

THE SESSION

Cathy Conn & Carol Hartmann, Co-Clerks of Session

2023	2024	2025
Cathy Conn	Thomas Douglas	Ann Douglas
Matthew Perry	Jennifer Hacker	Jill McCullough
Carol Hartmann	Brad Harville	Betty Muse

THE DEACONS

Cathy Dawson , Moderator of the Deacons

2023	2024	2025
Lois Bringham	Anuji Abraham	Mardi Crosser
Cathy Dawson	Deb Kelly	
Kay Hardy-Hines	Brenda Miller	

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11:00 a.m. LiveStream

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

November 5, 2023

love. grow. serve.

Worship Service November 5, 2023

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 How He Loves You and Me See Insert

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Betty Muse

PRELUDE

INVITATION TO WORSHIP Betty Muse
based on Psalm 84:1–4

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty!

People: Our soul yearns, even faints, for the slightest sense of your closeness.

Leader: We desperately cry out for your presence among us, O Living God!

People: That we might live with you in your house ever praising your name.

CONGREGATIONAL SONG Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me #366

TIME OF CONFESSION

The Apostles' Creed (traditional) p. 14

ANTHEM Just As I Am arr: Howard Helvey

Giving Opportunity

Bibles, Teaching & Training Materials Needed

Pastor Prasad Aghamkar, the pastor of Eternal Life Asian Church that worships here in our Fellowship Hall one Saturday per month, is leaving on a special mission trip to India December 22. He will be gone 3 weeks.

He will be visiting many of the poorest churches in India who are currently without leadership as many of the churches lost their pastors due to COVID. He will be training lay people from the churches to take over leading the congregations.

In order to accomplish this, he needs bibles and other training materials. Most of these churches are unable to afford bibles for their members.

If you are led to contribute to this very important venture for Pastor Prasad, you may go the Website of **Northeast Christian Church**, click on “give today”, and designate Indian Church Ministry Fund, Account #4123, to give to Pastor Prasad’s mission trip. Thank you!!



Through the Bible Together



Let's join one another in reading through the Bible together. There is no greater book we can immerse ourselves in or invest our time in reading than God's Word. The schedule we will follow is the "Five Day Bible Reading" plan. This plan assigns an Old Testament and New Testament passage to read for five days each week. That way, if we get behind, we always have two "make up" days to get caught up.

Setting aside regular time in God's Word, by listening to the voice of God and hearing the Holy Spirit apply truth to our lives, will grow us individually and collectively as devoted followers of Jesus Christ.

Week Forty-Five: November 5-11

Ezekiel 31-33; John 11

Ezekiel 34-36; Psalm 86; John 12

Ezekiel 37-39; Psalm 87; John 13

Ezekiel 40-42; John 14

Ezekiel 43-45; Psalm 135; John 15

Prayer Concerns

John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); Phil Strohmeier; David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Carol Redd; Ghyll Simoneschi, Toka Moody (friend of Sherry), Amy Crosser, Harry Jewell, Jack & Deb Kelly, Mark Smith (a friend of Jim McDaniel), Candy Wheat, Barb Sheeler; Nick Hoffert, Sandy Koukola; Randy Lind (son-in-law of Kay Nolan's friend, Mary); Greta Bemisderfer, Jackie Morrow, Rev. Ed Gayhart, Roger Harvell (job search), Skip & Joyce Berry (lung transplant), Carol Redd, and peace in the world.

GROWING IN THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE READING Song of Songs 2:8–17

SERMON Pastor Steve
THE BLESSED UNION OF SOULS: The Anticipation of Love

PRESENTING OUR OFFERING TO GOD
Offertory
Doxology

SONG OF PREPARATION Let Us Break Bread Together (vv. 1&2) #513

CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING BLESSING Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above #483
(Mit Freuden Zart)

Scripture reading for next week:

THE BLESSED UNION OF SOULS: The Adoration of Love
Song of Songs 4:9–16



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

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK

SUNDAY (11/5)	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	In-person Worship
	11:00 a.m.	LiveStream Worship
MONDAY (11/6)	7:30 p.m.	Dartball —Away vs. St. Matthews Methodist Church
TUESDAY (11/7)	9:00 – 5:00	Autism Pottery Classes
WEDNESDAY (11/8)	9:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Sew ‘n Sews
	10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	F&A Open Studio
	6:00 p.m.	Bell Choir
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY (11/12)	11:00 a.m.	In-person Worship
	11:00 a.m.	LiveStream Worship
	Noon	Chili Cook-off!

