

# OUR EVERLASTING

DWELLING

*Place*

*Psalms of*  
**HARDSHIP**  
**HOPE** &



**PSALM 90**



**TRINITY**  
Presbyterian Church

## ORDER OF WORSHIP | Sunday, May 21, 2023

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### SONG OF GATHERING & 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.

Power To Redeem

### CALL TO WORSHIP | Isaiah 40:6-11 (ESV)

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

A voice says, "Cry!" And I said, "What shall I cry?" All flesh is grass, and all its beauty is like the flower of the field. The grass withers, the flower fades when the breath of the LORD blows on it; surely the people are grass. The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever. Go on up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!" Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

### PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION

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).

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON | John 11:17, 25-26, 33-35 (ESV)

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

Now when Jesus came, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb four days. ... Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?" ... When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who had come with her also weeping, he was deeply moved in his spirit and greatly troubled. And he said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus wept.

### 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 His church and the kingdom of God.

How Great Thou Art

### PRAISE & 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.

Almighty God

Great Are You Lord

## 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 New City Catechism:

**Q. 21.** What sort of Redeemer is needed to bring us back to God?

A. One who is truly human and also truly God.

**Q. 22.** Why must the Redeemer be truly human?

A. That in human nature he might on our behalf perfectly obey the whole law and suffer the punishment for human sin; and also that he might sympathize with our weaknesses.

**Q. 23.** Why must the Redeemer be truly God?

A. That because of his divine nature his obedience and suffering would be perfect and effective; and also that he would be able to bear the righteous anger of God against sin and yet overcome death.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM | 10:30a

The ritual of baptism is a sign and seal of the grace we have in Jesus. It symbolizes the cleansing all people need before they are acceptable to God (sign), and it makes how real God's promise is for who will trust in Him (seal).

Georgia-Blue Madden

Magnolia Lee Madden

Rose-Mary Madden

## KIDS' WORSHIP & COMMUNITY KIDS' DISMISSAL (Infants - 5th Grade)

*Please see your child's check-in name tag for class assignment.*

## GREETING

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & INTERCESSION

We 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 and world.

### PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD | Bud Daniel, *Boy's Discipleship Coordinator*

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

### SONG OF RESPONSE

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

Lord I Need You

## 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.

## SCRIPTURE PASSAGE & SERMON OUTLINE

### Proclamation of God's Word

**Text:** Psalm 90 (ESV)

**Title:** Our Everlasting Dwelling Place

**Teacher:** Bud Daniel

1 Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. 2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. 3 You return man to dust and say, "Return, O children of man!" 4 For a thousand years in your sight are but as yesterday when it is past, or as a watch in the night. 5 You sweep them away as with a flood; they are like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the morning: 6 in the morning it flourishes and is renewed; in the evening it fades and withers. 7 For we are brought to an end by your anger; by your wrath we are dismayed. 8 You have set our iniquities before you, our secret sins in the light of your presence. 9 For all our days pass away under your wrath; we bring our years to an end like a sigh. 10 The years of our life are seventy, or even by reason of strength eighty; yet their span is but toil and trouble; they are soon gone, and we fly away. 11 Who considers the power of your anger, and your wrath according to the fear of you? 12 So teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom. 13 Return, O LORD! How long? Have pity on your servants! 14 Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days. 15 Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, and for as many years as we have seen evil. 16 Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. 17 Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

**INTRO:** Do you let your curiosity roam into mysteries and questions that are bigger than yourself?

### EVERLASTING TO EVERLASTING

Who is He?

## DUST AND GRASS

Who are we?

## OUR DWELLING PLACE

But really, **who** is He?

## YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the LORD for His enormity! Praise Him, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by meditating and basking on His divinity and majesty.
2. Confess how little you practice the first prayer. Acknowledge that you have spent the majority of your time making much of who you are and not of who He is.
3. Thank Jesus and give Him a shout of praise that despite our frailty and corruption, He counts us as His greatest treasure. He loves us!
4. Who do you know that is in total denial of their frailty? Who do you know that doesn't take the anger of God seriously? Pray that the Lord would be abundantly gracious and merciful by illuminating their hearts to their sin and frailty and need for a savior.
5. Ask Holy Spirit to give you the ambition to set up practices focused on these three things: Knowing that your days are numbered, Worshiping the Lord's Glory, and resting in His love as our Eternal dwelling place.

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### Communication

Visit [trinitylakeland.org/events](http://trinitylakeland.org/events) to register.



#### High School Summer Kick-off Party

May 31, 4p.

Contact [Brown Peterson](#) for information.



#### Middle School Summer Kick-off Party

June 1, 12p.

Contact [Brown Peterson](#) for information.



#### A Woman's Choice - Baby Bottle Campaign

May 14 - June 18

Contact the church office for information.

### Community Bible Reading

[communitybiblereading.org](http://communitybiblereading.org)

May 22-27, 2023

(3-year plan: read blue passages | 1-year plan: read all)

Monday	Galatians 4 1 Chronicles 23	Leviticus 11 Jeremiah 26
Tuesday	Galatians 5 1 Chronicles 24	Leviticus 12 Jeremiah 27
Wednesday	Galatians 6 1 Chronicles 25	Leviticus 13 Jeremiah 28
Thursday	Ephesians 1 1 Chronicles 26	Leviticus 14 Jeremiah 29
Friday	Ephesians 2 1 Chronicles 27	Leviticus 15 Jeremiah 30
Saturday	Psalms 74	Psalms 22 Psalm 119:169-176

### Scripture Memory for the Week:

#### Psalm 90:2 (ESV)

2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

### Office Hours:

Mon - Fri | 8:30a - 5:00p

Sunday Worship | 8:45a & 10:30a

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### Mission

A city transformed: Loved by God the Father, saved by Jesus His Son, empowered by His Spirit, called by God to reach our city with His love.