

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Hymnals are available in the back.
Hard copies of the full content of the worship service
are available in the back as well as on the church website.

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

GOD CALLS AND CLEANSSES US

Gathering Song *Worthy is the Lamb*

Welcome, Greeting and Announcements

*Childcare is available during the worship service.
Infants/Toddlers (nursery);
Two and Three year olds (Rooms 102, 103)*

Call to Worship Psalm 30:1-4

LEADER: I will extol You, O LORD, for You have drawn me up and have not let my foes rejoice over me. O LORD my God, I cried to You for help, and You have healed me. O LORD, You have brought up my soul from Sheol; You restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit. Sing praises to the LORD, O you His saints, and give thanks to His holy name.

Prayer of Invocation

Worship Singing *All Creatures of Our God and King, v. 1-2*

Scripture Reading Psalm 30:5-9

LEADER: For His anger is but for a moment, and His favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning. As for me, I said in my prosperity, “I shall never be moved.”

ALL: **By Your favor, O LORD, You made my mountain stand strong; You hid Your face; I was dismayed. To You, O LORD, I cry, and to the Lord I plead for mercy: “What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the pit? Will the dust praise You? Will it tell of Your faithfulness?**

Worship Singing *Hear My Cry*

Scripture Reading Psalm 30:10-12

LEADER: Hear, O LORD, and be merciful to me! O LORD, be my helper!”

ALL: **You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness, that my glory may sing Your praise and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever.**

Worship Singing *Awake, Awake, O Heart of Mine!
All Creatures of Our God and King, v. 3-4*

Worship through Giving: text give to 828.398.4805

Musical Offering/Worship Singing *He is Immanuel*

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Sermon

James: Undefined Religion
James 1:1-4 (NASB) | It Begins with God

Chad Smith

James, a bond-servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ,
To the twelve tribes who are dispersed abroad: Greetings.

² Consider it all joy, my brethren, when you encounter various trials, ³ knowing that the testing of your faith produces endurance. ⁴ And let endurance have its perfect result, so that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.

GOD STRENGTHENS US

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

Gluten/Soy-free crackers are in the paper liners of each tray.

(CUP) Worship Singing

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

GOD SENDS US

VISITORS

We are thankful to have you with us this morning. If you would like to get more information about Trinity, please send an email to visitor@trinityashville.com. You may also pick up a simple visitor card, located on the stands in the back and at the welcome table.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Children – Middle School (9:45 – 10:45 AM)

Infants-Toddlers – 100	Kindergarten – 105	Fourth Grade – 302
Preschool I – 102	First Grade – 107	Fifth Grade – 304
Preschool II – 103	Second Grade – 106	Middle School Girls – 403
Pre-K – 104	Third Grade – 303	Middle School Guys – 402

High School – Adults (10:00 – 10:45 AM)

High School – High School building

Adult Classes

From Family to Community: Discipling Your Family with a Kingdom Perspective

Joe & Brenda Mullen; Steve & Joanne Wright (Room 205)

We are covering topics such as: sorting out our idols so we see Christ more clearly, discerning between the flesh and the Spirit as we seek to parent our children, understanding a biblical concept of authority and discipline, learning how to give and receive forgiveness, and dealing with conflict among our family members. This course is geared mainly to families with younger children and we will have follow up opportunities to address issues that may not be fully covered in the class.

The Heidelberg Catechism

Stephen Griffith, Eric Freeman, Judy Venning (Room 204)

*Lord’s Day 36: The Heidelberg Catechism declares that “No sin is greater or provokes God’s wrath more than the blaspheming of His Name.”
Is this true? If so, why?*

Sola Fide: Jesus in Jeremiah

Steve Eargle and Bill Ressler (Room 203)

In this course, we seek to learn more of what God is teaching us in each book of the Old Testament, especially as we clearly see the centrality of Jesus in the persons, events and symbols throughout Redemptive History.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

Prayer meeting 7:45 AM in Room 205
 Worship Service 8:30 AM in Worship Area
 Sunday School for Middle School and younger 9:45 AM in classrooms
 Sunday School for High School and Adults 10:00 AM in classrooms
 Worship Service 11:00 AM in Worship Area
 Youth Group..... 6:00 to 7:30 PM at church

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in classrooms
 Diaconate meeting 6:30 PM in Room 201

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in classrooms
 Staff Meeting 10:00 AM in Room 202
 Ledgewood 3:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in classrooms
 Wednesday Kids Camp 3:30 to 5:30 PM
 Adult Choir rehearsal 6:30 PM in Worship Area

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in classrooms

UPCOMING DATES

Next Sunday Visitor coffee hosted by Far East Care Group
January 26-27 Officer retreat
January 27 Women's Coffee Fellowship
February 3 Men's Breakfast

