

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 24, 2023



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Welcome

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" arr. D. Bish

Call to Worship

We will sing to God and bless God's name forever and ever.

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised!

We will declare God's mighty acts and celebrate
God's abundant goodness.

Let us worship, singing of God's righteousness.

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you created the heavens and the earth, and
humankind in your image. Teach us to discern your hand in all your
works and to serve you with reverence and thanksgiving; through
Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

* Hymn #619 "Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven" Lauda Anima

Call to Confession

We try to live our lives in a manner worthy of Christ. We try to stand
firm in God's spirit, but our human self-interest gets the better of
us. In humility and faith, let us confess.

Prayer of Confession

**God of generosity, we find ourselves bitter when faced with
your abundant grace. We believe ourselves more deserving
than others. We nurse our anger and resentment at those you
forgive, instead of rejoicing in the abundant love you show.
Forgive us when we wish your grace was scarce. Forgive the
double standards we hold. Help us to know that we are all in
need of your grace, and help us rejoice as we all gratefully
receive your mercy.**

(Silence for Reflection)

Declaration of Forgiveness

The grace of God is boundless, poured out freely for all of us.

**We will receive this gift of forgiveness, and trust God to
transform our lives!**

* Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

* 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

Offering of our Gifts

Offertory "Beautiful Savior" J. Klein
Handbell Choir

* Doxology (Hymn #606)

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

Prayer of Dedication

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.**

Responsive Reading Psalm 145:1-8

¹ I will extol you, my God and King,
and bless your name forever and ever.

² **Every day I will bless you
and praise your name forever and ever.**

³ Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised;
his greatness is unsearchable.

⁴ **One generation shall extol your works to another
and shall declare your mighty acts.**

⁵ They will recount the glorious splendor of your majesty,
and on your wondrous works I will meditate.

⁶ **They will proclaim the might of your awesome deeds,
and I will declare your greatness.**

⁷ They shall celebrate the fame of your abundant goodness
and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.

⁸ **The LORD is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**

Anthem "How Great Thou Art"
Choir

² The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. ³ The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the pots of meat and ate our fill of bread, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

⁴ Then the LORD said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. ⁵ On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days." ⁶ So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, "In the evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, ⁷ and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your complaining against the LORD. For what are we, that you complain against us?" ⁸ And Moses said, "When the LORD gives you meat to eat in the evening and your fill of bread in the morning, because the LORD has heard the complaining that you utter against him—what are we? Your complaining is not against us but against the LORD."

⁹ Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites: 'Draw near to the LORD, for he has heard your complaining.' " ¹⁰ And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. ¹¹ The LORD spoke to Moses, ¹² "I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.' "

¹³ In the evening quails came up and covered the camp, and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. ¹⁴ When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. ¹⁵ When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat. ¹⁶ This is what the LORD has commanded: Gather as much of it as each of you needs, an omer per person according to the number of persons, all providing for those in their own tents."

Meditation "Down And Out" Rev. Dr. Jeff Beebe

* Hymn #269 "Lead On, O King Eternal!" Llangloffan

* 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.

* Postlude "You Shall Go Out with Joy" D. Wagner

* Denotes please stand if able.

WORSHIP NOTES

Greeters: Susan Kopyar and Roger Ailshie

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

Lay Reader: Shelley Kleinfelder **Audio Tech:** Chuck Radloff

Flowers: The flowers this morning are given by Ron and Penny Weidner in honor of their 61st Anniversary and in memory of our son Michael and our parents.

Children's Worship Table: Children are invited to the Children's Worship Table after the Faith Formation to enjoy this week's Children's Worship booklet and/or any of the other quiet activities in the Children's area.

