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July 26, 2026

Honor God.
Welcome All.
Embody Christ's Reign.

What to expect this morning at Trinity Presbyterian Church

Welcome

Whether this is your first time at Trinity or you have been coming for a while, we are so glad you are here. Trinity Presbyterian Church is a church filled with sinners who have been saved and are being made new by the grace of Jesus Christ. We believe that every human being, including you, has been created by God to glorify him and enjoy him forever - and that purpose finds its fulfillment in worship. Whether you are a committed Christian or just exploring the Christian faith, we invite you to join us in worshipping God this morning.

You should see a Connect Card in one of the seat backs in front of you. We would love for you to fill out a card so we can get to know you better and give you more information about Trinity. You can drop your Connect Card in the offering plate when it comes by about 30 minutes into the service, or you can fill it out online by scanning the QR code.

We have provided some answers to questions about Children's Ministry and Christian Education in the right column, but you can also feel free to ask the person sitting next to you or one of the Deacons in the lobby (you'll recognize them by their name tags) if you have any further questions. If you think of some questions later, feel free to email our church administrator Bob Alley at admin@trinitymboro.com.

We pray you are encouraged by the Gospel of Jesus as you worship with us this morning!

With Joy,



Mitchell Carter, Senior Pastor

Children at Trinity

Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service. We believe that Jesus welcomes even the little children to come to him. Though their worship and engagement will look different as they grow, we are glad for them to begin learning now.

We also recognize that there may be times when they need a break from the larger gathering. For that we have the following options:

Nursery

Birth - Pre K

Overflow Room

A room with video feed of the service for anyone who might need a break from the larger gathering.

Nursing Mother's Room

Just outside the sanctuary double doors, immediately to your left.

Christian Education (CE)

Christian Education for adults, youth, and children are on break for the summer. We will resume meeting after worship each Sunday on August 16th.

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July 26, 2026

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

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 a welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Entering God's Presence

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**Rev. Ryan Hudson

Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen!

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

For the LORD is a great God and a great King above all gods. In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land!

Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

From Psalm 95

***Prayer of Adoration**

*The Congregation stands

Regular text = Pastor; **Bold text = Congregation**

*Hymn of Adoration..... “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

1. O for a thou - sand tongues to sing my great Re - deem - er's praise,
 2. My gra-cious Mas - ter and my God, as - sist me to pro - claim,
 3. Je - sus, the name that charms our fears, that bids our sor - rows cease;
 4. He breaks the pow'r of reign-ing sin, he sets the pris - 'ner free;
 5. He speaks and, lis - t'ning to His voice, new life the dead re - ceive;
 6. Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your loo-sen'd tongues em - ploy;

the glo - ries of my God and King, the__ tri-umphs of His grace.
 to spread through all the earth a - broad the__ hon - ors of Thy name.
 'tis mu - sic in the sin - ner's ears, 'tis__ life and health and peace.
 His blood can make the foul - est clean, His__ blood a - vailed for me.
 the mourn - ful bro - ken hearts re - joice; the__ hum - ble poor be - lieve.
 ye blind, be - hold your Sa - vior come; and__ leap, ye lame, for joy.

Words: Charles Wesley (1739); Music: Carl G. Gläser (1784-1829); Arr.: Lowell Mason (1839).

Confession of Sin Rev. Jacob Virtue

Let us now confess our sins together:

Our God and Creator, we come before you and confess that we have sinned in all kinds of ways against you and our neighbors. We have not only sinned in obvious and outward ways, but we have also sinned by internal pride and distrust, impatience and hatred, greed and jealousy, lust and selfish ambition, as well as many other evils. You know our sins, O Lord, and that we deserve condemnation for every one of them.

Yet, you are merciful to those who repent and trust in your Son. Forgive us because of the righteousness of Jesus. And, by the power of your Holy Spirit, help us walk in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Confession

Song of Confession..... “Trisagion”

Ho - - - ly God, ho - ly and might - y,

ho - - - ly im - mor - tal one, have mer - cy, have

mer - cy on us. mer - cy, have mer - cy.

have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us.

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***Assurance of Pardon & Comfort**

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, Jesus is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

From 1 John 1:8-9

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, new creation! The old has passed away, behold, the new has come!

From 2 Corinthians 5:17

***Extending God's Welcome of Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you!

At this time we greet those around us by saying "The peace of Christ be with you." This reminds us that the peace and forgiveness we have been freely given by Jesus also enable us to extend peace and forgiveness to others.

