

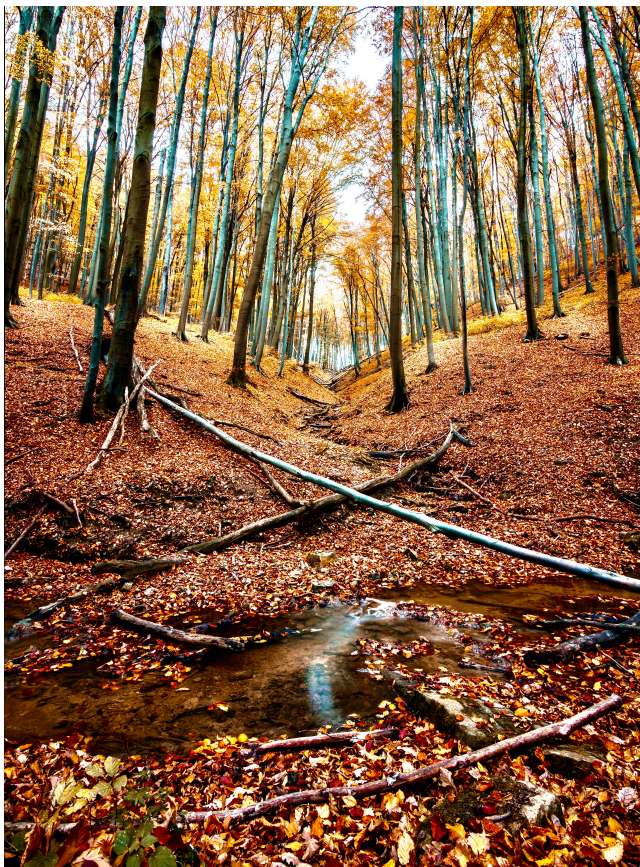


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November 15, 2020 Sanctuary and Online Service at 8:15 & 10:45 am

THEME FOR NOVEMBER: A faith for all seasons - Lessons from Psalm

TODAY'S THEME: Faith in seasons of doubt - Psalm 77



***If attending in-person worship, please bring bulletin along with you.
Seating available only by pre-registration online or by calling the office.***

PRELUDE

Holy is The Lord

Chris Tomlin

Praise and Worship: Jady Conroy, Jim Luck, Rylee Sorrells, Cherice Swick

OPENING WORDS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 105:1-5)

Gordon Taylor

L: Give praise to the Lord, proclaim his name.

A: Make known among the nations what he has done.

L: Sing to him, sing praise to him.

A: Tell of all his wonderful acts.

L: Glory in his holy name.

A: Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

L: Look to the Lord and his strength.

A: Seek his face always.

L: Remember the wonders he has done.

A: His miracles, and the judgments he pronounced.

HYMN* *When We Walk with the Lord*

*When we walk with the Lord
In the light of His Word
What a glory He sheds on our way
While we do His good will
He abides with us still
And with all who will trust and obey*

*Chorus
Trust and obey
For there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus
But to trust and obey*

*Not a burden we bear
Not a sorrow we share
But our toil He doth richly repay
Not a grief nor a loss
Not a frown nor a cross
But is blessed if we trust and obey*

*Then in fellowship sweet
We will sit at His feet
Or we'll walk by His side in the way
What He says we will do
Where He sends we will go
Never fear only trust and obey*

OPENING PRAYER**

Gordon Taylor

Lord of love and light, we gather together to give you our praise and worship. Surround us with your love. Lead us in your light. Thank you for being with us when we find it easy to trust. Thank you for never leaving us when we are challenged by doubt. We will win our daily battles because you are by our side. Lead us through this time of worship that the biggest doubts in our minds will give way to the greatest assurances in our hearts. In Jesus name. Amen.

ANTHEM

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Chancel Choir: Dawn Bailets, Thomas Baum, John Sharpe, Debbie Sisk, Jodi Walters

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 77

Gordon Taylor

CHILDREN'S TALK

Doug Eakin

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SERMON

Faith in seasons of doubt

Pastor Arun

HYMN* *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*

*'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to take Him at His word
Just to rest upon His promise
And to know thus saith the Lord*

*Chorus
Jesus Jesus how I trust Him
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus Jesus precious Jesus
O for grace to trust Him more*

*O how sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to trust His cleansing blood
Just in simple faith to plunge me
'Neath the healing cleansing flood*

*Yes 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus
Just from sin and self to cease
Just from Jesus simply taking
Life and rest and joy and peace*

*I'm so glad I learned to trust Thee
Precious Jesus Savior Friend
And I know that Thou art with me
Wilt be with me to the end*

BENEDICTION

(Please be seated until after the postlude. Our ushers will guide you row-by-row to the exit.)

