THE SESSION

Cathy Conn & Carol Hartmann, Co-Clerks of Session

202120222023Marc BushueRon DawsonCathy ConnBert LundstromAmy ElderKenny HinesBonnie MullinCarol HartmannMatthew Perry

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** DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART Candy Wheat DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY Melissa Weaver DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & YOUTH HANDBELLS Doug Harville PIANIST/ORGANIST Won Joo Ahn CE COORDINATOR Janice Kim CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY **Sherry Pritts** CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE River City Clean Team PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR Elizabeth Bodine FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR Diane Jewell BUILDING CLOSER LITURGIST Carol Hartmann

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December 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 December 12, 2021

Third Sunday of Advent

GATHERING TOGETHER

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Carol Hartmann

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH based on Isaiah 9:2–3

Leader: The people who walk in darkness will see a great light.

People: On those living in a land of deep darkness, a light will

shine.

Leader: You will enlarge your people, the nation of Israel, and they will

rejoice.

People: Like the celebration of a great harvest, they will overflow

with great joy.

All: Praise the LORD, for he has shown us the wonders of his

unfailing love.

GATHERING SONG Good Christian Friends, Rejoice #28

TIME OF CONFESSION

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Janice Kim

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Charles & Greta Bemisderfer Greta Bushue
Stacy Mills Addy Elder
Barbara Sheeler Lila Hayden
Maggie Jewell

ANTHEM The Journey Lloyd Larson

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 13:8–12

SERMON

THE HEART OF CHRISTMAS: Love's Endurance

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING BLESSING

O Come, All Ye Faithful

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Scripture reading for next week:

The Third Sunday of Advent
THE HEART OF CHRISTMAS: Love's Greatness
1 Corinthians 13:13

Words to Anthem "The Journey"

Where is He, Oh where is He?

His star blazes in the night: as we trace the changing skies,

He is hiding from our sight.

Can you tell us where He lies? We would worship Him tonight, and will journey 'til we find, and our search is turned to sight.

Your guiding light shows us the way, we see your morning star ascend! To you, dear Christ, all searches come, in You our journey finds its end.

The star beams its golden ray over sleepy Bethlehem where, with joy,

we find the Child, and with gifts, we worship Him.

While we thought we came to You in a little starlit place,

it was You who came to us, Christ, the Glory of God's face.



VIOLIN RECITAL

On Tuesday, December 14, from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary, there will be a recital for students of Dr. Timothy Durbin (teacher of Natalie and Lila Hayden, members of TPC) All are welcome to attend!

MESSAGE FROM TPW

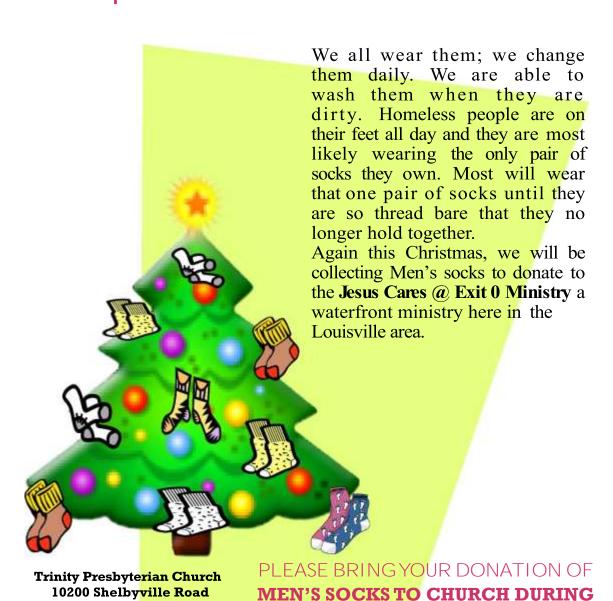
Dear Congregation:

Our Christmas Sale this year generated proceeds totaling \$2,587.85. With Spring and Fall Sales, we have \$3979.95 available to continue our support of local charities and missions. This would not be possible without the generosity of service time and purchases from all of you. We feel your appreciation and love for us.

The Norton Children's Hospital Auxiliary also did well at our Sale. They were pleased with our fellowship hall space and hospitality. Collectively, we felt a satisfaction and joy from our visitors regarding experience of shopping with us. The love of the Auxiliary for health care of children added a profound additional meaning to our efforts to reach out to the community. Again,thank you, and God bless us everyone.

much love, TPW

Operation Warm Feet



THE MONTH OF DECEMBER.

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The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by the Jewell family in honor of Barb Sheeler's birthday!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BARB!!



Flower Sign-up Chart

The new calendar for signing up to provide flowers for worship is now posted on the bulletin board in the hallway! You may sign-up to honor an event or a loved one for any day during 2022!



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; David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Carol Redd & Stacy Mills; Harper Davis, Imad El-Imam, Judy Davids; 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, Marilyn Davis, and peace in the world.

ACTIVITIES for the WEEK

(12/12)	11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	LiveStream Worship Small Group Study
TUESDAY (12/14)	10:30 a.m1:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m12:30 p.m. 2:00 -3:00 p.m. 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. 6:00-7:30 p.m.	Circle in the parlor Private pottery students St. Mary's pottery class Private pottery students Violin Recital in the sanctuary

WEDNESDAY (12/15) 9:30 a.m. –11:00 am Sew 'n Sews

11:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. F&A Open Studio

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. St. Mary's pottery class 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Private Pottery Classes

In-person Worship

6:00 p.m. Adult Handbells

7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY (12/17) 7:00 –9:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study

SUNDAY (12/19) FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

11:00 a.m.In-person Worship11:00 a.m.LiveStream Worship5:00 p.m.Small Group Study



SUNDAY (12/12)

Match Results

Record: 18-9

Monday, December 6, 2021 TPC vs. St. Matthews Methodist Church

> Game 1: W 4–1 on 8 hits Game 2: L 3–2 on 4 hits Game 3: W 5–2 on 7 hits

Next Match: Away Monday 12/13/2021 @ 7:30 pm vs. . Portland Presbyterian Church