



18b And on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

Matthew 16:18b (ESV)

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Order of Worship – Sunday, September 25, 2016

Listening devices are available for the hearing impaired.

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Song of Gathering and Preparation

The people of God always sang as they ascended the hill in Jerusalem up to the temple to worship (see Psalms 120-134).

We, as well, prepare our hearts, minds, and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

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Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son

Hail in the time appointed, his reign on earth begun, his reign on earth begun

He comes to break oppression

To set the captive free

To take away transgression

And rule in equity

Hail to the Lord's anointed...

He comes with comfort speedy

To those who suffer wrong

To help the poor and needy

And bid the weak be strong

To give them songs for sighing

Their darkness turn to light

Whose souls, condemned and dying

Are precious in his sight

Hail to the Lord's anointed...

He shall come down like showers

Upon the fruitful earth

Love, joy, and hope, like flowers

Spring in his path to birth

Hail to the Lord's anointed...

The tide of time shall never

His covenant remove

His name shall stand forever

That name to us is love

Hail to the Lord's anointed...

Call to Worship

We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reveals to us who God is and what He expects of us.

Galatians 1:1-5 (ESV)

Paul, an apostle—not from men nor through man, but through Jesus Christ and God the Father, who raised him from the dead—and all the brothers who are with me, to the churches of Galatia: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Prayer of Adoration and Confession – Shayne Bass

We pray together praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).

Song of Repentance

We sing a song that reflects our need for the mercy and grace brought to us at the coming of Jesus Christ.

Because He Lives (Amen)

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I believe in the Son
I believe in the Risen One
I believe I overcome
By the power of His blood
Amen amen
I'm alive I'm alive because He lives
Amen amen
Let my song join the one that never ends
Because He lives

I was dead in the grave
I was covered in sin and shame
I heard mercy call my name
He rolled the stone away
Amen amen
I'm alive I'm alive because He lives
Amen amen
Let my song join the one that never ends

Because He lives I can face tomorrow
Because He lives ev'ry fear is gone
I know He holds my life
My future in His hand
Amen amen... (2x)

Assurance of Pardon

We again read God's Word together and are reminded that mercy and grace are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.

Philippians 3:3-9 (ESV)

For we are the circumcision, who worship by the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and put no confidence in the flesh—though I myself have reason for confidence in the flesh also. If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith.

Worship Through Giving

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace for us in Jesus by giving generously to the work of this church and the kingdom of God.

Jesus, The Lord, My Savior Is

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Jesus, the Lord, my Savior is,
My Shepherd, and my God;
My light, my strength, my joy, my bliss;
And I His grace record.

Whate'er I need in Jesus dwells,
And there it dwells for me;
'Tis Christ my earthen vessel fills
With treasures rich and free.

Mercy and truth and righteousness,
And peace, most richly meet
In Jesus Christ, the King of grace,
In Whom I stand complete.

As through the wilderness I roam,
His mercies I'll proclaim;
And when I safely reach my home,
I'll still adore His name.
"Worthy the Lamb," shall be my song,
"For He for me was slain;"
And me with all the heavenly throng
Shall join, and say, "Amen."
Mercy and truth...
Jesus, the Lord....

Praise and Celebration

Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who he is and what he has done for us.

Great Are You Lord

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You give life, you are love / You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, you restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are you Lord

*It's your breath in our lungs / So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise / It's your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to you only*

You give life...
It's your breath...

And all the earth will shout your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are you Lord

It's your breath...

More Than Conquerors

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When my hope and strength is gone / You're the One who calls me on
You are the life / You are the fight that's in my soul
Oh Your resurrection pow'r / Burns like fire in my heart
When waters rise / I lift my eyes up to Your throne

*We are more than conquerors through Christ
You have overcome this world this life
We will not bow to sin or to shame
We are defiant in Your name
You are the fire that cannot be tamed
You are the power in our veins
Our Lord our God our conqueror*

*I will sing into the night / Christ is risen and on high
Greater is He / Living in me than in the world*

*No surrender no retreat / We are free and we're redeemed
We will declare / Over despair You are the hope*

*Nothing is impossible / Ev'ry chain is breakable
With You we are victorious / You are stronger than our hearts
You are greater than the dark / With You we are victorious*

We are more than conquerors through Christ... (REPEAT)

Confession of Faith

As an expression of our faith in Jesus Christ in solidarity with his people, we declare the substance of what we believe.

