### This Week at TPC

Sunday, April 16 Worship Night hosted by RUF 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 18 Men's Fellowship & Study 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 19 English Language Class 6:30 p.m.

## Upcoming Events/Announcements

#### Year-End Giving Statements

Please send an email to admin@trinitymboro.com to request an electronic copy. If you need a printed copy, please find Paul Shearer today after the service and a printed copy will be provided.

#### Worship Night hosted by RUF

RUF invites you to an evening of Scripture, prayer, and praise of various musical styles on Sunday, April 16, from 5:00-6:30 p.m. at Trinity.

#### Newcomers' Dessert

All visitors are welcome to enjoy dessert on Thursday, May 4 with Pastor Mitchell and elders of the church at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to attend, email admin@trinitymboro.com.

#### Trinity Audio/Visual Crew Volunteers Wanted

Contact David White if you are interested in helping during the worship services. Opportunities to serve include training in all areas of the Crew: Image Operator, Video Systems, Audio Engineer, and Director. You can choose as many or as few as you like. Prior A/V experience is not required. All that is required is a desire to serve the Church and a willingness to learn.

#### **Church Office Hours**

Office hours are 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

#### TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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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. If you have any questions about our church, feel free to email Pastor Mitchell at mitchell@trinitymboro.com

Located in the front foyer, our Welcome Center has resources available such as weekly sermon manuscripts, ministry brochures, sign-ups, and our most current church member directory. There are also Bibles for use on the side table including large print editions.

Hearing Assistive Devices are available at the sound booth.

#### Church Leadership

Elders	Deacons
Mitchell Carter, Moderator	Charles McGaughy, Chair
Jim Harris	Dean Cardel
Eric Klumpe†	Monty Lee
Rick Malone, Clerk	Chris Nowlin*
Phil Newman	Allen Pfingsten
Paul Pasarilla	Brent Pierce*
Ron Phillips	John Pipes
Peter Robertson	· •
Paul Shearer, Treasurer†	*Deacon on duty today
Kim Sokoya†	,
Randy Thompson†	
Pleun Troost	

†Not currently on the Session

TPC Family, please know that if you are in need of physical or financial help, let our deacons know by reaching out to them personally or by emailing the chair of the Diaconate, Charles McGaughy, at deacons@trinitymboro.com. And if you are in need of counsel or prayer, please let our elders know by reaching out personally or emailing Mitchell, who is the moderator of the Session, at mitchell@trinitymboro.com.

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APRIL 16, 2023

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

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

#### Order for the Worship of God

April 16, 2023 Second Sunday of Easter

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. Mitchell Carter

PASTOR: Blessed is the kingdom of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

PEOPLE: Amen!

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

PEOPLE: For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever; his faithfulness to all

generations.

Christ is risen!

PEOPLE: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

\*Prayer of Adoration

Worship Christ, the Risen King \*Hymn of Adoration

Confession of Sin Rev. Mitchell Carter

PASTOR: Let us now confess our sins together:

Our God and Creator, we come before you and confess that we have sinned in all kinds of ways against you and our neighbors. We have not only sinned in obvious and outward ways, but we have also sinned by internal pride and distrust, impatience and hatred, greed and jealousy, lust and selfish ambition, as well as many other evils. You know our sins, O Lord, and that we deserve condemnation for every one of them.

Yet, you are merciful to those who repent and trust in your Son. Forgive us because of the righteousness of Jesus. And, by the power of your Holy Spirit, help us walk in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Confession

Song of Confession Create in Me a Clean Heart

\*Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

PASTOR: Jesus himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. From 1 Peter 2:24

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

Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed

#### COMMITTING TO GOD'S KINGDOM

\*Confession of Faith

PASTOR: All:

Christian, in whom do we believe?

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 Pilot, 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

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

geographic barriers.

Ron & Peggy Phillips Kingdom Reading

Psalm 16

This is the Word of the Lord. ALL: Thanks be to God!

1 Peter 1:3-9

This is the Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God!

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

Paul Shearer

Common Prayer

\*Doxology

Leader: Let us now join our voices together praying:

Almighty Father, you have given us your only Son to die for us sinners and to rise again for our justification: Grant all who have been born again by your Spirit to

show forth in their lives the reality of Jesus' resurrection in all they do and say.

Amen.

Kingdom Giving & Meditation

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

#### LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

"Kingdom Growth" Matthew 13:31-33 Series: The Gospel According to Matthew Rev. Weston Duke (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 sins 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.

Song of Communion

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

#### GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

\*Song of Sending

All Glory Be to Christ

\*The Sending

PASTOR: But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own

possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. 1 Peter 2:9

PEOPLE: With the Lord's help we will do this!

#### \*Benediction

PASTOR: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Christ is risen!

From Hebrews 13:20-21

PEOPLE: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

PASTOR: Go forth in the power of Christ's resurrection! Amen.

\*Postlude

Musicians: Barbara Ehresman, Marynelle Klumpe, Jonathan Oldham Song Leaders: Tim & Debbie Dunn, Kimberly Robertson

\*The Congregation stands

#### Worship Christ, The Risen King

Lyrics: Jack W. Hayford (1986). Music: Henry T. Smart (1867).



