

TRINITY CHURCH

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- KIRKWOOD -

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WORSHIPING THE GOD WHO IS WORTHY OF OUR SONG

(Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service, but if your family needs a break from the sanctuary or wants to move around, our family overflow room with toys is available in room 111. We also have an area for nursing moms in room 106 by the back entrance.)

Nursery Volunteers (worship service): Alyssa Hall, Deborah Moen, Allison & Emmy Schmidt Liturgist: Rev. Tim Jackson Scripture Reader: Megan Hawley Pastoral Prayer: Ruling Elder, J Harrison

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Quotes and Reflection

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. — 1 Peter 2:9

"This means that our response must finally issue in songs. No other form of human expression so captures the whole human psyche as does singing." — John Oswalt

WE READY OURSELVES FOR WORSHIP

Devotional Preparation

The story's already written Children, you are forgiven Ain't nothin' you could do for you to change that And everything you did, He erased that Yeah, He took it all and threw it in the wasteland Freedom, don't it feel good? –Justin Bieber

"There cannot be a transformed community without saved individuals; nor can there be a saved individual who is not incorporated into the community...To enter salvation is an individual experience, but to enjoy it is communal."

– Alec Motyer

"The church is a worshiping community, a witnessing community, and a working community. In other words, the church is to exalt the Lord, it is to evangelize the world, and it is to edify its members." – John F. MacArthur

"The locus of the community is no longer a theocratic kingdom; it is now an assembly of churches from around the world, living under many 'kings' and 'Caesars,' and offering worship to none of them." – D. A. Carson

"Commitment to the Messiah implied commitment to the Messianic community, that is, the church." – John Stott

Song of Preparation

Call to Worship—Psalm 104 (Selected)

- Leader: O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom have you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
- People: These all look to you, to give them their food in due season.
- Leader: When you give it to them, they gather it up;
- People: When you open your hand, they are filled with good things.
- Leader: May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in his works
- All: I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being. May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the LORD.
- Leader: Lord of all creation, receive our worship, our meditation, and our song. Meet us now as we rejoice in you this morning.

WE DECLARE THE ETERNAL WORTHINESS OF GOD

*Songs of Adoration

Behold Our God

Jonathan Baird, Meghan Baird, Ryan Baird, and Stephen Altrogge. Arr. by Joe Brownlee



Fairest Lord Jesus Trinity Hymnal #170

*Prayer of Adoration

WE HEAR FROM GOD'S WORD

New Testament Reading—Acts 2:1-21

The Coming of the Holy Spirit

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

"'And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

Reader: The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of the Lord stands forever!

People: Thanks be to God!

WE CONFESS OUR UTTER UNWORTHINESS BEFORE GOD

Call to Confession—Romans 8:14-15a

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear.

Silent Confession and Lament

WE ENCOUNTER AND REJOICE IN THE AMAZING GRACE OF GOD

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace—Rom. 8:15b-17

But you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

- Leader: Adopted children of God, give thanks to God because he has made us heirs with Christ!
- People: Thanks be to God!
- Leader: Now may the peace of Christ be with you all!
- People: And also with you!

*Song of Rejoicing

Hold to God's Unchanging Hand

Jennie Wilson. Arr. by Mason Brown





WE HUMBLE OURSELVES BEFORE THE LORD





Tithes and Offerings

Children ages 3 (by July 31) through 1st grade are dismissed for Children's Church to Room 106B

If you would like to give your tithe online, scan your camera phone here:



Come Jesus Come

Offertory Song (Ensemble)

Hank Bentley, Bryan Fowler, Stephen McWhirter, and Tara McWhirter. Arr. by Daniel Galbraith

Sermon

"The True Community of the True King" Isaiah 12:1-6 Sermon Series: Isaiah Rev. Pablo Rosales

Because the true king has come, what sort of community are we to be?

We must be a community that:

Thanks and Trusts in the Lord Individually

Together Draws from the Wells of Salvation

Tells the Earth of the Glorious Deeds of the True King

*Song of Response

The Lord Is My Salvation

Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, Nathan Nockles, and Jonas Myrin. Arr. by Dustin Loehrs





*Benediction

If you would like a time of prayer with one of our elders, please come to the front of the sanctuary after the service.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday school is on a brief hiatus.

Visitors: If you are visiting with us today we would love to give you a small gift. Please stop by the Welcome Table so we can say "hello."

Volunteers today: Ushers: Schaffer, Schlitt, Thomason, Kocher. Nursery: Hall, Moen, Schmidts. CC: Mitchell, Williamson, Hawley. Next Sunday: Ushers: Thomason, Heintz, Standerfer, Younger. Nursery: Sinclair, Martir, Nichols, Standerfer. CC: Oehlerking, Rosales, Polski.

