

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession** - A Reformation Prayer from 1525 (adapted)

**Heavenly Father, merciful and everlasting God,  
we acknowledge and confess before Your divine majesty  
that we are poor miserable sinners,  
conceived and brought forth in sin and corruption.  
We are prone to all evil. We cannot, without You, do anything that is good.  
And we daily, and in many ways, transgress Your holy commandments.  
Thereby we provoke Your anger against us, and draw down  
upon ourselves, by Your just judgments, death and destruction.  
But, O Lord, we repent and are sorry from our hearts  
that we have so displeased You.  
We condemn ourselves and our misdoing, and pray that Your grace  
may bring help to our distress and misery.**

**Congregational Response No. 573** Lord Have Mercy *Kyrie*  
(Silence for personal prayer)

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

**\*Response to Grace No. 567** *Gloria Patri*  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the  
beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Amen. Amen.

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**Old Testament Lesson** – Exodus 33:12-23  
Leader: The Word of the Lord.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Children’s Message**  
(Following the Children’s message, child care is provided for children of pre-school age  
up through first grade. Older children remaining in worship may get a Children’s  
Worship Bag from the Ushers.)

**Anthem** Abide with Me Arr. Anna Laura Page

**Gospel Lesson** – Matthew 22:15-22  
Leader: The Word of the Lord.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**The Sermon** What We May See of God Pastor Hart

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

**\*Hymn No. 324** Open My Eyes That I May See *Open My Eyes*

**\*Affirmation of Faith (Unison)** Apostles’ Creed

“I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in  
Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and  
buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He  
ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.”

“I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of  
saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life  
everlasting. Amen.”

**THE FLOWERS FOR TODAY’S SERVICE**  
have been given to the glory of God  
by the Antonoff and Kee families,  
in loving memory of  
Robert C. Kee.

**Assisting In Worship Today**  
Richard Hart.....Minister  
Anghaarad Teague Dees.....Minister  
John-Alan Gourdine.....Director of Music  
Edward Neeman..... Pianist  
Lee Bradley.....Lay Reader  
Leta Cone.....Usher Team  
Nita Cross, David Roe  
Bill Bickers.....Greeters  
Libby Bickers, Annalee & Woodson Bickers  
Bob Wakefield, Candy Wakefield  
Annalee Bickers.....Acolyte

**TRINITY ELDERS**

Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019
Cathy Hoover	Jeff Bickers	Bill Bickers
Lyle McGhin	Frank Kilgard	Nita Cross
Don Thieme	Marcie Swank	Brian Preyna
Kelly Wicks	Brooke Webb	Debbie Radabaugh
	Bryan Wright	Ruth Stonestreet

**OUR TRINITY STAFF**  
Dr. Richard Hart.....Pastor  
Rev. Anghaarad Teague Dees.....Pastor  
Mrs. Renae Preyna.....Director of Christian Education  
Mr. John-Alan Gourdine.....Director of Music  
Dr. Edward Neeman.....Pianist  
Mr. Paul Guilbeau.....Director of Chancel Handbells  
Mr. Bryan Wright.....Administrative Assistant  
Miss Kendra Beasley, Miss Makinsey Rosser.....Choir Interns  
Mr. Zackary Serrott

**Session Committee Night**  
The Committees of the Session will meet this evening, **Sunday, October 22**, at  
6:00 p.m. If you are not on a Session Committee, please come sit in on a  
committee meeting to check it out and find your niche in ministry! (Elders will  
meet at 5:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary to prepare the agenda for committees.)

**Our Wednesday Schedule:**  
For Wednesday, **October 25, 2017**  
5:30 p.m. – KOW  
5:45 p.m. – Chancel Handbell Choir Rehearsal  
6:00 p.m. – Trunk or Treat  
7:00 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
Adult Bible Study – *The Protestant Reformation*  
SMASH for Youth  
The menu will be hot dogs and chips.

