

# TRINITY

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AUGUST 12, 2018

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

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

August 12, 2018

*Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost*

*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

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Prelude

Welcome

Musical Meditation

**\*Call to Worship**

Rev. Monty Hershberger

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 this 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**

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

**\*Song of Response**

“Jesus, I Come”

Confession of Sin

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

**\*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

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### Confession of Faith

Mr. Pleun Troost

ELDER: Christian, who is the Lord Jesus?

ALL: The Lord Jesus is the Beloved Son of God, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities - all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.  
Amen. From *Colossians 1:14-20*

### Kingdom Reading

Charles & Jan McGaughy

Psalm 130

READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

Ephesians 4:25-5:2

READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

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

### Common Prayer

ELDER: Let us now join our voices together praying:

ALL: Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your name; increase in us true faith, nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruits of your Spirit, for Jesus' sake we pray. Amen.

### Kingdom Giving and Song of Meditation

"How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds"

### \*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.*

## LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

“The Parable of the Prodigal Son”

Luke 15:11-32

*Continuing the Series: Encounters with the Real Jesus - “The Parables”*

Rev. Monty Hershberger

*(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. Gluten free communion bread is in the glass dish in the serving basket.

## GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

**\*Song of Sending**

**“In Christ Alone”**

**\*The Sending**

**PASTOR:** Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning and be like people who are waiting for their master to come home from the wedding feast, so that they may open the door to him at once when he comes and knocks.

*Luke 12:35-36*

**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 Music Ministries: Kimberly Robertson

Director of Children's Christian Formation: Neecia Eggar

Nursery Coordinator: Dawn Pfingsten

Sound & Technology Coordinator: Keith Moyers

Musicians: Jackie Pasarilla, Kimberly Robertson, Michael Cardel, Anna Robertson, Addi Eggar

Song Leaders: Kimberly Robertson, Paul Shearer, Rhonda McDaniel, Emily Cardel

\*The Congregation stands

# SERMON NOTES

## “THE PARABLE OF THE PRODIGAL SON”

LUKE 15:11-32

### INTRODUCTION

### I. THE PRODIGAL SON

### II. THE OLDER BROTHER

### III. THE FATHER

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### 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:

Newcomers' Dessert

TPC 101

## FEASTING AT GOD'S TABLE

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### 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 gifts of God for the 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

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# This Week at TPC...August 12, 2018

Today Ministry Fair after worship  
Student Ministry meets: Middle School 5:00-6:30 p.m.  
High School 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Monday ELC Camp begins 6-7:30 p.m.

Thursday Newcomers' Dessert at Eggar home 6:30 p.m.

## Upcoming Events/Announcements

**Ministry Fair** - Our annual Ministry Fair is today following worship. Please plan to stay after service as each of the Ministry Teams and Community Groups of TPC will be represented. Come to hear about Fall plans, get to know the Ministries, and find out how you can be involved at Trinity!

**Christian Education** - Classes begin next week, August 19, including TPC 101 for those interested in becoming members and/or for those who want to learn more about our church. Please sign up at the Welcome Center in the narthex or check insert.

**English Language Ministry** - Camp is this week, Monday-Friday, August 13-17, 6-7:30 p.m., followed by weekly classes on Wednesdays at the same time. Volunteers needed! Contact Marynelle Klumpe for information at [mjklumpe@gmail.com](mailto:mjklumpe@gmail.com).

**Newcomers' Dessert** - All visitors are welcome to enjoy dessert, this Thursday, August 16, with Brandon & Neece Eggar in their home (1506 Belle Oaks Drive) anytime between 6:30-7:30 p.m. Please sign up at the Welcome Center in the narthex.

**Drama Camp Premiere** - We will be rolling out the red carpet for our Drama Camp stars at the movie premiere of *Arise!* next Sunday, August 19 at 3:00 p.m. followed by our block party from 4:00-7:00 p.m.

**Community Block Party** - Volunteers needed! We are looking forward to our Block Party to be held on August 19, 4-7 p.m. and we need your help as we host our neighbors and friends. There will be live music under a tent, cotton candy, & popcorn for all to enjoy, along with inflatable games for the kids. Food trucks will be on site to purchase dinner. Invite your neighbors to this community block party! Please sign-up at the Welcome Center in the narthex or online through the E-news.

**Women's Ministry** - The Women's Ministry Team is hosting a Family Reunion Picnic for women at Trinity and their guests to kick off the new ministry year. Wear your picnic attire and join us Friday, August 24, 6:30-8:30 p.m. for heavy hors d'oeuvres, games, fellowship, and a glimpse of our 2018/19 activities and programs.

### 2018 Stewardship Giving

General Fund Contributions	\$259,362	48.3% of Annual Budget
General Fund Expenses	\$316,414	61.7% of Annual Budget
YTD Budgeted Contributions	\$326,235	

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## Lord's Day Worship

9:30 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](http://www.trinitymboro.com). For more information about the Presbyterian Church in America, visit [www.pcanet.org](http://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 Table:** Located in the front foyer, our Welcome Table is designed to assist you in understanding the ministry of Trinity. Please help yourself to our Welcome Brochures and other resources.

**Sign Up Table:** Located in the hallway, next to the Assistant Pastor's office, this is used for those upcoming events for which you need to sign up.

**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 contact Monty Hershberger at [monty@trinitymboro.com](mailto:monty@trinitymboro.com).

## Church Leadership

### ELDERS

Brandon Eggar, Moderator

Jim Harris

Rick Malone

Paul Pasarilla, Clerk

Peter Robertson

Paul Shearer

Pleun Troost

### DEACONS

Dean Cardel

Andy Englehart, Chair

Monty Lee

Charles McGaughey

Allen Pffingsten

John Pipes\*

Jeff Straka\*

Paul Vitolins

### TREASURER

Paul Shearer

\*Deacon on duty