

# TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# Order of Worship — Sunday, October 22, 2017

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# 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.

#### In Christ Alone

By Stuart Townend and Keith Getty, arrangement by Kristian Stanfill ©2001 Kingsway's Thankyou Music, CCLI Song # 3350395, CCLI License # 1693489

In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid ground firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace when fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone Who took on flesh fullness of God in helpless Babe
This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay Light of the world by darkness slain Then bursting forth in glorious day up from the grave He rose again And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me From life's first cry to final breath Jesus commands my destiny No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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# Call to Worship

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

Matthew 5:17-20 (ESV)

"Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven."

# Prayer of Adoration and Confession - Luke Wolfe

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. 1 Peter 2:22-24, 3:18 (ESV)

He committed no sin, neither was deceit found in his mouth. When he was reviled, he did not revile in return; when he suffered, he did not threaten, but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed...For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being but to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

# 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.

# Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)

By Joel Houston & Jonas Myrin, © 2014 Hillsong Music Publishing, CCLI Song # 7019974, CCLI# 1693489

> All these pieces broken and scattered In mercy gathered mended and whole Empty handed but not forsaken I've been set free I've been set free

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
Oh I once was lost but now I am found
Was blind but now I see

Oh I can see You now
Oh I can see the love in Your eyes
Laying Yourself down
Raising up the broken to life

You take our failure You take our weakness You set Your treasure in jars of clay So take this heart Lord I'll be Your vessel The world to see Your life in me

Amazing grace how sweet the sound...

Oh I can see You now...

Amazing grace how sweet the sound...(2x)

Oh I can see You now...

#### 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.

# For Your Glory And My Good

by David Leonard, Derek Webb, and Leslie Jordan © 2014 Integrity's Alleluia! Music, Integrity's Praise! Music, Derek Webb Music CCLI Song # 7016819, CCLI License # 1693489

I bring my every need confessing everything
Lord I am desperate for Your healing
I'm broke in every part my unbelieving heart
I need the faith to even ask You

So I'm not bargaining For nothing's hidden from Your sight

I would be a fool

If I could be made new come ruin come ridicule

Recklessly I come I run to You

I come expectantly because You're calling me There is no healing but from Your hand So whether suffering or free from laboring It's for Your glory and my good

I would be a fool

If I could be made new come ruin come ridicule

Recklessly I come I run to You oh

I run to You oh

I would be a fool

If I could be made new come ruin come ridicule oh

I would be a fool

If I could be made new come ruin come ridicule

Recklessly I come I run to You (repeat)

So whether suffering or free from laboring it's for Your glory and my good

# Though You Slay Me

Beth Barnard, Brian Woods, Josh Moore, Lauren Chandler, Shane Barnard

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I come God I come
Return to the Lord
The One who's broken
The One who's torn me apart
You struck down to bind me up
You say You do it all in love
That I might know You in Your suffering

Though You slay me
Yet I will praise You
Though You take from me
I will bless Your name
Though You ruin me
Still I will worship
Sing a song to The One who's all I need

My heart and flesh may fail
The earth below give way
With my eyes with my eyes I'll see the Lord
Lifted high upon that day
Behold the Lamb that was slain
And I'll know every tear was worth it all

Though You slay me
Yet I will praise You
Though You take from me
I will bless Your name
Though You ruin me
Still I will worship
Sing a song to The One who's all I need

Though tonight I'm crying out Let this cup pass from me now You're still more than I need You're enough for me You're enough for me

Though you slay me...

#### 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 Heidelberg Catechism:

# Q. 124. What is the third petition?

A. "Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven" means: Help us and all people to reject our own wills and to obey your will without any back talk. Your will alone is good. Help us one and all to carry out the work we are called to, as willingly and faithfully as the angels in heaven.

# Kids' Worship & Community Kids Dismissal

Infants - Fifth Grade 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 – Luke Wolfe

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 & 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.

