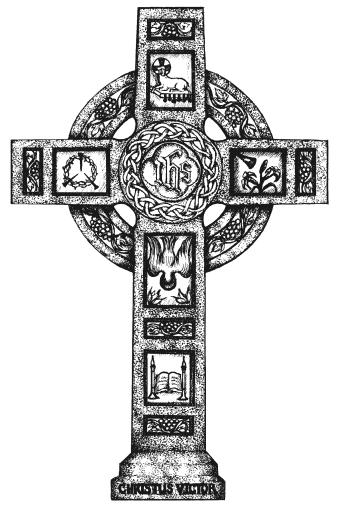
# TRINITY CHURCH

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.

# 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

# Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian

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!

<u>NURSERY</u>: 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.

<u>CHILDREN'S INSTRUCTION</u>: 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.

<u>CONNECT</u>: The Trinity community glorifies God in monthly Fellowship Luncheons and weekly Small Group meetings. Additionally, you can keep tabs with the goings-on at Trinity via our Facebook page and TPC News, our email Newsletter. Contact Ann Marie Hausler at <a href="mailto:church@trinitychurchkailua.org">church@trinitychurchkailua.org</a> 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. Use the Welcome Card 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.

Sat. Oct 30	"Age of Opportunity: Parenting Ages 12-18" Virtual Seminar. 9AM on Microsoft Teams. Pastor Todd will present highlights from Paul Tripp's book.
Sun. Oct 31	Reformation Sunday. 10AM Worship at TPC. 4PM Celebration of the Reformation, Worship Service at Trinity Church Central Oahu, Dinner provided.
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 Monday, November 8th.
Wed. Nov 24	Thanksgiving Eve Service. An evening of song, testimony and thanksgiving. A great night together! We enjoy all kinds of Thanksgiving treats after the service.

# Groups & Regular Gatherings

**Women's Ministry** Study in Ephesians, Wednesdays from 9-11AM at the Lutz Home.

Men's Ministry Thursdays at 6AM in the library. Devotions from "Saving Grace" by Jack Miller.

# **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! "Shepherding a Child's Heart" Overview by Pastor Todd can be found on our church's YouTube Channel - @TrinityChurchKailua.

# **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.

#### **GATHERING SONG**

#### O Come and Mourn With Me Awhile

O come and mourn with me awhile, O come ye to the Saviors side O come, together let us mourn, Jesus our Lord is crucified.

Seven times He spake seven words of love; And all three hours His silence cried For mercy on the souls of men; Jesus our Lord is crucified.

#### Chorus

O love of God! O sin of man! In this dread act Your strength is tried; And victory remains with love; Jesus our Lord is crucified!

O break, O break, hard heart of mine! Thy weak self-love and guilty pride His Pilate and His Judas were: Jesus our Lord is crucified.

A broken heart, a fount of tears, Ask, and they will not be denied; A broken heart loves cradle is: Jesus our Lord is crucified.

#### Chorus 2x

#### Tag

And victory remains with love; Jesus our Lord is crucified! 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 Hebrews 12:1-3

"And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, 2 fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. 3 Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart."

#### **CALLTO WORSHIP**

from Psalm 51:3, Job 42:2, Acts 2:24

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 know that you can do all things; no plan of yours can be thwarted. Job 42:2

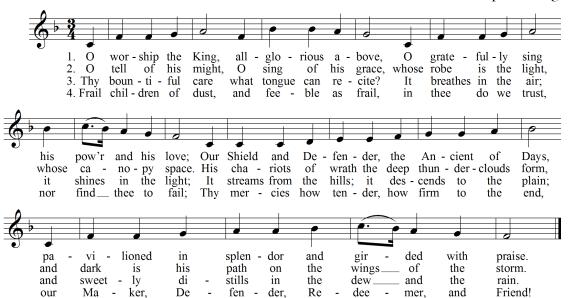
People Of our Savior it is written, "But God raised him from the dead, freeing him

from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its

hold on him." Acts 2:24

Minister "I know that you can do all things..." *Job 42:2* **ALL** "**No plan of yours can be thwarted.**" *Job 42:2* 

#### PRAYER OF ADORATION



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

from Psalm 90:12, Ephesians 5:15-18

"Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom." Psalm 90:12

"Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, 16 making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. 17 Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. 18 Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit..." *Ephesians 5:15-18* 

#### 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

from 1 Thessalonians 5:9, 1 John 1:9

For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. If we confess our sins, He is faithful to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness!