The Men's and Women's Bible studies are on a short break for the summer.

The **Young Adults Ministry** is having a potluck lunch today in the narthex following worship. If you are a high school grad to mid 30s, come join us! Families with small children welcome. Want to learn about upcoming events? See Jackson or Abby Freeman.

Sunday Snacks: More snack volunteers needed! Please try and keep the snacks nut free. Sign up using the QR code on the snack table or see Mary Rosales.

The Grounds Crew could use your help. Schedule is flexible. See Glynn Schlitt if you are able to help.

Youth Group: June 8-14 - SH RYM Colorado.

Food Pantry: Over the next few months Trinity will host the Robinson Food Pantry. You can help in a few ways. Prayer is always needed, there will be three opportunities to serve at the Food Pantry, or you can give needed items. More information and sign ups can be found using the QR code to the right.

Church Directory: Have you signed up for the church directory or updated your family info? All can be done via Church Center. See Amy Mitchell with any questions.

Ladies, you should have received an email with upcoming events for the summer. Stop by the Women's Ministry Table in the hallway for a printed copy.

If you do not receive our weekly email **updates** on Tuesday mornings, please send your email address to amy.mitchell@trinitychurchkirkwood.org

There are several easy ways to serve at Trinity. Feel free to reach out to these ministry coordinators to get involved: Ushers: Paul Schaffer: Paul.Schaffer@trinitychurchkirkwood.org, Greeters: James Broughton (James. Broughton@trinitychurchkirkwood.org), Children's Ministry: Erin Wagberg (Erin.wagberg@trinitychurchkirkwood.org)

Did you know you can use the **Church Center app** for online giving, church directory, to sign up for events, connect with your small groups, bible studies, etc? Contact the church office for assistance.

You can sign up for all upcoming events by scanning your phone camera over the QR code and then following the link:



MEN'S CHAMBER CHOIR

Men, come Sing With Us! We're excited to launch our Men's Chamber Choir starting June 8th, led by Addie Akin. Rehearsals will take place during Sunday School through July 27th. Whether you're an experienced singer or just curious to try, we'd love for you to join us! Questions? Reach out to Katie Polski — we'd be happy to hear from you!

MISSION UPDATE

ALL the links mentioned below can be found using this QR code:



Prayers: Scan the QR link for the JUNE 2025 Newsletter and Prayer Calendar.

Goers:

- June 14th Service Day! Mission Gate Fort Good Shepherd We will be painting the Pathfinders residents' building down by the Meramec River and staining a wall on the main lodge near the top of the hill. We will plan on meeting at Trinity Church on Saturday morning @ 8am and carpool to FGS near Cuba, MO. It is about an hour's drive. We should be heading back by early afternoon. Please wear your finest painting attire. We hope to see you then!
 - **Sign up now via QR Code above.** Contact Chuck Barker (invest3@att.net) with any questions.

Senders:

• Thank you to all who have given to the work of outreach and mission. You are a great help to missionaries and ministries on a journey to serve those in need. As Paul told the Roman church, "I hope to see you in passing as I go to Spain, and to be helped on my journey there by you, once I have enjoyed your company for a while" (Rom. 15:24). The work of outreach and mission is not possible without helpers/senders like you.

Welcomers:

- Trinity Food Pantry! Through the summer months, we will be hosting a food pantry right here at Trinity. The dates will be June 19th, July 17th, and August 14th from 5:30-7:30pm. This will offer a unique opportunity to pray for the families we serve throughout the school year. There are only a few spots left for the June pantry. Other dates will be added soon. However, you can register to pray and help stock our pantry!
 - If you are out shopping, please consider buying one, two, or a few of the following:
 - Liquid Hand Soap and Dish soap
 - Disinfecting Spray/All-Purpose Cleaner
 - Toilet Paper and Paper Towels and Tissues
 - Laundry Detergent and Bleach
 - All Feminine Products
 - Toothbrushes and Toothpaste
 - Women's and Men's Deodorant
 - Sugar and Flour
 - Cooking Oil
 - Shampoo and Conditioner
 - Canned Foods and Frozen meals

Mobilizers:

• **Pilgrim's Progress Prayer Path** – Over the last year, a few mobilizers have been working to create a prayer path around the church property. While it isn't paved, the grass is cut shorter than the rest. Altogether, there are 9 stations calling us to contemplate, meditate, confess, offer thanksgiving, and petition our Lord. Take the 1/3-mile loop which starts and ends at the white picket fences near the entrance of our property.

Trinity's ministries are organized around the core values in our purpose statement which reads: Trinity Church exists to **exalt** God's name, **establish** God's people, **equip** God's church and **engage** God's world, in the power of the Holy Spirit and for the sake of the Risen King, Jesus Christ.

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