*Song of Renewal..... "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"



1. O the__ deep, deep love of__ Je - sus, vast, un - meas - ured, bound - less, free!
2. O the__ deep, deep love of__ Je - sus! Spread his__ praise from shore to shore.
3. O the__ deep, deep love of__ Je - sus, love of__ ev' - ry love the best!



Roll - ling__ as a might - y__ o - cean in its__ full - ness o - ver me.
How he__ lov - eth, e - ver__ lov - eth, chang - eth__ nev - er, nev - er - more.
'Tis an__ o - cean vast of__ bless - ing, 'tis a__ ha - ven sweet of rest.



Un - der - neath me, all a - round me is the__ cur - rent of thy__ love;
How he__ watch - es o'er his__ loved ones, died to__ call them all his__ own;
O the__ deep, deep love of__ Je - sus, 'tis a__ heav'n of heav'ns to__ me;



lead - ing__ on - ward, lead - ing__ home - ward to Thy__ glor - ious rest a - bove.
how for__ them he in - ter - ce - deth, watch - eth__ o'er them from the throne.
and it__ lifts me up to__ glo - ry for it__ lifts me up__ to Thee.

Words: Samuel T. Francis (1834-1925); Music: Thomas John Williams (1890).

Committing to God's Kingdom

***Confession of Faith**

Christian, in whom do we believe?

**We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of his Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;
by whom all things were made;
who for us and for our salvation
came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered and was buried;
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;
whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets;
and we believe in one holy catholic¹ and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

The Nicene Creed - 381 AD

Old Testament Reading - Psalm 128

- ¹ Blessed is everyone who fears the LORD,
 who walks in his ways!
² You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands;
 you shall be blessed, and it shall be well with you.
³ Your wife will be like a fruitful vine
 within your house;
your children will be like olive shoots
 around your table.
⁴ Behold, thus shall the man be blessed
 who fears the LORD.
⁵ The LORD bless you from Zion!
 May you see the prosperity of Jerusalem
 all the days of your life!
⁶ May you see your children's children!
 Peace be upon Israel!

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

New Testament Reading - 1 Timothy 5:1-16

- ¹ Do not rebuke an older man but encourage him as you would a father, younger men as brothers, ² older women as mothers, younger women as sisters, in all purity.
³ Honor widows who are truly widows. ⁴ But if a widow has children or grandchildren, let them first learn to show godliness to their own household and to make some return to their parents, for this is pleasing in the sight of God. ⁵ She who is truly a widow, left all alone, has set her hope on God and continues in supplications and prayers night and day, ⁶ but she who is self-indulgent is dead even while she lives. ⁷ Command these things as well, so that they may be without reproach. ⁸ But if anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for members of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.
⁹ Let a widow be enrolled if she is not less than sixty years of age, having been the wife of one husband, ¹⁰ and having a reputation for good works: if she has brought up children, has shown hospitality, has washed the feet of the saints, has cared for the afflicted, and has

devoted herself to every good work. ¹¹ But refuse to enroll younger widows, for when their passions draw them away from Christ, they desire to marry ¹² and so incur condemnation for having abandoned their former faith. ¹³ Besides that, they learn to be idlers, going about from house to house, and not only idlers, but also gossips and busybodies, saying what they should not. ¹⁴ So I would have younger widows marry, bear children, manage their households, and give the adversary no occasion for slander. ¹⁵ For some have already strayed after Satan. ¹⁶ If any believing woman has relatives who are widows, let her care for them. Let the church not be burdened, so that it may care for those who are truly widows.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Prayer of Intercession (followed by a time of silent prayer)Paul Shearer

Common Prayer

Let us now join our voices together praying:

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things; graft in our hearts the love of your name; increase in us true faith, nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruits of your Spirit, for Jesus's sake we pray. Amen.

Kingdom Giving & Song of Meditation.....“Not What My Hands Have Done”

1. Not what my hands have done can save my guilt - y soul;
 2. Thy work a - lone, O Christ, can ease this weight of sin;
 3. Thy grace a - lone, O God, to me can par - don speak;
 4. I bless the Christ of God; I rest on love di - vine;
 5. I praise the God of grace; I trust His truth and might;

not what my toil - ing flesh has borne can make my spir - it whole.
 Thy blood a - lone, O Lamb of God, can give me peace with - in.
 Thy pow'r a - lone, O Son of God, can this sore bond - age break.
 and with un - fal - t'ring lip and heart, I call this Sav - ior mine.
 He calls me His, I call Him mine, my God, my joy, my light.

