6:00 p.m.

A **Holy Week playlist** has been put together for Holy Week by Kimberly via Spotify. The link can be found in E-news or on our website. May it be an encouragement to you and a tool for reflection as we look ahead together to our commemoration of the cross of Christ.

Morning & Evening Prayer services via Zoom - Due to our Holy Week activities, the morning & evening prayer services will not be held on Thursday, **April 1**.

Easter Breakfast - We are preparing to celebrate Christ's Resurrection with our Easter Celebration April 4 at 6:15 a.m. followed by our Easter Breakfast. The church will provide a pre-packaged breakfast for all who signed up. See the sign up on our website or through E-news.

2021 Stewardship Giving	YTD	Budget	% of Budget
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 106,999	\$525,000	20.4%
Designated Giving and Events	\$ 118	\$8,300	1.4%
Building Fund-Contributed & Pledged	\$ 5,400	\$82,075	6.6%
Operating Expenses	\$ 109,056	\$508,725	21.4%
Budgeted Tithes and Offerings	\$ 120,822		

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Lord's Day Worship

9:00 & 10:45 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. Please help yourself to our brochures and other resources. There are also Bibles for use on the side table next to the sofa, including giant print editions.

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 email the church office or Rev. Mitchell Carter at Mitchell@trinitymboro.com.

Church Leadership

ELDERS

Brandon Eggar, Moderator
Jim Harris, Clerk
Eric Klumpe*
Rick Malone
Paul Pasarilla
Ron Phillips
Peter Robertson*
Paul Shearer, Treasurer
Kim Sokoya
Randy Thompson*
Pleun Troost*

DEACONS

Andy Englehart, Chair*
Monty Lee
Allen Pfingsten,
Brent Pierce
Paul Vitolins*
Dan Widener

*Deacon on duty

*Not currently on the Session

All Glory, Laud, And Honor

1/2

Lead Sheet

Words by Theodulph of Orleans
Music by Melchior Teschner

1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to
2. The peo - ple of the He - brews with
3. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac -

thee, Re - deem - er, King; to whom the lips of
palms be - fore thee went; our praise and prayer and
cept the prayers we bring; who in all good de -

chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring! Thou
an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent; to
light - est, thou good and gra - cious King! all

art the King of Is - rael, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son, who
 thee, be - fore thy pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise; to
 glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King, to

in the Lord's name com - est, the King and bless - ed One!
 thee, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.
 whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring!

Trisagion (Holy God)

Words from Traditional Greek Orthodox liturgical text

Music by Fernando Ortega

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The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It consists of four lines of music. The first line begins with a repeat sign and a double bar line. The lyrics are: Ho - - - ly God, ho - ly and might - - y, ho - - - ly im - mort - al One, have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us. The music features a mix of eighth and quarter notes, with some notes beamed together and others held as half notes. There are several slurs over the notes, and the piece ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

Ho - - - ly God,
ho - ly and might - - y,
ho - - - ly im - mort - al One, have
mer - cy, have mer - cy on us.

**Holy God,
Holy and mighty,
Holy immortal One,
Have mercy,
Have mercy,
Have mercy...**

**Have mercy,
Have mercy on us.**

Satisfied

Words by Clara T. Williams, 1875 Music by Karl Digerness, 1997
© 1997 Karl Digerness Music

[Verse]

1. All my life long, I had panted, For a drink from some cool
spring. That I hoped would quench the burning,
Of the thirst I felt within.

[Chorus]

Hal - le - lu - jah! He has found me,
The One my soul so long has craved! Jesus sat - is - fies
all my long - ings, Through his blood I now am saved.

2. Feed-ing on the filth around me, Till my strength was almost gone.
Longed my soul for something better, Only still to hun-ger on.

(Chorus)

3. Poor I was and sought for riches, Something that would satisfy.
But the dust I gathered 'round me, Only mocked my soul's sad cry.

(Chorus)

4. Well of water ever springing, Bread of life so rich and free.
Untold wealth that never faileth, My Redeemer is to me.

(Repeat)

(Chorus 2x)

Jesus satisfies all my longings, Through His blood I now am saved.

Sanctus

Re-tuned

Jennifer Martin
Karin Simmons

Expressively ♩ = 90

Am Am/G Fmaj9 Am Am/G Fmaj9

5 Am Am/G Fmaj9 Am F G C
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might.

9 Am Am/G Fmaj9 Am F G C
Heav - en and earth are full of Your Glo - ry. Ho -

13 G2 Am F G C2 G/B
san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

17 Am Em7 F2 C2 F Dm7
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name of the

20 Gsus G Am G/B C2 F2 G2
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high -

24 Am Am/G Fmaj9 Am Am/G Fmaj9
est.

If Thou But Suffer God To Guide Thee

Words by Georg Neumark (1641)
Music by Catherine Winkworth (1855)
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1. If thou but suf-fer God to guide thee And hope in Him through all thy ways,
2. What can these an-xious cares a - vail thee These nev-er ceas - ing moans and sighs?

He'll give thee strength, what - e'er be-tide thee, And bear thee through the e - vil days.
What can it help if thou be-wail thee O'er each dark mo - ment as it flies?

Who trust in God's un - chang - ing love Builds on the rock that naught can move.
Our cross and tri - als do but press The heav-ier for our bit - ter - ness.

3. Be patient and await His leisure
In cheerful hope, with heart content
To take whate'er thy Father's pleasure
And His discerning love hath sent,
Nor doubt our inmost wants are known
To Him who chose us for His own.

4. Sing, pray, and keep His ways unswerving,
Perform thy duties faithfully,
And trust His Word: though undeserving,
Thou yet shalt find it true for thee.
God never yet forsook in need
The soul that trusted Him indeed.