**Kirkin' O' the Tartans**  
Mark your calendars as you won't want to miss out on our Annual Kirkin' O'  
the Tartans scheduled for Reformation Sunday, **October 29, 2017!** Gentlemen are  
encouraged to wear kilts. Ladies may wear plaid. The service will include hymns  
and music from our Scottish heritage as Presbyterians. Tartans will be processed  
to bagpipe music and prayers of blessing will be offered for all families  
represented.  
The service will be followed by a Fellowship Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall.  
This year as a special treat our children and youth will be preparing and serving a  
set menu meal including chicken, green beans, and macaroni & cheese. Donated  
tips recognizing their work will be used for Trinity's ministry of camps, trips,  
service projects, and programs for children and youth.

**Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals Prayer Vigil**  
**Standing in hope with Dreamers**  
A community service of prayer, mediation and fellowship. Sunday, **October 29**  
at 6:30pm at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. All are welcome.

**Trinity's Advent Devotional Tradition**  
Once again we will be preparing our own “in house” devotional guide book for  
the season of Advent. Church members and friends of the congregation are  
encouraged to write a brief devotional to be printed in the daily guide book. Tell a  
story, share a favorite Christmas memory, or write about what faith in Christ  
means to you. There is a sign up calendar at church. We have 11 people signed up,  
but still need 11 more. We need your devotionals by **November 12**. Please  
consider helping with this meaningful Trinity tradition.

**Flint River Presbytery's Celebration of Faith 2018**  
Plan to attend a wonderfully relaxing, educational, and spiritual retreat  
sponsored by our Flint River Presbytery at The Conference Center at Veterans  
State Park, Lake Blackshear, Georgia. Celebration of Faith is scheduled for March  
9-11, 2018. In this beautiful setting we will meet old friends and make new ones.  
Enriching and informative classes will be offered for all ages. Inspiring worship  
will touch our souls.  
A full program guide is available at Trinity. It includes class descriptions,  
including those being taught by Pastor Dees and Pastor Hart. Registration forms  
are provided for individuals, families, day students, and youth. Registration begins  
on **October 21, 2017**. Don't delay – sign up today!

## Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## Call to Offering

**Offertory** Prelude in B minor Frederic Chopin

**\*Doxology** *Lasst uns erfreuen*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. Amen.

## \*Prayer of Dedication

**\*Choral Dismissal** It Is Well with My Soul Phillip P. Bliss

**\*Recessional Hymn No. 138** *Nicaea*  
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

## \*Benediction

**\*Passing The Peace of Christ**

## \*Postlude

\*All who are able may stand.



**FOR YOUR DAILY PRAYER** The pastor and elders meet at 10:45 each Sunday morning to pray for the morning service and to remember by name each person on our prayer list. Please lift the names of these persons to God in your prayers.

## Members & Regular Participants

Mary Beckett  
William Cockren  
Mary Connell  
Jane Gore  
Larry Henderson  
Marie Hill  
**Emma Micklon**  
Frank Stoddard  
Nellie Stoddard  
Karen Whelihan

## Relatives

Reed & Tammy Armond, *brother & sister-in-law of David Armond*  
Barbara Chisham, *cousin of Marcie Swank*  
Juanita Devine, *sister of Bob & Debbie Radabaugh*  
Dennis & Heather Dibble & Family, *cousins of Leonard Mittelstadt*  
Ruth Duss, *mother of Sherry Stranahan*  
Scott Ferguson, *brother-in-law of Kathy Roe*  
Beverly Jackson, *daughter of Leta Cone*  
George Larimore, *brother of Janet Wright*  
Adams McGhin, *nephew of Lyle McGhin*  
Bobby Miller, *nephew of Bob & Debbie Radabaugh*  
Robert Earl Pennington, *relative of Beverly Peters*  
Steve Pierson, *brother-in-law of Guy Oliver*  
Russell Popham, *uncle of Nita Cross*  
**John Radabaugh**, *brother of Bob Radabaugh*  
David & Susan Reid, *brother & sister-in-law of Beth Reid*  
Liz Ferguson Ross, *daughter of Mark & Karen Ferguson*  
Donald Schrecengost, *uncle of Sherry Stranahan*  
Alex Schwiesow, *son of Karen Whelihan*  
Tom Speck, *brother of Beverly Peters*  
Vicky Thomas, *niece of Jane Gore*  
Gino Vecchio, *nephew of Melissa Johnson*  
Logan Gabriel Wakefield, *grandson of Bob & Candy Wakefield*  
Dorothy Whelihan, *aunt of Karen Whelihan*

