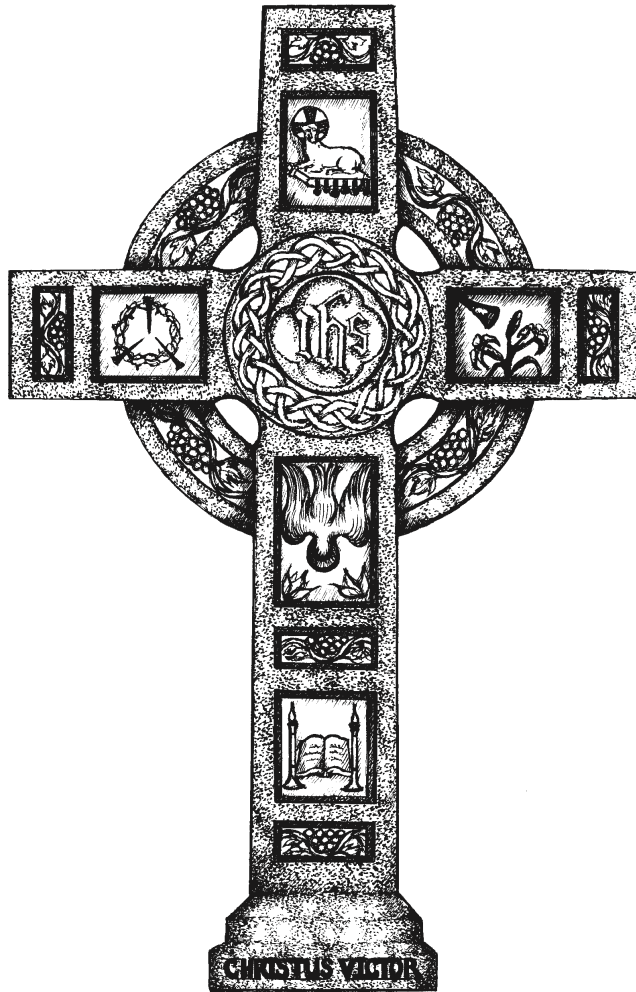


# TRINITY CHURCH

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.

**November 7, 2021**

## Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian

### 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!*

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: You can keep tabs with the goings-on at Trinity via our Facebook page, our TrinityConnect software, and our email Newsletter. Contact Ann Marie Hausler at [church@trinitychurchkailua.org](mailto:church@trinitychurchkailua.org) or 808-262-8587 to get connected.

**New Today?** We hope you sense our Aloha and welcome to you! Would you like to connect with us and know more about TPC? You can find a Welcome Card in the lobby or follow the QR code below to fill out our Welcome Card online.



**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.



## Church Announcements & Upcoming Events

- Sign Up** You can sign up for our online software, TrinityConnect, to keep up with events and more. This portal can be found through the church website.
- Today** Hausler Baby Shower, 1PM. Ladies of TPC are invited to a baby shower for Ann Marie Hausler, hosted at the Burkhalter home this afternoon.
- Thurs. Nov 11** Men's Gathering, Thursdays at 6AM in the library. Devotions from "Saving Grace" by Jack Miller.
- Sat. Nov 13** "The Three Hour Bible" Seminar at 9AM. In Person AND Online. The big themes of the Bible, taught by Pastor Todd and Pastor Brandon. Childcare offered, childcare registration will close tomorrow (Monday, November 8th).
- Wed. Nov 17** Women's Study, Wednesdays from 9-11AM at the Lutz Home. The Ephesians study will be wrapping up by Nov 17. There will be a potluck lunch at 11AM on the 17th.
- Wed. Nov 24** Thanksgiving Eve Service. 6PM. An evening of song, testimony and thanksgiving. A great night together! We enjoy all kinds of Thanksgiving treats after the service.
- Sat. Nov 27** Church Christmas Decorating, 9AM. Join us at the church to prepare for the first Sunday of Advent! Bring a brunch item to share.

## Sunday Morning Instruction

### **Offered at 8:45-9:30AM each Sunday.**

9th Grade - Adults Class: "Systematic Theology" with Pastor Brandon. Meet downstairs in the library.

7th-8th Grade Class: "Gospel Identity" with Elder Daniel Lutz. Meet downstairs in the Church Office.

4th-6th Grade Class: "Shorter Catechism" with Elder Matt Belle. Lower Parking Lot, Room 104 on rainy days.

1st-3rd Grade Class: "Shorter Catechism" with Merrill Hodges. Meet in K1 Classroom in Education Building.

Nursery & Toddlers: Meet in the Preschool Gazebo Area. *Volunteers are needed for childcare.*

## Resources

- Parents** We have a new video resource! "Age of Opportunity" Overview by Pastor Todd can be found on our church's YouTube Channel - @TrinityChurchKailua.

