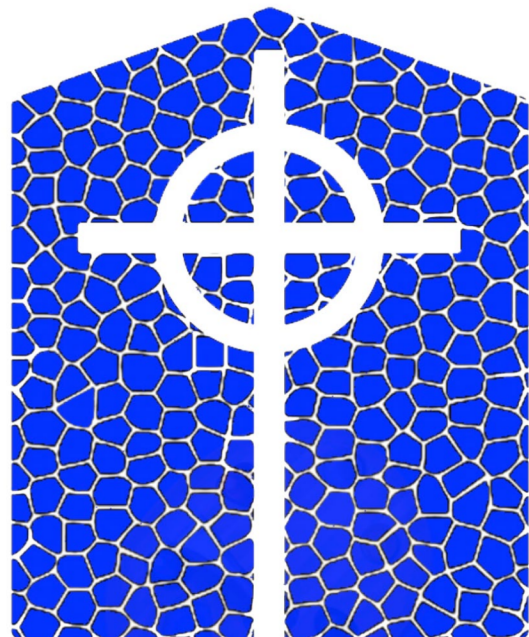


Third Sunday of Easter April 14, 2024



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*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.*

Welcome

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude "How Majestic Is Thy Name" L. Diemer
Emma Zwirn

Call to Worship

We live in the radiance of your glory.

Our worship comes from the gladness you have put in our hearts.

We give you thanks for the peace of your salvation.

Oh, hear the joy of our praise for your grace and mercy.

Prayer of the Day

Blessed Savior, you keep showing up for us in unexpected places. When we face uncertainty, you are there. When we worry about our tomorrows, you are there. And even in the doubt-filled lonely hours, you are there. Hear our prayer of thanks for your constant love, which convinces us to sing aloud, "Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine." **Amen.**

* Hymn #268 "Crown Him with Many Crowns" Diademata

Confession and Lament

Even in the joy of resurrection, we do not forget the anguish of our sins. We pray together in confession and lament:

Risen One, we confess our silence amid the persecution of others, silence that has often complied with oppression and brought harm. What can we do to eradicate poverty, hunger, and homelessness? Help us to hear your voice above all others, and teach us how to care for our neighbor, feed the hungry, and clothe and care for those in need, for as we do these things unto one another, we do them also unto you.

In joy of resurrection, we claim the victory of Christ over the power of sin. God has rolled away the stone to reveal our salvation. We look inside the tomb, and where Jesus once lay lifeless, we find the gifts of God's grace and forgiveness. Go and tell the world! In Christ we are forgiven.

* Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

* Response of Praise

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give praise to His name!

* Affirmation of Faith (Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Faith Formation Moment

Offering of our Gifts

Offertory "Hallelujah! Sing Praise to Your Creator" Psalm 148
Madelyn May

* Doxology (Hymn #606)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

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.

Responsive Reading Psalm 4

Answer me when I call, O God of my right! You gave me room when I was in distress. Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer.

² **How long, you people, shall my honor suffer shame?**

How long will you love vain words and seek after lies?

³ But know that the LORD has set apart the faithful for himself; the LORD hears when I call to him.

⁴ **When you are disturbed, do not sin; ponder it on your beds, and be silent.**

⁵ Offer right sacrifices, and put your trust in the LORD.

⁶ **There are many who say, "O that we might see some good! Let the light of your face shine on us, O LORD!"**

⁷ You have put gladness in my heart more than when their grain and wine abound.

⁸ **I will both lie down and sleep in peace, for you alone, O LORD, make me lie down in safety.**

New Testament Lesson Acts 3:12-19

¹² When Peter saw it, he addressed the people, "Fellow Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? ¹³ The God of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, the God of

our ancestors, has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. ¹⁴ But you rejected the holy and righteous one and asked to have a murderer given to you, ¹⁵ and you killed the author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. ¹⁶ And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know, and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. ¹⁷ "And now, brothers and sisters, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. ¹⁸ In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. ¹⁹ Repent, therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.

Anthem "Awake, Awake!" C. Courtney
Chancel Choir with Jack Jeffe, Viola

Gospel Lesson I John 3:1-7

3 ¹ See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God, and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ² Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³ And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. ⁴ Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵ You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶ No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. ⁷ Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

Meditation "Yes We Are" Rev. Dr. Jeff Beebe

* Hymn "He Lives" Ackley

* Invitation to Discipleship

How good it is to celebrate new life this Easter season. The call to follow Jesus in this new life may be on our hearts. We are invited now to answer this call. He rose to bring us along on the road of salvation. He calls to us here, saying, "Come and follow me." By the Spirit we are led into a new season, into a new beginning with Christ. Let us step into joy, the joy of following Jesus. Hallelujah, for the call of Jesus is the power of life everlasting.

* 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 "Crown Him with Many Crowns" arr. Westenkuehler

* Denotes please stand if able.

WORSHIP NOTES

Greeters & Ushers: Marti Benz, Ron & Penny Weidner, Bill & Sandy Boland, Susan Kopyar

Lay Reader: Madelyn May **Audio Tech:** Colin Earle

Audio Visual: Jeff Cooke, Ken Mettler, David Wheeler

Flowers: The flowers this morning are given by **Jan Roberts** and family in memory of **Bob Roberts**.

