

THE SESSION

Betty Muse, Clerk of Session

2019	2020	2021
Max Oyler	Ann Douglas	Marc Bushue
Jennifer Petty	Sandra Hollensead	Bert Lundstrom
Mike Stevens	Betty Muse	Bonnie Mullin

THE DEACONS

Judith Bloor-Brandt, Moderator of the Deacons

2019	2020	2021
Anuji Abraham	Judith Bloor-Brandt	Jill McCullough
Susan Bauer	Bill Husband	Rebecca Perry
Sheryl Oyler	Brenda Miller	Carol Redd

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.

MINISTERS

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DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & YOUTH HANDBELLS

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

December 15, 2019

***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

December 15, 2019

“THE WESTMINSTER CHIMES” (Please use this time to prepare for worship.)

GATHERING TOGETHER

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

based on Isaiah 35

Imad El-Imam

Leader: Strengthen our weak hands, steady our wobbly knees. Declare to our fearful hearts, “Be strong, be not afraid; your God will come and save you.”
People: **Therefore, we come before the Lord with joyful singing; God’s everlasting joy will cover us.**
Leader: Lord, overwhelm us with gladness; cause our sorrow to give way to rejoicing. Stir us to celebrate the birth of our Savior-King.

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

* **GATHERING SONG** All My Heart Today Rejoices #21

* **CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Imad El-Imam

God, our Father, you are unchanging in your perfection and power. Lord Jesus Christ, by offering yourself as a perfect sacrifice, your forgiving grace is opened to us. Holy Spirit, ever-present and active in our lives, you open our sin-stubborn hearts to believe and receive new life in Christ. Gracious God, you are our trust and hope and joy. Believing your promise to forgive, we confess to you . . . (silent confession).

* **GREETING ONE ANOTHER**

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

* **SONG OF RESPONSE** O Come, All Ye Faithful (refrain)

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord!

***CONFESSING OUR FAITH** The Apostles’ Creed (Traditional) p. 14

ANTHEM

Oh, Peter, Go Ring Dem Bells

Chancel Choir
arr. Howard Helvey

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Peter 1:10–12

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE



SERMON

RESTING IN THE REDEEMER: Joy

Pastor Steve

PRESENTING OUR FAITH COMMITMENTS AND FAITH GIFTS

(Please sign and pass along the friendship pad found in the pew.)

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Bring a Torch, Jeanette Isabella

arr. Dave & Jean Perry

*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.

GOING INTO THE WORLD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*SENDING SONG

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice (vs. 1 & 3)

#28

POSTLUDE

love. grow. serve.

** Please stand as you are able. Large print Bibles and hymnals, as well as hearing devices, are available. Please feel free to ask a greeter for help.*

The Flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Sandra Hollensead in memory of her parents, Conrad & Martha Hale.



PLEASE READ:
IMPORTANT
MESSAGE

If you are paying for donations or pledges for next year (2020), please make a note of it on the memo line of your check. Otherwise, it will be assumed it is intended for the current year (2019).

The collection counters for next week, December 22, 2019, will be Ann or David Douglas & Brad Harville

Prayer Concerns

Baby Brooks and family (Friends of Jim McDaniel); Johnnie Jacobs (nephew of Tom & Cathy Dawson); Brittany Lerro (Neighbor of Kathy MacDonald); Jerry Peak (husband of Art Center volunteer); Carol Redd; William McDaniel; Stacy Redd (Carol Redd's daughter); Joan Sanford (Ann Douglas' mom); BarD' Peoples; John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); Donna Peak (volunteer in F & A Center); Lauren Hoover (daughter of Herb Kallweit and stepdaughter of Martha Warrick); Brent Stiller (son-in-law of Walter & Ruth French); Paige & family (David Brandt's niece); Jean Schachner and children (Collette Sangster's daughter and grandchildren); Skip Wilborn; Ann Hocker (friend of Linda Jones); Margaret Bloss; Jane Kurfees; Phil Strohmeier; Henry Hinson (grandson of TPC preschool teacher, Gail Hinson); Marie Farris; Erica Shelley; Richard Ross; Andrew Cropper (Cathy & Tom Dawson's nephew); David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Baker Family; Kathy MacDonald & Family; Ghyll Simoneschi & family; Bill Hambleton & Family; Martha Warrick & Family; Melissa Weaver & Family; David Douglas' father; Clarke Johnson, Don Crosser, Harper Davis, Cathy Conn, Hana Duzdar, & peace in the world.