# 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 as 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 2:1-5 (ESV)

**Title:** The Gospel to the Religious

Teacher: Tim Rice

<sup>1</sup> Therefore you have no excuse, O man, every one of you who judges. For in passing judgment on another you condemn yourself, because you, the judge, practice the very same things. <sup>2</sup> We know that the judgment of God rightly falls on those who practice such things. <sup>3</sup> Do you suppose, O man—you who judge those who practice such things and yet do them yourself—that you will escape the judgment of God? <sup>4</sup> Or do you presume on the riches of his kindness and forbearance and patience, not knowing that God's kindness is meant to lead you to repentance? <sup>5</sup> But because of your hard and impenitent heart you are storing up wrath for yourself on the day of wrath when God's righteous judgment will be revealed.

Intro: Is there a place in your house where everyone was measured?

WE ALL AVOID "CONDEMNATION"

What is true every time we play "tag"?

# MOVING DOWN TO GO UP How does the downward pull of condemnation help to launch us up into the glory of God's grace? YOU CAN PRAY WITH US... 1. Worship the LORD for His righteousness - for His justice and goodness in all of His judgments. Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit for His absolute purity of love, even in stopping evil. 2. Read Matthew 18:21-24. How have you been resentful of critiques while being merciless to those who sin against you? Confess your pride to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you and help you to see yourself realistically. 3. Give thanks to Jesus for the wonder of His mercy. 1 Peter 3:18 says, "Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring us to God." Thank Him for giving Himself in your place to accomplish that. 4. Who do you know that is in denial about God's judgment and authority over their life? Pray for them, asking the Lord to open their eyes to their peril, and to see the beauty of God's grace in the Gospel.

5. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you a more searching assessment of what sin is and how you are guilty. And ask Him to

help you humble yourself in how you really are like those you regard as failures.

WHAT IF WE OWN THAT SENTENCE?

What does it mean to have no excuse, or no defense against God's indictment?

# Communications

- Greater Hope Commissioning Service Sunday, October 29, during corporate worship, we will pray for the launch of Trinity's newest church plant, Greater Hope Church, as we send them south to Mulberry. Greater Hope will start preview services Sunday, November 5, with an official launch on December 3. We are so excited for the work God is calling His people to in Mulberry. Please join us in saying goodbye and encouraging the Greater Hope team as they launch.
- Walk For Life Saturday, November 4, 9:45-11a, Lake Hollingsworth. Registration begins at 9a. Because every life matters, join A Woman's Choice for a 3 mile walk-a-thon to help raise funds and awareness. Questions? Contact Tammy Scruggs at tammyscruggs123@gmail.com or 863-409-6074.
- College Group Join us Sundays at 6p for dinner and discussion. For location and details contact Shayne Bass, 863-670-1580.
- **POJ & Potluck** Thursdays at 7p, ladies ages 20-25 will meet for dinner and the Person of Jesus study. Join us in a time to build community through looking at Jesus. For the location or any questions contact Christin Strawbridge at 863-430-1003.
- 2018 Nicaragua Missions Trip If you are interested in joining the team for a week in Nicaragua, please email Jayna Smith at jaynadwight@hotmail.com. Tentative dates are July 21-28, 2018.
- Children's Ministry Check-In Parents and volunteers, please check-in when you first arrive! Check-in stations are located in the gathering room, near the fellowship hall, on second floor near the entrance to the sanctuary and at the entrance to the Children's Ministry hallway (first-time visitors use this check-in station).

# Contribution Reports

Year-to-date Contribution Reports Mailed – If you have given to Trinity in 2017 you should have received a report in the mail last week. If you did not receive a report contact Frank McCaulley at 863-603-7777 or frank@trinitylakeland.org.

