

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA



HYMNS TO LIVE BY

Celebrating God's Grace
and Spirit in Music

***“WHEN PEACE LIKE A
RIVER”***

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN VISION STATEMENT

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we seek to BE Christ's faithful disciples, living – intentionally – the inward/outward journey as a community of the concerned, a fellowship of the forgiven, and a company of the committed – reaching out to make Christ's presence known in society through face-to-face servant ministry.

July 21st 2024 ~ Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

"The ringing of the bells moves us from a spirit of getting here to a spirit of being here."

GATHERED BY GOD IN WONDER

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

GATHERING SONG: NO. 305 "Come Sing, O Church, in Joy" v.1

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing praise to the Lord, you faithful people.

Give thanks to God's holy name.

For the Lord restores our life;

God raises us from the dead.

Will the dust sing God's praise,
or tell of God's faithfulness?

Our souls will sing to the Lord.

How can we be silent?

We will give thanks to God forever.

*OPENING HYMN: NO. 375 "Shall We Gather at the River" v.1-2

ADMITTING THE BROKENNESS OF LIFE

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Loving God, hear our prayer—
our eyes are tired from weeping,
our hearts are heavy with sin.**

We have trusted too much in our own strength.

We have hidden our faces from those who suffer.

We have turned away from neighbors in need.

We have given up hope instead of seeking your help.

Lord, be gracious to us.

**Forgive our sin, heal our brokenness,
and fill our hearts with songs of joy. Amen.**

Time for Silent Confession

Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

*SONG OF RESPONSE: NO. 821 "My Life Flows On" v.4

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*School-aged young disciples are welcome to proceed upstairs to
continue to worship with engaged hands, bodies, and minds.*

ENCOUNTERING THE WORD IN OUR MIDST

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Psalm 30 and Philippians 4:1-9

SERMON: "When Peace Like a River"

*HYMN OF RESPONSE: NO. 840 "When Peace Like a River"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: From *The 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.

RESPONDING IN GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD

*DOXOLOGY: NO. 609 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

It is right to give thanks and praise!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER:

...hear our cries, **O Lord; come quickly to our aid.**

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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*FINAL HYMN: NO. 465 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

*CHARGE

*SUNG BENEDICTION: NO: 295 "Go to the World!" v.2

NOTES, PRAYERS, AND HOLY DOODLES

Worship Leadership

Stephanie Sorge, Pastor
Greg Sachs, Liturgist
Eric Ruple, Pianist
Jason Brown, House Steward

*We welcome all who are visiting with us today
and encourage you to sign the guest book or to fill out the blue
"Welcome to Trinity" slip.*

Trinity Announcement

Sacred Threads Exhibit: Centering Space, in collaboration with the Virginia Quilt Museum, invites you to join us this Wednesday, July 24 from 1:30 - 3:30 at Silver Lake Mill in Dayton to view the traveling Sacred Threads Exhibit. This exhibit "explores themes of joy, inspiration, spirituality, healing, grief and peace/brotherhood." Cost for this event is \$8 general admission or \$7 for people over 65 and is payable at the door. Register for this event on our website! For more information, contact Teresa Harris or the church office.

Meal with Open Doors: On Sunday, August 4th Trinity will provide an outdoor meal with Open Doors. Food and volunteers are needed to make this meal a success. If you would like to volunteer to help or bring an item, please sign up online using our weekly email link.

Tools for School: Trinity is a collection point for this year's Tool for School event. Donate supplies here until August 5th. For a list of supplies needed, please see the weekly email or our website.

For more details and announcements: Visit the "What's Happening Now" page on our website.



This Week at Trinity

July 21 - July 27

Sunday, July 21

7:45 am - Book Study	Zoom
10:00 am - Hybrid Worship	Church House & Online
4:00 pm - Session Mtg	Yoke Room

Tuesday, July 23

4:00 pm - Centering Space Mtg (Registration Required)	Yoke Room
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Wednesday, July 24

5:45 am - Lectio Divina	Zoom
9:00 am - Clothes Closet set up	Commons
12:00 pm - Al-Anon Meeting	Yoke Room
1:30 pm - Sacred Threads Exhibit	Dayton, VA
6:30 pm - Clothes Closet Open	Commons

Thursday, July 25

6:30 pm - Enneagram Class	CS Rooms
7:00 pm - Chess Club	Commons

Friday, July 26

5:45 am - Lectio Divina	Zoom
8:30 am - Rocktown Wellness	Commons
5:30 pm - Virginia Organizing	Commons



**More
Announcements**



**Online
Calendar**

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN MISSION STATEMENT

Confident of our identity as God's pilgrim people sent into the world to embody the gospel and serve God's people as prophets, we eagerly search – with eyes and ears wide open – for the newness of Christ's love and grace breaking into our lives each day. To ALL, we offer a receptive, safe space:

- to *worship* in creative and participatory ways,
- to *nurture and be nurtured* as we learn and grow together – fearless of the questions and challenges that faith stirs within us,
- to be in *fellowship* with one another – building together a loving, forgiving, caring community; and,
- to experience the *mission* and ministry that calls us out - beyond ourselves – to work with God for justice, peace, and love.

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN SESSION

Stephanie Sorge, *Moderator*
Linda Bradley, *Clerk of Session*

CLASS OF 2024

Jason Brown
Rick Comstock
Kandy Grant
Virginia Healy

CLASS OF 2025

Dane Byers
Mark Dewey
Mary Lou McMillin
Susie Phend

CLASS OF 2026

David Carothers
Amy Lemmons
Ginnie Reinhold
Bob Schminkey



Church Office Hours:
Mon-Fri 10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Stephanie's Sabbath: Friday
Kim's Sabbath: Tuesday

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