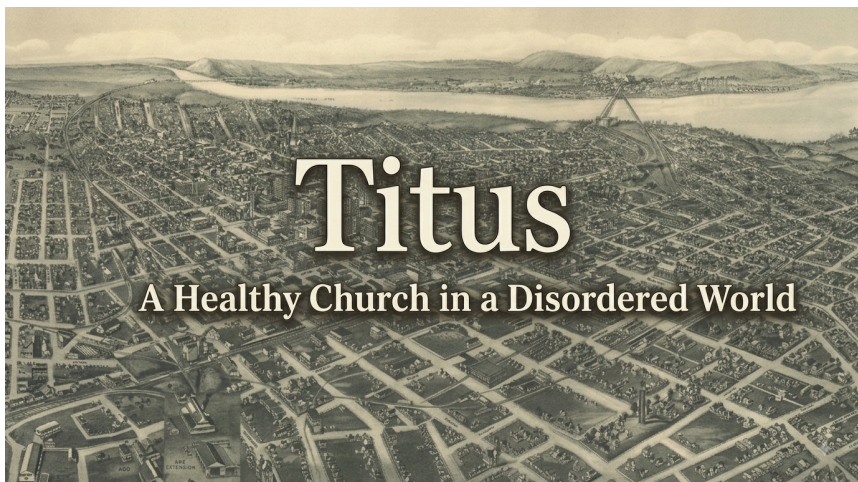


SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2026
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Preparation for Worship

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

God Calls Us to Worship | Psalm 29:1-4, 11

Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings,

ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name;

worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.

The voice of the LORD is over the waters;

the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters.

The voice of the LORD is powerful;

the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.

May the LORD give strength to His people!

May the LORD bless His people with peace!

Come, Thou Almighty King

Words: Anon., 1757 | Music: Felice de Giardini, 1769

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**Hymnals are beneath the seat in front of you.*

Come, thou Almighty King,
help us thy name to sing,
help us to praise.
Father, all glorious,
O'er all victorious,
come and reign over us,
Ancient of Days.

Come, thou Incarnate Word,
gird on thy mighty sword,
scatter thy foes.
Let thine almighty aid
our sure defense be made,
our souls on thee be stayed;
thy wonders show.

Come, Holy Comforter,
thy sacred witness bear
in this glad hour.
Thou who almighty art,
now rule in ev'ry heart,
and ne'er from us depart,
Spirit of power.

To the great One in Three
eternal praises be,
hence evermore.
His sov'reign majesty
may we in glory see,
and to eternity love and adore.

We Listen to God's Word | Isaiah 52:7-10*

**Bibles are beneath your seat*

[7] How beautiful upon the mountains
are the feet of him who brings good news,
who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness,
who publishes salvation,
who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."
[8] The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice;
together they sing for joy;
for eye to eye they see
the return of the LORD to Zion.
[9] Break forth together into singing,
you waste places of Jerusalem,
for the LORD has comforted his people;
he has redeemed Jerusalem.
[10] The LORD has bared his holy arm
before the eyes of all the nations,
and all the ends of the earth shall see
the salvation of our God. (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

We Confess Our Sins

***My God, I bless You that You have given me the eye of faith,
to see You as Father,
to know You as a covenant God,
to experience Your love planted in me.
Be pleased to live and move within me,
breathing in my prayers,
inhabiting my praises,***

*speaking in my words,
 living in my life, causing me to grow in grace.
 Your bounteous goodness has helped me believe,
 but my faith is weak and wavering, its light dim,
 its steps tottering,
 its increase slow,
 its backslidings frequent.
 Lord, fan this divine spark into a glowing flame!
 When faith sleeps, my heart becomes an unclean thing,
 the fount of every loathsome desire,
 the cage of unclean lusts all fluttering to escape,
 the toxic tree with deadly fruit.
 Lord, awake faith to put forth its strength
 until all heaven fills my soul and all impurity is cast out.*

(Please pause for a moment of silent confession.)

We Hear Words of Assurance and Pardon | Psalm 103:11-13

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear Him.

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel: in Jesus Christ know that you're forgiven and be at peace.

Thanks be to God!

He Will Hold Me Fast

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When I fear my faith will fail,
 Christ will hold me fast;
 When the tempter would prevail,
 He will hold me fast.
 I could never keep my hold
 Through life's fearful path;
 For my love is often cold;
 He must hold me fast.

