

THE SESSION

Andy Cannava, Clerk of Session

2025	2026	2027
Ann Douglas	Andy Cannava	Bert Lundstrom
Jill McCullough	Carol Hartmann	C.B. Bemisderfer
Betty Muse	Bonnie Mullin	Cathy Dawson

THE DEACONS

Jim McDaniel , Moderator of the Deacons

2025	2026	2027
Mardi Crosser	Becky Douglas	Susan Dawson
Kay Nolan	Brittney Maslowski	Jackie Morrow
Sheryl Yoffe	Jim McDaniel	Marilyn Scholz

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 a.m.

MINISTERS	The Congregation
PASTOR	Rev. Steven Jewell
DIRECTOR OF THE TRINITY CENTER FOR FAITH & ART	Justin LaMaster
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY	Melissa Weaver
PIANIST/ORGANIST	Wonjoo Ahn
CHURCH & FINANCIAL SECRETARY	Sherry Pritts
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR	Laura Olliges
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	Rebecca Perry
CUSTODIAN/MAINTENANCE	Stratus Building Solutions
PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR	Elizabeth Bodine
VIDEOGRAPHERS	Lincoln Hall, Bob Williams-Neal
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December 14, 2025
Third Sunday of Advent

love. grow. serve.

Worship Service

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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 People Look East (vv. 1, 2, & 3) #12

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Amy Elder

PRELUDE Dancing Day Rosalie Bonighton

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH—the Candle of Joy
based on Isaiah 9:2–3; 11:1–3a

Leader: The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone.

People: **You have multiplied the nation; you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as with gladness when they divide the spoil.**

Leader: There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, a branch from his roots shall bear fruit.

People: **And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, of counsel and might, of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.**

All: **And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD.**

CONGREGATIONAL SONG
Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates #8
(Truro)

TIME OF CONFESSION

ANTHEM Peace Will Come Lloyd Larson
Chancel Choir

*The flowers in the sanctuary today
are given by Jack & Deb Kelly
in celebration of
their heavenly daughter, Libba!*



From Your Finance Committee

	Year-to-Date thru November 2025	Budget-to-Date
Donors	\$56,235	\$67,269
Pledge Payments	<u>\$207,633</u>	<u>\$206,189</u>
	\$263,868	\$273,458

NOVEMBER ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

10:30 a.m. 11/2–74, 11/9–87, 11/16–77, 11/23–73, 11/30–75
Average: 78

Communion was served at church on 11/2 to 71
Deacons/Elders/Pastor Steve will offer communion to the homebound

(Previous Year Statistics: November 2024 average –77)



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 on-going ministry of changing lives for the glory of God.

MARYHURST GIFT DRIVE

Please bring your *unwrapped* Maryhurst gifts, along with your name and the gift list, to church by tomorrow, December 15, to be delivered to Maryhurst. They may be taken to the church office if it is open when you come, or else leave them in the Narthex and Sherry or Steve will collect them.

Thank you!



Your Trinity Online Community
Realm Weekly Hints & Tips

<https://onrealm.org/> or Realm **Connect** mobile app

Uploading your Photo. You can help people connect your face with your name by adding a photo to your profile. After you log in, go to Profile and click the pencil or settings icon to edit your details. Click the pencil inside the round photo area to upload your picture. Once you save, your photo will appear in both the online and printed directory.

Presbyterian Christmas Joy Offering

There are envelopes available in the Narthex to use to give a Joy Offering through the Presbyterian Church USA. Joy Offering gifts will go to support the leaders among us.

GROWING IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 1:26–38

Pastor Steve

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

FROM GRACE TO GLORY: God Who Entrusts

Pastor Steve

PRESENTING OUR OFFERING TO GOD

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY

GOING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING SONG

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice

#28
(In Dulci Jubilo)

Scripture reading for next week:

FROM GRACE TO GLORY: God Who Transforms
Luke 1:39–56



Operation Warm Feet



We all wear them; we change them daily. We are able to wash them when they are dirty. Homeless people are on their feet all day and they are most likely wearing the only pair of socks they own. Most will wear that one pair of socks until they are so thread bare that they no longer hold together.

This Christmas, we will be collecting Men's socks to donate to the homeless and those less fortunate here in Louisville.

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PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATION OF
MEN'S SOCKS TO CHURCH DURING
THE MONTH OF DECEMBER.

OPPORTUNITIES for the WEEK

SUNDAY (12/7/14)	9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:15–10:15 a.m. 9:30–10:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Equipped to Engage Class Koinonia Class Women's Sunday School Foundry Class for Youth In Person Worship
MONDAY (12/15)	10:00–11:30 a.m.	Digging Deeper Class
TUESDAY (12/16)	9:00–5:00 p.m.	Autism Pottery Classes
WEDNESDAY (12/17)	9:45 – 11:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Sew 'n Sews F&A Open Studio Private pottery classes Bell Choir Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY (12/21)	9:15–10:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Sunday School classes In-person Worship

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, the Koukola/Elder family and peace in the world.