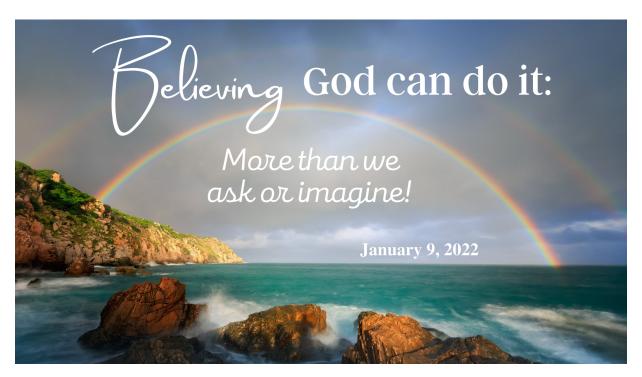


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PRE-SERVICE MUSIC (while announcements are scrolled)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/PRAYER

PRELUDE

God. You're So Good

CALL TO WORSHIP: *(standing)

Leader: Marjorie Creamer L: Good morning again! As we think about the gift of this New Year, what is your heart's deepest prayer? What is your response to the gift of life that God has given you? May I invite you to join me in praying this prayer which the Apostle Paul wrote:

A: My response is to get down on my knees before the Father, this magnificent Father who parcels out all heaven and earth.

L: I ask him to strengthen you by his Spirit—not a brute strength but a glorious inner strength—that Christ will live in you as you open the door and invite him in.

A: And I ask him that with both feet planted firmly on love, you'll be able to take in with all followers of Jesus the extravagant dimensions of Christ's love.

L: Reach out and experience the breadth! Test its length! Plumb the depths! Rise to the heights! Live full lives, full in the fullness of God.

A: God can do anything, you know—far more than you could ever imagine or guess or request in your wildest dreams! He does it not by pushing us around but by working within us, his Spirit deeply and gently within us.

HYMN #73 O Worship the King

O worship the King, all glorious above, O gratefully sing God's power and God's love; our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of God's might, O sing of God's grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space, whose chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, and dark is God's path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, thy power hath founded of old; hath stablished it fast by a changeless decree, and round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea. Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light; it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail; thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

SCRIPTURE (please be seated)

Ephesians 3: 20-21

MY GO TO PROMISE/ENCOURAGEMENT

CHILDREN'S TALK John Mickle

8:15 HYMN #211 O Come, O Come Emmanuel (Stanzas 1 & 2)

O come, O come, Emmanuel, And ransom captive Israel, That mourns in lonely exile here Until the Son of God appear.

[Refrain]

Rejoice! Rejoice!

Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, thou Wisdom from on high, And order all things far and nigh; To us the path of knowledge show And cause us in her ways to go. [Refrain]

10:45 PRAISE AND WORSHIP IN SONG

Everlasting God

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord

Pre-Chorus
Our God You reign forever
Our Hope our strong Deliv'rer

Chorus

You are the everlasting God
The everlasting God
You do not faint
You won't grow weary
You're the defender of the weak
You comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles

God You're So Good

Amazing love that welcomes me The kindness of mercy That bought with blood wholeheartedly My soul undeserving

Chorus God You're so good God You're so good God You're so good You're so good to me

Behold the cross age to age And hour by hour The dead are raised the sinner saved The work of Your power **Chorus** Bridge

I am blessed I am called
I am healed I am whole
I am saved in Jesus' name
Highly favored anointed
Filled with Your pow'r
For the glory of Jesus' name

And should this life bring suffering Lord I will remember What Calvary has bought for me Both now and forever **Chorus**

SERMON

Believing God can do it: More than we ask or imagine!

Rev. John Shellenberger

HYMN # 2150 Lord Be Glorified

In my life Lord Be glorified be glorified In my life Lord Be glorified today

In my song Lord Be glorified be glorified In my song Lord Be glorified today In Your church Lord Be glorified be glorified In Your church Lord Be glorified today

In our home Lord Be glorified be glorified In our home Lord Be glorified today

BENEDICTION (Please be seated. You can leave on your own maintaining social distancing after postlude.)

POSTLUDE

O Worship the King (for piano)

arr. Mark Hayes

In Charge of Trinity: The Heavenly Father
Rev. Arun Andrews, Senior Pastor
Rev. Carl Ford Peterson, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Peggy Spengler, Pastor of Prayer, Discipleship and Evangelism
Todd Davis, Director of Music Ministries
Barbara Zimmerman, Parish Nurse
Nihal Andrews, Director of Media Ministry
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**Written by Arun Andrews

Prayer Request for Prayer Chain:

Please send requests to church office or Joan and Matt Ickler.

Rev. John Shellenberger has served in the pastoral ministry of the United Methodist Church for 39 and last served at Grace United Methodist Church, Lemoyne before retirement. Following retirement, he has continued to serve part-time as needed on church teams by lending his pastoral heart, compassion, and experience. Pastor John and his wife Merri are friends of the Andrews family and have been an encouragement to them since they moved from India. We are delighted that Pastor John will be bringing God's word once again to us at Trinity.

Celebrate from the Heart and Spirit Thought for the Week:

"When we feed our faith, we starve our doubts." Christine Caine

Sunday School Teachers, Small Group Leaders And Ministry Leaders:

January 15th is the deadline for your information for the conference report to be submitted to the office.

Please include roster of members.

Love Boxes: February 10th 9 AM-11:30 AM

Can openers are needed for future love boxes as well as packets of dry milk.

Secret Sister: January 15th @ 10 AM in the Fellowship Hall

Come join us at the Secret Sister's program meeting in January. You complete a pink sheet and receive the outline for the program along with the meeting schedule. You will receive a name for the year and another woman will receive your name to lift you up in daily prayer. Contact Vicky Forman with questions.

Help Owen Refresh The Children's Ministry Room:

We are delighted that Owen Rynex is working towards his Eagle Scout project and is giving back to the children's ministry that nurtured his faith. The project involves repainting, upgrading lights to LEDs and creating storage cabinets in one of our children's ministry rooms. Would you help Owen reach his target to \$1650 for the project? You can share your contributions by marking checks to "Children's room project".

Thank you! To know more contact Ed and Owen Rynex or Dave Leppo.

<u>Pray and Go:</u> Monday, January 17 @ 2:30 PM weather permitting If you want to walk at another time, please contact Coordinator, Sharon Sheffer and Map Strategist, Carol Evertts for where to Pray & Go. Thank You.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study: Series starts: Wednesday, March 9th

You'll get through it! Hope and help for turbulent times

A powerful and encouraging series with small group discussion based on the life of Joseph. We are working and hoping towards adding dinner to the evenings. Start times in the evenings will be announced. Register for our new midweek Bible study series: 'You'll get through' this by Max Lucado by entering your name in the sign-up sheet placed across the mailboxes or by calling the church office or by sending an email to office@trinityumnc.com or feel free to contact Pastor Peggy, Shirley Sharpe, Jody Blacksmith or Pastor Arun