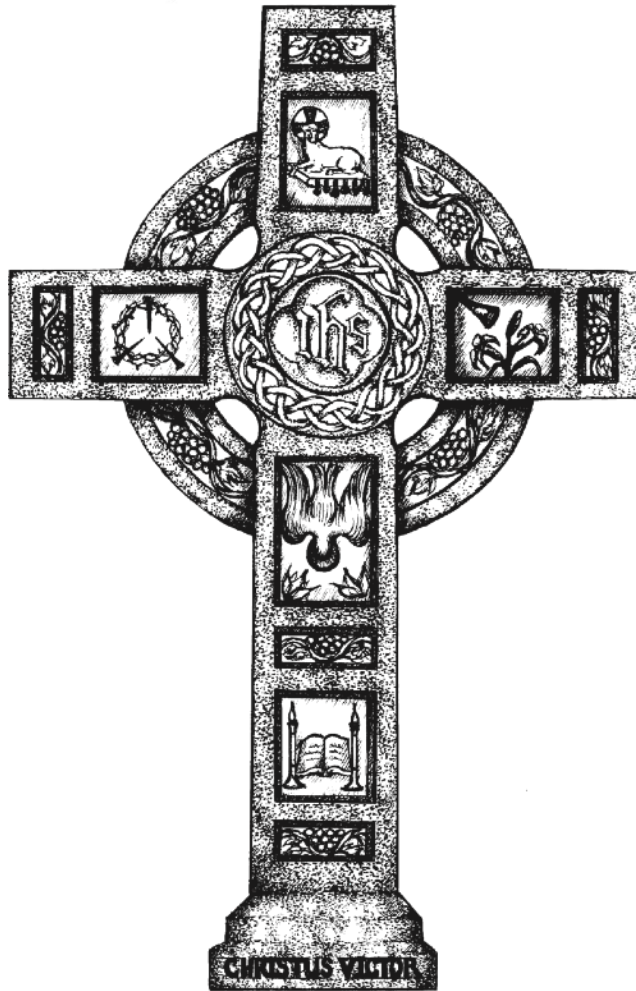


# TRINITY CHURCH

The Presbyterian Church in America



To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire hope;  
to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whoever will come;  
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in  
the name of the risen Lord Jesus Christ.

**April 23, 2023**

# A L O H A

**All of us have this in common: we need God's grace.**

Grace is not earned or deserved, but comes freely through God's gift of His Son Jesus Christ.  
We desire for you to find this grace and live within its power.

*Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian Church!*

**Are You New Today?** We hope you sense our Aloha and welcome to you!  
Use the **Aloha Welcome Card** today to indicate your interest in getting to know church, Pastor Todd,  
or if you have any questions.

Coffee served before and after the service – others today want to meet you!

**Cry Room Downstairs** If needed, cry room is the library downstairs, where you can view the worship service livestream.

**Promiseland Nursery** Trinity's nursery is located in the building next to the Sanctuary. Parents are invited to trust their children, ages 0 - 3, to the loving care of our nursery volunteers.

**Discoveryland Children's Instruction** Children ages 4-9 can accompany their parents halfway through service, at which point they are dismissed to Discoveryland. Instruction includes Bible stories and discussions geared toward the application of God's Word to children's lives. Parents, you are always welcome to have your children with you throughout the service.

## Calendar & Upcoming Events

- Thursday, April 27th**      **Saving Grace Daily Devotions - Men** - 6am Library. Discussion based on recent devotions from “yellow book.” Get your copy of this book from Pastor Todd today.
- Saturday, April 29th**      **Saving Grace Daily On-Line Devotions - Everyone** - 7:30am. Link to **Zoom** provided through the “Calendar” feature on TrinityConnect. Click date for link.
- Sunday, April 30th**      **Shepherding a Child’s Heart Luncheon** Led by Pastor Todd Capen, this seminar will focus on 6 key principles from the book of the same title, by Tedd Tripp. 11:45 am, childcare & Lunch Provided. RSVP by April 20th.
- Saturday, May 6th**      **Ladies Tea** at 11am. Join the ladies of Trinity for Ladies Tea! Contact Jessica Jackson on TrinityConnect if you would like RSVP or host a table.
- Monday, May 8th**      **Final Women’s Study** meets in the library from 6:30-8pm. Contact Erin Lutz or Merrill Hodges if you have any questions. Books will be provided.

