

TRINITY FELLOWSHIP CHURCH (PCA)

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The Lord's Day

September 1st, 2019 • 10:45 A.M.

Trinity Fellowship Church exists to glorify God by equipping a community of believers to worship God and be witnesses of Him in Central Arkansas and to the ends of the earth.

VOLUNTEERS

Greeters and Ushers

Nursery

Glenn VanEnk <i>and</i> Lane VanEnk	09/01	Joy Denley
Josh Childress <i>and</i> Leo Jones	09/08	Volunteer Needed
Ed Sartain <i>and</i> Phillip Troutte	09/15	Volunteer Needed
Brad DeVries <i>and</i> Nathanael DeVries	09/22	Volunteer Needed

PARAMENTS

Liturgical colors have an instructional purpose and point us to the life of Christ and the great acts of redemptive history.

These colored hangings, called paraments, adorn the pulpit, communion table, and baptismal font.

Green represents spiritual growth and world missions.

It is displayed during “ordinary time,” which is the period between Pentecost and Advent.

Celebration *of* Worship

The Greeting and Announcements

The Prelude

*During this time, be prayerful and reverent in preparation
for the worship of our holy God in His sanctuary.
(Please silence all phones and electronic devices.)*

† The Call to Worship

1 Timothy 6:13–16, 1:17

Leader: *I charge you in the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will display at the proper time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see.*

To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

† The Hymn of Praise

Immortal, Invisible

Hymns of Grace

N^o 36

† The Prayer of Invocation

† Please stand, as able

The Call to Confession

2 Chronicles 30:8–9

Leader: *“Do not now be stiff-necked as your fathers were, but yield yourselves to the LORD and come to his sanctuary, which he has consecrated forever, and serve the LORD your God, that his fierce anger may turn away from you. For if you return to the LORD, your brothers and your children will find compassion with their captors and return to this land. For the LORD your God is gracious and merciful and will not turn away his face from you, if you return to him.”*

The Individual Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

Romans 9:15–16

Leader: *God said to Moses, “I will have mercy on whom I have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I have compassion.” So then it depends not on human will or exertion, but on God, who has mercy.*

† The Hymn of Trust

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

Hymns of Grace

Nº 88

The Prayers of the People

*God calls us to be a praying people.
Let us join in prayer, offering our praise,
thanksgiving, and intercession to God.*

The Offertory

*Our offering is an act of worship in which we express our gratitude and reliance on God.
For those of you who are guests with us today, giving is not obligatory.
We are eager to share with you more about our church and its ministry
and to invite you to participate with us as you are called by God.*

If you have filled out a visitor’s card, please place it in the plate as it is passed.

† The Hymn of Thanksgiving

Doxology

Hymns of Grace

Nº 440

‡ **The Prayer of Dedication**

The Reading of Scripture

ESV Pew Bible

Exodus 33:1–23

pp. 73–74

The Sermon

“Show Me Your Glory”

Rev. Brad DeVries

‡ **The Hymn of Preparation**

Hymns of Grace

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

N^o 278

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

We welcome all baptized Christians who have professed their faith in Jesus Christ for salvation and are members of congregations that proclaim the gospel to receive holy communion with us.

If you are not able to receive communion, please use this time to meditate on the prayer found on page 6.

We serve gluten-free bread and your choice of grape juice (colored cups, outer ring) or wine (clear cups, inner rings)‡

‡ **The Hymn of Response**

Hymns of Grace

The Sands of Time Are Sinking (vv. 1–3, 5)

N^o 427

‡ **The Benediction**

‡ **The Recessional Hymn**

Hymns of Grace

The Sands of Time Are Sinking (v. 6)

N^o 427

‡ As the elements are distributed, please wait until all are served so that we may partake together.

The Postlude

*As you leave the sanctuary today, may you know the hope to which God has called you,
experience the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints,
and trust his incomparably great power for us who believe.*

*Please help us love our community by recycling your unneeded bulletins as you leave.
A recycling bin is located by the door in the narthex.*

A Prayer of Belief: Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

A special offering will be collected today to support the Deacons' Benevolence Fund. This fund provides our deacons with the means to show our loving care and support to those in our church family and surrounding community who may be in need of assistance while facing a hardship. A plate is available in the narthex for all gifts of benevolence.

NOTES

DISCUSSION AND APPLICATION

- ❖ At what times or under what circumstance does God seem distant? How does the experience of Israel in the wilderness inform our own?
- ❖ Why is the dialogue between Moses and the Lord so important? What happens when we're listening and conversing with our closest friend?
- ❖ How is the desire we see in Moses indicative of all human beings? Do you want more of God or just what he provides?

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Michelle Hill CRU/FamilyLife; Little Rock
Mike Fennema Spring Hill Presbyterian Church; Spring Hill
Mike and Eli Sabin MTW; Guam
Steve Sanford Evangelical Alliance for Immigration Services; Little Rock
Tom and Karen Mirabella MTW; Chiba, Japan
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