## November Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Ashley Tilley! We thank God for this birthday!

Does the church know when your birthday is? Contact the church office to let us know or update your TrinityConnect information. We'd love to acknowledge it and thank God for you.

# GATHERING SONG

# I Shall Not Want

1. From the love of my own com-fort, from the fear of ha - ving no -  
 - thing, from a life of world-ly pas-sions, de - li-ver me, O God.

2. From the need to be un-der-stood, from the need to be  
 3. From the fear of ser - ving o - thers, from the fear of death

— ac-cep - ted, from the fear of be - ing lone - ly,  
 — or tri - al, from the fear of hu - mi-li-ty,

de - li - ver me, O God, de - li - ver me, O God. And I shall not want, no, I  
 shall not want, when I taste your good - ness I shall not want.

1. When I taste your good-ness I shall not want. 2. No, I shall not want,  
 no, I shall not want, when I taste your good - ness I shall not want.

When I taste your good-ness I shall not want, I shall not want, shall not want.

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.

## WELCOME

Pastor Todd Capen

Words of Grace from 2 Peter 1:3-4

His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence, by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature...

## CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 51:3, Psalm 138:1-3, Psalm 36:7-9

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

**People And our mouth shall declare your praise.**

Minister Praise be to the Father, the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise;

**ALL I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness...**

Minister For you have exalted above all things your name and your word.

**ALL On the day I called, you answered me; my strength of soul you increased.**

## PRAYER OF ADORATION

## SONG OF PRAISE

## Sovereign Over Us

There is strength within the sorrow  
There is beauty in our tears  
And You meet us in our mourning  
With a love that casts out fear

You are working in our waiting  
Sanctifying us  
When beyond our understanding  
You're teaching us to trust

### Chorus

Your plans are still to prosper  
You've not forgotten us  
You're with us in the fire and the flood  
Faithful forever perfect in love  
You are sov'reign over us

You are wisdom unimagined  
Who could understand Your ways  
Reigning high above the heavens  
Reaching down in endless grace

You're the lifter of the lowly  
Compassionate and kind  
You surround and You uphold me  
And Your promises are my delight

### Chorus

### Bridge

Even what the enemy means for evil  
You turn it for our good  
You turn it for our good  
And for Your glory  
Even in the valley You are faithful  
You're working for our good  
You're working for our good  
And for Your glory

### Chorus 2x

### Tag

Faithful forever perfect in love  
You are sov'reign over us

## **PASTORAL PRAYER GUIDING US TO CONFESS OUR SIN**

from Colossians 3:12-13

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.

## **PRAYER OF 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**

1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

May your hearts be assured of this,

King Jesus intercedes for all who

humbly repent and He is restoring you to your full dignity

as image bearers over His creation.

Lift up your heads and go forth into our God's creation and serve His kingdom purposes with a clean conscience.

## **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.

*Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

# SONG OF THANKSGIVING

## Come Thou Fount



1. Come, thou fount of ev - 'ry bles - sing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
2. Here I raise my E - be - ne - zer, hi - ther by thy help I'm come;  
3. O to grace how great a deb - tor dai - ly I'm con - strained to be!



Streams of mer - cy, ne - ver cea - sing, call for songs of lou - dest praise.  
And I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.  
Let thy grace, now, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.



Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by \_ fla - ming tongues a - bove.  
Je - sus sought me when a stran - ger, wan - d'ring from the fold of God;  
Prone to \_ wan - der, Lord, I feel \_ it, prone to \_ leave the God I love;



Praise the mount, I'm fixed u - pon it, mount of thy re - dee - ming love.  
He, to re - scue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.  
Here's my heart: O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.



## 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 temporarily 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

### **Ephesians 2:1-5**

And you were dead in the trespasses and sins **2** in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience – **3** among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. **4** But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, **5** even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ – by grace you have been saved.

### **1 Peter 2:4-6**

As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, **5** you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

### **1 Corinthians 12:14-22**

For the body does not consist of one member but of many. **15** If the foot should say, “Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,” that would not make it any less a part of the body. **16** And if the ear should say, “Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,” that would not make it any less a part of the body. **17** If the whole body were an eye, where would be the sense of hearing? If the whole body were an ear, where would be the sense of smell? **18** But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. **19** If all were a single member, where would the body be? **20** As it is, there are many parts, yet one body. **21** The eye cannot say to the hand, “I have no need of you,” nor again the head to the feet, “I have no need of you.” **22** On the contrary, the parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable...”

Minister	The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God will stand forever. <i>Isaiah 40:8</i> This is the Word of God!
People	<b>Thanks be to God!</b>

## PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH'S CHILDREN

**Today's Message:**

“Getting a Vision for Community”

Ephesians 2:1-5, 1 Peter 2:4-6, 1 Corinthians 12:14-22

**Overview of 3 Part Series**

This series will explore why being stable or secure in the Good News of Jesus leads to rich community among believers. It will also explore how community with other believers is not an option for us. This series will present community as central to our spiritual growth. We also explore barriers to community and barriers to what we call “Gospel freedom.”

