

TRINITY FELLOWSHIP CHURCH (PCA)

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The Lord's Day

Second Sunday of Easter

April 8th, 2018 • 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

Phillip Troutte <i>and</i> Gary Wheat	04/08	Rae Belle Sartain
Kevin Breedlove <i>and</i> John Thomas Breedlove	04/15	Diane Buck
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John Hensley <i>and</i> Gabe Hensley	04/29	Chloe Hensley <i>and</i> Sophia Hensley

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, are seen on the pulpit, communion table, and baptismal font.

White is displayed during the Easter season. It represents the purity and glory of the risen Christ and the joy of His redeemed people.

CELEBRATION *of* WORSHIP

The Greeting and Announcements

The Prelude

Hymns of Grace

The Secret Place

Nº 51

*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 Processional Hymn

Hymns of Grace

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Nº 2

† The Call to Worship

Psalm 111:1-3

Leader: *Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them. Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.*

† The Hymn of Praise

Hymns of Grace

How Great Thou Art

Nº 5

† The Prayer of Invocation

† Please stand, as able

The Reading of the Law

Westminster Shorter Catechism, 42

Leader: *What is the sum of the ten commandments?*

Unison: The sum of the ten commandments is, to love the Lord our God with all our heart, with all our soul, with all our strength, and with all our mind; and our neighbor as ourselves.

The Call to Confession

Galatians 3:10

Leader: *All who rely on works of the law are under a curse; for it is written, “Cursed be everyone who does not abide by all things written in the Book of the Law, and do them.”*

The Corporate Prayer of Confession

from *The Book of Common Prayer*

Unison: Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The Individual Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

Galatians 3:13-14

Leader: *Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree”—so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.*

† The Hymn of Assurance

Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Hymns of Grace

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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 Lord's Prayer

Unison: 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 Offertory

Hymns of Grace

*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.*

Not in Me

N^o 405

✠ The Hymn of Thanksgiving

Hymns of Grace

Doxology

N^o 440

✠ The Prayer of Dedication

The Reading of Scripture

ESV Pew Bible

Hebrews 12:1-3

P. 1008

The Sermon

“Strength to Endure”

Rev. Brad DeVries

† **The Hymn of Response**

Hymns of Grace

O Church, Arise

Nº 353

† **The Benediction**

† **The Recessional Hymn**

Hymns of Grace

Benediction

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The Postlude

Hymns of Grace

O Church, Arise

Nº 353

*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.*

NOTES

DISCUSSION AND APPLICATION

- ❖ Romans 15:5 says that we serve a God of endurance and encouragement. Do you turn to God's Word as a first stop for encouragement? When do you find the most encouragement through the Scriptures? Have you been encouraged in the faith through the witness of others? How?
- ❖ Do you really believe that Jesus has relieved the weight of sin that you carry? What happens as we embrace the perfect race of Christ as our own?
- ❖ What motivated Jesus to endure the hostility and suffering that he faced? Are you taking full advantage of the means of grace that God gives to endure?

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