POSTLUDE

Prelude in G Major (BWV 541)

Johann Sebastian Bach

Thought of the week from Celebrate from Heart and Spirit Group:

"It is better to have character, then to be a character." unknown author

Trial: Back to regular service times: 15th and 22nd

In order to provide the possibility of more individuals participating in-person in our sanctuary, we will be doing a trial as follows. On Sunday, November 15th and Sunday, November 22nd, we will have two church services in-person at 8:15 am and 10:45 am. Should the experiment prove that we have indeed facilitated more of you to participate, we will work towards continuing the pattern. On the contrary, should we experience the present worshippers making choices between the two with no significant increase in worshippers, we will revert back to the single service model at 9:30 am. We are trying to do our best within the limitations that we experience (and the increasing number of Covid cases). We will be working towards careful sanitization between the services. Thank you for your kind consideration, understanding, and cooperation. Should you have any concerns, please feel free to speak with Shirley Sharpe, chair leadership team or Beth Sider, chair worship team.

Regathering in the Sanctuary:

Wednesdays at 12 PM for Facebook Live Music Time

Sundays at 8:15 & 10:45 AM.

Social distancing will be practiced strictly with masks. You are requested to kindly arrive no earlier than 15 minutes before service and to kindly leave within 15 minutes after service. Seats available only on first come, first serve basis by making reservations by calling the church office or through the church website beginning Monday morning at 9 am. Thank you.

Praise: God's hand upon the destiny of our nation.

General Prayer: Prayer for peace and stability in the nation.

Health concerns: Patsy Bashore, Dan Arnold - being treated for burns, Jan Snyder, Shirley Sharpe, Todd Davis, Nevin Beshore, Sue Beshore, Barbara Kiehl, Austin Estep, Rhoda and Mark Houser, Evan Semoff, Joann Frownfelter, Rev. Richard Creamer-knee replacement surgery, Laura Wright, Gene Matter, Connie Williams.

Requests from congregation: Norm Haas: police - protection during protests, John C. Miller Jr. (son of Don and Nancy Miller)- lung cancer, Kevin Quinn (son-in-law of Rev. Carl F. Peterson), Marco Soto (uncle of Harry Rodriguez), Jo Wise, Roberta Danner (Friend of Linda Love), Lee Creamer (son of Rev. & Mrs. Creamer), Jim Lutz (friend of Barbara Zimmerman), Family of Eva Wacker (Linda Love)

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

Haley Warner, Director of Youth Ministries

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**Written by Arun Andrews

Prayer Service for Police and First Responders: November 15: Please join us.

The prayer service for our police and fire departments, EMTs, and all first responders has been rescheduled. We will meet Sunday, November 15th @ 4pm in the gazebo in the New Cumberland's Borough Park. Special music and prayers. Please bring a chair and your mask.

Celebrate from Heart & Spirit: Will be meeting every Thursday 11am-1pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please enter through the kitchen door, wear a mask, and sit 6 feet apart at the tables.

Christmas Poinsettias: Due to Covid 19 we will NOT BE ORDERING POINSETTIAS this year. Thank you for purchasing them in the past and allowing us to use them for decorations. May you each have a blessed Christmas. Joyce Klinger

Sanctuary Seat Cushions: The cushions have been taken off of the sanctuary pews in order to have the seats clean each time you come to services. You are welcome to bring a cushion back and forth with you, if you would find that helpful. Our custodian, Harry Rodriguez, cleans the sanctuary pews, the chairs in the Mt. Olivet Room, and Fellowship Hall after each service. Our aim is to keep you safe when you are in the church building.

November 15th World Hunger Sunday: Harvest Home for World Hunger Offering

Harvest Home for World Hunger Offering takes action to help address the urgent need of the hungry in our midst. **The offering goal is \$1 per member.** Please help by sending checks payable to Trinity with Harvest Home in the memo. **Jesus encouraged us to feed the hungry.**

Operation Christmas Child: Deadline for donations: November 16

This year, as a result of Covid 19 and the ramifications of this, we will not be collecting shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Therefore, we ask that you send your donation to Trinity UMC and that in the memo line you indicate that it's earmarked for Operation Christmas Child. Thank you.

Free Turkey Love Boxes for the Community: Monday, November 23rd

Donate by November 16th

All 75 Turkey Love boxes have been pre-booked. Participating churches: Trinity UMC, Baughman UMC, Community UMC, St. Theresa's Catholic Church, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, First Church of God, Red Land Baptist Church.

Trinity is asking for donations of Karn's gift cards (which can be purchased thru the church office) or monetary donations to purchase the turkeys.