

*Order of Worship and Announcements
for the Week of October 4, 2020*



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The story of God calls us to remember—
**that love looks like healing the sick, eating with the outcast,
making room for the children, and seeing the unseen.**

The story of God calls us to remember—
because if we forget, we risk making God, love, and reconciliation small.

So as we remember, may we declare—
**we believe in a God who made all things good, who stands with the suffering,
walks with us in the wilderness, sees the overlooked,
loves with an untamed heart, and makes room for all at God's table.
Amen.**

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Supper

We invite you now to spiritually unite with all the members and friends of Trinity Presbyterian Church and with all the saints of the church in heaven and on earth, and partake of the Lord's Supper. According to Luke, when our risen Lord was at table with his disciples, he took bread and blessed it and broke it and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him.

Communion Prayer

Creator God,
Prayer has never been easy for us.
Our mind flutters with news updates and questions of faith—
our thoughts like a river that won't stop.
So today we take a deep breath—
Inhaling your name into the cobwebs of our lungs,
Willing your presence to wipe away the dust of self-doubt and fear.
And with that breath,
We ask you that you would tell us again:
Tell us again how you moved over the waters.
Tell us again how you led them with a pillar of fire.
Tell us again of that still, small voice,
And then tell us of the prophets.
Tell us of Mary and Joseph and that angel chorus.
Tell us of the blind man, and the leper, and the crowds that you healed.
Tell us what it was like to walk on water.
Tell us of the little children that ran to you.
Tell us of the justice you preached.
Tell us of the hosannas and the palm branches.
Tell us again of the love that changed the world.
Tell us again, because we are forgetful people.
It is part of our human nature;
That is why we long for this space week after week,
So that we might be reminded of who we are and whose we are.
So tell us again.
For our anxiety is loud.
Our scarcity is loud.
Our fear is loud.
Our anger is loud.
Our shame is loud.
Our loneliness and self-doubt are loud.
Mental illness is loud.
Doubt is loud,
So tell us again.

Tell us again how it all began.
Tell us of manna in the wilderness and the disciples around the table.
Tell us again of your love for this world.
Tell us again how it changed everything.
Tell us again, so that we have the strength to tell others.
And as you do, pour out your Spirit on this table.
Tether your Spirit to our fragile bones.
Be with us in these ordinary symbols of extraordinary love,
And give us the strength to remember your story anew.
As we prepare to eat together as your disciples did,
We remember and we speak that truth out loud, praying together,
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sharing the Bread

This is the body of Christ, the bread of life—given for you. Amen.

Sharing the Cup

This is the blood of Christ, the cup of salvation—shed for you. Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Holy God,
As we leave this table, help us to remember this moment.
Help us remember that with you, all are invited.
Help us remember that with you, there is a seat for everyone.
Help us remember that with you, there is enough food to go around,
that even Judas was invited to the meal,
and that there is manna in the wilderness.
Help us remember so that as we go, we can build tables like this in the world.
We need more tables like this in the world.
Gratefully we pray, Amen.

Hymn #704 “To My Precious Lord” Park

Refrain: To my precious Lord I bring my flask of fragrant oil;
kneeling down, I kiss his feet, anoint them with the oil.

1 Jesus, who for my sake walked the road to Calvary,
with each step has marked the imprint of his love for me. **(Refrain)**

2 Jesus, who for my sake had His feet nailed to the cross,
with his blood has washed and healed me, paid the heavy cost. **(Refrain)**

3 When in clouds of glory you come back to earth again,
Jesus, with your love, embrace and claim me as your friend. **(Refrain)**

Benediction

Congregational Response (Hymn #306)

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

Postlude “You Are My Strength When I Am Weak” Jernigan



****If you would like to submit an announcement to be included in the weekly bulletin, please have in by 9am Monday morning. Due date for the next bulletin is Monday, October 5th. Please email to Judy at trinityoffice@cfl.rr.com.**

OFFERING

Please continue to give your offering. God calls us to give all of who we are, and all of what we have used in and thru the Church. So let us present our lives. Let us present our gifts unto God. (Offerings can be received in the Church by mail or you may utilize online banking options at www.trinitypalmcoast.org).



Contributions can also be made for the Deacon Assistance Fund and Missions Program.

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

We are happy to pray for you and your loved ones. If someone is in need of prayer, please let the church office know: trinityoffice@cfl.rr.com. Those listed in bold are members of the church and the asterisk indicates active military service.

Please help us keep our prayer list current. If you, or your loved one, no longer need our community prayers, PLEASE call the Church office to let us know at (386)445-4757.

Bob Aitken	Angela Grussing	Kenny Mack*	Gloria Scandariato
Mary Batailo	Stanley Hannum*	Jan Markiewicz	Jennifer Sheringham*
Jason Bradley*	Clark Hessen	Bill Mathern	Joe Shull
Tom Brinton	A.J. Jebbia	Declan Mitchell*	Diane Simmons
Al Burgess	Vicki Jebbia	Joseph C. Orr*	Bonnie Slager
Jasper Casey	Janet Johnson	Howard Parker	Yvonne Smith
Maverick Dennis*	Javan N. Jones*	Janet Pegg	Maria Soares
Joe Digby*	Dave Knight	Bea Pison	Bill Tate
Eleanor Eidson	Jennifer Kaczmarek	Alice Powell	Gene Thrower
Patrick Floyd*	Florence Lyman	Helene Read	Ryan Tugas*
Rich Gaulding	Walt McRae	Bradford Robinson	Ronald Warwell
Red Gensch	Dana Mack	Frances Sampson	Matthew Winternheimer*

SUNDAY VESPERS



You are invited to join the members and friends of Trinity Palm Coast for outdoor Vespers and Communion on Sunday, October 4th at 6:30PM. Vespers, by definition, is an informal worshipful gathering. Individually packaged Communion wafers and juice will be provided.

