

Transfiguration of the Lord & Souper Bowl of Caring
February 11, 2024 - 8:30 & 11:00 AM

“Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them.”—Mark 9: 2-3

Prelude

Fantasia

Johann Pachelbel

Introit 193

Jesus, Take Us to The Mountain

Call to Worship (*responsive - inspired by Psalm 50:1-6*)

God summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

**Every time we encounter beauty,
God's perfection shines forth, calling to us.**

God's revelation is a devouring fire, burning away our doubts.

**The heavens declare God's righteousness,
for God is the creator, the redeemer and the judge.**

***Hymn 189**

O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

Almighty God, when we encounter beauty and love and wonder in the world, so often we seek to control it, to contain it. Forgive us for all the ways we seek to pull things under our power, for the ways we fashion the world and put ourselves first. We are selfish, God. We push aside your command to love in order to seek comfort. Heavenly parent, we take this opportunity to acknowledge our lies and our denial, laying bare our hearts and minds before you now. Amen.

Silent Meditation and Assurance of Pardon

***Congregational Response 582**

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

Passing of the Peace

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 50: 1-6

Anthem

I Look to Mountain High, Antonio Caldera/Hal Hopson

A Prayer for Children

New Testament Lesson	Mark 9: 2-9	
Sermon	“The Inevitability of Jesus”	Mark Stanley
*Affirmation of Faith	A Brief Statement of Faith, Sects. 2 & 5, pp. 37-38	
Announcements and Sharing of Joys and Concerns		
Invitation to Giving		
Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer		
*Hymn 190	Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory	
*Charge and Blessing		
Postlude	Gloria form Twelfth Mass	W.A. Mozart

**Please stand in body or spirit*

Worship Notes: Liturgy written by Rose Schrott Taylor, Presbyterian Outlook, 2024

**DON'T FORGET: 2 OPPORTUNITIES TO WELCOME LENT INTO OUR HEARTS!
 – ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES AT 12:15 PM AND 6:30 PM –**

EXTRA ANNOUNCEMENT (OUR BULLETIN IS FULL, BUT OUR NEIGHBORS ARE HUNGRY)

TACKLE HUNGER WITH THE SOUPER BOWL OF CARING TODAY! The Souper Bowl of Caring is an annual nationwide effort to fight hunger in local communities. Trinity has participated nearly every year since 2000, and over the years we've collected over \$5,000 and 2,000 pounds of food. This year's Souper Bowl offering will be collected next Sunday, Feb. 11. Just look for the display table and the giant soup pot in the Narthex. The whole Trinity family is invited to join in this annual effort to fight hunger; donations of food and money will go to Interfaith Assistance Ministry. Thank you!

LITURGIST(S): Jan Prichard, Dick Bobb
PROJECTIONS: Russ Russell, Bud Weeks
LIVESTREAM: Duane Johnson, Jim Kisner,
 Conrad Shannon, Jim Smelker, Paul Soltesz

FLOWERS: Given by Angela Kukendoll in celebration
 of Steve Kuykendoll's birthday on February 13.
LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: 181

WORSHIP TEAM

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Mark Stanley
Associate Pastor: Rev. Dwight Christenbury
Minister of Visitation: Sally Beghtol, C.P.
Music Director: Stephen Klein
Section Leaders: Katie Cilluffo, Claire Crook,
 Eric McAnallen
Percussionist: Don Widmayer

TRINITY TEAM

Maintenance Facilitator: Jim Kisner
Treasurers: Bob Forsythe, Bev Luzadder
Financial Secretary: Diane Bowers
Bookkeeper: Lynne Meluch
Tellers: Sue Robinson, Robin Hodgson,
 Pat Harter, Betty Lockwood
Nursery Staff: Mary Haskins, Sierrah Haskins

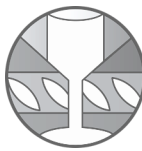
This congregation welcomes you without regard to race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical or mental ability, education, economic circumstance, your place of origin or any other issue that divides God's family. We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's place with its doors wide open. If you are passing through, Godspeed. If you are looking for a worship home, stay with us. We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.



PC(USA)
June 10, 1983



Presbytery of Western
North Carolina



More Light
Presbyterians



a Matthew 25
Church



Fuente de Vida
Guatemala



an Earth Care
Congregation

SUNDAY - SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:45 Inquirers' Class

9:45 Learning Hour:

- *Lectionary Class (Trinity Room)*
- *Issues & Concerns Class (Classroom 207)*
- *Hashing It Out (Lounge)*
- *Youth Learning Hour*

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

11:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

5:00 ManKind Project Open Men's Circle

MONDAY

9:00 Finance Team

9:30 Artventure Painters' Group

10:00 New Member Subcommittee

10:30 New Member Ministry Meeting

3:30 Tai chi - Beginner

4:00 Tai chi - Intermediate

5:30 Local Missions Ministry Meeting

6:00 Session Meeting

TUESDAY - MARDI GRAS

9:00 Staff Meeting

10:00 Luopad Party

10:00 Coffee Group

3:00 Origami Group

3:30 Deacons Meeting

5:00& 6:30 Feed the Kids Feast (St. James)

