

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, Father, Mother, and Creator of us all, we confess that we have not lived into our potential. We have shied away from the gifts You have given us. We have thought ourselves too small or too weak. We have thought our resources too meager and the risk too great. Forgive us for not seeing ourselves the way You see us, as fully embodied vessels of Your love in this world, full of the Spirit. Renew in us Your Spirit of encouragement, wonder, and joy, and send us forth into this world that desperately needs Your love, peace, and justice. Amen.

Congregational Response No. 576 Lord, Have Mercy *Singapura*
(Silence for personal prayer)

Assurance of Forgiveness

***Response to Grace No. 581** Glory Be to the Father *Gloria Patri*

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Gospel Lesson – Mark 4:26-34

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 and Children’s Bulletin from the Ushers.)

Anthem He Shall Feed His Flock John Ness Beck

Old Testament Lesson – I Samuel 15:34-16:13

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon To See What God Sees Pastor Dees

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***Hymn No. 177** I Will Come to You *You Are Mine*

***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.”

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.

THE FLOWERS FOR TODAY’S SERVICE
have been given to the glory of God
by Marcie Swank,
in thanks to all her Trinity family
who assisted her during her recovery.

Assisting In Worship Today
Anghaarad Teague Dees.....Minister
Richard Hart.....Minister
Paul Guilbeau.....Guest Choir Director
Andy Lagrimas.....Guest Pianist
Denise Dupras.....Lay Reader
Zane Dees.....Usher Team
Charlie Oliver, Kelly Wicks
Bill Bickers.....Greeters
Libby Bickers, Annalee Bickers
Woodson Bickers, Ann Smith
Bryan Wright.....Acolyte

TRINITY ELDERS

Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Jeff Bickers	Bill Bickers	Charlie Oliver
Frank Kilgard	Nita Cross	Bernie Preyna
Marcie Swank	Brian Preyna	Beth Reid
Brooke Webb	Debbie Radabaugh	Kelly Wicks
Bryan Wright	Ruth Stonestreet	Grant Wright

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
Mr. Paul Guilbeau.....Director of Chancel Handbells
Mr. Bryan Wright.....Administrative Assistant
Miss Makinsey Rosser.....Choir Interns
Mr. Zackary Serrott

Stated Session Meeting June 17
The Stated Session Meeting will be held this **Sunday, June 17, 2018**, at **12:30 p.m.** **Note the change of the meeting date and time.** Please contact one of the Pastors or the Clerk of Session if you cannot attend.

Dutch Lunch Bunch Luncheon
Our Dutch Lunch Bunch will have a special treat on **Tuesday, June 19, 2018**. The group will travel in the church bus to Quitman, Georgia to have lunch at and tour The Presbyterian Home there. **Meet at Trinity at 11:00 a.m.** The meal will be provided free of charge by our hosts. We do need reservations both for transportation and for lunch. Please sign up at Trinity or call the church office, 242-3468, to make your reservation. For more information please contact Pastor Hart.

Prayer Partners
Prayer Partners are still needed for our Youth & Children. Please consider supporting our younger members by praying for them regularly and encouraging them throughout this year. If you are willing to serve please email pastor.dees@trinitypresval.org

Volunteers are needed for our Heart & Soul and STEAM Camps this summer...we need adult and youth volunteers to help out this summer for our two day camps. Please contact Renae Preyna if you are willing to help.

Kids of Trinity, tell your parents to register you today for one of our awesome Day Camps! Early Bird registration is only \$15.00. 3rd - 5th graders don’t miss the fun! Heart and Soul, **June 19-21** 9 AM—Noon. K-2 Kids STEAM is the camp for you! **June 26-28** 9 AM—Noon. Go to this link to register: <https://fs29.formsite.com/y6Csky/form1/index.html>

Trinity Annual “Stay-at-Home” Mission Project

The Missions Committee is organizing our “Stay-at-Home” Mission Project for this summer. The dates are **Thursday, June 28 through Monday, July 2**. Mark your calendar and plan now to participate in one or more of these five days of service work in our community. Our tentative schedule is planned for the following:

- Thursday, June 28** – Salvation Army Men's Shelter meals and/or work in the Thrift Store.
- Friday, June 29** – Choose one: Work at Second Harvest Food Bank or Gleaning Produce with Society of St Andrew.
- Saturday, June 30** – Choose one: Habitat for Humanity House Build or Gleaning Produce with Society of St Andrew.
- Sunday, July 1** – Packing hygiene and baby kits for the Haven during Sunday School and Produce Drop with Society of St Andrew after worship.
- Monday, July 2** - Assisting St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in packing and serving sack lunches to be distributed at the Soup Kitchen site on N. Lee Street.