## Friends (contact person)

Ronnie Alligood (Jackie Wright)  
Kathy Boone (Chris Roan)  
**LaTasha Brown**, *requested by Lee Bradley*  
**Kathy Butterbaugh**, *requested by Debbie Radabaugh*  
Ed Bynum (Eddie Webb)  
Michael Capece (Jeff Bickers)  
Sara Chang (Kathy Roe)

Rebecca Christopholi (Sherry Stranahan)  
Jessica Clark (Kathy Roe)  
Nikolas Conley (Libby Bickers)  
Tom Conner (Libby Bickers)  
Ben Davis (Catherine Loveday)  
Larry Devane (Catherine Loveday)  
Tommy Hagy (Sonja Guilbeau)  
Erika Harding (Christal Dudley)  
Betty Hardy (Nita Cross)  
Carol Herndon & family (Lyle McGhin)  
Shannon Hobbs (Mark Micklon)  
Tim Huff (Sonja Guilbeau)  
**Bubba Hundley**, *requested by Brooke Webb*  
Leilani Jones (Lisa Pearce)  
Aidan Legg (Judy Bickers)  
Amanda Leverett (Heather Wakefield)  
Becky Mantz (Debbie Hart)  
Deanna Morris (Brian Preyna)  
Sharon O'Rourke (Lisa Pearce)  
Victoria Osteen (Libby Bickers)  
Haley Grace Peeples (Christal Dudley)  
Bud Perry (Eddie Webb)  
Carolyn Poe (Jackie Wright)  
Mary Price (Kathy Roe)  
Deborah Richardson (Bernie Preyna)  
Diane Rodgers (Paul & Sonja Guilbeau)  
Randall Smith (John & Chris Roan)  
Jeani Spencer (Mili Collins)  
**Mark & Mary Spoeneman** (Bernie Preyna)  
Lizbeth Stevens (Bill & Ruth Stonestreet)  
**Betty Tillman** (Mili Collins)  
Hazel Williams (Linda Brown)  
Kirsty Yearsley (Sherry Stranahan)

## Members Remembered in Prayer This Week

Frank and Nellie Stoddard  
Bill and Ruth Stonestreet

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Our Military Personnel  
Missionaries  
All Refugees  
Victims of Terrorism  
Those suffering the effects of recent Hurricanes

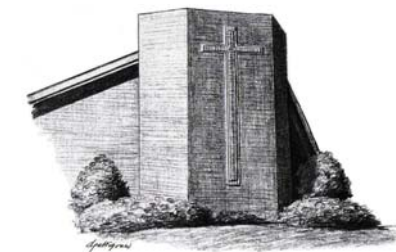
## We Extend Our Christian Sympathy . . .

to  
the family and friends of  
Tracy Gilbert  
who died recently,  
*requested by Jeff Bickers.*

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## Mission Statement

*As Believers, we will worship God by . . .  
Praising, praying, responding to His Holy Word.*

*As Disciples, we will follow God by . . .  
Studying, learning, living His Holy Word.*

*As Stewards, we will honor God by . . .  
Caring, serving, sharing His Holy Word.*

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

*Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*22 October 2017*

## GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

The acolyte in today's worship brings the light of Christ into the sanctuary at the beginning of the service. At the end of worship, as we are called into service in our church, across our city, and beyond, the light of Christ leads us out into the world.

## Silent Meditation:

I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.  
Wait for the Lord; be strong and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!  
~ Psalm 27:13-14

## Welcome and Announcements

**Prelude** Song Without Words, Op. 6, No. 2 Fanny Hensel

## The Lighting of the Candles

**Choral Introit** Praise the Lord! Lois Myers Emig

**\*Processional Hymn No. 263** *St. Denio*  
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

## \*Call to Worship – from Psalm 99

Extol the Lord our God; worship at His footstool. Holy is He!  
**Moses and Aaron were among His priests.**  
Samuel also was among those who called on His name.  
**They cried to the Lord, and He answered them.**  
He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud.  
**They kept His decrees and the statutes that He gave them.**  
O Lord, our God, You answered them;  
**You were a forgiving God to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings.**  
Extol the Lord our God;  
**Worship at His holy mountain; for the Lord our God is holy.**  
Let us worship God!  
**The Lord's name be praised!**