ELDERS			DEACONS		
Stephen Bates, Andrew Belz, Conley Brown, Brad Burlingham, Bryson Fleming, Ned Gibson, Stephen Griffith, Jim Hill, Calvin Marshall, Joe Mullen, Darrell Rhoden, Norman Riddle, Chad Smith, Stephen Todd, Aaron Voigt			Harry Buckner, Spencer Clark, Adam Foss, Harold Frost, Rick Green, Zach Holland, Josh Pacosa, Brandon Ray, Jim Smith, Tim Tyson, Scott Wilhelmi		
OFFERING UPDATE			OFFICERS ON DUTY		
Fiscal Year ending June 30	LAST WEEK	YTD	ELDER	DEACON	
GENERAL FUND GIFTS	\$26,147	\$673,005	TODAY	Burlingham Eargle	Stoia Green
BUDGET	\$23,300	\$652,400	NEXT WEEK	Carlson Eargle	Bruns Wilhelmi

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visitors, we are thankful to have you with us this morning. If you would like to get more information about Trinity, please email visitor@trinityasheville.com. You may also fill out a simple visitor card, located on the stands in the back and at the welcome table. **We will have coffee and snacks next Sunday at 10:00 AM. Please join us if you are able.**

If you would like to receive our Trinity weekly email, please contact Helen.

Our next Inquirer's class will begin on February 4 during Sunday School. If you want to find out more about Trinity, we invite all to come to this 4 week class. Please contact Tish or Karen in the office if you're interested. If you are interested, but unable to attend the class, please see one of our pastors.

We are in need additional help with our Sunday morning hospitality. These are simple, yet critical areas of service as we seek to welcome folks to worship. Contact Anthony if you would be willing to help with any of the following: **Coffee** | Adults; **Ushers** to distribute bulletins and collect offering | Ages 3rd grade – adult; **Greeters** for each service | High School ages and up; **Welcome Table** | Adults.

WOMEN (contact Joy)

Upcoming Bible Study: Nehemiah: Rebuilt and Rebuilding - taught by Susan Marshall **February 6 to April 24:** Tuesdays - 9:30 to 11:00 AM; Room 205. (fellowship at 9:15); Tuesdays - 6:30 to 8:00 PM; Room 203. Study Guide by Kathleen Buswell Nielson: P&R Publishing ISBN: 978-1-59638-372-2. Register and sign up for childcare at welcome table.

Women's Coffee Fellowship: Saturday, January 27; 9:30 to 11:00 AM in Room 205. Leslie Green will be sharing some "Treasures in Tribulation" from this past year. Come and be encouraged!

SAVE THE DATE: Trinity Women's Retreat - March 16-17. More details to come.

CHILDREN (contact Elaine or Tish)

We have immediate openings for volunteer (Adult and/or Youth) help in our church-time nurseries: Infants (both early and late services), Toddlers (early service), Twos (early service), Threes (late service), Fours and Fives (early service). Contact Tish or Elaine if you would be willing to serve one Sunday a month (or as a sub). Thank you!

Our Outreach Ministry to the children of the Ledgewood housing development began this past Tuesday. Volunteers are still needed! Drivers and driving assistants, meet at the church at 2:50. Helpers should be in place at the church at 3:25 in room 205. The children are taken home at 4:50.

Wednesday Kids Camp (for ages 4 by September 2017 - Fifth Graders) begins this week from 3:30 - 5:30. If your child attended in the fall, they do not need to re register. Registration forms for new children are available in the foyer. We need additional volunteers.

MISSION/MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

See our website for the most up to date information on all of our missionaries/ministries.

Asheville Buncombe Community Christian Ministry (ABCCM) is one of the key non-profit organizations addressing poverty, hunger, homelessness and access to health care for the under-served in Buncombe County, serving annually around 50,000. See abccm.org for information about their services, needs, and volunteer opportunities.

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TRINITY ASHEVILLE

CENTERING OUR LIVES AROUND JESUS
 LOVING ONE ANOTHER
 LOVING THE WORLD

January 14, 2018
Second Sunday after the Epiphany
8:30 and 11:00 AM

Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian Church!

We are glad that you are with us this morning! We hope you feel welcome. Please let us know if we can help you in any way. Our Worship Service lasts for about 75 minutes. We hope you will find the service accessible whether you have spent your whole life in church or are attending for the very first time.

There are a few options for your children. We welcome children of all ages to remain with their parents in worship. We have children's bulletins and Bibles available in the foyer. Room 101 is a dedicated cry room for nursing mothers. Childcare is provided during the entire service for children up to age three. Children ages four and five are given the choice of attending a children's worship time in Room 105; dismissal is before the sermon. We love children here at Trinity. For their safety, please do not leave them unattended in or outside the building.

Additional information is available at our welcome table in the foyer. Please speak with someone at the table if you have questions. You may also complete a contact card (found on the stands in the back) or send an email to visitor@trinityasheville.com.

To connect with our church, please feel free to speak with one of our pastors, greeters, or welcome table attendants. They can give you information on our small group Bible studies and other ministry opportunities. Information may also be found at the welcome table in the foyer or on our website: trinityasheville.com.

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