We will observe social distancing and all are asked to wear a mask in consideration of others. We also ask that you bring your own chair. We look forward to seeing many of you and worshipping with you!

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Joyce Peters	10/4
Paul Wilhelmsen	10/4
Eddie Ayers	10/5
Chloe Kaczmarek	10/5



David Tiernan	10/7
Bob Aitken	10/8
Andrew Butler	10/10

ONLINE WORSHIP



We look forward to worshipping with you and your family wherever you may be as Trinity Palm Coast will continue to worship online.

In and thru the church website trinitypalmcoast.org you can join us on Sunday mornings and throughout the week as our services are archived and can be viewed on the website.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Good morning. My name is David Tiernan.

Today marks the official opening of Trinity's 2021 Stewardship Campaign, which will culminate on Commitment Sunday. Please prayerfully ponder your pledge this year, which we will ask you to make after the worship service has concluded on November 1.

For the past few months the newly formed Stewardship Committee has met often to devise ways to communicate the gift of God's grace, and our gratitude and sense of "giving back to God" as a result of His grace.

Perhaps an impetuous fisherman from Galilee best defined stewardship in his letter to the early church: "Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's grace." 1 Peter 4:8-10

For the next four Sundays, some members of our congregation will share brief stories with you. Hopefully these stories will encourage and inspire each of you to step up and share your God-given gifts with God's church here at Trinity.



Good morning, I am here today with Leisa Gardner. Leisa has served TPC in many ways during her 16 years here, with Presbyterian Women, as a Deacon and a Lay Reader. She also serves along with Jeanette and Del Smith, my husband and myself as part of the Communion Preparation Team and as Sanctuary Guild. Leisa is going to share with us this morning about God's grace in her life. -Jane Lippian



Grace is defined as God's unmerited favor to man. It is undeserved. It is not a reward for our goodness, nor are we selected to receive it above any other person...it is available to all.

Reading from Ephesians 2:8--- for by grace are ye saved thru faith and this is not from yourself, it is the gift of God.

While serving in the Sanctuary Guild, I usually come to the church on a Saturday, in the quietness of the Sanctuary, while posting the hymns we will sing during Worship on Sunday, I sense the presence of the Lord. Many afternoons, as I am leaving for home, I feel assured that the Lord is with me and will see me home safely, there is a calm assurance that God's presence is always with me.

In my many years as a Christian, I have learned to let God lead my life. He brought me here to Trinity and the fellowship I have shared with my brothers and sisters in Christ has strengthened me to face challenges and God has done what he has promised. In serving Him fully, I have learned to let go, just let God!!!

Therefore, let us open our hearts to receive what God has freely given. Keep in mind, freely you have received, therefore freely give... He gave us His Son, His only Son, Jesus Christ. As we receive that gift, eternal life is our inheritance.

As we emulate God's action of giving, not only when and if there is a need, but always and in abundance. Lord, help us to be a grateful people. Grace and peace to you. -Leisa Gardner



Notes from the Stewardship Committee: We know we all have a story to share concerning how we think about or do stewardship. So if you would like to share with us your story, please let us know, for we would love to hear it. Call any committee member: David Tiernan (chair), Marc Hitchins, Karen Walker, Jane Lippian or Martha Gioielli.

Please wait until AFTER the worship service on November 1 to fill in your 2021 Stewardship Pledge Cards. Once filled in, they may be turned in to the church or mailed to the church office. May God richly bless our generosity as we return to God a small portion of what He has given to us.



PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE UPDATE



The Pastoral Nominating Committee has been meeting weekly for the last few months reviewing pastoral candidates. We have been able to narrow the search to 3 candidates. The committee has been reviewing sermons, candidate responses as well as checking references. We will be conducting individual interviews with the candidates over the next week. The committee appreciates the prayers we have received during this time and hope you are able to continue. We still have quite a bit of work ahead of us, and we will continue updating you as we have more information.

-Peace and love The Pastoral Nominating Committee

SESSION BRIEFS

At its Stated Meeting on September 21, 2020, your session,



- Noted the deaths of Active Members Arthur and Eleanor Mikklesen, on September 1, and 5, 2020, respectively.
- Approved a request from NA (Narcotics Anonymous) to use the Pavilion area on Fridays from 7:00-8:00PM; this will be re-visited at the end of October.
- Noted that Deacons have been maintaining contact with each other and with their flocks.
- Elders reported on the phone calls they have made to church members.
- Noted that for the month of August operating revenue received exceeded operating expenses paid by \$13,458 Restricted revenue received exceeded restricted expenses paid by \$1,003.
- Approved a motion that wearing masks will be required for everyone when they are anywhere on the church campus, and that there will be screening of visitors and vendors.
- Noted there will be a Pumpkin Patch beginning October 12, with adaptations for doing it safely within Covid guidelines.
- Noted that instead of Trunk or Treat, there will be Halloween Parade with bags of goodies given out to the children at the end.
- Approved a motion to hold in person outdoor worship on Sunday mornings, October 25, and November 1, 2020, **if the way be clear.**
- Received into membership, Susan Kopyar.
- Approved a Resolution of Thanks for David Martin for the wooden cross he made to be used in the Pavilion for the outdoor services.

-Jane Pellmann, Clerk of Session

Church Office Hours
Monday – Thursday
9:00am – 12:00pm



Trinity Presbyterian Church is called by God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to be a **worshiping, nurturing and serving** community.