

September 9, 2018



TRINITY
Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship — Sunday, September 9, 2018

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Please speak with a greeter or visit the sound booth upstairs for a listening device.

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.

Power To Redeem

By Lauren Daigle, Paul Mabury and Justin Ebach

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You take what is and You make it beautiful
When love floods in we're restored forevermore

With breath that brings the dead to life

With words that pierce the dark with light

Only by the blood are we set free

With mercy strong to carry shame and nail it to a tree

You alone hold the power to redeem

No guilt competes with innocence crucified
No grave can hold what Your grace has justified

With breath that brings the dead to life ...

Rejoice oh child of God

Lift your eyes to see

With every morning light

Again we are redeemed

(repeat)

With breath that brings the dead to life ...

Call to Worship

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

Romans 8:9-13 (ESV)

You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you. So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.

Prayer of Adoration and Confession – Dan Anthony

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

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.

Ephesians 1:16-20 (ESV)

I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places.

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.

Abide With Me

Words by Henry Lyte alt by Justin Smith, Music by Justin Smith

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Abide with me fast falls the eventide
The darkness deepens Lord with me abide
When other helpers fail and comforts flee
Help of the helpless abide with me

Thou on my head in early youth didst smile
And though rebellious and perverse meanwhile
Thou hast not left me though I oft left Thee
On to the close Lord abide with me

I need Thy presence every passing hour
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine abide with me

I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless
Ills have no weight tears lose their bitterness
Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory?
I triumph still abide with me

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee
In life in death Lord abide with me

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.

Jesus Paid It All

*By Elwina M. Hall and John T. Grape, additional chorus by Alex Nifong
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I hear the Savior say Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness, watch and pray
Find in Me thine all in all

*Jesus paid it all
All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow*

Lord now indeed I find Thy power and Thine alone
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone

Jesus paid it all ...

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete
Jesus died my soul to save my lips shall still repeat

Jesus paid it all ...

Oh praise The One who paid my debt
And raised this life up from the dead
(repeat 3x)

Jesus paid it all ...

Reckless Love

*By Caleb Culver, Cory Asbury and Ran Jackson
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Before I spoke a word You were singing over me
You have been so so good to me
Before I took a breath You breathed Your life in me
You have been so so kind to me

*O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God
O it chases me down fights 'til I'm found leaves the ninety-nine
I couldn't earn it I don't deserve it still You give Yourself away
O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God*

When I was Your foe still Your love fought for me
You have been so so good to me
When I felt no worth You paid it all for me
You have been so so kind to me

O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God ...

There's no shadow You won't light up
Mountain You won't climb up coming after me
There's no wall You won't kick down
Lie You won't tear down coming after me
(repeat)

O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God ...

Kids' Worship Dismissal

Infants - Kindergarten are dismissed. Please see your child's check-in name tag for class assignment.

Greeting

Just as the Apostle Paul urged fellow believers to be hospitable, in the Gospel, Jesus has welcomed us - the worst of sinners - into His home and family. In the same spirit we greet each other to show the hospitality of Jesus.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession – Dan Anthony

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 and world.

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.

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.

The Apostle's Creed:

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The ritual meal of Communion is a sign and seal of the grace we have in Jesus. That is, it symbolizes the work Christ did for our salvation (sign) and communicates the grace and mercy we have been given (seal) as a result of His death and resurrection.

Receive

By Audrey Assad

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Holy wisdom God in Heaven here in human time
Humble Godhead bending low and touching bread and wine
Faith is making plain the truth beneath the veil
Faith supplying where our feeble senses fail

*To the Father to the Son and to the Spirit be
Blessing honor glory power might and majesty
It is God who we encounter it is God that we receive
From this altar we do believe*

Jesus by Your hand You feed us Your own life and bread
Jesus risen Savior lead us out of sin and death
Word of God in flesh and blood we're here for You
Bread of life the love of God our heavenly food

To the Father ...

