

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.

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 1 Peter 1:3-9

Prayer of Invocation

Call to Confession 1 Peter 1:13-16

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon 1 Peter 2:9-10; 3:18

Worship Singing *Not What My Hands Have Done*

(11:00) Reception of New Members John & Ruth Ann Andersen
 Spencer Andersen, Charlie Andersen
 Michael & Peggy Everhart

Worship through Giving: Musical Offering *He Walks with Me (1 Peter)*
 Sung by Joy Voigt and Caroline Clark

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Sermon The Church | 1 Peter 5:6-14 Chad Smith
The Beautiful Experiment of the Church (part two)

GOD STRENGTHENS US

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

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

(CUP) Worship Singing *Hide Away in the Love of Jesus*

GOD SENDS US

Dismissal 1 Peter 4:7-11

The Church: 1 Peter 5:6-14 (NASB) The Beautiful Experiment of the Church (part two)

Chad Smith

⁶ Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you at the proper time, ⁷ casting all your anxiety on Him, because He cares for you. ⁸ Be of sober *spirit*, be on the alert. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. ⁹ But resist him, firm in *your* faith, knowing that the same experiences of suffering are being accomplished by your brethren who are in the world. ¹⁰ After you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself perfect, confirm, strengthen *and* establish you. ¹¹ To Him *be* dominion forever and ever. Amen.

¹² Through Silvanus, our faithful brother (for so I regard *him*), I have written to you briefly, exhorting and testifying that this is the true grace of God. Stand firm in it! ¹³ She who is in Babylon, chosen together with you, sends you greetings, and so *does* my son, Mark. ¹⁴ Greet one another with a kiss of love.

Peace be to you all who are in Christ.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION – NO CLASSES TODAY

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

Inquirer's Class | Chad Smith (Pastor's Study)

From Family to Community: Discipling Your Family with a Kingdom Perspective
 Joe & Brenda Mullen; Steve & Joanne Wright (Room 205)

The Heidelberg Catechism | Stephen Griffith, Eric Freeman, Judy Venning (Room 204)

Sola Fide: Jesus in Jeremiah | Steve Eargle and Bill Ressler (Room 203)

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26

Prayer meeting 7:45 AM in Room 205
 Worship Service 8:30 AM in Worship Area
 Community Impact Team 10:00 AM in Room 201
 Worship Service 11:00 AM in Worship Area
 Youth Group 6:00 to 7:30 PM

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
 Adult Choir 6:30 to 8:30 PM in Worship Area

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
 Staff Meeting 10:00 AM in Room 202
 LedgeWood 3:00 PM
 Church Planting Team 4:00 PM in Room 302

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
 High School Guys Breakfast for Dinner 6:00 PM at Perkin home
 Adult Choir 6:30 to 8:30 PM in Worship Area

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Preschool 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

High School Girls Bible Study 4:30 to 6:00 PM at Elizabeth Kerns' home

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

Adult Choir 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

UPCOMING DATES

Next Sunday: Christmas Program
December 6: MS Guys Breakfast for Dinner
December 11: Session Meeting
December 13: Personnel Team
December 4: Disability Team; Missions Team
December 9: Men's Breakfast
December 12: LedgeWood Party
December 14: Ladies Lunch | Preschool Christmas Party

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	\$32,000	\$402,668	TODAY	Mullen Mullen	Stoia Green
BUDGET	\$23,300	\$489,300	NEXT WEEK	Bates Mullen	Bruns Wilhelmi

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@trinityasheville.com. You may also pick up a simple visitor card, located on the stands in the back and at the welcome table.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Trinity's Christmas Program
Sunday, December 3
5:00 and 7:00 PM.
Admission is free.
Reception at 6:15 PM.
Childcare for ages 5 and younger
is available at 5:00.
Email Anthony to reserve a spot.

Childcare workers are needed for the Trinity Christmas concert from 4:45 to 6:45 PM. If interested in working, please email Judy Hamaker: sjham@charter.net or contact Tish Hawks at the church office. Thank you!

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.

Trinity Safety Team: A team to discuss security concerns and to propose solutions will meet for the first time on Monday, December 4, at 6:30PM in Room 203. All interested members are welcome to attend and join the team. Please contact Jim Smith with questions gardens2design@gmail.com.

Veterans Quarters: Trinity has had the privilege of serving a hot meal monthly at the Veterans Restoration Quarters for the last 20+ years. We are looking for new cooks to help on a rotating basis for 2018 (flexible schedule options). If you are interested and want more information, please call Cathy Rogers at 676.1470 or email at ccrogers2@juno.com.

Informal Messiah Singalong - Friday night before Christmas, (December 22) from 5:30 to 7:00 PM at Trinity. We have books. Just come ready to sing!

COMMUNITY IMPACT

Friends, Kids, and Families, if you took one of the **Habitat for Humanity banks**, we are collecting them outside the reception office through the end of the year.

Community High School (CHS): Trinity is partnering with Community High School in Swannanoa to give all of their students a gift for Christmas. Most of these students would ordinarily not be getting much, if anything, and because they are right down the street, we have a chance to get each of them something they'd really like to have, personalize it (with a note or Christmas card), wrap it, and (if you'd like) even be a part of giving it to them in person in December!

Trinity has agreed to purchase ONE gift for as many students as we are able. Similar to the "Angel Tree" project, students have written down 3 items (up to \$30 each) they would like to have, and the 'sponsor' (that's you!) will pick ONE out and wrap it. The student lists will be available after both services through Sunday, December 8. All wrapped gifts are due back at the church by Friday, December 15 (earlier is great too!).

For more information, please read the full description of the project in The Weekly, or contact Dawn Moore (dawn.moore@charter.net). Thank you ahead of time for being light in these kids' lives, for showing them in a tangible way the love Jesus has for them.

MISSION FOCUS

Chris & Sara Jane Horne
Reformed University Fellowship
Appalachian State University
appstate.ruf.org

For more information, contact Trinity Missions Team member
Becky Frawley at xpriston@aol.com

One of the sweetest joys of working with students is sharing our family life with them. Our kids play with students almost every day, invite them to their birthday parties and carry flowers in their weddings. Georgia asks Madelaine for help with her reading. Bonnie braids Seth's long hair. Rosie gets a piggy back ride from Hee-Yeon. Along the way they are learning by example how to follow Jesus as a young adult.

In return, our students witness the daily life of a Christian family who are learning how to follow Jesus, too. A husband and wife trying to put one another's needs above their own. A mom and dad asking forgiveness from their kids when they mess up. A family singing songs together at bed time. Sara Jane and I pray through tears at our kitchen table with students who are going through a break up or just found out that their parent is sick again. We celebrate together when they get engaged or graduate.

It's not magic; it's ordinary. Our family is far from perfect. But we have a faithful God who is at work in us. And it is such a joy to experience His work alongside our students. They aren't just a part of RUF, they are part of the Horne family. And for many of them that is the only Christian family they have known. Thank you for allowing us (by your prayer and support) to share our family with these amazing students.



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CENTERING OUR LIVES AROUND JESUS
LOVING ONE ANOTHER
LOVING THE WORLD

November 26, 2017

Last Sunday after Pentecost | Ordinary Time
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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