

Trinity Presbyterian Church Palm Coast

January 29, 2023
4th Sunday after Epiphany



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Trinity Presbyterian Church is called by God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to be a **worshipping, nurturing and serving** community.

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Prelude "Lovely" by Thad Fiscella

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome

Nomination of Officers

Call to Worship

Blessed:

the poor in spirit, those who mourn, the meek.

We gather to hear who Christ calls blessed;

those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, the merciful, the pure in heart, the peacemakers, the persecuted.

Blessed.

Prayer of the Day

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

* Hymn #213 "In The Cross of Christ I Glory"

Call to Confession

God has told us what is good, what is required: Do justice. Love kindness. Walk humbly with God. These commands are so simple, yet we know we have not always followed them. With that knowledge, we confess.

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we fail to do what is right. Instead, we pursue evil and do not speak the truth. Even when we try our best to be faithful, still we turn away from you. Forgive us, accept us, and redeem us, that we may seek to do what you call good.
(Silence for Reflection)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom and righteousness, sanctification and redemption, is the one who judges us. Christ is the one who was born for us and forgives us with abundant love.
We will boast of all the good God has done for us! Thanks be to God!

Remembrance of Baptism

Let us live in a way that is worthy of God's call. We share one hope and one calling, one body and one Spirit, one faith and one Lord, one baptism and one God. (Ephesians 4:1-6)

* Gloria Patri (Hymn #581)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

* Affirmation of Faith (Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Faith Formation Moment

Brooke Tucker

Reception of New Members

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Old Testament Reading Micah 6:1-8

6 Hear what the LORD says:

Rise, plead your case before the mountains,
and let the hills hear your voice.

2 Hear, you mountains, the case of the LORD,
and you enduring foundations of the earth,
for the LORD has a case against his people,
and he will contend with Israel.

3 "O my people, what have I done to you?

In what have I wearied you? Answer me!

4 For I brought you up from the land of Egypt
and redeemed you from the house of slavery,
and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam.

5 O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised,
what Balaam son of Beor answered him,
and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal,
that you may know the saving acts of the LORD."

6 "With what shall I come before the LORD
and bow myself before God on high?

Shall I come before him with burnt offerings,
with calves a year old?

7 Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams,
with ten thousands of rivers of oil?

Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression,

the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?"

⁸ He has told you, O mortal, what is good, and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God?

Anthem "Blessings" by Laura Story
Mary Taylor

Gospel Lesson Matthew 5:1-12

⁵ When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. ² And he began to speak and taught them, saying:

³ "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴ "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

⁵ "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

⁶ "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

⁷ "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

⁸ "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

⁹ "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

¹⁰ "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹ "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Meditation "Discover Your Path" Rev. Dr. Jeff Beebe

Ordination and Installation of Officers

* Hymn #175 "Seek Ye First"

* Invitation to Discipleship and Offering of our Gifts

* Benediction

* Congregational Response (Hymn #306)

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

* Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

* Postlude "Lord Be Glorified" by Bob Kilpatrick/ M. Hayes

* Denotes please stand if able.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The Annual Congregational Meeting will follow Worship today in the Sanctuary.

WORSHIP NOTES

Greeters:

Ushers: Marti Benz, Ron & Penny Weidner, Bill & Sandy Boland, Jim & Sally Smeaton

Lay Reader: Kay James **Audio Tech:** Ken Mettler

Flowers: The flowers this morning are given by Paul and Maudie Parker in celebration of their daughter in law Jill's birthday.

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

Gail Alvaro, Margaret Applegate, John Barrie, Andrew Billings, **Doris Boone**, Bret Bosier, Jason Bradley*, Dontrell Brown, Eliza Brown, **Al Burgess**, Jasper Casey, John Chappa, Heasuk Che, **Hal Childs**, **Gary Clickard**, Norma Colbert, John Decina, Maverick Dennis*, Rev. Dr. Jeff DeYoe, Dickiesons Family, **Joe Digby***, William Downs, **Saida Evensen**, Patrick Floyd*, Clarisa Gibson, Stanley Hannum*, **Pat Head**, **Cathie Huff**, A.J. & Vicki Jebbia, **Bob Johnson**, **Gene Johnson**, **Javan N. Jones***, **Kathy Jones-Mills**, **Jennifer Kaczmarek**, Bruce Lee, **Florence Lyman**, Marissa Mallicote, **Ed Manen**, **Jan Markiewicz**, **Marie McCray**, Declan Mitchell*, Pam Mitchell-Hess, **Pat Olson**, Joseph C. Orr*, **Howard Parker**, **Paul Parker**, William Patterson, **Julie Pearson**, **Helene Read**, **Ginny Reisinger**, Bradford Robinson, Ian Samuel, Jennifer Sheringham*, **Diane Simmons**, **Bonnie Slager**, Michelle Smith, **Brian Thomas**, **Ryan Tugas***, Norma Warwell, **BJ Waugaman**, Todd Whipper, Ben Whitenack, **Matthew Winterheimer***, **Theodore Winterheimer***, **Kenny Wittmer**