#### **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 Mark 15:33 - 16:20

At noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. 34 And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"). 35 When some of those standing near heard this, they said, "Listen, he's calling Elijah." 36 Someone ran, filled a sponge with wine vinegar, put it on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink. "Now leave him alone. Let's see if Elijah comes to take him down," he said.37 With a loud cry, Jesus breathed his last. 38 The curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom. 39 And when the centurion, who stood there in front of Jesus, saw how he died, he said, "Surely this man was the Son of God!" 40 Some women were watching from a distance. Among them were Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James the younger and of Joseph, and Salome. 41 In Galilee these women had followed him and cared for his needs. Many other women who had come up with him to Jerusalem were also there 42 It was Preparation Day (that is, the day before the Sabbath). So as evening approached, 43 Joseph of Arimathea, a prominent member of the Council, who was himself waiting for the kingdom of God, went boldly to Pilate and asked for Jesus' body. 44 Pilate was surprised to hear that he was already dead. Summoning the centurion, he asked him if Jesus had already died. 45 When he learned from the centurion that it was so, he gave the body to Joseph. 46 So Joseph bought some linen cloth, took down the body, wrapped it in the linen, and placed it in a tomb cut out of rock. Then he rolled a stone against the entrance of the tomb. 47 Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joseph saw where he was laid.

16 When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus' body. 2 Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb 3 and they asked each other, "Who will roll the stone away from the entrance of the tomb?" 4 But when they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had been rolled away. 5 As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed. 6 "Don't be alarmed," he said. "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him. 7 But go, tell his disciples and Peter, 'He is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you." 8 Trembling and bewildered, the women went out and fled from the tomb. They said nothing to anyone, because they were afraid.

9 When Jesus rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had driven seven demons. 10 She went and told those who had been with him and who were mourning and weeping. 11 When they heard that Jesus was alive and that she had seen him, they did not believe it.12 Afterward Jesus appeared in a different form to two of them while they were walking in the country. 13 These returned and reported it to the rest; but they did not believe them either.

14 Later Jesus appeared to the Eleven as they were eating; he rebuked them for their lack of faith and their stubborn refusal to believe those who had seen him after he had risen.

15 He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation. 16 Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. 17 And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; 18 they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands onsick people, and they will get well."

19 After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heavenand he sat at the right hand of God. 20 Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it.

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 CHURCH'S CHILDREN

# **Today's Message:**Mark 15:33 - 16:20, "Cross-Resurrection Living"

Pastor Todd Capen

Message Notes:

#### **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 88

Minister Q. 88 - What are the ordinary, external ways Christ uses to bring us the benefits

of redemption?

People The ordinary, external ways Christ uses to bring us the benefits of

redemption are His regulations, particularly the word, sacraments, and prayer, all of which are made effective for the salvation of His chosen ones.

#### 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,

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.

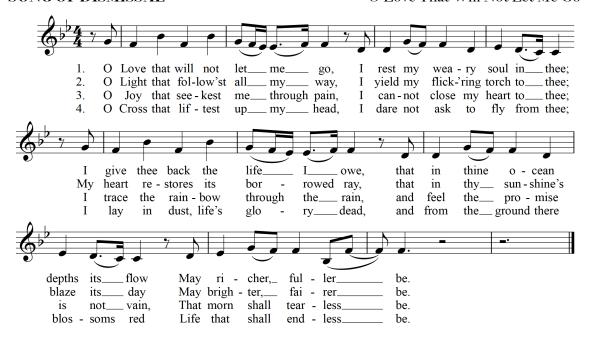
<u>WHAT IF I AM NOT READY</u>? If you or your children are not ready to partake in the Lord's Supper, you are invited to come forward and ask the Elders to pray for you. You may also remain in your seat to sing, pray or meditate.

<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



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#### **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.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Chost. Amen.

#### 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

# Missions We Support

#### TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL | KAILUA, HI

Chaplain Ministry - Brandon Edmonds

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Missionaries in church planting, education and music through Chinese Church Planting Partners

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#### RUF | UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I

Reformed University Fellowship on the UH Campus

#### Stewardship

#### WEEK | October 17, 2021

Budgeted: \$4,500 Received: \$6,780

#### **WAYS TO TITHE**

- Cash/Check During Sunday Collection
- Online via Pushpay:

www.trinitychurchkailua.org/giving/

- Donate by texting "Trinity Kailua" to (833)862-2743
- Special Donations (Contact Ann Marie Hausler)

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\$29,200

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