THE SESSION

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2024 2025 2026

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Anuji Abraham Mardi Crosser Becky Douglas

Deb Kelly Kay Nolan Brittney Maslowski

Brenda Miller Sheryl Yoffe Jim McDaniel

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 a.m. LiveStream

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December 24, 2025 Candlelight Service

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

love. grow. serve.

Christmas Eve Service December 24, 2025

A Service of Lessons and Carols

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

WORDS OF WELCOME

MUSIC ANNOUNCING IMMANUEL

Please use this time to silently prepare for worship

Hark, the Herald Angels Sing arr: Stempien & Turner

Cathy Dees, Trumpet

Silent Night arr: Joel Raney
Trinity Handbell Choir

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH - The Christ Candle

based on Psalm 96

Leader: Oh sing to the LORD a new song;

People: Sing to the LORD, all the earth!

Leader: Sing to the LORD, bless his name;

People: Tell of his salvation from day to day.

Leader: Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works

among all the peoples!

People: For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised. Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice.

People: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; let the field exult, and

everything in it!

Leader: Let the whole creation sing for joy at the coming of the LORD.

People: Together, we will praise the LORD!

GATHERING CAROL O Come. All Ye Faithful #41

Adam and Eve disobey God's command



Prayer Concerns

John Hansen (brother in-law of Jim & Elizabeth McDaniel); David Strohmeier (son of Phil & Linda); Ghyll Simoneschi, Toka Moody (friend of Sherry), Amy Crosser, Harry Jewell, Mark Smith (a friend of Jim McDaniel), Candy Wheat, Nick Hoffert, Sandy Koukola; Carol Redd, Lisa Boyd (Jack Wheat's sister), Steve Conn; Linda Strohmeier; C.R. Redcorn (memory concerns); all those touched by the tragedies of Hurricane Helene & Milton; Susan Bauer; two friends of Sheryl Yoffe, Gracie and Judy Myers, Tom Dawson; Paul Hollensead (his sister, Bonnie Driggers, passed away), Irv Ottman, Sheryl Yoffe, Kay Nolan, The Lady family, Sandy Lamp; John Kauffmann, (Kay Hardy-Hines' brother) (prostate cancer), Melony Brinley (Kayla Hacker's mother), Mardi Crosser, Steve Edwards, Betty Muse, Lois Bringhurst, the Koukola/Elder family and peace in the world.

Steve & Kay Nolan — In memory of our daughter, Kathy Willinger, and in honor of our family

Nick & Whitney Schuler — In memory of Judy Davids and in honor of Dana & Deborah Haynes

Melissa Weaver — In honor of Trinity musicians

Sheryl Yoffe — In memory of Mary Evelyn & Leland Cundiff

FIRST LESSON Genesis 3:8–15 Pastor Steve

Adam and Eve disobey God's command and disrupt the order and goodness of creation.

CAROL Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence (vv. 1 & 2) #5

SECOND LESSON Genesis 22:15–18 Clay Harville

God's promise that through Abraham all peoples of the world will be blessed.

CAROL Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus #2

THIRD LESSON Isaiah 9:2, 6–7 Pastor Steve

The people who walk in darkness receive the promise of the Messiah.

CAROL It Came Upon a Midnight Clear vv. 1, 3 &4) #38

FOURTH LESSON Isaiah 11:1–4a Clay Harville

The Messiah will come from the root of Jesse to restore the peace of creation.

ANTHEM Still, Still, Still arr: Noah Reese

Trinity Men's Choir

FIFTH LESSON Luke 1:26–35 Pastor Steve

An angel appears to Mary

and announces that she will bear a holy child.

CAROL Angels We Have Heard on High #23

SIXTH LESSON Luke 2:1–7 Clay Harville

Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem, where Mary gives birth to her child.

ANTHEM Love Is Born Lloyd Larson

Trinity Chancel Choir

SEVENTH LESSON Luke 2:8–16 Pastor Steve

Angels appear to shepherds in the fields and announce the birth of the Messiah.

ANTHEM See Amid the Winters Snow Brumfield
Trinity Chancel Choir

EIGHTH LESSON Matthew 2:1–11 Clay Harville

Magi from the East come seeking the Messiah

and offer gifts to the baby Jesus

CAROL As With Gladness Men of Old (vv. 1–3) #63

NINTH LESSON John 1:1–14 Pastor Steve

Jesus Christ, the Eternal Word,

is the Light of God who dispels all darkness.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

PASSING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Silent Night, Holy Night #60

SENDING BLESSING

SENDING CAROL Joy to the World! (vv. 1 & 4) #40

POSTLUDE MERRY CHRISTMAS!!



Christmas 2025

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

Anuji Abraham — In honor of her children & grand-children

Greta Bemisderfer — In memory of Wendell Resseguie and in honor of Dorothy Resseguie

Mardi Crosser — In memory of Don & Joe Crosser

Jennifer Hacker — In honor of family

Brad & Mary Harville & Family — In memory of Robert and Norma Rich

Steve , Diane , Patrick, & Maggie Jewell — In memory of Wayne & Barb Sheeler

Mike & Jill McCullough — In memory of our parents

Betty Muse — In memory of Sally & Clyde Muse, Jr., Ethel & Sam Litman, and Ruth and Clyde Muse, Sr.