## Church Announcements

- Worship Leader**      Please be praying as the Elders make a decision in the next few weeks.
- Welcome Table**      Welcome Table New today? Please stop by the welcome table in the back of the sanctuary. Coffee and refreshments served.
- TrinityConnect**      Become a TPC “insider” - important updates about life at TPC. Sign up for an account on the church website at [www.trinitychurchkailua.org](http://www.trinitychurchkailua.org).
- The Devotional Life**      Saturdays 7:30am - Zoom Reflections! The “Saving Grace” daily devotional opens up great insights into the Christian Life. Zoom links are provided via TrinityConnect and arrive through email.
- Women’s Study**      TPC Ladies Ministry had begun a study in January based on Jen Wilkin’s book *Women of the Word*. We all know it’s important to study God’s word, but sometimes it’s hard to know where to start. Lack of time, emotionally driven approaches and past frustrations can erode our resolve to keep growing in our knowledge of Scripture. Meets Second and Fourth Monday of each month.
- Men’s Study**      Morning Mens Devotions: Join us every week at 6am in the Trinity Library. Get your copy of the Yellow Book on the book table.
- Grief Support Group**      Stephen Prusinski is leading a group study at Ivy Living Senior Community in Hawaii Kai. Tuesdays 10am-12pm. Excellent materials supplied. People can join in at any time. Visit [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org)

Growing in the gospel means seeing more of God’s holiness and more of my sin. And because of what Jesus has done for us on the cross, we need not fear seeing God as he really is or admitting how broken we really are. Our hope is not in our own goodness, nor in the vain expectation that God will compromise his standards and “grade on a curve.” Rather, we rest in Jesus as our perfect Redeemer – the one who is “our righteousness, holiness, and redemption” (1 Cor. 1:30).

–*The Gospel Centered Life*

Achieving is not a bad thing—when it’s done in the right way and for the right reasons. But it is no substitute for connecting. In fact, if it is to be done right, it must honor community. The only really significant achievements are those that enrich the life of community.

–*John Ortberg*

“As the Father looks with pleasure and delight on this perfect Son of his, so he looks with pleasure and delight on all who are in him.”

–*Michael Reeves*



## GATHERING SONG

## Holy Holy Holy

Holy holy holy  
Lord God Almighty  
Early in the morning  
Our song shall rise to Thee  
Holy holy holy  
Merciful and mighty  
God in three persons  
Blessed Trinity

Holy holy holy  
All the saints adore Thee  
Casting down their golden crowns  
Around the glassy sea  
Cherubim and seraphim  
Falling down before Thee  
Which wert and art  
And evermore shalt be

Holy holy holy  
Though the darkness hide Thee  
Though the eye of sinful man  
Thy glory may not see  
Only Thou art holy  
There is none beside Thee  
Perfect in power  
In love and purity

Holy holy holy  
Lord God Almighty  
All Thy works shall praise Thy name  
In earth and sky and sea  
Holy holy holy  
Merciful and mighty  
God in three persons  
Blessed Trinity

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## WELCOME - A Word of Grace

Pastor Todd Capen

*1 Timothy 3:16*

“Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness: He was manifested in the flesh, vindicated by the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed on in the world, taken up in glory.” People of Zion, worship the risen, reigning Christ!

## CALL TO WORSHIP

*from Ps 51:2, Psalm 30:11-12, Isaiah 51:1*

Minister: Let us worship the triune God! Lord, open our lips!

**People: And our mouths shall declare your praise!**

Minister: Glory be to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
You have turned for me my mourning into dancing;

**People: You have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness,  
that my glory may sing your praise and not be silent.**

Minister: O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever!  
You who pursue righteousness, you who seek the Lord:  
look to the rock from which you were hewn,  
and to the quarry from which you were dug.

**People: For the Lord comforts Zion; He comforts all her waste places  
and makes her wilderness like Eden, her desert like the garden of the Lord;  
joy and gladness will be found in her, thanksgiving and the voice of song.**

## PRAYER OF INVOCATION

## SONG OF PRAISE

## You Are My King

I'm forgiven  
Because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted  
You were condemned  
I'm alive and well  
Your Spirit is within me  
Because You died  
And rose again

Ending  
You are my King  
You are my King  
Jesus You are my King  
Jesus You are my King

### Chorus

Amazing love  
How can it be  
That You my King  
Would die for me  
Amazing love  
I know it's true  
It's my joy to honor You  
In all I do I honor You

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## SONG OF PRAISE

## Oh Lord You're Beautiful

Oh Lord You're beautiful  
Your face is all I seek  
And when Your eyes are on this child  
Your grace abounds to me

Oh Lord please light the fire  
That once burned bright and clear  
Replace the lamp of my first love  
That burns with holy fear

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## AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 42, 43*

Minister: Q. 42. What is the summary of the Ten Commandments?