A donation will be requested from participants which will be used for several things - meals for participants after the work shift, supplies for projects, new t-shirts this year, and a small donation to all the service organizations with which we will be working. The donation requested is as follows:

- Adults - All sessions - \$50.00
Single sessions - \$15.00 each
- Youth - All sessions - \$30.00
Single sessions - \$8.00 each
- Children under 12 - no donation requested

Call to Offering

Offertory Here I am, Lord Dan Schutte

***Doxology No. 606** *Doxology*
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Choral Dismissal** O Christ, Surround Me Richard B. Colligan

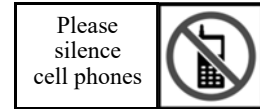
***Recessional Hymn No. 720** Jesus Calls Us *Galilee*

***Benediction**

***Passing The Peace of Christ**

***Postlude** Sent Forth by God's Blessing Omer Westendorf

*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

Barbara Aiken
Libby Bickers
Melissa Johnson
Bryan Singer
Frank & Nellie Stoddard
Marcie Swank
Bob and Candy Wakefield
Barnes Walker

Relatives

Virginia Beckham, *mother of Libby Bickers*
Margie Brown, *aunt of Eddie Webb*
Jansom Butts, *daughter of Paulette Butts*
Hannah Capece, *granddaughter of Jane Gore*

Lori Carter, *sister of Janet Wright*

Barbara Chisham, *cousin of Marcie Swank*

Dennis Dibble, *uncle of Leonard Mittelstadt*

Tim Ferguson, *brother of Mark Ferguson*

Billy Garrett, *cousin of Anna-Marie Schaer*

Nancy Guilbeau, *mother of Paul Guilbeau*

Bill Hayes, *brother of Barbara Bradley*

Emily Hunt & Children, *daughter of Ray Josey*

J. W. Oorlog, *father of Linda Reinhard*

Kathy Arzola Ragan, *mother of Angel & Shyra Arzola*

Kim Roe, *mother of John Roe*

Richard Ross, *son-in-law of Mark & Karen Ferguson*

Joann Thompson, *mother of Judy Bickers*

Denice Vickery, *daughter of Linda Brown*

Kay Ward, *mother of Jerri Radabaugh*

Friends (contact person)

Joe Boyles (Debbie Hart)

Darryl Brown (Charlie Oliver)

Sara Chang (Kathy Roe)

Eric Clark (Grant Wright)

Pat Coley (Marcie Swank)

Niko Conley (Libby Bickers)

Jill Crace (Eddie Webb)

David Crenshaw (Jeff Bickers)

Riley Davis & family (Annalee Bickers)

Donna Delaney (Charlie Oliver)
Tanya Enloe (Ruth Stonestreet)
Becky Flythe (Chris Roan)
Erin German (Karen Whelihan)
Helen Hastings (Mili Collins)
Larry Henderson (Richard Hart)
Buddy House (Chris & John Roan)
Brian Russell Johns (Bernie Preyna)
Daryl Jones (Creation Divine)
Riley Kendall (Leonard Mittelstadt)
Connie Kendrick (Marcie Swank)
Travis Leggette (Eddie Webb)
Holly Lustfeldt (Libby Bickers)
Wanda Morgan (Ray Josey)
Carla Pandohie (Sherry Stranahan)
Patricia Parrish (Paulette Butts)
George Poirier (Debbie Antonoff)
Ward Porch (Anghaarad Dees)
Fred Quinn (Chris Roan)
Deborah Richardson (Bernie Preyna)
Marcia Robbins (Chris Roan)
Leo Santos (Jan Hobson)
Stewart Scott (Leta Cone)
Ferrell & Penny Sellers (Judy Bickers)
Desiree Shields (Jansom Butts)
Jae Paul Smith (Beth Reid)
Jean Snyder (Linda Brown)
Kim Stokes (Winnie Dooly)
Beth Suber (Libby Bickers)
Dean Winters (Kathy Roe)
Anita Woods (Jeff Bickers)

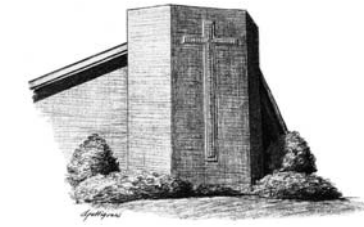
Members Remembered in Prayer This Week
Lyle and Annie McGhin
Mark and Andrea Micklon
Emma and Eric
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Our Military Personnel  
Missionaries  
Victims of, and all those affected by, recent school shootings.

**We Extend Our Christian Sympathy . . .**  
to  
Steve Myers and family  
on the death of his mother,  
Helen Myers,  
requested by Paul Guilbeau.

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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**

**Forth Sunday after Pentecost**

**17 June 2018**

**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**

So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord— for we walk by faith, not by sight.  
II Corinthians 5:6-7

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** The Church's One Foundation Samuel S. Wesley

**The Lighting of the Candles**

**Choral Introit** Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! John B. Dykes

**\*Processional Hymn No. 263** *Coronation*  
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

**\*Call to Worship**

God is the sower, planting seeds;  
**May the seeds God has planted grow and blossom in us!**  
God is the gatherer at harvest-time;  
**God sees our potential, and uses it for the Beloved Community.**  
God is the one who encourages us to grow;  
**God desires for us to build the reign of God on earth, as it is in heaven.**  
Come, worship God, by living faithfully into God's desires for us;  
**Bear spiritual fruit, flourish in God's love, and grow!**