**He will hold me fast,
 He will hold me fast;
 For my Savior loves me so,
 He will hold me fast.**

Those He saves are His delight,
 Christ will hold me fast;

Precious in His holy sight,
 He will hold me fast.
 He'll not let my soul be lost;
 His Promises shall last,
 Bought by Him at such a cost,
 He will hold me fast.

For my life He bled and died,
 Christ will hold me fast;
 Justice has been satisfied;
 He will hold me fast.
 Raised with Him to endless life,
 He will hold me fast
 Till our faith is turned to sight,
 When He comes at last!

We Ask for God's Help

Trinity Vision Moment

Installation of Ruling Elder, Dr. Paul DesLauriers

We Confess Our Faith | Psalm 46:1-3, 10-11

***God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.***

***Therefore we will not fear though the earth give way,
though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,
though its waters roar and foam,
though the mountains tremble at its swelling.***

***“Be still, and know that I am God.
I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth!”***

***The Lord of hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.***

We Greet Others with Peace | John 20:19

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.”

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you!

TrinityKids: During the Greeting of Peace, children 5 & under may be dismissed to walk to TrinityKids. Nursing mothers are welcome to use the Nursing Mothers' room at the back of Trinity Hall, where the service can be viewed on the monitor.

We Are Changed By God's Word | Titus 2:11-15

[11] For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, [12] training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, [13] waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, [14] who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

[15] Declare these things; exhort and rebuke with all authority. Let no one disregard you. (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Rev. Dr. Blake Altman

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"All the Way My Savior Leads Me," by Robert Lowry, arr. Lloyd Larson

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We Celebrate Holy Communion

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious name; evermore praising You, and singing:

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.***

Be Thou My Vision

Author: Eleanor H. Hull, 1912, Mary E. Byrne, 1905, Ancient Irish poem

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Be thou my vision,
O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me,
save that thou art—
thou my best thought
by day or by night,
waking or sleeping,
thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom,
and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and
thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father,
I thy true son;
thou in me dwelling,
and I with thee one.

Be thou my battle shield,
sword for my fight;
be thou my dignity,
thou my delight,

thou my soul's shelter,
thou my high tow'r:
raise thou me heav'nward,
O Pow'r of my pow'r.

Riches I heed not,
nor man's empty praise,
thou mine inheritance,
now and always:
thou and thou only,
first in my heart,
High King of heaven,
my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven,
my victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys,
O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart,
whatever befall,
still be my vision,
O Ruler of all.

Jesus Shall Reign

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Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does its successive journeys run.
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore
Till sun shall rise and set no more.

Blessings abound where'er He reigns.
The pris'ner leaps to lose his chains,
The weary find eternal rest,
And all the sons of want are blessed.

**To our King be highest praise
Rising through eternal days.
Just and faithful, He shall reign,
Jesus shall reign.**

People and realms of every tongue
Dwell on His love with sweetest song,
And infant voices shall proclaim
Their early blessings on His name.

Let every creature rise and bring
Blessing and honor to our King,
Angels descend with songs again,
And earth repeat the loud Amen!

God Sends Us Out With His Good Word | Zephaniah 3:17

The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

We Go Into The World For His Glory

Let us go forth in joyful service to the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ, as we love our neighbors, our city, and the world.

Thanks be to God! Amen!

Community Group & Family Questions

The following questions help us dialog with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service. Remember, these questions are just a starting point. Feel free to adapt them to the specific needs and interests of your family worship times and/or community group.

1. In Titus 2:11, Paul says, “the grace of God has appeared.” What does “appeared” suggest about the nature of grace? Why is it important that Paul presents grace not merely as an idea, but as something revealed in history?
2. Paul says grace brings “salvation for all people.” In the context of Titus 2, where Paul has addressed older men, older women, younger women, younger men, Titus, and bondservants, how should we understand “all people”?
3. Which of Paul's three descriptions—self-controlled, upright, or godly—most exposes your need for growth right now? Why?



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Announcements | Event Details and Signups in Church Center

GROW Meeting:

October 4, 10:30am

ROOTED New Members' Class:

November 22, 12pm



Trinity Men:

September 26: Golf Scramble at La Fortune; Sign up now, gentlemen!

Trinity Women:

September 18, 6:30pm; Fall Kickoff at Trinity Hall

Fall Bible studies and One Another groups registrations are open!

Deacon on Duty this Sunday: Greg Roberts

Pastor on Call this Sunday: Rev. Dr. Blake Altman



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