THE SESSION

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THE DEACONS

Marty Johnson, Moderator of the Deacons

2021 2023

Jill McCullough Kay Hardy-Hines Lois Bringhurst

Rebecca Perry Marty Johnson Cathy Dawson

Carol Redd Sandy Koukola Brittney Maslowski

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11:00 a.m. LiveStream

The Congregation MINISTERS Rev. Steven Jewell **PASTOR** Candy Wheat DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY Melissa Weaver DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & YOUTH HANDBELLS Doug Harville PIANIST/ORGANIST Won Joo Ahn **CE COORDINATOR** Janice Kim **Sherry Pritts** CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE River City Clean Team PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR Elizabeth Bodine

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

September 12, 2021

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 September 12, 2021

GATHERING TOGETHER

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Suzanne Lundstrom

PRELUDE

INVITATION TO WORSHIP Suzanne Lundstrom

GATHERING SONG Take My Life #391

TIME OF CONFESSION

God is so good. God is so good.

God is so good. He's so good to me.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Janice Kim

SPECIAL MUSIC O Great God arr. Dan Forrest

Adult Choir

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 20:20–28

SERMON HABITS OF GRACE: Offering Our Stuff

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING BLESSING

Make Me a Servant

Make me a servant, humble and meek.

Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.

And may the prayer of my heart always be:

Make me a servant, make me a servant today.

Scripture reading for next week:
HABITS OF GRACE Offering Our Witness
Matthew 28:16–20

love. grow. serve.



If you would like to support the ministry of Trinity Presbyterian Church, simply scan this QR code with the camera on your smartphone, and you will be redirected to our secure online giving Website. Or, visit our Website, www.tpclouisville.net and click the "Give Now" box at the top of the page.

Thank you for giving in faith and for investing in the Lord's ongoing ministry of changing lives for the glory of God.

Mission Committee News

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

The collection item for the month of September is games, and suggestions include marbles, puzzles, playing cards, tic-tac-toe, and etch-a-sketch. Do keep in mind that all items must be age appropriate and small enough to fit in the shoebox.

"At first we had no idea what the Etch A Sketch was. After having it displayed on a shelf for a couple of months, my sister was dusting and she turned the knobs. When she saw the line going up and down on the screen she was so excited."—Yuliya, Central Asia





Eastern Area Community Ministries (EACM)

Your continued support of EACM is a blessing to those in need. The donation barrel is in the Narthex and toilet paper and laundry detergent are supplies that are always needed. Cash donations are also always appreciated as well as gift cards.

Burrito Riders

We encourage you to keep making burritos for the third quarter! And if you haven't made them yet, give it a try. Love your neighbor!

Matthew 20:20-28

²⁰ Then the mother of the sons of Zebedee came up to him with her sons, and kneeling before him she asked him for something. ²¹ And he said to her, "What do you want?" She said to him, "Say that these two sons of mine are to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your kingdom." ²² Jesus answered, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I am to drink?" They said to him, "We are able." ²³ He said to them, "You will drink my cup, but to sit at my right hand and at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared by my Father." ²⁴ And when the ten heard it, they were indignant at the two brothers. ²⁵ But Jesus called them to him and said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. ²⁶ It shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, ²⁷ and whoever would be first among you must be your slave, ²⁸ even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

HABITS OF GRACE: Offering Our Stuff Matthew 20:20-28

"Our Love Turns to Rust." (U2)

Wrestling with What Is Truly Worthwhile

- 1. Seeking Special Status (v. 20–21)
- 2. Privilege Comes at a Price (v. 22–23)
- 3. The Ground of True Greatness (v. 24–28)

Offering Our Stuff in Service of Our Lord

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given anonymously in honor of our awesome congregation!!



Flower Dates Available

The only date available to provide flowers for service is December 31.

Prayer Concerns

Donna Peak and her husband, Jerry Peak (Art Center volunteer); John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); Henry Hinson (grandson of TPC preschool teacher, Gail Hinson); Erica Shelley; Andrew Cropper (Cathy & Tom Dawson's nephew); David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Carol Redd & Stacy Mills; Harper Davis, Imad El-Imam, Barbara Keyser & family, Judy Davids; Martha Warrick; David & Ann Douglas & Family; the family of Jeri Blair; Ellen Diers (cousin of Kay Nolan), Helen (Roger Harvell's mother) and Roger's dad, (also Roger Harvell), Ghyll Simoneschi, Mardi Crosser & Family, Jack Kelly's sister, Martha, Bob & Camille Williams-Neal; Melissa Weaver and family, especially, her daughter, Rachel, and new grandson, Winn; Mark French (Ruth French's son), David Strohmeier, son of Phil & Linda Strohmeier, Candy Wheat, and peace in the world.

ACTIVITIES for the WEEK

	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Online Youth Group In-person Worship LiveStream Worship Small Group Study
WEDNESDAY (09/15)	6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Adult Handbells Adult Choir Rehearsal
FRIDAY (09/17)	7:00 –9:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
SUNDAY (09/19)	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Online Youth Group In-person Worship LiveStream Worship Small Group Study

Please Note: Classes for the Faith & Art pottery studio are canceled until after Candy's elbow heals.



Sew 'n Sews Early Gift Sale

Please take a few moments after our worship service to browse through the wonderful items for sale in the Narthex. Everything is made with love!

It's never too early to start gift shopping!



Back by Popular Demand!

Everyone had so much fun at the last golf scramble that we're planning another one on Saturday, September 18, 2021, at the Eagle Creek Golf Club at 8:30 a.m.!

Please contact Tom Dawson at (502) 649-4166, or tmdawson22@gmail.com ASAP so he can get a head count and make the reservation!



Presbyterian Women Update

Trinity Presbyterian Women (TPW) will resume their Circle meeting in the months of September 2021 to May 2022, with the first meeting on Sept 14.. Our subject will be Women of the Bible. All Trinity women are members of TPW, and we invite each of you to join us at 9:30am tn the Parlor the second Tuesday of each month. Following a short business meeting and prayer time, we will begin our lesson. Please bring a snack and beverage for fellowship time following the lesson,

Much love to all, Your TPW

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The needs for the response will be great. God's people are once again called on to stand in the "GAP" — Give. Act. Pray.

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