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EPHESIANS 1:7-12

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TRINITY
Presbyterian Church

ORDER OF WORSHIP | Sunday, January 30, 2022

Listening devices are available for the hearing impaired.

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

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.

In Christ Alone

CALL TO WORSHIP | Isaiah 43:10-13 (ESV)

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

"You are my witnesses," declares the LORD, "and my servant whom I have chosen, that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he. Before me no god was formed, nor shall there be any after me. I, I am the LORD, and besides me there is no savior. I declared and saved and proclaimed, when there was no strange god among you; and you are my witnesses," declares the LORD, "and I am God. Also henceforth I am he; there is none who can deliver from my hand; I work, and who can turn it back?"

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 | Isaiah 43:1-3a (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.

But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior."

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.

Goodness Of God

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.

Worthy Of Your Name

Jesus Paid It All

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. 6. How can we glorify God?

A. We glorify God by enjoying him, loving him, trusting him, and by obeying his will, commands, and law.

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 | Tim Rice, Lead Pastor & Director of Church Planting

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

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING | Mercy Fund Offering

SONG OF RESPONSE

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

Living Hope

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: Ephesians 1:7-12 (ESV)

Title: Saved by Christ the Son

Teacher: Tim Rice

⁷ In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, ⁸ which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight ⁹ making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ ¹⁰ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. ¹¹ In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, ¹² so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory.

Intro: What is your net worth?

WHAT HAS BEEN MADE KNOWN?

What kind of portrait of God do we gain from this passage?

WHAT WE SUSPECT.

How do we respond in our pride and unbelief?

BUT GOD'S LOVING SURPRISE.

Where have you received a gift only to see it appreciate even more once you learned of the steps taken by the giver, and their delight in giving it?

YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the LORD, the God of all power, wisdom and love. Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit for how He graciously works to redeem people like us and claim us as His very own.
2. How have you fully acted as if God is stingy or can't be trusted? Confess your pride and folly to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you and save you from your foolish ways.
3. Give thanks to Jesus that we have "redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses." Thank Him for the lengths He was willing to go to to save us from sin, death and hell.
4. Who do you know that lives without any settled sense of security or worth? Pray for them, asking the Lord to open their eyes to this world's emptiness and to the fullness of His Grace and love.
5. Ask the Holy Spirit to bear in you His fruit of love and joy. Pray for the Spirit's work to anchor you so solidly in your status in Christ that your fears dissipate and your joy grows more and more.

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

We're so glad you are here.

Please place completed tear-off in offering box.

Name (Please Print) Gender Male Female

Spouse

Children (Include DOB for Children's Ministry)

Address

City/State Country/Zip

Phone

E-mail Address

I am interested in:

- Worship Folder & Announcement Emails
- Volunteering
- Joining Trinity
- Ministry Opportunities
- _____

Prayer

How can our staff pray for you?

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.

Community Bible Reading

communitybiblereading.org

January 31 - February 5, 2022

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

Monday	Luke 21 Genesis 21	Isaiah 12 2 Samuel 14
Tuesday	Luke 22 Genesis 22	Isaiah 13 2 Samuel 15
Wednesday	Luke 23 Genesis 23	Isaiah 14 2 Samuel 16
Thursday	Luke 24 Genesis 24	Isaiah 15 2 Samuel 17
Friday	Acts 1 Genesis 25	Isaiah 16 2 Samuel 18
Saturday	Psalms 6 Psalms 6	Psalms 110 Psalms 58

Scripture Memory for the Week:

Ephesians 1:7, 10 (ESV)

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Communication

Visit trinitylakeland.org/events to register.



2022 Renew Polk Vision & Prayer Gathering

February 6, 5p

Contact the church office for information.



Parent's Night Out

February 11, 6p

Contact [Callie Sandman](#) for information.



Trinity's 25th Anniversary Celebration

March 10, 6p

Contact the church office for information.

Office Hours:

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

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