Song of Response

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

Rescue

Words and music by The Nashville Nine

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Look at all the broken pieces all around me
Pieces deep inside my soul
I don't know what's real can't help the way I'm feeling
All I know is I'm alone

*I need a rescue I need a reckoning
From all the things I've done and have been done to me
I need revival I need recovery
I need to know that there's an answer for what's missing
'Cause something's missing
'Cause something's missing*

Turn up all the music something to amuse me
Silence is a lonely friend
If you really knew me could you really love me
Save me from this loneliness

I need a rescue ...

It's like I fell into a hole too deep to climb out
And I looked up to the sky and saw you reaching down
Reaching down

*You are the rescue You are the reckoning
From all the things I've done and have been done to me
You are revival You're my recovery
I know that You're the answer for what's missing
Because You love me
(repeat)*

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

The color green: A sign of life. In the plant kingdom, growth within an organism extends outward into tender green shoots, culminating in a blossom of life and a plant goes to seed, multiplying itself over and over again. On the cross, green is a symbol of the ongoing work of Christ in our hearts. Starting with the smallest seed, His work grows in us over our lifetime, shooting tendrils outward into the lives of others as His kingdom grows. Christ's work is ongoing, vibrant and alive in the hearts of His people.

Scripture Passage and Sermon Outline

Proclamation of God's Word

Text: Romans 12:9, 11-12 (ESV)

Title: Stay Engaged In Hope

Teacher: Tim Rice

⁹ Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. ... ¹¹ Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. ¹² Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.

Intro: Why is a command for *real* love necessary?

THE VALUE OF ENDURING LOVE

What is enduring love and why does it matter?

IT IS AN ONGOING BATTLE

Why is enduring love elusive? (e.g. *jumper cables of your heart*)

UNENDING, UNBROKEN HOPE

How did Jesus stay engaged, in hope? *And how does He?*

YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the LORD for His enduring, unbreakable love. Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit that as He is love and as He is eternal, it is impossible that His love would fail.
2. How have you lived hoping for eternal joy from a finite source? Or, how have you failed to endure in love? Confess your sin and self-reliance to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you and to source you for unending love.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for His success where you have failed. Thank Him that He engaged with us in our guilt and ruin (coming to this world to die for us), and for anchoring our hope by His resurrection.
4. Who do you know that is weary in love? Pray for them, asking the Lord to help them, to sustain them and source them for joy – even in tribulation – because of His unfailing love and presence.
5. Ask the Holy Spirit to bear in you the fruit of love – especially endurance and faithfulness. Pray for security in Jesus' unbreakable love for you so that you would be sourced for unending love for others.

Communication

Women's Bible Study – We will examine how Jesus' dependency on the Father shapes all of His relationships in *The Person of Jesus* study. Studies begin Tuesday, September 11 at 9:15a and Wednesday, September 12 at 6:30p. The cost is \$5 and collected at the first study. Register by emailing Melissa Wagoner at melissaclaire84@gmail.com. Childcare is provided Tuesday mornings. Questions? Contact Cara Roland at caramroland@gmail.com.

Renew Polk Vision & Prayer Gathering – Sunday, September 16, 5-6:30p, gathering of Renew Polk churches and church plants. We will spend time in worship, prayer and vision-casting about the future of church planting in Polk County. Childcare will be available through pre-k with RSVP to Krissa Valentine at krissa@trinitylakeland.org.

Children's Ministry Volunteer Kick Off – THANK YOU to all of our Children's Ministry volunteers! We are so grateful for your faithfulness to serve! If you are on the current Children's Ministry schedule, please join us Sunday, September 16 at 8:30a for our annual Kick-off. You will meet your coordinator and receive training on all of the new happenings in Children's Ministry. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall. Breakfast provided by Born & Bread. Childcare provided with RSVP to Callie Sandman at callie@trinitylakeland.org.

The Gathering (Men's Retreat) – September 20-23, the men of Trinity are going to Maggie Valley, NC for a time of fellowship, bible study, prayer and worship. Space is limited so sign up today! The cost is \$200 per person. Email Luke Wolfe at luke@trinitylakeland.org for questions or to register.