Not what I feel or do can give me peace with God;
 Thy love to me, O God, not mine, O Lord, to Thee,
 No oth - er work, save Thine, no oth - er blood will do;
 His cross dis - pels each doubt; I bur - y in His tomb
 'Tis He who sav - eth me, and free - ly par - don gives;

not all my prayers and sighs and tears can bear my aw - ful load.
 can rid me of this dark un - rest and set my spir - it free.
 no strength, save that which is di - vine, can bear me safe - ly through.
 each thought of un - be - lief and fear, each lin - g'ring shade of gloom.
 I love be - cause He lov - eth me, I live be - cause He lives.

Words: Horatius Bonar (1861); Music: George William Martin (1862); Arrangement: Arthur S. Sullivan (1874).

*Doxology

Listening to God's Word

“STEADFAST LOVE SURROUNDS THE ONE WHO TRUSTS IN THE LORD”

Rev. Ryan Hudson

Sermon Series: Psalms

Psalm 32

A MASKIL OF DAVID.

¹ Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.

² Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

³ For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long.

⁴ For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. *Selah*

⁵ I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,”
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. *Selah*

⁶ Therefore let everyone who is godly
offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found;
surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.

⁷ You are a hiding place for me;
you preserve me from trouble;
you surround me with shouts of deliverance. *Selah*

⁸ I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;
I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

⁹ Be not like a horse or a mule, without understanding,
which must be curbed with bit and bridle,
or it will not stay near you.

¹⁰ Many are the sorrows of the wicked,
but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the LORD.

¹¹ Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, O righteous,
and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

Feasting at God's Table

Holy Communion

Trinity Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to forsake their sins and trust in Jesus for salvation, and who are members in good standing of a congregation that proclaims the gospel, to receive Holy Communion with us. Baptized covenant children who have not made profession of faith before the elders should abstain from communion until they are received as communing members by the Session. TPC serves wine and grape juice for communion. The clear cups contain wine and the purple cups contain grape juice. The communion bread in the purple cups is gluten free. Please hold your cups and we will take them all together.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

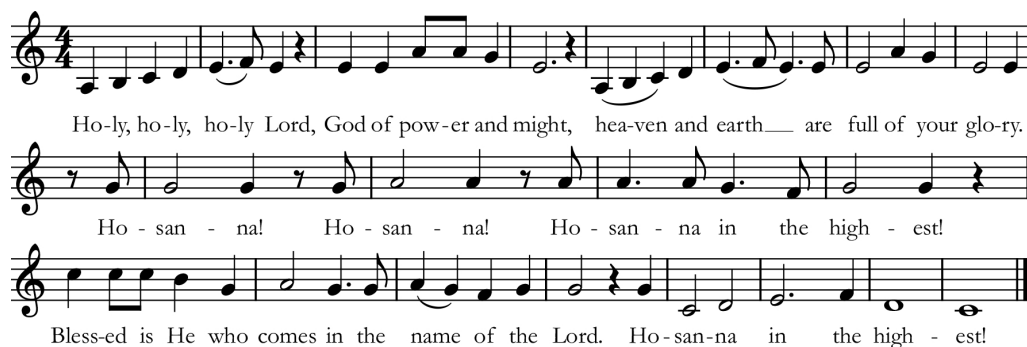
Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is indeed good, right, and our delight that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we praise and magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing. . .



Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, God of pow-er and might, hea-ven and earth— are full of your glo-ry.

Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

Bless-ed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est!

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Prayer of Consecration

Words of Institution

Response of the People

Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us!

Hallelujah!

Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. Hallelujah!

And now Our Holy Master, that with boldness and without condemnation, we dare to call upon You, the Heavenly God, as our Father, and to say. . .

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The holy gifts of God for the holy people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith and with thanksgiving. Let us partake of the feast!

Song of Communion..... “Come, Ye Sinners”

The song leader will sing verse one. The congregation will join at the first chorus.



1. Come, ye sin - ners, poor and need - y, weak and wound - ed, sick and sore;
2. Come, ye thir - sty, come, and wel - come, God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy;
3. Come, ye wear - y, hea - vy - lad - en, lost and ru - ined by the fall;
4. View Him pros - trate in the gar - den; on the ground your Ma - ker lies;
5. Lo! th'in - car - nate God as - cen - ded, pleads the mer - it of His blood:
6. Let not con - science make you ling - er, nor of fit - ness fond - ly dream;



Je - sus read - y stands to save you, full of pi - ty,
True be - lief and true re - pen - tance, ev - 'ry grace that brings you nigh.
if you tar - ry 'til you're bet - ter, you will ne - ver
on the blood - y tree be - hold Him; sin - ner, will this not suf - fice?
ven - ture on Him, ven - ture whol - ly, let no oth - er
all the fit - ness He re - quir - eth is to feel your



1. love, and pow'r. *CHORUS*
3. come at all. I will a - rise and go to Je - sus; He will em - brace me in His arms.
5. trust in - trude.
6. need of Him.