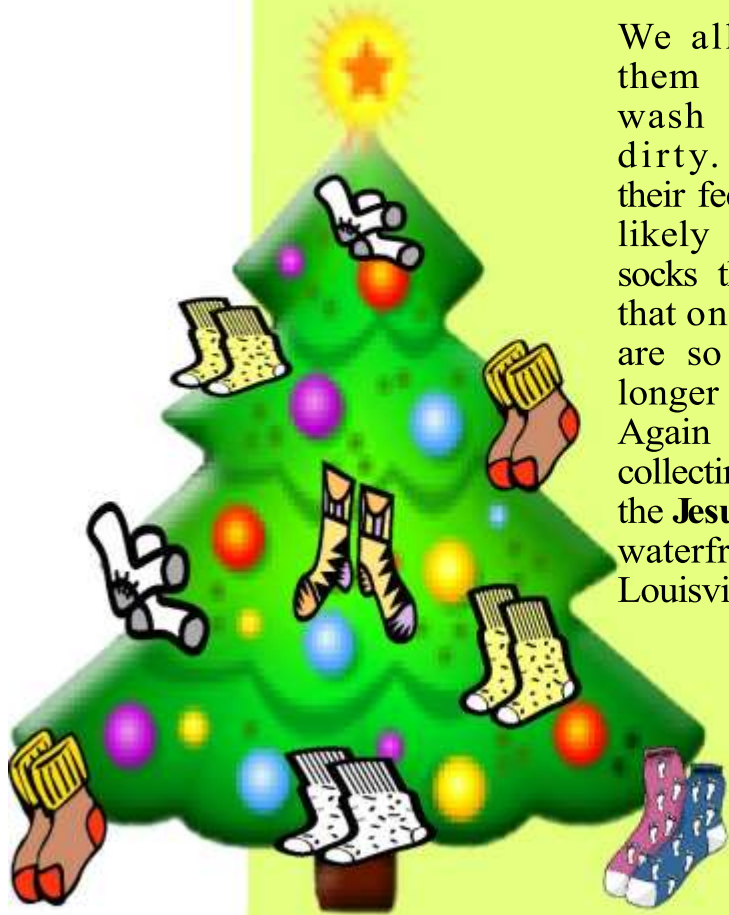


OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK of December 15, 2019

SUNDAY (12/15)	9:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Casual Worship Service Sunday School Traditional Worship Service Christmas Dinner (Fellowship Hall)
MONDAY (12/16)	Next Dartball Match January 6, 2020	
TUESDAY (12/17)	8:30 a.m. 11:00–Noon 1:00 p.m.–2:00 p.m. 2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.	Men's Breakfast (Wild Eggs) Autism Pottery Class Apple Patch Pottery Class Autism Pottery Class
WEDNESDAY (12/18)	9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.–Noon 11:00 a.m.–Noon 1:00–2:00 p.m. 2:30 –3:30 p.m. 4:30–5:30 p.m. 7:00–8:00 p.m.	Sew 'n Sews Open Studio Autism Pottery Class Dreams w/ Wings Pottery Class Autism Pottery Class Autism Pottery Class No WOW in December Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THURSDAY (12/19)	10:00–11:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Dreams w/Wings Pottery Class Session
FRIDAY (12/20)	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
SUNDAY (12/22)	9:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Casual Worship Service Sunday School Traditional Worship Service

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Operation Warm Feet



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We all wear them; we change them daily. We are able to wash them when they are dirty. Homeless people are on their feet all day and they are most likely wearing the only pair of socks they own. Most will wear that one pair of socks until they are so thread bare that they no longer hold together. Again this Christmas, we will be collecting Men's socks to donate to the **Jesus Cares @ Exit 0 Ministry** a waterfront ministry here in Louisville Area.

PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATION OF
MEN'S SOCKS TO CHURCH DURING
THE MONTH OF DECEMBER.

PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER!

The preschool is having a raffle fundraiser to raise money for classroom instructional materials and activities. We will be selling raffle tickets for a 6-quart, 7-in-1 duo Instant Pot. The tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. The drawing will be held on *Friday, December 20*, and the winner will be notified by phone. Information about the raffle is located on the table in the narthex. Brenda Miller was the winner of our raffle last year. Thank you for your support of the preschool program.



Update from TPW:

Many messages of thanks are extended to all who came together making the 2019 Christmas Sale a success. We were blessed with a sunny day, good attendance from the community, volunteers from our congregation, and tables full of lovely craft and baked items. A special thank you goes to our musicians: Melissa Weaver, Doug Harville, Barbara Cooke, Lila Hayden, and Natalie Hayden, whose talents lent an angelic feeling to the excitement of the Sale.



Thank you also to Pastor Steve, who has led us to grow this year in Love and Service. We are most grateful to be celebrating the birth, life by example, and sacrificial death given to us by Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Please see the TPW 2019 annual report to come for a summary of the fund-raising missions this year. Happy Advent and Merry Christmas to All!!



Please plan to arrive early for beautiful Christmas music on **Christmas Eve starting at 6:35 in the sanctuary**. Our Hand Bell Choirs will play, as well as other talented Trinity musicians. The worship service begins at 7:00 p.m., but come be blessed by the music offered by members of our congregation to enhance the beauty of this holy season.

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Welcome & Announcements

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Gathering Song Joy to the World! #40

Time of Confession

Scripture Reading 1 Peter 1:10–12



Sermon RESTING IN THE REDEEMER: Joy Pastor Steve

Sharing in the Lord's Supper

Closing Prayer and Sending

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