



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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BAPTISM OF THE LORD JANUARY 9, 2022

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEDITATION

This Day, so full of Joy
J. S. Bach

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

† CALL TO WORSHIP

- One: God's voice speaks to our chaos, echoing in our empty hearts.
Gathering us together to remember our baptism and to feast at the Table.
- Many: God's voice flows like the living waters of grace, our new name,
'Beloved,' resounding in our souls.
- One: God's voice stirs the waters of baptismal hope,
calling us to be bearers of peace to a world of broken hopes.
- All: We hear God's voice and we heed God's call:
Let us now worship our God!

† GATHERING HYMN

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 619

[Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven](#)

LAUDA ANIMA

WE OPEN UP TO GOD

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Spirit and fire: baptized, we are drawn to the shadows of sin, hoping you will not see our foolishness. We fall into the arms of temptation, letting it spin us until we are out of control. We selfishly cling to your hope and grace, convinced that others will misuse these gifts. Forgive us, Bearer of Grace. Touch us with your Spirit, so we may be restored to new life, touch us with your grace, so we may offer forgiveness to all people; touch us with your peace; so we might be healers to our world. Renew us with the waters of your baptism so that we might more fully become the people you created us to be.

TIME FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

KYRIE ELEISON

Lord Have Mercy



† ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: We expect the passing of judgment,
Many: but instead are given the Spirit of grace;
One: We expect God to yell at us,
Many: but instead we are called by a new name;
One: We expect God to be angry,
Many: but instead we are handed the dove of peace,
One: This is the good news for us – that, through Jesus Christ, we are forgiven:
Many: Thanks be to God!

† THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you –
And also with you!

† GLORIA PATRI

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 581

Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI

GOD SPEAKS TO US

MORNING WATCH

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELDERS

Elders for the Class of 2024: Ned Parnell, Walter Reid, Louise Sanford, Susanne Sawyer, Carol Sugg. Elder for the class of 2022: Molly Click

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 26: 17-29

SERMON

The Great Gathering: At The Table
Dr. Steve Lindsley

WE RESPOND WITH FAITH & COMMITMENT

† HYMN OF RESPONSE

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 503

Lord, We Have Come at Your Own Invitation

O QUANTA QUALIA

† AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

With the whole church we affirm that we are made in God's image, befriended by Christ, empowered by the Spirit. With people everywhere we affirm God's goodness at the heart of humanity, planted more deeply than all that is wrong. With all creation we celebrate the miracle and wonder of life, the unfolding purposes of God, forever at work in ourselves and the world.

A MOMENT FOR OFFERING AND MEDITATION

To make an offering by text, text TPCGIVE to 73256.
For online offering click [HERE](#) or scan QR Code to the right.



OFFERTORY

† [DOXOLOGY](#)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

† PRAYER FOR OFFERING

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you -
Many: And also with you!
One: Lift up your hearts -
Many: We lift them up to the Lord.
One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God -
Many: It is right to give our thanks and praise....

Holy, Holy, Holy (Hymn 552 to be sung by all)
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, they 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTIUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

MEDITATION ON THE SUPPER

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS & SERVE

† SENDING HYMN

Glory to God, Hymnal No. 297

[In Christ Called to Baptize](#)

ST. DENIO

† BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee
Bach

† *All who are able are invited to stand.*

WORSHIP LEADERS: Dr. Steve Lindsley, preacher; Rebecca Heilman and Jodi Martin, liturgist; Dr. Chris Gilliam, director of music; Michael Rowland, organist; and Trinity Choir.

For those in need of hearing assistance, our Sanctuary is equipped with a “loop system” that broadcasts the audio into your hearing aids using t-coil technology. Alternately, headphones can be accessed in the Narthex.

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

At Trinity Presbyterian Church, we believe in: Growing Together. Welcoming All. Please fill out our digital [Connect Card](#) to learn more about our church!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHANCEL FLOWERS - The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Betty Knox by her family.

SUNDAY SCHOOL – Due to the Omicron variant, the Christian Formation Ministry Team has suspended Children’s Sunday School and Youth Fellowship for at least two weeks after the holidays. We will reevaluate after two weeks and let you know when we will resume. If you need childcare during The Well Class, contact Jodi Martin.

ROOM IN THE INN – Room in the Inn is back and we need you to volunteer. We are excited to partner with Sardis Presbyterian for this Room in the Inn season to help house eight guests once a week in the Sardis facility. They have a unique facility where guests can sleep in separate rooms and the overnight hosts will have a separate space to sleep. Trinity’s Room in the Inn and Mission and Outreach leadership agreed to provide and care for the guests for the month of February. There are many ways you can help. For more information contact [Rebecca Heilman](#) in the church office or go to <https://buff.ly/3FXMBBj> to sign up.