

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THIS IS GOD'S HOUSE. ALL ARE WELCOME.

Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ. Whether you're a familiar face or stepping through our doors for the first time, we feel blessed to have you here.

You might have noticed the message on our bulletin: "This Is God's House. All Are Welcome." We genuinely believe in these words. Our community aims to reflect the diversity and warmth of God's kingdom. We come from different walks of life, with varying perspectives and beliefs. But when we gather, whether in person or online, we come together as a diverse family that finds unity in our shared faith in Jesus Christ.

My hope is that today, you'll find something that speaks directly to your heart—a reminder of God's love, a catalyst for action, or an invitation to deepen your connection with God.

After the service, we invite you to linger a while. Say hello to one of our staff members or stop by our Welcome Desk. Exciting things are in store for Trinity Presbyterian Church, and we would be delighted to have you join us as we grow together in faith.

Pastor Jeff

New to Trinity? Please fill out a welcome card. Place the card in the offering plate, hand it to an usher, or leave it at the Welcome Desk. Our friends at the Welcome Desk can provide you with information about our ministries, programs, and volunteer opportunities.

Large-Print Bulletins: Please speak with an usher if you would like to use a large-print bulletin to follow the service

Families with Children: Children are always welcome! You will find children's activity clipboards and books in the lobby, and the Ushers can also provide these. If you need to leave the service with your child, the ushers can direct you to the changing table or nursery room. Every Sunday, we provide childcare for infants and toddlers from 9:00am to 11:30am in Rooms 1 and 3. There is Sunday school for children in preschool through 12th grade at 9:00am and Worship Care for children in preschool through kindergarten after the Children's Sermon.

Worship Online: A replay of today's service will be available at trinitypreslr.com/stream.

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

THE PEOPLE GATHER

Please sign a Welcome Card and put it in the offering plate, or scan this QR code to let us know you're here.



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Julie Price

PRELUDE

Nearer My God to Thee

Sarah Flower Adams

Mac Bellingrath and Randy Goodwin, guitar duet

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Jeff Price

L: Come, Holy Spirit,

All: The wind of God, the breath of life.

L: Come, Holy Spirit,

All: Our Advocate, our Counselor.

L: Come, Holy Spirit,

All: Teacher of wisdom, reminder of Christ.

L: Come, Holy Spirit,

All: Granter of forgiveness, giver of peace.

L: May we feel God breathing through our worship.

All: May we receive the Holy Spirit in this place.

L: Come, let us worship God.



1 Come, O Spir - it, dwell a - mong us; come with
 2 We would raise our al - le - lu - ias for the
 3 Come, O Spir - it, dwell a - mong us; give us



Pen - te - cos - tal power; give the church a
 grace of yes - ter - years; for to - mor - row's
 words of fire and flame. Help our fee - ble



strong - er vi - sion; help us face each cru - cial hour.
 un - known path - way, hear, O Lord, our hum - ble prayers.
 lips to praise you, glo - ri - fy your ho - ly name.



Built up - on a firm foun - da - tion, Je - sus Christ, the
 In the church -'s pil - grim jour - ney you have led us
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it, Three in One: what



Cor - ner - stone, still the church is called to
 all the way; still in pres - ence move be -
 mys - ter - y! We would sing our loud ho -



mis - sion that God's love shall be made known.
 fore us, fire by night and cloud by day.
 san - nas now and through e - ter - ni - ty.

Children, please come forward during Jesus Loves Me. Afterward, children in Kindergarten and younger may leave the Sanctuary for Worship Care in Room 3.

**Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to Him belong; they are weak but He is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Jeff Price

All: 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 CONFESSION

Jeff Price

CONFESSION OF SIN

All: Almighty God, who sent the promised Holy Spirit to fill disciples with willing faith: we confess that we resist the work of Your Spirit among us, that we are slow to serve You and reluctant to spread the good news of Your love. God, have mercy on us. Forgive our divisions and by Your Spirit draw us together. Create in us a desire to do Your will and be Your faithful people for the sake of Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jeff Price

PSALM READING

Psalm 133:1-9

Emily Porter

L: How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity! It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes. It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the Lord ordained His blessing, life for evermore.