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

Gail Alvaro, **Ajit Banerjee**, Billings Family, **Doris Boone**, Jason Bradley*, Eliza Brown, **Al Burgess, Jim & Willa Burns**, Earl Cannon, Jasper Casey, John Chappa, **Hal Childs**, Rev. Dr. Jeff DeYoe, Dickiesons Family, **Joe Digby***, William Downs, Patrick Floyd*, Clarisa Gibson, **Gynizio Family**, Stanley Hannum*, **Judy Hennenlotter**, A.J. Jebbia, **Bob Johnson, Gene Johnson, Javan N. Jones*, Kathy Jones-Mills, Jennifer Kaczmarek**, Brady Klefman, Bruce Lee, **Florence Lyman**, Marissa Mallicote, **Ed Manen, Gloria Martin, Judy Mascenic, Marie McCray**, Declan Mitchell*, Pam Mitchell-Hess, **Pat Olson**, Joseph C. Orr*, William Patterson, **Helene Read**, Bradford Robinson, **Norma Rogero**, Ian Samuel, **Bob Settles**, Jennifer Sheringham*, Sara Shoreland, **Diane Simmons, Bonnie Slager**, Michelle Smith, **Brian Thomas, Ryan Tugas*, Tony & Doris Valenti**, Monique Warmington, Norma Warwell, Todd Whipper, Ben Whitenack, **Matthew Winternheimer*, Theodore Winternheimer***

*Sympathy is extended to Rev. John Huff on the death of his wife, **Cathie Huff**, on September 17, 2023. A Memorial Service is being planned.*

*Sympathy is extended to Marie McCray on the death of her husband, **Charles McCray**, on September 17, 2023. A Memorial Service is being planned for October.*

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

Bill Butler	9/24		Gene Thrower	9/27
Gene Johnson II	9/25		Katelyn Rampersad	9/28
Logan Sedlesky	9/25			

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN QUARTERLY GATHERING

Please join Presbyterian Women for a luncheon on Wednesday, September 27th at 12 noon in Mehaffey Hall.

Guest Speaker will be Jacquelin Boykin, Corporate and Community Relations of Boggy Creek. She will be speaking about the facility and what they do for children with serious medical issues.

We look forward to seeing everyone.

OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Communion will be celebrated at Trinity next Sunday, October 1st.

COME TO THE MEN'S BREAKFASTS!

First Thursday of the month 8:30-9:30am in Mehaffey Fellowship Hall

Oct 5: Egg casserole & cinnamon rolls

Nov 2: French toast casserole & fruit salad

Dec 7: Pancakes & sausages

Enjoy some fellowship and bible discussion

THANK YOU

Thank you to those who helped stuff the Backpacks for our food sack mission at TPC. Our next Hands on Mission for Backpacks is Oct 8th immediately following service.

This week in our Church (Office hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am-12noon)

Sunday, September 24th

10:00 AM Worship Service
 11:00 AM Youth Choir (Music Room)
 5-6:30PM Troopers (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)
 6-7:30PM Youth & Young Adult Fellowship (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)

Monday, September 25th

9:30 AM Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
 5:15 PM Youth Choir (Music Room)
 5:30 PM Deacon's Meeting (Kepler)
 6:15 PM Cub Scouts-Pack 281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, Youth Rms)
 6:30 PM Community Chorus PC (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, September 26th

9:30 AM Personnel Meeting (Calvin)
 6:30 PM Scouts-Troops 281 Court of Honor (Sanctuary)
 6:30 PM Scouts-Troops 281 & 4281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, Youth Rooms)

Wednesday, September 27th

12:00 PM PW Gathering & Luncheon (Mehaffey)
 8:00 PM AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Thursday, September 28th

6:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (Music Rm)
 6:30 PM ALANON Meeting (Calvin)
 6:30 PM Flagler County Orchid Society (Mehaffey)

Friday, September 29th

6:30 PM NA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Saturday, September 30th

9-11 AM CCPC Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Sunday, October 1st – *Sacrament of Communion*

10:00 AM Worship Service
 5-6:30PM Troopers (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)
 6-7:30PM Youth & Young Adult Fellowship (Mehaffey/Youth Rms)

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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.*