THE SESSION

Cathy Conn & Carol Hartmann, Co-Clerks of Session

2022 2023 2024

Ron Dawson Cathy Conn Thomas Douglas
Amy Elder Matthew Perry Jennifer Hacker
Carol Hartmann Brad Harville

THE DEACONS

Cathy Dawson, Moderator of the Deacons

2022 2023 2024
Kay Hardy-Hines Lois Bringhurst Anuji Abraham
Marty Johnson Cathy Dawson Deb Kelly
Sandy Koukola Brenda Miller

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11:00 a.m. LiveStream

MINISTERS The Congregation PASTOR Rev. Steven Jewell DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART Candy Wheat Melissa Weaver DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & YOUTH HANDBELLS Doug Harville PIANIST/ORGANIST Won Joo Ahn CE COORDINATOR Rebecca Perry **CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY Sherry Pritts** Sunnyside Building Services LLC CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE Elizabeth Bodine PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR

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

December 18, 2022

love. grow. serve.

Worship Service December 18, 2022

The Fourth Sunday of Advent

If you are visiting us today, we are so glad to worship God together with you. To learn more about who we are and what God is doing through us, please fill out one of the visitor cards available in the lobby.

As we worship God, we ask that you please silence your cell phones.

"GATHERING TOGETHER

GATHERING SONG O Little Town of Bethlehem #44

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Amy Elder

PRELUDE Melodie Gluck

Natalie Hayden, Violin

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH Amy Elder

The Candle of Love Isaiah 60:1–3

Leader: Arise, shine, for your light has come; the glory of the

LORD has risen upon you.

People: For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick

darkness the peoples;

Leader: But the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will be seen

upon you.

People: And nations shall come to your light, kings to the

brightness of your rising.

CONGREGATIONAL SONG

Away in a Manger #25

GATHERING PRAYER

ANTHEM While Shepherds Watched Their Sheep

arr. Hugo Jungst

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Andy & Madison Cannava in honor of Christmas!



TPW Update on Christmas Sale 12/3–4

Thank you **very much** to all who helped make our Christmas Sale successful this year: To Support Services for table setup, take down, tree decorating, and Christmas Sale sign maintenance. To Cathy Conn, Sherry Pritts, and Jennifer Hacker for managing weigh tables and receiving payments. To Kay Nolan and Jeannie Lind for bagging items purchased. To Melissa Weaver, Doug Harville and Lila and Natalie Hayden for inspiring music. To Madison and Andy Cannava for announcing Raffle table winners. To Carol Hartmann for kitchen support. To all those who contributed baked goods and time to help our guests make selections among our delicious goodies. To Norton Children's Hospital Auxiliary for also contributing baked goods, and for advertising our Sale in their system-wide newsletter. To all who purchased items from the Sale. And, lastly, to the Sew 'n Sews and others who used their talents to create useful and attractive handmade items for our shopping guests. Decisions about distribution of our proceeds will be made at the January Circle meeting. God is good . . . ALL THE TIME!

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events!

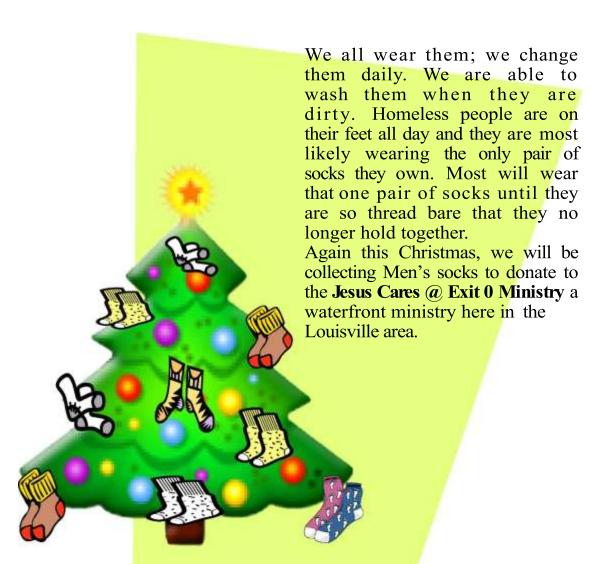
Christmas dinner TODAY, December 18, 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Christmas Eve candlelight service, Saturday, December 24, at 7:00 p.m.