In the arms of my dear Sa - vior, oh, there are ten thou - sand charms.

Words: Joseph Hart (1759); Music: from William Walker's *Southern Harmony*.

Going Out With God's Blessing

*Song of Sending..... "His Mercy Is More"



1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done; om - ni - scient, all know - ing,
2. What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam; what Fa - ther, so ten - der,
3. What rich - es of kind - ness He la - vished on us; His blood was the pay - ment;



He counts not their sum. Thrown in - to a sea with - out bot - tom or shore;
is call - ing us home. He wel - comes the weak - est, the vil - est, the poor;
His life was the cost. We stood 'neath a debt we could ne - ver af - ford;



Our sins, they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is more. _____ Praise the Lord! _____



His mer - cy is more! _____ Strong - er than dark - ness, new ev' - ry morn.



Our sins they are _____ ma - ny, His mer - cy is more.

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***The Sending**

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Colossians 3:16-17

With the Lord's help we will do this.

***Benediction**

The LORD bless you and keep you. The LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. The LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Numbers 6:24-26

Amen!

***Postlude**

This Week at Trinity

Wednesday, July 29

TYG | 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Trinity Youth Group Parent Meeting | August 2 | following worship

All parents of rising 7th-12th graders are encouraged to join us for a parent meeting on Sunday, August 2, following the worship service. During this meeting we will provide important information about the coming year, including discipleship plans, exciting events, and policy updates. Please join us to learn more about how we plan to walk alongside your teens to know, love and follow Jesus this year!

Newcomers' Fellowship | August 2 | 11:10 a.m.

Any newcomers who would like to get to know the church a bit more are invited to stay after church on Sunday, August 2, immediately following worship, and join us in the youth room for coffee. We'll talk a bit about Trinity and then have time for questions about the church. If you have questions, please email Pastor Mitchell at mitchell@trinitymboro.com.

Family Meeting & Potluck | August 9 | following worship

This is a planned meeting at the beginning of the new ministry year to give updates on what is happening in our church this fall and present a budget update. Childcare will not be provided. All members are encouraged to attend, and visitors are welcome as well. We will follow the meeting with a potluck lunch. You can sign up on the link in E-News.

Summer RUF | Tuesdays | July | Nashville

If you are a college student or recent high school graduate, you are invited to attend Reformed University Fellowship (RUF)'s area-wide summer series. Summer RUF meets each Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. during June and July at Midtown Fellowship (2415 12th Ave S, Nashville, TN). Grab a few friends and come enjoy fellowship, worship, and teaching from God's word.

Upcoming Preaching Schedule

This summer we are preaching through various Psalms. Today, we will hear from Psalm 32. Next week, we will hear from Psalm 2 (August 2). On August 9, we will begin preaching through the book of Hebrews. Reading the Scripture passage before you hear it preached is a great way to prepare your mind and heart to receive God's word each week.

Service Opportunities

Nursery Volunteers Needed

Our nursery is in need of additional volunteers to help care for and support our youngest church members during services. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve families and make a meaningful impact. If you are interested or have questions, please visit the table in the lobby after the service to learn more and sign up. We would be grateful for your willingness to serve in this important ministry. You can also email Kelley Pellegrin at nursery@trinitymboro.com

Volunteers Needed for Coffee and Communion Preparation

We are in need of some more volunteers to help prepare coffee or communion on Sunday mornings. These are great ways to begin serving our congregation! Helping would mean arriving around 8:30 a.m. on Sunday. If you are interested in serving in either of these ways, please contact Bob at admin@trinitymboro.com.

Safety Team Volunteers Needed

Would you like to serve on Trinity’s Safety Team? Contact Chris Nowlin for additional information. (615) 513-9778

New RUF Intern | Fall 2026

The new RUF intern, Abigail Moore, will be moving to Murfreesboro in the fall to work alongside Jacob Virtue in ministering to MTSU students. Her biggest priority is housing. She is open to roommates or room for rent. If you know of any availability please email your information to abigail.moore@ruf.org.

2026 Giving	Actual YTD	Budgeted YTD	2026 Budget	% of Budget
Tithes & Offerings	\$357,505.19	\$302,083.35	\$744,120.00	48.04%
Operating Expenses	\$347,750.93	\$343,973.06	\$691,723.99	50.27%

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