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.

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Gathering Song

Welcome

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration

Song of Praise

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Song of Thanksgiving

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Today's Message

The Lord's Supper

Song of Blessing

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Benediction

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 **welcome card** today to indicate your interest in getting to know Pastor Todd or if you have any questions.

Coffee served following the service – others today want to meet you!

SIGN UP! The TPC Weekly Newsletter includes thoughts from "the pastor's desk", reflections on life, news, and the Cross. How do I get this in my inbox? Use the Welcome Card to subscribe to the newsletter.

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.

CHILDREN'S INSTRUCTION: Children ages 4 - 9 accompany their parents halfway through service, at which point they are dismissed to the loving care of our Children's Instructors. 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.

Connect at Trinity

FELLOWSHIP

The Trinity community glorifies God in monthly Fellowship Luncheons and casual gatherings. Additionally, you can keep tabs with the goings-on at Trinity via Trinity Connect and TPC News, our email Newsletter. Contact Brittany Lum at church@trinitychurchkailua.org or 808-262-8587 to get connected.

TRINITYCONNECT

TrinityConnect is our online community to better connect with one another!

If you would like to request a login, use the QR code or go to trinitychurchkailua.ccbchurch.com/goto/signup. A login will connect you to our online directory, will bring you up to date with church communications, and will allow you to check any volunteer commitments and more!



Church Announcements & Upcoming Events

Sun May 22 Tonight - Baccalaureate Service 7pm. You are invited to join in!

Sat June 4th TPC Summer Book Club gathering to discuss "Screwtape Letters" by C.S.

Lewis. 9-11am at the Capen House in Maunawili. A free online version of the book is available, link provided in the TPC online newsletter.

Sat June 18th "Gospel Coach" is a casual discussion format with Pastor Todd.

The topic this Saturday is "Gospel Growth" - exploring how we grow

in light of the Gospel. 9-11am. Childcare is not available.

Back Table Sample curriculum and information about TPC is on the back table.

Those interested in membership can find the membership manual used

in membership classes.

Trinity Christian School

Joining our God on His mission to the world and to disciple young lives, Trinity Presbyterian Church established Trinity Christian School in 1981. At the direction of the elders, TCS became a Christian Classical School in 2007 and expanded to 12th grade. Interested in having your child be a part of this education? See any of the elders today, they would love to talk with you.

Trinity Christian School (TCS) is a Christ-centered classical school committed to partnering with parents to engage the minds and transform the lives of students for the glory of God.

We strive to be:

- Christian in our thinking
- Gospel-focused in our motivation
- Classical in our method
- Partnered with parents in our community

Christ forms the center of our purpose and practice at Trinity. Our intellectual pursuits are satisfied by Him, "in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge" (Col 2:3). And our moral pursuits are motivated by the life He lived, the cross He bore, and the gift He secured. It is through Christ that we find our ultimate purpose in education.

If you are considering joining Trinity Christian School, you should know that we feel a lot like an 'ohana, or a family. While we have experienced recent growth in size, we are still a welcoming fellowship, striving to know and care for our students and their families by name, with mindful intention.

One of Trinity's core convictions is to partner with parents as they raise their children. We believe that parents are the primary educators of their children and that this partnership can be a nurturing source of support, spiritually, educationally, and socially. Please let us know how we can be of service.

We love having prospective families and students visit Trinity Christian School. We're pleased to share that we are now open for in-person tours.

Please schedule a visit here, or call our Admissions line at 808-690-9537.



Worship at Trinity

WHAT IS WORSHIP?

In his encounter with the woman of Samaria, Jesus explained that "God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and in truth." (John 4:24). The reason Jesus says true worshipers must worship in this way is because God Himself "is spirit." Here we discover the simple yet profound principle that true worship is a response to God as He has personally revealed Himself. Thus, conformity to God's character is the key to true worship. "Great is the LORD," as the psalmist puts it, "and greatly to be praised" (Psalm 48:1)! In worship, we seek to reflect this divine reality, declaring with our lips and demonstrating with our lives that God is supremely precious and therefore worthy to receive all glory and honor and praise.

Why Do We Worship This Way?

Entering God's Presence

We gather in response to God's call to worship, joyfully offering praise to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. With reverence and awe, we confess our sins and receive God's forgiveness, which is declared in Jesus' name.

Renewing Our Faith

Worship continues with a focus on God's Word. Our faith is renewed as we publicly confess the truth of God, join our hearts and voices in prayers and hymns of praise to God, and hear the good news of God powerfully proclaimed.

Responding in Thanks

As hearing becomes doing, we respond to the proclamation of God's Word. Songs of praise continue to be raised and the gifts and offerings of God's people are collected. On Communion Sundays, we are invited to celebrate the Lord's Supper. With God's blessing upon us, we are sent into the world to love and serve the risen Lord Jesus Christ!

In consideration of other worshippers, please program all communication devices to silent mode. Parents, our nursery is available next door in the Preschool Building. A Cry Room with a Livestream of today's service is downstairs in the Library. Babies and toddlers are always welcome in the sanctuary. GATHERING SONG Multiplied

Your love is like radiant diamonds
Bursting inside us we cannot contain
Your love will surely come find us
Like blazing wild fires singing Your name

God of mercy sweet love of mine I have surrendered to Your design May this offering stretch across the skies And these Halleluiahs be multiplied

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Songwriters: Nathaniel Rinehart / William Rinehart Multiplied lyrics © Bluewater Music Corp., Downtown Music Publishing, Kobalt Music Publishing Ltd.

WELCOME - A Word of Grace

Romans 5:20-21

"The law was brought in so that the trespass might increase. But where sin increased, grace increased all the more, so that, just as sin reigned in death, so also grace might reign through righteousness to bring eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Brandon Edmonds

from Psalm 95

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, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Come stir your souls, raise a great shout! Sing joy upon joy to Jesus. He is your secure hiding place, the one you run to and are saved.

People: Let us to draw near, to be before his face, to adore him for who he is,

and all that he has done for us.

Minister: Let us shake the earth with the sound of our music and song.

For our Father is the Mighty God, and the Mightiest of Kings

far above all other heavenly rulers.

People: He holds the dark mysteries in the palm of his hand, and all of the things

that are made known he brings to light. Everything is under his rule. He

made the roaring sea and he molded the lifeless earth.

Minister: Humble yourselves, honor him, bow down. Come fall at the feet of your great

Father God, who made you, sustains you, rescues and heals you, nurtures and

guides you.

(cont)

People: He is our God, We are the people under his care, and he tends to us even

now.

Minister: Today, we live in the season of God's favor, where he is inviting everyone

to come find shelter, forgiveness

and loving mercy in Jesus.

If you hear his voice, do not harden your heart, do not push him away,

or be bitter toward him. Receive him as your master,

who has served you to the uttermost,

Know your shepherd,

who was devoured by the wolves, so that you would be safe.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

SONGS OF PRAISE

Arise my soul arise
Shake off your guilty fears
The bleeding sacrifice
On my behalf appears
Before the throne my surety stands
Before the throne my surety stands
My name is written on His hands

Received on Calvary
They pour effectual prayers
They strongly plead for me
Forgive him O forgive they cry
Forgive him O forgive they cry
Don't let that ransomed sinner die

Five bleeding wounds He bears

Chorus

Arise (arise) arise (arise)
Arise arise my soul arise
Arise (arise) arise (arise)
Arise arise my soul arise
Shake off your guilty fears and rise

He ever lives above
For me to intercede
His all-redeeming love
His precious blood to plead
His blood atoned for every race
His blood atoned for every race
And sprinkles now the throne of grace

My God is reconciled
His pard'ning voice I hear
He owns me for His child
I can no longer fear
With confidence I now draw nigh
With confidence I now draw nigh
And Father Abba Father cry

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Adapted from Isaiah 35:1–10

"They will enter Zion with singing; everlasting joy will crown their heads. Gladness and joy will overtake them, and sorrow and sighing will flee away." Isaiah 35:1

Minister: God of majesty and glory,

we are thirsty for your grace.

You made a way for us in the wilderness, and still, in our foolishness, we go astray.

People: We hide our eyes from your presence.

We do not listen to your Word.

We are lifeless when we ought to dance and speechless when we ought to sing.

All: Forgive us, O Lord.

Speak peace to our fearful hearts, strengthen our weak hands, and make firm our feeble knees

as we seek to follow in your holy way. Amen.

(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

Based on Isaiah 44:3

Minister: Hear this promise from Isaiah 44: "For I will pour water on the thirsty land

and streams on the dry ground; I will pour my Spirit upon your offspring,

and my blessing on your Descendants."

To all who believe and repent God has poured out His salvation upon you.

Know that over and over God will renew you. The power of His love for you cannot be stopped.

Know that His steadfast love is yours. Hope in the Lord!

DOXOLOGY

Hoʻonani i ka makua mau Praise God from whom all blessing flow Ke Keiki me kaʻUhane nō Praise Him all creatures here below Ke Akua mau hoʻomaikaʻi Pu Praise Him above ye heavenly host Kō kēia ao, Kō Kēlā ao. 'Amene.

SONG OF THANKSGIVING

My soul rejoice and sing, Thy Father's glorious praise; And let His precious love, Employ thee all thy days; To save my soul from hell,

Was His eternal will; And bless His precious name, His purpose to fulfill. He took the Lord, the great I AM, And as a nail He fastened Him. When deep calls to deep,
And sins like mountains rise,
And the old prince of hell,
Says all the Bible's lies,
This nail is fastened, in my heart,
Nor will it e'er, from me depart.

My wicked heart has said, Again yea, and again, That Christ my soul will leave, To perish in my sin; But though I feel as cold as clay,

Red Mountain Music

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

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 73

- 1 Surely God is good to Israel, to those who are pure in heart.
- 2 But as for me, my feet had almost slipped; I had nearly lost my foothold.
- 3 For I envied the arrogant when I saw the prosperity of the wicked.
- 4 They have no struggles; their bodies are healthy and strong.
- 5 They are free from common human burdens; they are not plagued by human ills.
- 6 Therefore pride is their necklace; they clothe themselves with violence.
- 7 From their callous hearts comes iniquity; their evil imaginations have no limits.
- 8 They scoff, and speak with malice; with arrogance they threaten oppression.
- 9 Their mouths lay claim to heaven, and their tongues take possession of the earth.
- 10 Therefore their people turn to them and drink up waters in abundance.
- 11 They say, "How would God know? Does the Most High know anything?"
- 12 This is what the wicked are like—always free of care, they go on amassing wealth.
- 13 Surely in vain I have kept my heart pure and have washed my hands in innocence.
- 14 All day long I have been afflicted, and every morning brings new punishments.
- 15 If I had spoken out like that, I would have betrayed your children.
- 16 When I tried to understand all this, it troubled me deeply

- 17 till I entered the sanctuary of God; then I understood their final destiny.
- 18 Surely you place them on slippery ground; you east them down to ruin.
- 19 How suddenly are they destroyed, completely swept away by terrors!
- 20 They are like a dream when one awakes; when you arise, Lord, you will despise them as fantasies.
- 21 When my heart was grieved and my spirit embittered,
- 22 I was senseless and ignorant; I was a brute beast before you.
- 23 Yet I am always with you; you hold me by my right hand.
- 24 You guide me with your counsel, and afterward you will take me into glory.
- 25 Whom have I in heaven but you?

 And earth has nothing I desire besides you.
- 26 My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.
- 27 Those who are far from you will perish; you destroy all who are unfaithful to you.
- 28 But as for me, it is good to be near God.

 I have made the Sovereign Lord my refuge;
 I will tell of all your deeds.

Minister: The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God will

stand forever. Isaiah 40:8 This is the Word of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

PRAYER FOR THE CHILDREN

Today's Message: "Praying Our Discontent" Psalm 73	Pastor Todd Capen
Message Overview: Asaph is the writer of this Psalm, a priest who led one of the temple choirs. In worship he recalibrates his entire outlook on what he was experiencing. Today we explore how God supplies a way out of discontentment.	
Message Notes:	
Quotes	
"No human being can long remain pleasureless and sad." - Thomas Aquinas	
"The church is the primary arena in which we learn that glory does not consist in what God does for us." Eugene H. Peterson	n what we do for God but
"If you need a guide for your ongoing relationship with God, read Psalms." Ja	im George

 $\textbf{Key Question:} \ What part of Asaph's spiritual journey can you most relate to?$

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 11

Minister: What are God's works of providence?

People: God's works of providence are his most holy, wise and powerful acts of

preserving and governing all his creatures and all their actions.

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Based on Luke 13:29, Romans 8:32

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

<u>WHO IS INVITED TO TAKE PART</u>? 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.

<u>WHAT IF I AM NOT READY</u>? 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.

<u>WHAT IS THE PROCESS</u>? 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.

<u>PRAYER OF SEARCHING FOR TRUTH</u>: 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.

<u>PRAYER OF BELIEVING IN JESUS</u>: 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.

<u>PRAYER FOR STRUGGLING AGAINST SIN</u>: 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 COMMUNION

Grander earth has quaked before Moved by the sound of His voice And seas that are shaken and stirred Can be calmed and broken for my regard

And through it all, through it all My eyes are on You And through it all, through it all It is well And through it all, through it all My eyes are on You And it is well, with me

Far be it from me to not believe Even when my eyes can't see And this mountain that's in front of me Will be thrown into the midst of the sea

And through it all, through it all
My eyes are on You
And through it all, through it all
It is well
And through it all, through it all
My eyes are on You
And it is well, it is well
So let go my soul and trust in Him
The waves and wind still know His name
So let go my soul and trust in Him
The waves and wind still know His name

So let go my soul and trust in Him
The waves and wind still know His name
The waves and wind still know His name
And it is well
With my soul (sing it out)
It is well
With my soul
It is well
With my soul
It is well
It is well, it is well with my soul (sing it out, it is well)

SONG OF DISMISSAL

When peace like a river attendeth my way When sorrows like sea billows roll Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say "It is well, it is well with my soul"

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come Let this blest assurance control That Christ has regarded my helpless estate And has shed his own blood for my soul

Chorus

It is well with my soul It is well, it is well with my soul

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought My sin, not in part, but the whole Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul **Chorus**

And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight The clouds be rolled back as a scroll The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend Even so, it is well with my soul **Chorus**

BENEDICTION

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- Donate by texting "Trinity Kailua" to 77977
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