**Message Notes:**

## **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Westminster Shorter Catechism (1648) Question 89

Minister Q. 89 - What makes the word effective for salvation?

People **The Spirit of God causes the reading and especially the preaching of the word to convince and convert sinners and to build them up in holiness and comfort through faith to salvation.**

## **CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

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,**

## **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

## Thy Mercy, My God



1. Thy mer - cy, my God, is the theme of my song, the joy of my heart,  
2. Wi - thout thy sweet mer - cy I could not live here; sin would re - duce  
3. Thy mer - cy is more than a match for my heart, which won - ders to feel  
4. Great Fa - ther of mer - cies, thy good - ness I own, and the co - ve - nant love



and the boast of my tongue; Thy free grace a - lone, from the first to the last, —  
me to ut - ter des - pair; But through thy free good - ness my spi - rits re - vive,  
its own hard - ness de - part; Dis - solved by thy good - ness, I fall to the ground  
of thy cru - ci - fied Son; All praise to the Spi - rit, whose whi - sper di - vine —



hath won my af - fec - tions and bound my soul fast. mine.  
and he that first made me still keeps me a - live.  
and weep for the praise of the mer - cy I've found.  
seals mer - cy and par - don and righ - teous - ness



All praise to the Spi - rit, whose whi - sper di - vine



seals mer - cy and par - don and righ - teous - ness — mine!

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# BENEDICTION

## **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**

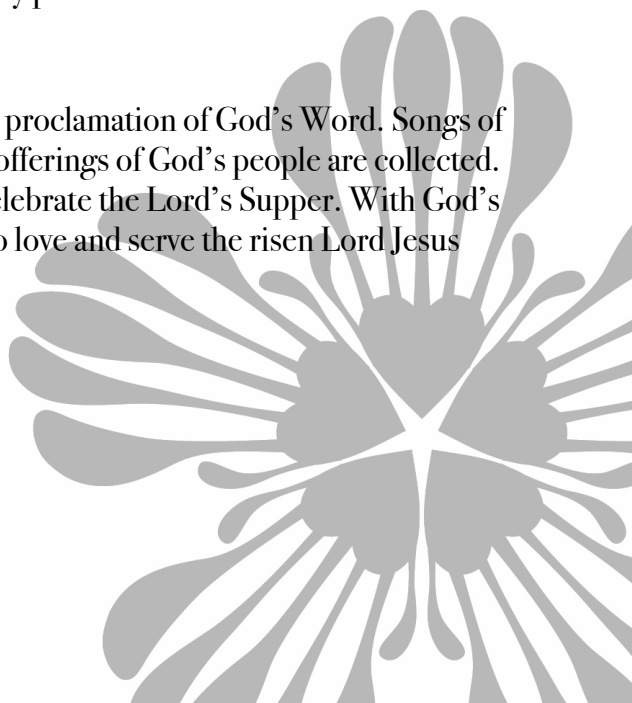
We gather in response to God’s call to worship, joyfully offering praise to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. With reverence and awe, we confess our sins and receive God’s forgiveness, which is declared in Jesus’ name.

## **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!



## Leadership

### CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Todd Capen, Senior Pastor  
Brandon Edmonds, Associate Pastor  
Bill Burkhalter, Elder (Sabbatical)  
Daniel Lutz, Elder  
Matt Belle, Elder  
Jordan Tilley, Deacon

### MINISTRY LEADERSHIP

Ann Marie Hausler, Worship Director  
Mary Ann Capen, Children's Instruction  
Ashley Tilley, Nursery Coordinator  
Anya Edmonds, Prayer Coordinator  
Brittany Lum, Welcome and Hospitality  
Erin Lutz, Women's Ministries

### CHURCH OFFICE

Ann Marie Hausler, Administrator

### TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Linda Kawakami, Head of School

## Stewardship

### WEEK | October 31, 2021

Budgeted: \$4,500

Received: \$2,130

### WAYS TO TITHE

- Cash/Check During Sunday Collection
- Online via Pushpay:  
[www.trinitychurchkailua.org/giving/](http://www.trinitychurchkailua.org/giving/)
- Donate by texting "Trinity Kailua" to  
(833)862-2743
- Special Donations (Contact Ann Marie Hausler)

### MISSIONS SUPPORT | 2020

\$29,200

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

## Missions We Support

### TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL | KAILUA, HI

Chaplain Ministry - Brandon Edmonds

### CONKLING FAMILY | TAIWAN

Missionaries in church planting, education and  
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### RUF | UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

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