## **CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART**

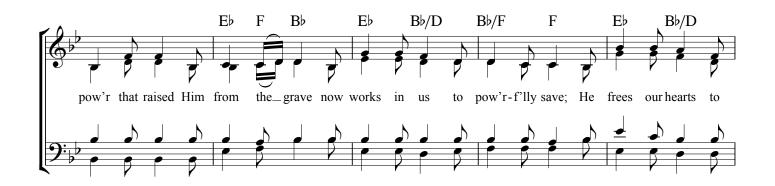


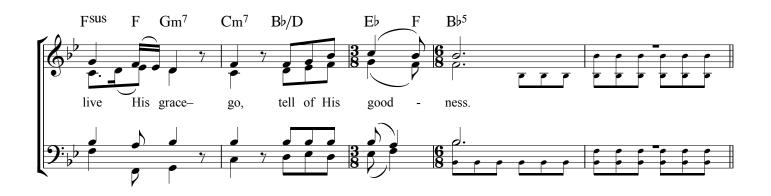
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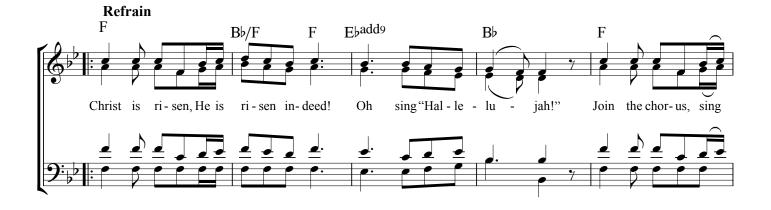


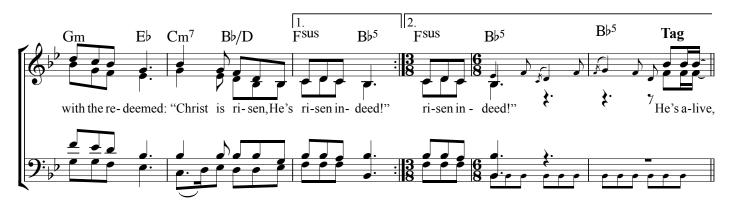
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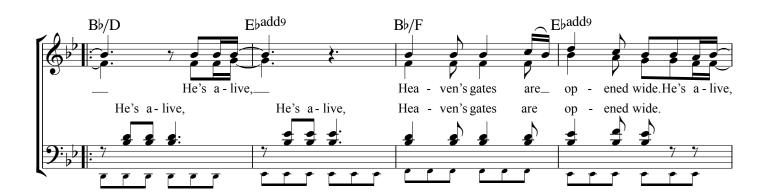


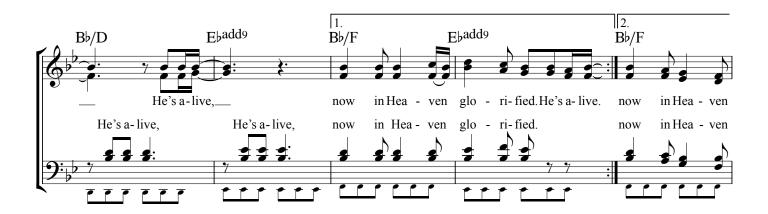








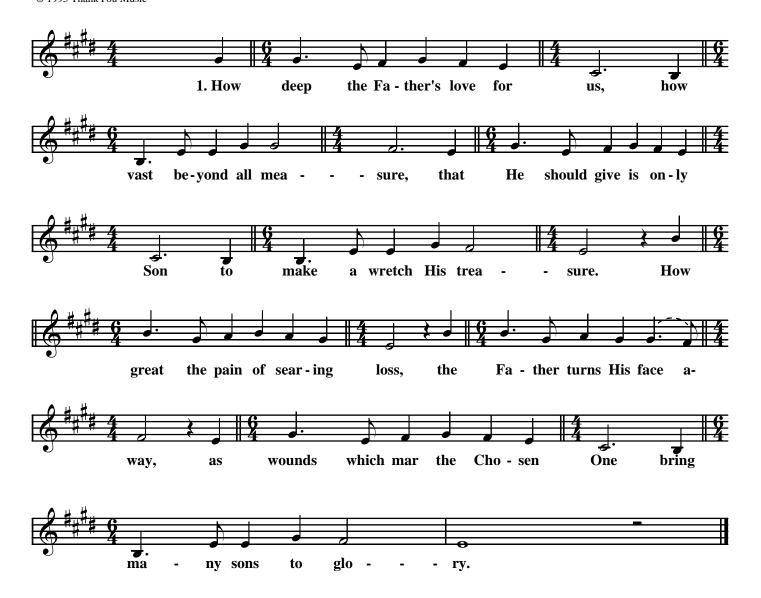






#### **How Deep The Father's Love For Us**

Words and Music by Stuart Townend © 1995 ThankYou Music



- 2. Behold the man upon the 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.
- 3. I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow'r, 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.

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.

### Hail to the Lord's Anointed

In his days the righteous will flourish; prosperity will abound till the moon is no more. Ps. 72:7



## All Glory Be To Christ

Traditional Scottish Folk Tune

Words and Arrangement by Dustin Kensrue