Sympathy is extended to Julie Pearson and family on the death of her husband Bob Pearson on January 23, 2023. The service will be at Trinity on February 11, 2023.

If someone is in need of prayer, please let the church office know.

Those listed in bold are members of the church and the asterisk indicates active military service.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Brittany Skyta	1/23		Charles Ako-Addo	1/26
Madison Matta	1/25		Ron Simmons	1/27
Nancy Cumming	1/26		Bob Johnson	1/27

SPECIAL THANKS

We welcome and thank Mary Taylor for filling in while Heasuk is recovering from her injury. Mary Taylor has been sharing her love of music as a choral singer, praise team leader, choir accompanist, in children's ministry, and as a piano teacher in the Ormond Beach Area for many years. She was also trained as a sign lettering artist and her work has been seen throughout Volusia County.

TRINITY TIMES REMINDER

The deadline for submitting articles and announcements for the Spring Trinity Times is February 7th. The Spring Edition will encompass Lent and the months of March, April and May.

OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Communion will be celebrated at Trinity next Sunday, February 5th.

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO BABIES, TODDLERS AND CHILDREN

We have a table in the front right of the church with worship supplies for children. Please feel free to take whatever you would like. During the Faith Formation time, all children will be invited to come forward for a special message with an activity following. We also have a playroom with a TV where you and your child can watch the live service. Please ask an usher if you need any assistance at all.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN QUARTERLY GATHERING

Join Presbyterian Women for a luncheon on February 1st at 12:00pm in Mehaffey Hall, featuring Guest Speaker Diane Dieter, coordinator of the Grace Community Food Pantry. She will be speaking on the many aspects of serving meals to those in our communities who are so much in need and the different ways they help. We look forward to seeing everyone!

CHILI COOK-OFF

Almost everyone has a chili recipe, but the question is: who makes the "fan favorite" chili? On Souper Bowl Sunday, Trinity youth are hosting a Chili Cook-Off.

What we want is for you to bring a crock pot (one gallon) of your chili to the fellowship hall before church. Following worship, we want everyone to join us in the fellowship hall to taste test each chili before choosing which one you want to eat. Tickets to vote for your favorite chili cost \$1 per ticket and all money collected will go to the Soul Café at First United Methodist Church in Bunnell (a weekly meal provided for the community). We will provide the chili "condiments", tables, and drinks. Please contact Brooke Tucker at brookeerintucker@gmail.com or 386-445-4757 to let her know you will bring a gallon if your chili!

This Week in our Church (Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs.: 9:00am-12 noon)

Sunday, January 29th

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM Annual Congregational Meeting
2:30 PM Waugaman Memorial Service & Reception (Sanctuary & Mehaffey)
5:00-6:30 PM Youth Group-Middle & High School (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)

Monday, January 30th

9:30 AM Handbell Choir (Sanctuary)
6:15 PM Cub Scouts-Pack 281 (Mehaffey & Youth Rooms)
6:30 PM Community Chorus (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, January 31st

5:30 PM Trinity Troopers (Youth Rooms)
5:30 PM Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
6:30 PM Scouts-Troops 281 & 4281 (Mehaffey & Youth Rooms)

Wednesday, February 1st

9:30 AM PW Team Meeting (Kepler)
10:00 AM Stretch & Balance with Brooke (Chapel)
12:00 PM PW Gathering & Luncheon (Mehaffey)
8:15 PM AA (Mehaffey)

Thursday, February 2nd

6:00 PM ALANON Meeting (Calvin)

Friday, February 3rd

6:30 PM NA Meeting

Saturday, February 4th

11:00 AM AAUW Book Club (Library)

Sunday, February 5th – *Sacrament of Communion*

10:00 AM Worship Service
5:00-6:30 PM Youth Group-Middle & High School (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)

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