From the Heidelberg Catechism:

Q. 60. How are you right with God?

A. Only by true faith in Jesus Christ. Even though my conscience accuses me of having grievously sinned against all God's commandments and of never having kept any of them, and even though I am still ever inclined toward all evil, nevertheless, without my deserving it at all, out of sheer grace, God grants and credits to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ, as if I had never sinned nor been a sinner, as if I had been as perfectly obedient as Christ was obedient for me. All I need to do is accept this gift of God with a believing heart.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession – Shayne Bass

We again express in prayer our gratitude to God for what he has done and ask him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community & world.

(Children, Infants – Kindergarten, are dismissed for Kid's Worship.)

Proclamation of God's Word – Tim Rice, Lead Pastor and Director of Church Planting

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our lives and circumstances.

Songs of Response

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by singing again of his goodness and greatness.

Great And Mighty King

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Your love has rescued us / The cross delivered all our hearts from fear

Our hope is here / You came to make a way

Jesus you came to raise the dead to life / Our song will rise

Oh great and mighty King, you reign in majesty

Before your throne we sing holy, holy

Oh great and mighty King, for all eternity

We bow with heaven and sing holy, holy

What do we have to bring / This is our offering, our hearts before

The risen Lord / All power in your Name

Jesus the one who saves, be lifted high / Our song will rise

Oh great and mighty King, you reign in majesty...

We bow with heaven and sing holy, holy Lord

Your glory fills this place / We shout unending praise

Forever hallelujah / Forever hallelujah

(repeat 3x)

Oh great and mighty King, you reign in majesty...

Benediction

Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.

*May the LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,
both now and forevermore. Amen.*

Seasons of the Cross

Green: The colors of the various seasons of the Christian year express the mood or feeling of that season. Green expresses the ongoing work of God and our participation in him and in his work. Though God's work of creating is finished, his work to sustain and grow his Kingdom is not. Particularly, in this season after Pentecost, we strive to live in and through the power and presence of the Holy Spirit - praying and living so as to display and declare the glory of Jesus in all we do.

Scripture Passage and Sermon Outline

Proclamation of God's Word

Text: Acts 15:1-13, 19 (ESV)

Title: Security In Christ, Confirmed

Teacher: Tim Rice

¹ But some men came down from Judea and were teaching the brothers, "Unless you are circumcised according to the custom of Moses, you cannot be saved." ² And after Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and debate with them, Paul and Barnabas and some of the others were appointed to go up to Jerusalem to the apostles and the elders about this question. ³ So, being sent on their way by the church, they passed through both Phoenicia and Samaria, describing in detail the conversion of the Gentiles, and brought great joy to all the brothers. ⁴ When they came to Jerusalem, they were welcomed by the church and the apostles and the elders, and they declared all that God had done with them. ⁵ But some believers who belonged to the party of the Pharisees rose up and said, "It is necessary to circumcise them and to order them to keep the law of Moses." ⁶ The apostles and the elders were gathered together to consider this matter. ⁷ And after there had been much debate, Peter stood up and said to them, "Brothers, you know that in the early days God made a choice among you, that by my mouth the Gentiles should hear the word of the gospel and believe. ⁸ And God, who knows the heart, bore witness to them, by giving them the Holy Spirit just as he did to us, ⁹ and he made no distinction between us and them, having cleansed their hearts by faith. ¹⁰ Now, therefore, why are you putting God to the test by placing a yoke on the neck of the disciples that neither our fathers nor we have been able to bear? ¹¹ But we believe that we will be saved through the grace of the Lord Jesus, just as they will." ¹² And all the assembly fell silent, and they listened to Barnabas and Paul as they related what signs and wonders God had done through them among the Gentiles. ¹³ After they finished speaking, James replied, "Brothers, listen to me." ¹⁹ Therefore my judgment is that we should not trouble those of the Gentiles who turn to God.

Intro: What do you think you have to have?

THE QUESTION EVERYONE ASKS

What is necessary? Unless _____, I cannot be OK.

A POWERFUL DISTORTION

Fallen, how can we try to establish our own worth?

GOD'S WORK, NOT OURS

What if all that is necessary God freely gives? What if *all that must be done Jesus has done?*

YOU CAN PRAY WITH US...

