THE SESSION

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TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.,

Worship: 9:00 a.m. Blended Worship Service & 11:00 a.m. Traditional Service

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

The Congregation **MINISTERS PASTOR** Rev. Steven Jewell SEMINARY INTERN Liz Herrick DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION Linda Kennedy Candy Wheat DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART **Shelley Shumate** WORSHIP ACCOMPANIST Melissa Weaver DIRECTOR OF CHOIRS Deanna Smith CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE **Bob Phillips** PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR Elizabeth Bodine **TREASURER** Larry Hartmann BUILDING CLOSER Bill Hambleton LITURGIST Carol Hartmann **COLLECTION COUNTERS** Lois Bringhurst and Betty Muse Linda Jones and Mary Charnes NURSERY VOLUNTEERS Kay Nolan, Thomas Douglas, Becky Douglas and Janet Husband USHERS 502-245-5515 -- Fax 502-245-5519 **TELEPHONE** 10200 Shelbyville Road, Louisville, KY 40223 **ADDRESS EMAIL ADDRESS** tpclouisville@att.net

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We are a welcoming church family, developing disciples who joyfully minister to others in the name of Christ.

Trinity Presbyterian Church Veteran's Day Service November 15, 2015

We extend a special welcome to our guests today! We hope you will find comfort and meaning in our service as we worship together. After the service, please join us at the entrance doors to receive a welcome gift and become better acquainted. Our church family appreciates your presence here today, and we look forward to seeing you again soon.

Worship Service—Veteran's Day Service November 15, 2015

"THE WESTMINSTER CHIMES"

(Please use this time to prepare for worship.)

GATHERING TOGETHER

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS

HONORING OUR VETERANS

PRELUDE: Ode to Joy Rachel Shumate, piano

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 23

Carol Hartmann

Leader: The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down

in green pastures. He leads me beside quiet waters.

People: He restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his

name's sake.

Leader: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear

no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

People: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You

anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

All: Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I

will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

* GATHERING SONG: It Is Well with My Soul—see insert

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION: (unison)

Carol Hartmann

based on "The Grace of the Cross" in The Valley of Vision

Our blessed Savior, we thank you for your wonderful grace and love won for us through your body which bore our sin on the cross. May your cross be to us the tree that sweetens every bitterness, the rod that blooms with life and beauty in our hearts, the staff that beckons us to look and be healed. By your cross, crucify in us every sin. Use the cross to increase our faith and trust in you. By your cross, affirm in us that all is well with our soul because you are our worthy Savior. In the promise of peace that passes all understanding, we confess to you our sins... (a moment of silent confession)

SILENTCONFESSION ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* GREETING ONE ANOTHER:

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: God Is So Good

God is so good. God is so good. He's so good to me. (repeat)

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 7:7-12 (pew Bible page 7)

Pastor Steve

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANTHEM: All Creatures of our God and King

Audrey Snyder

SERMON: A CHRISTIAN MANIFESTO: Good Gifts for Great Children Pastor Steve

AFFIRMING OUR FAITH: The Heidelberg Catechism—Question 1

Leader: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

People: That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself but

to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that he protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me

wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS:

(You are also invited to sign the friendship pad and pass along for others to do the same)

OFFERTORY: Softly and Tenderly

arr: Teresa Wilhelmi

* DOXOLOGY:

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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Steve

GOING INTO THE WORLD

* **SENDING SONG:** #361—How Firm a Foundation

* BENEDICTION Pastor Steve

* **POSTLUDE:** I Will Celebrate/Bless the Name of Jesus arr: Carol Tornquist

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Prayer Concerns

Phil Strohmeier; Sybil Ottman; RoseMary Hambleton; Carolyn Smith (co-worker of Melissa Weaver; Henry Hinson (grandson of TPC preschool teacher, Gail Hinson), Judy Davids; Mary Corum; Gary Watson; Don Crosser; Marie Farris; Norma Pennington; Norma Rich (mother of Mary Harville); Clyde Muse; Erica Shelley; Richard Ross; Bill McDaniel (Jim McDaniel's father); Marjorie Malzahn; Matt Zoeller; Mike & Carol Russell (friends of Diane Tinsley); Richard Paulmann; Andrew Cropper (Cathy & Tom Dawson's nephew); Karen Wyatt (Kay Nolan's cousin); David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Janet Pender; Kathy Willinger (Steve & Kay Nolan's daughter); Traci Genevose (Ann Moorman's stepsister); Carrey Dewey (Ann Moorman's friend); John Hanson (Jim McDaniel's brother-in-law); our service people and their families; peace in the world.

It Is Well with My Soul



Today's flowers are given by Janet Pender in honor of Jerry Pender's 80th Birthday.

Our collection counters next week will be Roger Harvell and Betty Wilborn; our nursery volunteers next week will be Ann Douglas and Mary Harville; and our ushers next week will be Sean & Ann Moorman, Becky Douglas and David Brandt (or Judith Bloor).