**People:** The summary 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 to love our neighbor as ourselves.

Minister: Q. 43. What is the preface to the Ten Commandments?

**People:** The preface to the Ten Commandments is these words: “I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.”

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Streams of Mercy: Prayers of Confession and Celebration*

Minister: Our Father, we thank you that you are a righteous judge. You define goodness and fairness in your universe, and we can trust you far more than we can ever trust our own sense of justice.

**People:** We also thank you for your patience with us, which staggers our imaginations. Lord, we speak hard words against you in our hearts every day.

Minister: If we examined every thought that flows through our minds, we would discover countless grumblings and accusations against you. We often serve you for many selfish reasons and think that you owe us what we want in exchange.

**ALL:** We know this by the way that our hearts flare when we don't get what we want and, even worse, by our bitterness when others whom we think less deserving get exactly what we want. O God, have mercy on us and forgive us. If you were to give us what we truly deserve, we couldn't endure it for a moment.

### **(Pause - for Silent Confession)**

*In this quiet moment, ask God to simply lead you to rest in His goodness.*

*Confess what's taken on saving power for you. Turn away from what you think makes you righteous. Cry out for new affections and love for Christ - only these can change you and cause you to walk in newness of life.*



## ASSURANCE OF PARDON IN THE GOSPEL

*Acts 10:38-43*

**Minister:** “God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

**People:**       **Thanks be to God!**

## DOXOLOGY

Ho‘onani i ka makua mau  
*Praise God from whom all blessing flow*

Ke Keiki me ka‘Uhane nō  
*Praise Him all creatures here below*

Ke Akua mau ho‘omaika‘i Pu  
*Praise Him above ye heavenly host*

Kō kēia ao, Kō Kēlā ao. ‘Amene.

## SONG OF THANKSGIVING

Jesus I Come

Out of my bondage sorrow and night  
Jesus I come Jesus I come  
Into Thy freedom gladness and light  
Jesus I come to Thee  
Out of my sickness into Thy health  
Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth  
Out of my sin and into Thyself  
Jesus I come to Thee to Thee

Out of unrest and arrogant pride  
Jesus I come Jesus I come  
Into Thy blessed will to abide  
Jesus I come to Thee  
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love  
Out of despair into raptures above  
Upward forever on wings like a dove  
Jesus I come to Thee to Thee

Out of my shameful failure and loss  
Jesus I come Jesus I come  
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross  
Jesus I come to Thee  
Out of earths sorrows into Thy balm  
Out of lifes storms and into Thy calm  
Out of distress into jubilant psalm  
Jesus I come to Thee to Thee

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb  
Jesus I come Jesus I come  
Into the joy and light of Thy home  
Jesus I come to Thee  
Out of the depths of ruin untold  
Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold  
Ever Thy glorious face to behold  
Jesus I come to Thee to Thee

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## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

### The Lord's Prayer

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

## OFFERTORY

The offering plate can be found in the back of the sanctuary. Please consider taking the steps to establish an online giving practice to support the ministry. Visit the Trinity website for online giving.

The offering has always been part of God's worship. Our gracious God has lavished upon us His grace in Jesus. His grace is the action. Our giving is the reaction to grace. A financial response is only one of many responses to God's grace. We give because we are discovering the treasure of the kingdom and the King!



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Jesus said, "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also" *Matthew 6:21*

## SCRIPTURE READING

*Revelation 14:6-13*

6 Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. 7 And he said with a loud voice, “Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water.”

8 Another angel, a second, followed, saying, “Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great, she who made all nations drink the wine of the passion of her sexual immorality.”

9 And another angel, a third, followed them, saying with a loud voice, “If anyone worships the beast and its image and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, 10 he also will drink the wine of God’s wrath, poured full strength into the cup of his anger, and he will be tormented with fire and sulfur in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. 11 And the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever, and they have no rest, day or night, these worshipers of the beast and its image, and whoever receives the mark of its name.”

12 Here is a call for the endurance of the saints, those who keep the commandments of God and their faith in Jesus.

13 And I heard a voice from heaven saying, “Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.” “Blessed indeed,” says the Spirit, “that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!”

**Minister:** The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God will stand forever. This is the Word of God! Isaiah 40:8

**People:** **Thanks be to God!**

## PRAYER FOR THE CHILDREN

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Today's Message: "Three Angelic Announcements and a Blessing"

Pastor Todd Capen

Text: Revelation 14:6-13

Message Overview: Today we explore a most unpopular subject: God's wrath. How does this idea even become plausible in our day? Today we look at why we should listen to the messages of these three angels as the day of judgment dawns upon the earth.