ATTENDANCE FOR OCTOBER 2023 — Average 63

In-person at 11:00 a.m. 10/1–45, 10/8–56, 10/15–61, 10/22–78; 10/29–65

Communion was served at church on 10/1 to 40

Communion served to homebound: 4

Previous year’s statistics: October 2022 average in-person: 63

From Your Finance Committee

	Year-to-date thru September 2023	Budget to Date	Last Year
Pledges	\$118,707	\$143,190	\$147,399
Donors	\$ 53,622	\$ 63,304	\$ 31,638

* We encourage all of us to check our pledges and payments on those pledges as we near the end of the year.

2023 Thanksgiving Dinner

*Help your neighbor by
Providing a Thanksgiving Basket through
Eastern Area Community Ministries!*

Fill a **Reusable Bag** with the following items:
(Please do not include any fresh fruits or vegetables.)

- ♦ \$25 Kroger card for **perishable** food items
(Please give to a member of the Mission Committee)
- ♦ Box of instant mashed potatoes
- ♦ 4 cans of vegetables
- ♦ packaged or canned gravy
- ♦ **Boxed** stuffing mix
- ♦ 4 cans of fruit
- ♦ Cranberry sauce
- ♦ pie filling/crust OR cake mix/frosting
- ♦ evaporated milk
- ♦ tea bags / lemonade or drink mix (boxed or powder Only)

BRING YOUR ITEMS TO TRINITY BY
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023



TRINITY CHILI

COOK-OFF

Sunday, November 12 at noon!

**Sign up on the Fellowship
Bulletin board!**



The flowers today were planned for and provided by Stacy Mills in honor of her mother Carol Redd's very special birthday coming up on Thanksgiving!



Happy 90th Birthday, Carol!!!



**Christmas Sale Volunteers Needed
December 2, 2023 –9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

The sign-up sheets are posted on the TPW bulletin board in the hallway from the Fellowship Hall to the Narthex. Plan now to be a part of this festive event, now in its 28th year!

Sew 'n Sews and the Faith and Art Center pottery makers have been busy preparing items for the Sale. Needed are baked goods, help with decorating (Thursday, Nov. 2, noon to 6:00), volunteers to staff the baked goods tables during the Sale, and help with clean-up after the Sale. This is a church-wide effort and works best when all of us lend a hand. Help keep the tradition strong by joining with us in the Spirit of love for Christmas giving and receiving!!!

Thank you,
TPW



**PLEASE TAKE A SHOEBOX (OR MORE)
AND PACK WITH LOVE AND PRAYER**
(List of suggestions is in the brochure!)

Return to Trinity on or before **November 13**, and we will be glad to drop it off for you, **or** you can drop them off at any of the official drop-off locations. The closest locations are:

- Highview Baptist East Campus (Shelbyville Road)
- Our Savior Lutheran Church (Nottingham Parkway)
- New Life Church (on Goose Creek Road)

ANOTHER OPTION: BUILD A SHOEBOX ONLINE
Samaritanspurse.org/buildonline

You select fun items to add to your box.
You can upload a personal photo and note.

These boxes go to sensitive areas around the world where it is often more difficult to share the Gospel.

Sing for a Season . . . or Longer!

Come sing with the choir for Advent and Christmas, and longer if you choose. We are looking for a few more voices for the season, especially Sopranos and Altos, but Tenors and Basses will be welcomed too!

This seasonal music is wonderful, and we only rehearse from 7–8 p.m. on Wednesday evening. If you need a ride, let us know. We prepare well ahead by rehearsing 6–7 anthems each week. No audition required and we will seat you with a choir “helper” if you wish.

You won’t regret sharing your time and your voice with us! Truly!

MISSION OPPORTUNITY

As we try to serve and love those that are in need in our community, we are asking for donations of gift cards that can be shared with individuals or families that stop by our church building needing assistance meeting their everyday needs. Please consider donating one or more from the following gift card options:

10\$, 15\$. 20\$ 25\$(maximum) increments at Kroger (food or gas) McDonalds, Wendy’s, Subway, Jersey Mikes. Please label the gift card with the dollar amount on the card and place your donations in an envelope marked “MISSION”. Bring your donation to the church office or place them in the offering plate on Sunday morning. This will be an ongoing need, so feel free to make a donation now or anytime in the future.

Thank you for supporting TPC as we show the love of Christ to our community.

Thank you all!
Ann



DARTBALL RESULTS

Monday, October 30, 2023
vs. St. Matthews Baptist Church

Game 1	W	3–2 on 4 hits, 1 E
Game 2	W	5–2 on 5 hits, 2 Es
Game 3	L	2–1 on 2 hits, 1 E

Record 12–6

Next match Monday, November 6, 2023, Away, 7:30 p.m.
vs. St. Matthews Methodist Church