1. Worship the LORD, the Great I AM, for His infinite sufficiency. Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit that He is enough, that by His provision we have everything we need for life and godliness.
2. How have you lived as if you must do what is necessary to be saved, trusting in your own works? Confess your self-reliance to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you and save you where you could never save yourself.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for all that He has done - cleansing us by faith, saving us by His grace, even giving us His Spirit. Thank Him that you don't have to bear a yoke because He bore the Cross.
4. Who do you know that trusts in their own righteousness rather than trusting Jesus alone? Pray for them, asking the Lord to open their eyes to their true need - and that He would help them to trust Him.
5. Read Philippians 3:3-9. Ask the Holy Spirit to help you to see your own performance (especially successes) in light of Jesus' surpassing worth. Pray that He would help you to live joyfully out of His sufficiency.

Special Events

Pictorial Directory Photos – We will be taking pictures for our 2016 Directory October 2 & 9 from 8-10a. Sign up in the Gathering Room! Visit the Trinity website Announcements page for more details. Questions? Contact Luke Wolfe at luke@trinitylakeland.org.

Baby Shower for Kaitlin Laing – It's a BOY! Join us October 16, 3-5p at the home of Ashley Vogel (1241 Summit Chase Drive) in celebrating with Kaitlin. Contact Molly Rice at 863-272-5123 to RSVP or for gift ideas.

Mercy Work Day – October 29, 9a-2p we will join Florida Baptist Children's Home for their Fall Festival. We need people to set up, serve lunch, run game stations & clean up. If you are not able to serve that day, please consider donating a bag of pre-wrapped candy for the event. Contact Richard Nicholson at richard_nicholson@yahoo.com if you are interested in serving or if you have questions.

Person of Jesus Lunch Study – Wednesdays at noon in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for lunch and a lesson from Paul Miller's *Grace Through the Eyes of Jesus* study. Lunch is provided for \$5. Questions? Contact the office at 863-603-7777.

Service Opportunities

Volunteers Needed – Consider how you can influence the next generation through Children's Ministry. Join the many volunteers that share their time and love for Jesus with children, infants through fifth grade. For more information, contact Callie Sandman at callie@trinitylakeland.org.

Employment Opportunities

Director of Worship – We are currently searching for a full-time Director of Worship. Applicants should send a resume to Frank McCaulley at frank@trinitylakeland.org.

Online Giving

Online giving at Trinity – We have switched to our new online giving host, Subsplash. Visit trinitylakeland.org/give to cancel your current account with eGive and/or to set up a new account with Subsplash.



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Calendar

For more information and additional calendar items,
visit our website at trinitylakeland.org or
call the office: 863-603-7777

* Childcare provided

SUNDAY (September 25)

7:30 am Prayer

* 8:45 am Education Hour Class
(Fellowship Hall)

* 8:45 am New Members Class
(Basement)

* 10:15 am Worship Service

MONDAY

6:00 pm LAMP Seminary Class

TUESDAY

* 9:15 am Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

12:00 pm Person of Jesus Lunch Study

6:00 pm Middle & High
School Worship

7:00 pm Women's Bible Study

SUNDAY (October 2)

7:30 am Prayer

8:00 am Directory Photos

* 8:45 am Education Hour Class
(Fellowship Hall)

* 8:45 am New Members Class
(Basement)

* 10:15 am Worship Service
Lord's Supper

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Welcome to Trinity!

We're so glad you are here.

Name (Please Print)

Gender

Spouse

Children (Include DOB for Children's Ministry)

Address: Street

City/State

Country/ZIP

Phone

E-mail Address

First Time Visitor Regular Attendee Member

College Student @ _____

Update my contact information

I would like to receive:

Worship Folder & Announcement Emails

I would like information about:

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Upcoming New Member Class

Women's Bible Study

Student Ministry

Children's Ministry

Volunteering with children

Community Bible Reading

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September 26 - October 1, 2016

Monday	Ephesians 6 Psalm 91	Proverbs 25 Joel 1
Tuesday	Philippians 1 Joshua 1	Proverbs 26 Joel 2
Wednesday	Philippians 2 Joshua 2	Proverbs 27 Joel 3
Thursday	Philippians 3 Joshua 3	Proverbs 28 Daniel 1
Friday	Philippians 4 Joshua 4	Proverbs 29 Daniel 2
Saturday	Joshua 5	Ecclesiastes 1

(3-year plan: read **bold passages** / 1-year plan: read all)

Scripture Memory for the Week:

Acts 15:8-9 (ESV)

⁸ *And God, who knows the heart, bore witness to them, by giving them the Holy Spirit just as he did to us,*
⁹ *and he made no distinction between us and them, having cleansed their hearts by faith.*

Prayer

How can our staff pray for you?
Please use the space below to tell us.

Ministry Leaders

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Session

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