2018 CCEF Conference: Living Scripture – Everyone is welcome! This conference will increase our confidence that Scripture is not only relevant but essential in helping us navigate life in all its beautiful and distressing complexity. This year's CCEF Annual conference, *Living Scripture*, will be held on October 18-21 in Virginia Beach, VA. For more information, travel arrangements or to register, visit ccef.org.

College-ish – Let's meet on Sundays at 6p for dinner and discussion. For the location and more details contact Shayne Bass at shayne@trinitylakeland.org or 863-670-1580.

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



PROGRESS REPORT

GOAL:	\$957,000
COMMITTED:	\$1,012,255.56
GIVEN:	\$959,315.56

PROJECTS

COMPLETED: Roof & Continued Church Planting Support

IN DESIGN: Accessible Restroom, Railing & Sanctuary Renovation

Ushers

Adam Spafford, HEAD

Dick Greene

Milton Lyons

Joe O'Brien

Braxton Bone, HEAD

Sam Riley

Jeff Sandman

Dwight Smith

CALENDAR

For more information and additional calendar items,
visit our website at trinitylakeland.org.

* Childcare provided

SUNDAY (September 9)

8:00 am Prayer

8:30 am Community Group
Leader Cohort

* 10:15 am Worship Service
Lord's Supper

6:00 pm College-ish (offsite)

TUESDAY (September 11)

* 9:15 am Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY (September 12)

12:00 pm Person of Jesus Lunch Study

6:00 pm Middle & High School Worship

6:15 pm Deacon Meeting

6:30 pm Women's Bible Study

FRIDAY (September 14)

5:00 pm Middle School Social (offsite)

SUNDAY (September 16)

8:00 am Prayer

8:30 am Children's Ministry Kick Off

* 10:15 am Worship Service

12:00 pm Elder Meeting

5:00 pm Renew Polk Vision
& Prayer Gathering

6:00 pm College-ish (offsite)

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

We're so glad you are here.

Name (Please Print)

Gender: Male Female

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:

- Joining a Community Group
- Upcoming New Member Class
- Women's Bible Study
- Student Ministry
- Children's Ministry
- Volunteering with children
- _____

Community Bible Reading

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September 10 - 15, 2018

Monday	Revelation 14 Deuteronomy 28	Daniel 1 Job 5
Tuesday	Revelation 15 Deuteronomy 29	Daniel 2 Job 6
Wednesday	Revelation 16 Deuteronomy 30	Daniel 3 Job 7
Thursday	Revelation 17 Deuteronomy 31	Daniel 4 Job 8
Friday	Revelation 18 Deuteronomy 32	Daniel 5 Job 9
Saturday	Psalms 37	Psalms 134 Psalm 89

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

Scripture Memory for the Week:

Romans 12:11-12 (ESV)

¹¹ Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. ¹² Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.

Prayer

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

Ministry Leaders

Tim Rice, Lead Pastor & Director of Church Planting
 Tim Strawbridge, Director of Spiritual Life
 Luke Wolfe, Associate Pastor & Director of Community Groups
 David Springer, Director of Campus Outreach
 Shayne Bass, Director of Student & College Ministries
 Brown Peterson, Assistant Director of Student Ministry
 Callie Sandman, Director of Children's Ministry
 Krissa Valentine, Children's Ministry Administrative Assistant
 Jason Jacobs, Director of Worship
 Rachel Plating, Worship Creative Lead
 Jarrod Hurd, Worship Administrative Lead
 JoAnn Johnson, Director of Women's Ministry
 Dwight Smith, Director of Missions Team
 Frank McCaulley, Director of Operations
 Molly Murphy, Ministry Resource Coordinator
 Ashley Moats, Communications Assistant
 Sasha Jacobs, Bookkeeper

Ruling Elders

Clark Buurma
 Jerri Gable
 Dick Greene, Clerk
 Holland Henderson
 Jason Jacobs
 Shawn Jones
 Scott McBride
 Frank McCaulley
 Jack Plating
 Jim Prevatt
 Dwight Smith
 Tim Strawbridge
 John Tucker
 Justin Wilson

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 Stan McMahan
 Tim Rice
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