Message Notes:

Questions: Have you found your heart looking for solutions to your own "restlessness?" Do you envision that God's justice is good and needed? Why is it important to think with Paul in Acts 17 that God has "fixed a day to judge the world?"

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Next Lord's Day: Sunday April 30 - Revelation 14:14-20

# CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

## MINISTERS WELCOME TO THE TABLE

This is the Lord's table. The Lord Jesus invites us to share this joyful feast.  
From east and west, from north and south, people will come and take their places  
at the banquet in the kingdom of God.

Minister: According to his commandment:

**People: We remember his death,  
we proclaim his resurrection,  
we await his coming in glory.**

Minister: Christ the bread of life:

**People: When we eat this bread and drink this cup,  
we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus,  
until you come in glory.**

## BLESSING BY THE MINISTER

As Paul said to the Corinthians, so I say to you, Christ the Passover Lamb is sacrificed for us.  
Let us keep the feast!

## COMMUNION AT TRINITY

WHO IS INVITED TO TAKE PART? All baptized believers who have professed their faith before the leadership of a Bible believing congregation that teaches the Christian faith in terms of faith alone in Christ are invited to join us at the Lord's Table. We ask that children wait to partake in the Lord's Supper until they have met with the Elders and professed faith publicly.

WHAT IF I AM NOT READY? If you or your children are not ready to partake in the Lord's Supper, you are invited to come forward and ask the Elders to pray for you. You may also remain in your seat to sing, pray or meditate.

WHAT IS THE PROCESS? We dismiss by rows and come forward, beginning with the middle sections, then moving to the outer sections. With the elements of the Supper in hand, return to your seat and take the elements when you are ready. We encourage you to sing, pray or meditate on the finished work of Christ at this time.

PRAYER OF SEARCHING FOR TRUTH: Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing and leads to the life you promise. Amen.

PRAYER OF BELIEVING IN JESUS: Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed. But through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my savior. Amen.

PRAYER FOR STRUGGLING AGAINST SIN: Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my needs, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you - the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely to me, and run with perseverance the race that you have set before me, looking only to you, the pioneer and champion of my faith. Amen

## SONG OF DISMISSAL

All Glory Be To Christ

Should nothing of our efforts stand  
No legacy survive  
Unless the Lord does raise the house  
In vain its builders strive  
To you who boast tomorrow's gain  
Tell me what is your life  
A mist that vanishes at dawn  
All glory be to Christ

### Chorus

All glory be to Christ our king  
All glory be to Christ  
His rule and reign we'll ever sing  
All glory be to Christ

His will be done His kingdom come  
On earth as is above  
Who is Himself our daily bread  
Praise Him the Lord of love  
Let living water satisfy  
The thirsty without price  
We'll take a cup of kindness yet  
All glory be to Christ

When on the day the great I Am  
The faithful and the true  
The Lamb who was for sinners slain  
Is making all things new  
Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light

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## BENEDICTION

*Revelation 1:4-5*

“Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth.”

**New to TPC? Text “hello” to 808.224.2010**

Please help keep our church clean by checking your row before you leave. Your assistance is appreciated!

## Leadership

### CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Todd Capen, Senior Pastor  
Brandon Edmonds, Associate Pastor  
Bill Burkhalter, Elder  
Daniel Lutz, Elder  
Jordan Tilley, Deacon

### MINISTRY LEADERSHIP

Mary Ann Capen, Children's Instruction  
Anya Edmonds, Prayer Coordinator  
Brittany Lum, Welcome and Hospitality  
Erin Lutz, Women's Ministries

### TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Joel Staggars, Acting Head of School & Rhetoric Principal  
Vicki Leong, Grammar Principal  
Erin Lutz, Logic Principal

## Missions We Support

### TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL | KAILUA, HI

Chaplain Ministry - Brandon Edmonds

### CONKLING FAMILY | TAIWAN

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Reformed University Fellowship on the UH Campus

### PCA CHURCH PLANT

Kahikolu Church, Kauai

## Stewardship

### April Giving

Budgeted: \$32,500.00  
Received: \$16,911.00  
-\$15,589.00

### YTD 2023

Budgeted: \$104,000.00  
Received: \$ 73,021.56  
-\$ 30,978.44

### WAYS TO TITHE

- Cash/Check During Sunday Collection
- Online at [www.trinitychurchkailua.org/giving/](http://www.trinitychurchkailua.org/giving/)
- Donate by texting "Trinity Kailua" to 77977
- Special Donations (Contact Brittany Lum)



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### MISSIONS SUPPORT | 2022

\$56,347 as of December 31st

Included in missions is rent free facility use for Trinity Christian School since 1982.

For a full budget, please contact the Church office.

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