

THE MINOR PROPHETS

# Amos:

## *Let Justice Roll Down*

Amos 5:18-24



TRINITY  
Presbyterian Church

## ORDER OF WORSHIP | February 2, 2025

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### 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.

At The Foot Of The Cross

### CALL TO WORSHIP | Isaiah 11:1-10 (ESV)

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

There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit. And the Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord. And his delight shall be in the fear of the Lord. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear, but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked. Righteousness shall be the belt of his waist, and faithfulness the belt of his loins. The wolf shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the young goat, and the calf and the lion and the fattened calf together; and a little child shall lead them. The cow and the bear shall graze; their young shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox. The nursing child shall play over the hole of the cobra, and the weaned child shall put his hand on the adder's den. They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain; for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea. In that day the root of Jesse, who shall stand as a signal for the peoples—of him shall the nations inquire, and his resting place shall be glorious.

### 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 | Amos 9:14-15 (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.

"I will restore the fortunes of my people Israel, and they shall rebuild the ruined cities and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and drink their wine, and they shall make gardens and eat their fruit. I will plant them on their land, and they shall never again be uprooted out of the land that I have given them," says the Lord your God.

### 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.

Jesus Is

### 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.

Jesus Paid It All

It Is Done

## KIDS' WORSHIP & COMMUNITY KIDS' DISMISSAL (Infants - Kindergarten)

*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 | Brown Peterson, *Pastor of Students & Young Adults*

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 Apostles' 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.*

### SONG OF RESPONSE

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

King Of Kings

### 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:** Amos 5:18-24 (ESV)

**Title:** Amos: Let Justice Roll Down

**Teacher:** Brown Peterson

18 Woe to you who desire the day of the Lord! Why would you have the day of the Lord? It is darkness, and not light, 19 as if a man fled from a lion, and a bear met him, or went into the house and leaned his hand against the wall, and a serpent bit him. 20 Is not the day of the Lord darkness, and not light, and gloom with no brightness in it? 21 "I hate, I despise your feasts, and I take no delight in your solemn assemblies. 22 Even though you offer me your burnt offerings and grain offerings, I will not accept them; and the peace offerings of your fattened animals, I will not look upon them. 23 Take away from me the noise of your songs; to the melody of your harps I will not listen. 24 But let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream."

## A PEOPLE MADE FOR WORSHIP

## HYPOCRISY ON OUR WORSHIP

## MARKED BY JUSTICE & RIGHTEOUSNESS

### YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the Father, Son, and Spirit for the miracle of knowing His name! Praise Him that you have been called and brought into the family of God so that your whole life can be shaped by worshipping Him.
2. Worship the LORD and confess your sins with where you are living hypocritically. Where is the gap between your words and your actions? Confess this evil that is within you.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for His accomplished work to satisfy the wrath of God by becoming a curse. Give thanks for His righteousness that he earned that is now eternally credited to you.
4. Who has the Spirit placed on your heart that is worshipping everything but the LORD? Pray for their salvation and that the LORD would cause them to repent and believe.
5. Ask for the Spirit's help to be a man or woman of integrity. Ask that you become someone whose words match their actions more and more. Pray for eyes of faith to see your blind spots so that you can be someone who seeks justice and righteousness.

## Welcome to Trinity!

We would love to connect with you.  
Please scan on the QR code to get connected  
and let us know of any prayer requests  
you may have.

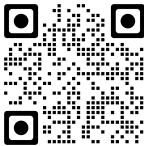


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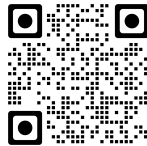


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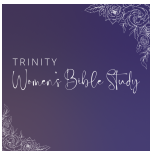
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## Communication

Visit [trinitylakeland.org/events](https://trinitylakeland.org/events) to register.



### Women's Bible Study

Starting February 4 & 5

Contact [JoAnn Johnson](#) for details.



### ED Hour

February 9 - March 16, 9:15a

Contact [Brown Peterson](#) for details.



### Churchwide Easter Picnic

April 6, 12p at Fletcher Park

Contact the Church Office for details.

## Community Bible Reading

[communitybiblereading.org](https://communitybiblereading.org)

**February 3-8, 2025**

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

Monday	Luke 24 2 Samuel 17	Genesis 24 Isaiah 16
Tuesday	Acts 1 2 Samuel 18	Genesis 25 Isaiah 17
Wednesday	Acts 2 2 Samuel 19	Genesis 26 Isaiah 18
Thursday	Acts 3 2 Samuel 20	Genesis 27 Isaiah 19
Friday	Acts 4 2 Samuel 21	Genesis 28 Isaiah 20
Saturday	Psalms 58	Psalms 6 Psalms 110

## Scripture Memory for the Week:

**Amos 5:24 (ESV)**

24 "But let justice roll down like waters, and  
righteousness like an ever-flowing stream."

## Office Hours:

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

Fri | 8:30a-12:00p

Sunday Worship | 10:30a

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## 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.