



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY FEBRUARY 2, 2025

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

The Promised Land
Robert Ward

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

†CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Let us gather for worship, for this day is holy to the Lord.
Many: The joy of the Lord is our strength and salvation.
One: In singing and in silence,
Many: in Word and in prayer,
One: let us walk in the light of the Lord.
Many: Let us come and worship God.

†GATHERING HYMN

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 65

[Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah](#)

CWM RHONDDA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Long ago on a hillside, the Teacher spoke words for our faith and we still do not listen. Full of arrogance, we have no need for a home for our spirits. Taught to be strong, we push away your arms of comfort. Seeing how the wealthy and selfish are idolized, we want to inherit their hearts. As we pass the hungry, we rush to hoard more. Noticing how the kindest of people are mocked, we develop hardened hearts. Have mercy, God who turns stragglers into saints. It is in those we least expect that we learn to make peace, listen for your hope, and drink your living waters. Forgive us and make us whole again. Amen.

A TIME FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy upon us;
Christ, have mercy upon us;
Lord, have mercy upon us.

†WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

One: When lost, God helps us find our way. When lonely, God leads us toward community. When broken, God forgives and forgives and forgives again.
Many: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

‡THE PEACE

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

‡GLORIA PATRI

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 582

[Glory to God](#)

GLORY TO GOD (Vasile)

GOD SPEAKS TO US

MORNING WATCH

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 6: 1-11

ANTHEM

Creation
Williams Billings (1746-1800)

When I with pleasing wonder stand and all my frame survey,
Lord, 'tis thy work, I own thy hand, thus built my humble clay.
Thus built my humble clay.

Our life contains a thousand springs, and dies if one be gone.
Strange that a harp of a thousand strings should keep in tune so long.

(Isaac Watts, after Psalm 139)

SERMON

Get Up
Rev. Rebecca Heilman-Campbell

WE RESPOND WITH FAITH & COMMITMENT

‡HYMN OF RESPONSE

Glory to God Hymnal, No. 302

[When Hands Reach Out and Fingers Trace](#)

O WALY WALY

WELCOMING OF NEW MEMBERS

George Blanchard
Jean Dameron
Elizabeth Hood

‡AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be they 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.

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!

†PRAYER FOR OFFERING

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS & SERVE

†SENDING HYMN

Glory to God, Hymnal No. 203

[Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love](#)

CHEREPONI

BENEDICTION

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

POSTLUDE

Coda Allegro and Fuga from Concert Variations upon *Old Hundred*
John Knowles Paine

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

WORSHIP LEADERS: Rev. Rebecca Heilman-Campbell, preacher and liturgist; Dr. Justin Smith, Director of Music and Cultural Events; Shayne Doty, organist.

MUSIC NOTES: For Justin's Music Notes, scan the QR code under Offering.

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

You are welcome and there is a place for you here at Trinity! We strive to be an open and inclusive community, acknowledging and embracing the rich diversity of God's creation so we embody our calling to, "grow together and welcome all." We love having children, and their wiggles, worship with us at Trinity. If you choose, childcare is provided for ages four and under. We are happy your family is here! Whatever in your life brought you to worship with us today, you are welcome, and we hope you feel at home.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NURSERY SCHEDULE - The Nursery, staffed by Angela Drugan and Sarah Emily Click, is open every Sunday from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (or 10:30 a.m. if Sunday School is not held).

CHILDREN AND ADULT SUNDAY SCHEDULE – Sunday School will be held on February 9, and 23, at 9:45 a.m., during the month of February. Our Adult Education class will be hosted by Trinity's Racial Equity Council as we look at the documentary, *Colorblind: Rethinking Race*. Each week we will watch a section of the documentary with a discussion to follow.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR - The Children's Choir, for ages 4 year olds through 5th grade, meets Sundays, during Worship, from 11:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., below the Sanctuary. The choir does not meet on Sundays without Sunday School. To participate, have your child join Maddy Hardy after Morning Watch during Worship.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – Session has called a Congregational Meeting today, for the following purposes:

1. To hold the annual meeting of the corporation, 2. To receive the 2025 budget which includes the approval of the Associate Pastor's terms of Call, and, 3. To vote on the recommendations from ONC for Cookie Parnell as a Ruling Elder in the Class of 2027 and ONC Committee members from the congregation, Caryl Stribling and Mike Wellman.

TRINITY CONCERT SERIES! - Mark your calendars: Sunday, February 9, at 4:00 p.m., Joshua Messick, renowned hammered dulcimer player and his band, followed by a Sensory Friendly Concert, on Sunday, March 16, at 3:00 p.m., given by the Music Therapy faculty and students of Queens University. Scan the QR Code under Offering for more information.

GILCHRIST SUNDAY – We are excited to welcome Anna Dickson, Pastor for Congregational Care at First Presbyterian Church, as our guest speaker for Gilchrist Sunday, March 9. The topic will be *Mental Health and Faith*.

ROOM IN THE INN VOLUNTEER HELP GREATLY NEEDED – Trinity partners with Roof Above through Room in the Inn by hosting a safe, warm place for our homeless neighbors to sleep, with Sardis Presbyterian serving as the host site. **Volunteers are *desperately* needed.** Scan the QR Code under Offering for more information