ANTHEM

Come, Holy Spirit

Joseph M. Martin

The Adult Choir assisted by the congregation

Come, Thou fount of every blessing,
tune our hearts to sing Your praise, tune our hearts to sing Your praise.

Come, Holy Spirit, fall upon this sacred place.

Fill this house of worship with Your perfect grace.

Shine Your light within us. Surround us with Your wind.

Blaze in us a mission, give to us a vision, revive us, Lord, again.

Come, Holy Spirit, lead us in Your way.

Give us all one language, one voice to sing Your praise.

Make our lives Your holy temple. Make our hearts Your royal throne.

We proclaim Your matchless glory. You are God alone.

Come, Holy Spirit, make us strong and bold.

Burn in us Your image. Refine us into gold.

Let us be Your servants. Lord, blaze in us anew.

Shine on us Your glory, shine on us Your glory, shine on us, Lord, today!



ALL:

Shine on us, bright Ho - ly Spir - it, source of



ev - er - last - ing light. Burn in us a sense of mis - sion, make us



can - dles in the night. Give us — cour - age, grant us



wis - dom. Let us — all Your grace pro - claim so the



world will know Your glo - ry, drawn to your e - ter - nal flame.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Acts 2:1-21

Jeff Price

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Jeff Price

Pent-Up-Cost: Unleashing God's Spirit in Our Lives

CALL FOR OFFERING



OFFERTORY

Holy Spirit
Heather Sorenson

Terry Jackson

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Jeff Price

* HYMN OF SENDING

Spirit of the Living God



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a - fresh on me.



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a - fresh on me.



Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a - fresh on me.

* SENDING OUT

Jeff Price

* POSTLUDE

Recessional
Douglas E. Wagner

Terry Jackson

***Please join us in the Fellowship Hall
for a barbecue lunch with all the trimmings***

Next Sunday's Message

I've been meaning to ask . . . where are you from?

John 1:35-51

Giving

Offerings may be given by placing a check or cash in the offering plate, by donating online by scanning the QR code with your cell phone camera, or by visiting TrinityPresLR.com/donate.



How to Join Trinity

Want to be more involved at Trinity? We are a place where everyone belongs. You don't need to become a member to be a part of our ministry. But if you'd like to be more connected, we'd love to have you!

Becoming a member is easy. Just come talk to us after Sunday service. Our church council, called the Session, will be there to welcome you. The only thing we ask is that you believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior.

There are a few ways you can join: you can transfer your membership from another church, affirm your faith if you were part of a church before but aren't now, or profess your faith if you've never been part of a church.

Let us know you're interested by filling out a welcome card, marking it online, or talking to the pastor or someone at the Welcome Desk. And if you have any questions, the pastor is always happy to chat about membership with you.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY

Sunday, May 19	9:00 am	Sunday School classes for all ages
	10:00 am	Coffee fellowship in the Narthex
	10:00 am	Choir rehearsal in the Choir Room
	10:30 am	Celebration of Worship
	11:30 am	Barbecue lunch in the Fellowship Hall
	5:30 pm	No Youth Group
Monday, May 20	5:30 pm	Education Committee meeting at Izzy's Restaurant
Wednesday, May 22	1:00 pm	Wednesday Work @ 1
	3:00 pm	Room 4 in use for flute lessons
	5:00 pm	Trumpet lessons in the Choir Room
	7:00 pm	Choir rehearsal in the Choir Room
Thursday, May 23	8:45 am	Vera Lloyd Presbyterian Family Services board meeting in Room 6
Friday, May 24	9:00 am	Church Office closed today
Sunday, May 26	9:00 am	No Sunday School classes
	10:00 am	Coffee fellowship in the Narthex
	10:00 am	Choir rehearsal in the Choir Room
	10:30 am	Celebration of Worship
	5:30 pm	No Youth Group

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Stop by the Coffee Bar
and enjoy a hot cup of coffee during worship.*

BARBECUE LUNCH TODAY: Join us in the Fellowship Hall after Pentecost Sunday worship for a barbecue lunch. Randy Goodwin will prepare his famous smoked pulled pork with all the trimmings. You definitely don't want to miss this!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE: Join us for an enriching Sunday School experience where faith comes alive through shared stories and heartfelt testimonies. Each week, we invite a member of our congregation to speak candidly about their personal journey with faith—its triumphs, trials, and everything in between. Through their experiences, we explore the complexities of belief, the resilience of the human spirit, and the transformative power of faith in navigating life's challenges. Together, we learn, grow, and support one another on our individual paths of spiritual discovery. Come be inspired, encouraged, and uplifted as we journey together in faith.