Children's Worship Table: Children are invited to the Children's Worship Table after the Faith Formation to enjoy this week's Children's Worship booklet and/or any of the other quiet activities in the Children's area.

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

Gail Alvaro, **Ajit Banerjee**, Billings Family, Jason Bradley*, Eliza Brown, **Al Burgess, Jim & Willa Burns**, Jasper Casey, John Chappa, **Hal Childs**, Pete Cooper, Dickiesons Family, **Joe Digby***, William Downs, Patrick Floyd*, Clarisa Gibson, Hadley Gray, Stu Greer, Stanley Hannum*, **Pete Harrison, Arlene & Hugh Highet, Bob Johnson, Gene Johnson, Javan N. Jones*, Kathy Jones-Mills, Jennifer Kaczmarek**, Lucas Kelly, Brady Klefman, Bruce Lee, **Florence Lyman**, Marissa Mallicote, **Trudy Manen, Marilyn Millar, Gloria Martin, Judy Mascenic, Bobbi McCarthy**, Sue McCarthy, **Tom & Carol McGovern**, Declan Mitchell*, Pam Mitchell-Hess, **Pat Olson**, Joseph C. Orr*, William Patterson, **Ed Peart, Helene Read**, Bradford Robinson, Ian Samuel, Jennifer Sheringham*, Sara Shoreland, **Diane Simmons, Bonnie Slager**, Michelle Smith, Bill Stumper, Annemarie Thompson, **Ryan Tugas*, Tony & Doris Valenti, Karen Walker**, Monique Warmington, Norma Warwell, **BJ Waugaman**, Todd Whipper, Ben Whitenack, **Matthew Winternheimer*, Theodore Winternheimer*, Kenny Wittmer**

Sympathy is extended to the Pierce Family on the passing of Grace Pierce on March 2, 2024. Grace Langston Stuefer Pierce, 98, passed peacefully on Saturday, March 2, 2024 in Kansas City, MO. She married Frank A. Pierce II on June 26, 1954 and they had two sons, Frank III and John. When she and Frank retired to Florida, she remained active in Trinity Presbyterian Church of Palm Coast, and was active in the PEO, the DAR, Welcome Wagon, and the Mayflower Society. Grace will be remembered for her upbeat charm and boundless enthusiasm; her welcoming and inclusive personality; her delicious, southern-inspired cooking and generous hospitality; her lifetime of dedication and service to others; and her loving devotion to family, friends, and her Lord and Savior. Grace was is survived by her son, John; four grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

If someone is in need of prayer, please let the church office know.

Those listed in bold are members of the church and the asterisk indicates active military service.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Gloria Martin	4/15		Julie Pearson	4/17
Cyndy Beebe	4/15		Sharon Grussing	4/17
Erynn Beebe	4/15			

HANDS ON MISSION

Helping Hands Needed Immediately. Join us in Mehaffey Hall following Service today, February 11th, and stuff food bags (finish in under 1 hour). Many children in Flagler County schools go hungry on the weekends. These Food bags are sent home with those that qualify.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CIRCLE MEETINGS

Sacred Encounters by Olive Mahabir

Lesson 7: An Ethiopian Eunuch Encounters the Good News of Jesus

Miriam-April 17-10am at Lois Settles' home; Laurie Harrison as Study Leader

Mary and Martha-April 17-6pm in Kepler; Kelli Jebbia as Study Leader

Rebecca: April 18-10am in Mehaffey Hall; Carol Graff as Study Leader

Faith Circle members are invited to visit the circle of your choice.

LET THERE BE LIGHTS!

We are the thankful recipients of a new set of 8 LED lights in the West Parking Lot! This lot is used weekly by the Community Chorus of Palm Coast, members who meet in the evenings, as well as for evening events in the Sanctuary. The trees have been trimmed and the new lights make the area safer and bright. This project was made possible by the gift from a generous donor and the Trinity Community Engagement Fund. Next time you are here at night please notice what a difference they make!

COMMUNITY CHORUS OF PALM COAST CONCERTS

Please save these dates for the Community Chorus Spring Concerts: April 26 at 7pm and April 28 at 4 pm. Please join us for our Spring-time concert filled with songs of Spring and Love.

This week in our Church (Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am-12noon):

Sunday, April 14th

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM Hands on Mission (Mehaffey)
11:00 AM Kid's Choir (Music Rm)

Monday, April 15th

9:30 AM Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
5:00 PM Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:00 PM Session Meeting (Kepler)
6:15 PM Cub Scout Pack 281 (Mehaffey, Youth Rms)
6:30 PM CCPC Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, April 16th

6:30 PM Scout Troops 281 & 4281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, Youth Rms)

Wednesday, April 17th

10:00 AM Miriam Circle (Lois Settles' Home)
6:00 PM Mary & Martha Circle (Kepler)
8:00 PM AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Thursday, April 18th

10AM-12PM Librarian on duty (TPC Library)
10:00 AM Rebecca Circle (Mehaffey)
5:20 PM Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
6:30 PM ALANON Meeting (Calvin)

Friday, April 19th

7:00 PM NA Meeting (Calvin)
7:30 PM AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Sunday, April 21st

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM "Coffee and Muffins in the Courtyard"
11:00 AM Kid's Choir (Music Rm)

Share your gifts!

Trinity Online Giving:

