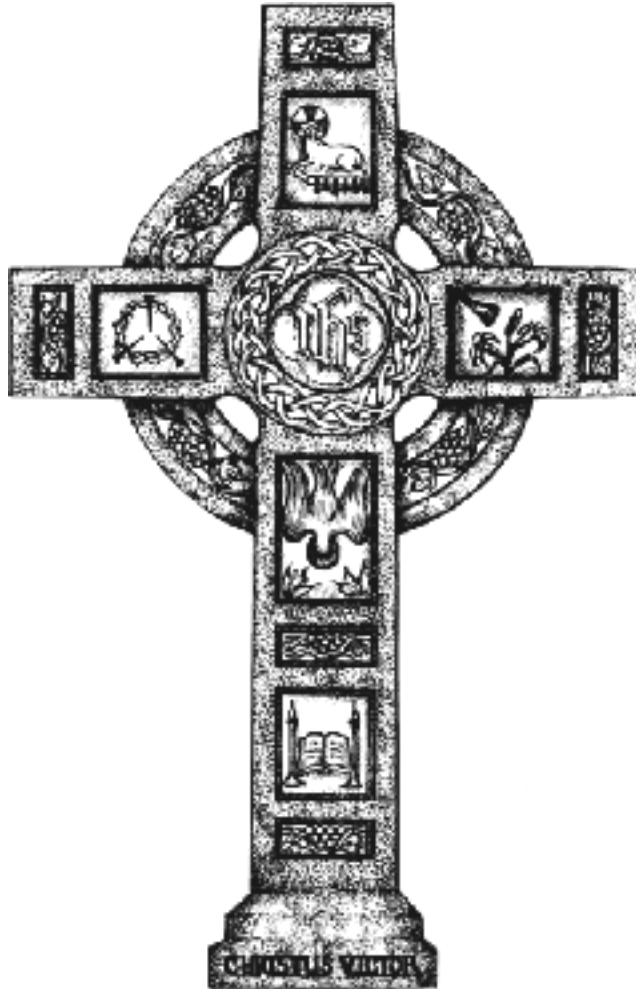


TRINITY CHURCH

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.

May 8, 2022

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Gathering Song

Welcome

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration

Song of Praise

Prayer of Confession

Song of Thanksgiving

Congregational Prayer

Collection of Gifts

Scripture Reading

Children's Prayer

Today's Message

The Lord's Supper

Song of Blessing

Doxology

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!

SIGNUP! 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

Sunday, May 15th

Join us for our monthly **Fellowship Lunch** immediately following the service. Everyone is welcome, food will be provided by the Church. Membership class to follow.

Membership Class, 12:30pm-1:45pm. Interested to learn more about what the church believes? Location: Library. Ages 14-Adult. Childcare offered after lunch.

Sunday, May 22nd

Baccalaureate Service: Lord's Day May 22nd, 7pm.

You are invited to a worship service thanking God for our Trinity Christian School graduates for 2022. Reception follows.

Saturday, June 4th

Introducing the **Summer 2022 Book Club** - First Book Saturday June 4 / Capen House. Our first book is *The Screwtape Letters* by C.S. Lewis. If you click [here](#) you'll get access to a free online version of this book. We will gather for great coffee and treats as well as a discussion at the Capen House on Saturday June 4, 9am-11am.

Saturday, June 18th

Gospel Coach - "Gospel Growth" Saturday June 18th / Capen House
We will cover the nuts and bolts of sanctification. What does growth look like in the Christian Life? In what ways am I to be maturing?

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 worshippers 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

Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing

Come Thou fount of ev'ry blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet
Sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it
Mount of Thy redeeming love

Here I raise my Ebenezer
Hither by Thy help I'm come
And I hope by Thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home
Jesus sought me when a stranger
Wand'ring from the fold of God
He to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious blood

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee
Prone to wander Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above

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WELCOME - A Word of Grace

Hebrews 10:4

Pastor Todd Capen

“For by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy.”

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 102:18-22

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.
Listen all of you, born of the Spirit, through the resurrection of Jesus.
These words were written before you existed to stir your hearts with praise:

All: Our Almighty Father looked down from his sanctuary on high, from heaven he viewed the earth, To listen to the groans of the prisoners and release those condemned to death.

Minister: The day will come when the peoples of the world and all of its kingdoms will gather in the new creation, the new Jerusalem, the new Zion,

All: And we will all rejoice in who our God is and all that he has done.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

What love could remember no wrongs we have done
Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam
What Father so tender is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

What riches of kindness He lavished on us
His blood was the payment His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus

Praise the Lord His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness new every morn
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor Brandon Edmonds

Based on Isaiah 6, 2 Corinthians 3:17

Minister: Father, we have the preached word, and we expect the preacher to be prepared. But do we prepare our hearts to listen to you?

People: Lord, do our hearts actually desire dullness?

Minister: Do we desire to hear and not understand? To see but not perceive? Are our hearts dull, our eyes blind, because we want it that way?

People: In your mercy, do not give us what we want. Awaken us to our need of you.

All: Lord, our hearts are turned in on themselves, and we put ourselves at the center. Father, have mercy on us. Turn us away from ourselves and toward you in the glorious freedom of the gospel.

(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

Pastor Brandon

Based on Isaiah 35:10, Ephesians 2

Minister: Only Jesus listened to His Father. Only Jesus lived with complete clarity of purpose, zeal, and desire for His Father's will to be done. Isaiah tells us in Jesus there is Gospel joy for those who repent and turn to the Son of God. 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.

People: **He himself is our peace, reconciling us to God, because he made himself God's enemy, by bearing our sin at the cross.**

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

My Worth Is Not In What I Own

My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross

My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the
cross

Chorus

I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest treasure Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him no other
My soul is satisfied in Him alone
As summer flowers we fade and die
Fame youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us at the cross

I will not boast in wealth or might
Or human wisdom's fleeting light
But I will boast in knowing Christ at the
cross

Two wonders here that I confess
My worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed my ransom paid at the cross

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

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 103

- 1 Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all that is within me,
bless his holy name!
- 2 Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and forget not all his benefits,
- 3 who forgives all your iniquity,
who heals all your diseases,
- 4 who redeems your life from the pit,
who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,
- 5 who satisfies you with good
so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.
- 6 The Lord works righteousness
and justice for all who are oppressed.
- 7 He made known his ways to Moses,
his acts to the people of Israel.
- 8 The Lord is merciful and gracious,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- 9 He will not always chide,
nor will he keep his anger forever.
- 10 He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.
- 11 For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;
- 12 as far as the east is from the west,
so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
- 13 As a father shows compassion to his children,
so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.
- 14 For he knows our frame;
he remembers that we are dust.
- 15 As for man, his days are like grass;
he flourishes like a flower of the field;
- 16 for the wind passes over it, and it is gone,

and its place knows it no more.

17 But the steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him,
and his righteousness to children's children,

18 to those who keep his covenant
and remember to do his commandments.

19 The Lord has established his throne in the heavens,
and his kingdom rules over all.

20 Bless the Lord, O you his angels,
you mighty ones who do his word,
obeying the voice of his word!

21 Bless the Lord, all his hosts,
his ministers, who do his will!

22 Bless the Lord, all his works,
in all places of his dominion.

Bless the Lord, O my soul!

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 Thanks"

Psalm 103

Pastor Todd Capen

Message Overview:

The gospel gives us new words to pray based on all the benefits that are now ours in Christ.

Message Notes;

Quotes

"No human being can long remain pleasureless and sad." –Thomas Aquinas

"The glory of the cross is bound up with the effectiveness of its accomplishment."

- John Murray, *Redemption Accomplished and Applied*

"There is a paralytic quality to shame that leaves you powerless, unable to put up the least resistance. It leads you to believe the lie that Christ's words to you are mere words, which they are not. They are words of power that heal the sick and raise the dead." – Ed Welch

Key Question:

How might your vision of thankfulness expand in light of Psalm 103 and the Gospels?

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q 11 and Q 12

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

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

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers toils and snares
I have already come
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun

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Leadership

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Brittany Lum, Administrator

TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Linda Kawakami, Head of School

Stewardship

WEEK | April 24, 2022

Budgeted: \$3,992.00

Received: \$4,375.01

WAYS TO TITHE

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

MISSIONS SUPPORT | 2022

\$29,200

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

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