May 26 No Sunday School classes due to Memorial Day holiday

June 2–23 Rev. Mark Clark doing a Law & Religion study

June 30 Sam Parnell

WEDNESDAY WORK @ 1: Wednesday Work @ 1 is a new way for you to serve. Every Wednesday from 1 to 2pm, volunteers will meet in Jeff's study to get their assignment. The work will vary from week to week but will include such things as stuffing envelopes, light dusting, straightening up a closet, filling children's worship clipboards, or such. There will always be a variety of tasks, so you will find something you can help with. You don't need to let us know you will be coming. Just show up.

ACOLYTE TRAINING: Acolyte training for children in 3rd grade and above will be held after worship on May 26 and June 2. The sessions will last about 20 minutes and parents should plan to attend.

JUNE SUNDAY SCHOOL WITH REV. MARK CLARK: "Law & Religion in the U.S." Over the past several years, the U.S. Supreme Court has altered the legal landscape so that traditional values such as the importance of protecting the rights of minorities and the separation of church and state have been called into question. For instance, is a public-school teacher now permitted to lead students in prayer? May a shop owner lawfully refuse to sell goods to someone because of their sexual

orientation? May taxpayers be compelled to support private religious schools no matter its curriculum or admission policies? Join Mark Clark on four Sundays in June as he discusses these and other recent cases that are impacting our country. The class will meet in Room 6 from 9:00-10:00 a.m. Mark Clark is a retired lawyer and minister in the PC(USA). He is on the adjunct faculty at the UALR Bowen School of Law where he teaches courses on Law & Religion and Reproductive Rights. He is married to the Rev. Carol Clark, currently the pastor at the Park Hill Presbyterian Church in North Little Rock.

FIRST FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP ON JUNE 7: Would you like to get to know others in your church family better? How about a chance to have a conversation with our guests? Trinity's First Friday Fellowship is designed to do just that. On June 7 at 6:00pm, any adult interested in participating will meet at the church, be placed in a group of six to eight, and then travel to a restaurant where reservations await you. A nursery is provided on request, and each person pays for their own meal. Please RSVP to the church office or Jeff Price by 5:00pm on Thursday, June 6 so that adequate restaurant reservations may be made. Direct questions to Jeff Price at 501-626-6476.

WOMEN'S TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY SUMMER BREAK: The Tuesday Women's Bible Study is taking a break for the summer. During our break, we plan to have some group activities. Please be looking for future communications about activities and restarting of the Tuesday Bible Study. Everyone is welcome!

TECHNOLOGY TEAM FORMING: We are putting together a technology team that could help organize existing technology, particularly used on Sunday mornings and in the Fellowship Hall, help fill in when Jared is away, and help with recommendations on future technology use going forward. If you like tech or this sounds like a good fit for you to serve the church, please call or text Karen Craig at (501) 920-1217 or email Karen at craigkm16@gmail.com.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Trinity family birthdays this week: 5/19 Nick Steele, 5/21 Matthew Bowen, 5/22 Amy Gatewood Deiser, 5/23 David Gill, 5/24 Olivia Brown and Grace Griffin, 5/25 Alice Robertson. We encourage you to reach out to our birthday celebrants by text, email, phone call, or personal note. We want to add your birthday to our list! If your birthday is missing from this list, let us know by contacting the church office at TrinityPresLR@gmail.com or 501-868-5848.

THE SESSION

Pastor Jeff Price, Moderator

Bob Ridgeway, Clerk

Betsy Smith	Education
Karen Craig	Education
Rita Looney	Fellowship
Joe Arnold	Fellowship
Don Eilbott	Administration
Sam Parnell	Administration
Larry Furrer	Building & Property
Chuck Bloser	Building & Property
Wanda Hartnuss	Outreach
Mac Bellingrath	Outreach

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