# **Employment Opportunity**

**Communications Assistant** – The purpose of this position is to assist in the communication within the church and community and to contribute as a member of the administrative team to the general administration of the church. For consideration, please e-mail resumes to Frank McCaulley at <a href="mailto:frank@trinitylakeland.org">frank@trinitylakeland.org</a>.

Progress Report

Goal: \$957,000

Committed: \$1,006,571.09

Given: \$561,855.57

Projects Started:

Roof

#### Ushers

Holland Henderson, HEAD Brian Busing Shawn Jones

Robbie Pearce, HEAD Andrew Eisner Scott McBride Justin Wilson

# Calendar

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

\* Childcare provided

#### SUNDAY (October 22) 8:00 am Prayer 10:15 am Worship Service 5:00 pm Launch Team Meeting (Greater Hope) College Group (offsite) 6:00 pm **MONDAY** 6:00 pm LAMP **TUESDAY** 9:15 am Women's Bible Study WEDNESDAY 12:00 pm Person of Jesus Lunch Study 6:00 pm Middle & High School Worship 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study **THURSDAY** 7:00 pm POJ & Potluck (offsite) SUNDAY (October 29) 8:00 am Prayer 8:45 am Get Connected 10:15 am Worship Service Launch Team Meeting 3:30 pm (Grace Community) Launch Team Meeting 5:00 pm (Greater Hope) College Group (offsite) 6:00 pm Office Hours: Monday to Friday from 8:30a to 5:00p 301 N Florida Ave, Lakeland, FL 33801

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# Welcome to Trinity!

We're so glad you are here.

Name (Please Print)	Gender
Spouse	
Children (Include DOB for Ch	ildren's Ministry)
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City/State	Country/ZIP
Phone	
E-mail Address	
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☐ College Student @ ☐ Update my contact informati	on
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I would like information about:	
☐ Joining a Community C	Group
□ Upcoming New Membe	er Class
□ Women's Bible Study	
☐ Student Ministry	
□ Children's Ministry	
□ Volunteering with child	ren

# Community Bible Reading

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# October 23 - 28, 2017

Monday	2 Peter 1 Joshua 24	Job 35 Amos 3
Tuesday	2 Peter 2 Judges 1	Job 36 Amos 4
Wednesday	2 Peter 3 Judges 2	Job 37 Amos 5
Thursday	Hebrews 1 Judges 3	Job 38 Amos 6
Friday	Hebrews 2 Judges 4	<b>Job 39</b> Amos 7
Saturday	Psalm 141	Psalm 43 Psalm 95

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

# Scripture Memory for the Week:

Romans 2:3-4 (ESV)

<sup>3</sup> Do you suppose, O man-you who judge those who practice such things and yet do them yourself—that you will escape the judgment of God? <sup>4</sup> Or do you presume on the riches of his kindness and forbearance and patience, not knowing that God's kindness is meant to lead you to repentance?

# 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 Stan McMahan, associate pastor & church planting apprentice Josh Floyd, assistant pastor & church planting apprentice Tim Strawbridge, director of spiritual life Jason Jacobs, director of worship Rachel Plating, worship creative lead Jarrod Hurd, worship administrative lead Frank McCaulley, director of operations Molly Murphy, administrative assistant Luke Wolfe, director of community groups Callie Sandman, director of childrens ministry Krissa Valentine, childrens ministry administrative assistant Shayne Bass, director of student & college ministries JoAnn Johnson, director of women's ministry Dwight Smith, missions team director

#### RULING ELDERS

Clark Buurma

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Kevin Calkins	Jim Prevatt
Jim Davie	Dwight Smith
Clarke Freed	Tim Strawbridge
Alex Frost	John Tucker
Jerri Gable	Justin Wilson
Dick Greene, CLERK Holland Henderson Jason Jacobs Shawn Jones Scott McBride Frank McCaulley	TEACHING ELDERS Josh Floyd Stan McMahan Tim Rice Ben Turner

**Jack Plating** 

#### Deacons

Braxton Bone	Bruce Gaynair
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