WoW: November 25th: No WoW. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

SAVE THE DATE: The Christmas dinner is on Sunday, December 13th at 5:00 p.m. It is potluck with the Fellowship providing the meat, bread and drinks. Please bring a dish to share. A sign-up sheet is on the Fellowship bulletin board.

TPW CHRISTMAS SALE: Please note two inserts regarding the Christmas sale in the bulletin this week. One has information about the mission of the sale, and the need for volunteers. Please check the sign-up sheets on the TPW bulletin board to add your name to the lists. The second is a flyer giving the date and time of the sale. Please use this flyer to mark your calendars, and then take the flyer with you to post at your work, gym. community center, etc. Just as an idea, the flyer can also be copied to put in the paper boxes of neighbors. Color printed flyers are available in the Narthex to give to area businesses as you go about errands. The more the word gets out, the more people will come in!!

SPECIAL BIRTHDAY: George Goethe, who is a charter member of TPC, is having a birthday on November 24th. We are unsure of his exact age but we believe he is turning 102 or 103. His daughter Midge attends regularly. If anyone would like to send a card, his mailing address 4605 Mt. Vernon Drive, Bradenton, FL 34210.

YTD Contributions through 11/08/2015

	Actual	Budget	UNDER Budget
Pledge Contributions	\$172,777.62	\$172,911.67	(134.05)
Donors	\$53,173.00	\$66,733.33	(\$13,560.33)
TOTAL	\$225,950.62	\$239,645.00	(\$13,694.38)

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK of November 15, 2015

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SUNDAY (11/15)	9:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 3:15p.m.—4:15 p.m. 3:15 p.m.—4:15 p.m. 4:15 p.m.—5:00 p.m.	Last day to donate for EACM "What's for Dinner?" Blended Worship Service (Traditional & Contemporary) Sunday School Traditional Worship Service ENGAGE: Middle School Youth Group Adult Handbells Youth Handbells		
MONDAY (11/16)	1:00 p.m.—2:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Trinity Times Deadline St. Mary's Pottery Class Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off Session Meeting		
TUESDAY (11/17)	8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.—2:30 p.m. 2:30 p.m.—3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.—7:45 p.m.	Men's Study Group JCPS Pottery Class Apple Patch Pottery Class Private Student Pottery Class Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off Yoga Class		
WEDNESDAY (11/1	8) 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m.—1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m.—2:30 p.m. 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.—7:50 p.m. 7:00 p.m.—7:50 p.m.	Sew 'n Sews Open Studio Kaleidoscope Pottery Class Autism Group Pottery Class Dreams with Wings Pottery Class Private Student Pottery Class Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off WoW and WoW Jr. Dinner Cedar Lake Lodge Pottery Class WoW Jr. Program Youth Choir WoW Adult Program Children's Choir Adult Chancel Choir		
THURSDAY (11/19)	10:00 a.m.—11:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m. 1:00 p.m.—2:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.	Dreams with Wings Pottery Class Kaleidoscope Pottery Class St. Mary's Pottery Class Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off		
FRIDAY (11/20)	5:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.	Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off		
SATURDAY (11/21)	1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.	Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off		
SUNDAY (11/22)	9:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m. 3:15p.m.—4:15 p.m. 3:15 p.m.—4:15 p.m. 4:15 p.m.—5:00 p.m.	Blended Worship Service (Traditional & Contemporary) Sunday School Traditional Worship Service Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off ENGAGE: Middle School Youth Group Adult Handbells Youth Handbells		

Christnas Sale

20th Year! 1995—2015

Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

Homemade Baked Goods Cookies, Cakes, Breads, Candy, Pies

Handmade Gift Items
Christmas Décor, Table Linens,
Apparel, Accessories, Baubles &
More

🌉 Trinity Presbyterian Church

10200 Shelbyville Road • 245-5515 tpclouisville.net/Presbyterian-Women.html

All proceeds & contributions go to charities.

Trinity Church will be a relay center this year for Operation Christmas Child (OCC). We can use some help. You do not have to be young or strong to help with OCC – just a desire to help. We need volunteers to greet the donors, to offer to pray with the donors and the boxes, and to sit and make sure that the donors are signing in their boxes.

If you are a strong person, we could use your help loading the truck on Saturday, November 21st at 1:00 p.m.

There are sign-up sheets on the Mission Board. Please prayerfully consider helping. We will be having a packing party during WOW on November 18th, please bring items for the boxes.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SUGGESTIONS FOR SHOE BOX GIFTS



- LIGHTWEIGHT SHOES (FLIP FLOPS)
- PLASTIC DRINKING CUP
- SMALL STUFFED ANIMAL
- HARD CANDY, BUBBLE GUM (SEALED IN PLASTIC BAG)
- TOOTHPASTE & TOOTHBRUSH, DEODORANT, COMB/HAIRBRUSH, SOAP & WASHCLOTH
- SOCKS, T-SHIRT, ELASTIC WAISTED PANTS/SHORTS, UNDERWEAR
- CRAYONS, COLORED PENCILS, MARKERS, PENS, PENCIL SHARPENER, ERASERS, WRITING PAPER, COLORING BOOKS, GLUE STICK (NO LIQUID GLUE), RULERS
- SMALL TOYS SUCH AS: SLINKY, SUNGLASSES, HARMONICA, KAZOO, YO-YO, CARS, BALLS, STICKERS, TRAVEL GAMES.

PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE:

- <u>WAR RELATED ITEMS</u> (TOY SOLDIERS, TOY GUNS, ETC)
- <u>LIQUIDS</u> (INCLUDING SHAMPOO, GLUE, NAIL POLISH, SNOW GLOBES, ETC)
- <u>MEDICINES</u> (VITAMINS, COUGH DROPS, ETC)
- <u>GLASS/BREAKABLES</u> (MIRRORS, CHINA DOLLS, CHINA SETS, ETC)
- CHOCOLATE OR PERISHABLES
- USED OR WORN ITEMS

Operation Christmas Child Hours at TPC this year:

Monday November 16th through Thursday November 19th: 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. Friday November 20th: 5:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday November 21st & 22nd: 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m. Monday November 23rd: 5:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

Volunteer sign-up sheets are available on the Mission bulletin board



Annual Christmas Sale Trinity Presbyterian Women December 5, 2015 — 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Witnessing to the Promise – Nurturing Faith Engaging in Mission – Working for Justice and Peace

These are the action statements Trinity Presbyterian Women attempts to embrace. We especially do what we can to help orphans, widows and those displaced from their homes*. Raising money for worthy charities is one way we do it. Every cent earned at our Christmas Sale goes to charities that actively minister to the children, women and families.

The Christmas Sale is well received by the local community and our congregation, with shoppers coming year after year to purchase delicious holiday baked goods and beautifully hand crafted gifts. Fellowship Hall will be full of tables displaying our wares and with guests ready to shop! We have the joy of working together with the end result being the extension of love to those in need and bringing glory to our Lord.

We ask that you join us in this service. Each family is requested to make (not buy from the store or bakery) some special holiday treat as your contribution to the Christmas Sale – several batches of your family's favorite cookies or candies, holiday breads, cakes or pies. Like many of us, once the Thanksgiving meal has been cleared away and leftovers stored for later, it's then time to begin Christmas baking. With family and friends around to help, making a few extra batches of special candy and cookies becomes a pleasure!

Instructions for baked goods preparation are on the reverse. Christmas Sale representatives will be in the narthex on Sundays as the event approaches to answer questions you may have. And if you have the ability to volunteer on either Friday or Saturday, December 4 and 5, they can identify places where you can help.

Please invite your friends, family and neighbors to come to the Christmas Sale Saturday, December 5. Arrive early for best selections! Extra fliers are available share.

We thank you for your generous help.

Sampling of Charities Supported

*See Isaiah 1:17, Deuteronomy 14:29, Matthew 6:2 and James 1:27

Bellewood Presbyterian Home	Home of the Innocents	
Buckhorn Children & Family Srvs	Lifehouse Maternity Home	
Center for Women & Families	Family Scholar House	
Healing Place	Supplies Over Seas	

Christmas Sale Instructions for Baked Goods



Our tradition is that each family participate in this annual event by providing a minimum of two batches of classic Christmas cookies. Following is more information.

- 1. Label each and every plate, tray, container you want to have returned after the sale!
- 2. Use festive, pretty cookie plates and trays, even plates on pedestals that are visually attractive.
- 3. If you have additional plates, trays or pedestaled cake plates to loan for the day, we would welcome them!
- 4. For cookies and candies, the preferable presentation is:
 - ⇒ Use paper doilies on your plates. Consider securing the doily with Scotch tape. Various sized paper doilies can be obtained in the narthex on Sundays in November should you need them to take home.
 - ⇒ If your items will accommodate it, please stack your goodies high on your plate/tray, placing as much on one plate as possible.
- 5. Wrap foods securely with plastic wrap.
- 6. Include a note with:
 - \Rightarrow The recipe name
 - ⇒ Whether/what kind of nuts are in the recipe
 - ⇒ Your name
- 7. If you make a cake, pie or bread, can you suggest a fair price for your item? Cookies and most candies are priced "by the pound".
- 8. Bring your baked goods to Trinity's kitchen on Friday, December 4, between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. (If you know you won't be able to drop off your goods then, please call our Kitchen Chairs so we can make arrangements: Kay Nolan @ 254-2735 or Sandra Hollensead @ 593-4014.)

Not unlike a cookie exchange, instead of receiving more cookies, your return is knowing that you helped to raise funds that will go to treatment options for disabled youth, seed money to start a home business for impoverished mothers, clean water, natural disaster victims in the region, educational opportunities, and more.

Thank you!

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Worship Service November 15, 2015 9:00 a.m.

Welcome & Announcements

Sharing Joys & Concerns

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Gathering Song: #361—How Firm a Foundation

Time of Confession

Scripture Reading: Matthew 7:7-12

Sermon: A CHRISTIAN MANIFESTO: Good Gifts for Great Children

The Lord's Supper

Sending