Dartball matches will resume on January 9, 2023.

Operation Warm Feet



Trinity Presbyterian Church 10200 Shelbyville Road Louisville, KY 40223 (502) 245-5515 PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATION OF MEN'S SOCKS TO CHURCH DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER.

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 2:25-38

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Children may depart to children's church after the message.

SERMON

JOY TO THE WORLD:

Savoring the Savior's Love

Pastor Steve

PRESENTING OUR OFFERING TO GOD

Offertory Doxology

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING BLESSING

Joy to the World! (vv. 1–4)

#40

Scripture reading for next week

JOY TO THE WORLD: The Savior Is Born Luke 2:1–7

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Maryhurst Christmas Gifts

The 20 Maryhurst girls on our list have all been spoken for! Please bring your gifts to the church office ASAP!

Thank You Trinity!!

From Your Finance Committee

| Year-t | o-date thru October | Budget to Date | Same Time Last Year |
|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Pledges | \$162,062 | \$170,526 | \$186,746 |
| Donors | \$ 33,628 | \$ 45,434 | \$ 53,212 |



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.



Please join us for a time of fellowship and tasty food at the TPC Christmas Dinner TONIGHT, December 18 at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

TPC will provide the meat, bread, & beverages. Everyone attending is asked to bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share.

It's gonna be good, y'all!!

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK

| SUNDAY (12/18) | 11:00 a.m. | In-person Worship |
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| , , | 11:00 a.m. | LiveStream Worship |
| | 5:30 p.m. | TPW Christmas Dinner |

WEDNESDAY (12/21) 9:30–11:00 a.m. Sew 'n Sews

7:00 p.m. Adult Choir practice

SATURDAY (12/24) CHRISTMAS EVE!!

7:00 p.m. Candlelight Service

SUNDAY (12/25) MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

11:00 a.m. In-person Worship 11:00 a.m. LiveStream Worship

Prayer Concerns

Donna Peak and her husband, Jerry Peak (Art Center volunteer); John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); Phil Strohmeier; 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; Imad El-Imam, Judy Davids; David Douglas & Family; Helen (Roger Harvell's mother) and Roger's dad, (also Roger Harvell), Ghyll Simoneschi, Toka Moody (friend of Sherry), Mike McCullough, Amy Crosser, Harry Jewell, Bill Husband & family, Kim Aubrey; Abigail Wallace, George Stone, Libba (Jack & Deb Kelly's daughter), Deb Kelly, Joe Hoffert, Joe & Jaclyn, and their father, Thomas (students of the Faith & Art Center); and peace in the world.



Christmas 2022

The beautiful poinsettias in the sanctuary this Christmas were provided by the following people in honor and memory of their loved ones.

Mardi Crosser - In memory of Don Crosser & Joe Crosser

Jennifer Hacker — In memory of Robert Clark

The Harville Family — In memory of John & Mallie Rich and Harris & Lillian Douglas

The Jewell Family — In memory of family and friends we miss

Mike & Jill McCullough — In memory of their parents

Billie McDonald — In memory of James McDonald

Dennis & Brenda Miller — In memory of their parents, Joe & Rosemary Miller and Al & Jackie Phelps

Kyle & Bonnie Mullin — In memory of their loved ones; in honor of their children and grandchildren

Betty Muse — In memory of Sally & Clyde Muse, Jr., Ruth & Clyde Muse, Sr., and Ethel & Sam Litman, and In honor of Bob & Camille Williams-Neal

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