WEDNESDAY - ASH WEDNESDAY & VALENTINE'S DAY

10:00 Esther Circle

12:15 ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

10:30 Friends in Christ

1:00 Spanish Class

6:30 ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

7:30 Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

9:30 Musicke Antiqua Rehearsal

11:00 Zoom: Between the Lines Book Group

3:30 Tai chi - Beginners

4:00 Tai chi - Intermediate

6:30 Cub Scouts

FRIDAY

SATURDAY - CUB SCOUTS PINEWOOD DERBY

SUNDAY

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11:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

12:15 Matthew 25 Ministry Meeting

12:15 Party for Frank, Beth, & Myrl Jean

5:00 ManKind Project Open Men's Circle

Weekly Calendar:

Feb 11 - 18

Contacts (office/pastoral business) during the week

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PRAYER CONCERNS In Sympathy: Carol Steele & Christenbury family upon the lost of her father, Don Steele; Margaret Bolick upon the loss of her sister, Nancy Alexander **Hospice:** Cathy O'Neil **Hospital:** Terri Harrington (Kathy Madigan's sister) **Rehab/Nursing:** Bill & Nell Payne (Brookdale); Neena Haskins (Sunnybrook); Jane Sugawara (Tore's Home); Bruce Crossman (Carole Ball's brother), Jack Caylor (HHR); Ruth Mills (CV Care Center); Kaye Papazian (Arbor Terrace); Nancy Underwood (Florida); Julia Sellers (Durham); Jerry Miller (Indiana); **Home:** Steven Lockwood (Betty Lockwood's son); Sandra Dwork; Linda Walker; Susan Presseau (Jane Presseau's daughter); Jackie & Don Davis (Marty Zigovsky's friends); Paul Soltesz; Evans Thibodeau; Benny Elliot (Landen Gailey's partner); Brian Dillon; Bob McLean (Judy Groff's brother); Ken Sugawara; Jay, Lorrie, & Robert Pelc (Carole Ball's family); Nancy Twitchen; Dan Green; Gillian Vaughan (Edie Clark's granddaughter); Kim & Jason Ball; Julee Gray (Kuykendoll's friend); Lauren McBride (Kuykendoll's daughter); Barbara Nichols; Bud Weeks; Jim Emme; Jim Luzadder; Irene Lunsford, T.K. Owens (family of Dolly Owens & Nancy Twitchen); Barbara Pickwood; Alice McCullough; Dave Morrison; **Others:** our mission coworkers and the people of Madagascar and Guatemala, our sister church Fuente de Vida, the people of Israel and Gaza, Sudan, Ukraine and Russia, and those harmed by new anti-LGBTQIA+ legislation and by gun violence.

GLOBAL MISSIONS: The Malawi Mission Team will travel April 9 -24, 2024. The team is requesting our finished products by Friday, March 15. With those parameters, the remaining Luopad Parties have been scheduled for:

- Tuesday, February 13, 10 to 12 noon
- Thursday, February 29, 1 to 3 PM
- Tuesday, March 5, 10 to 12 noon

Thank you for your support of this life changing Global Mission project.

VISITORS Would you like to join Trinity? Let Mark or Dwight know. We look forward to welcoming you as a member!

UNDIE SUNDAY: EVERY SUNDAY IN FEBRUARY! Supporting IAM, the Hendersonville Rescue Mission, & Homes for Youth. Packaged NEW underwear and bras needed (not socks or T-shirts.) Adult sizes critically needed. Collection bins in the Narthex all week! Questions? Contact Leslie Nissen at (912) 398-1018 or LNissen@gmail.com.

YOU'RE INVITED TO INQUIRERS' CLASS TODAY AT 9:45 A.M. to meet with the Rev. Dr. Mark Stanley and learn about worship and the work of Trinity. This class is open to church members, visitors, and friends in the community. No cost and no registration required. All are welcome!

FAT TUESDAY FEAST WITH FEED THE KIDS: Feb. 13 at St. James Episcopal in Stillwell Hall - Choose from these two seating times: **5:00-6:30 p.m.** or **6:30-8:00 p.m.** Suggested donation \$10/person or \$25/family. Pay at the door or register online (links on Trinity calendar). All proceeds go to our Feed the Kids ministry which provides cooked meals for food-insecure families in our county. For more information, contact Carole Haskell at 469-999-5156 davehask@yahoo.com

THANK YOU PARTY for BETH PENSIERO, FRANK BURZIO, & MYRL JEAN HUGHES - Next Sun, Feb 18 immediately after 11:00 worship. Many staff and volunteers make Trinity go! Join us to thank Beth, Frank, and Myrl Jean for their YEARS of service and to wish them well in their new pursuits. - The Worship Ministry Team :-)

FOAM RECYCLING: If you ever check out the Trinity web calendar and see ORANGE events, that means they're not here at Trinity BUT we think they're cool and important. One of those is Henderson County's Foam Recycling Program. Currently, you can recycle **clean rigid foams** (NO - squishies, bendies, or teenies [packing peanuts], NO food residues or tape. YES - clean dry takeout containers, electronics packaging, etc.) on **first and third Tuesdays of the month at the Convenience Center (265 Convenience Center Drive)**. Foams are "densified" in a special melting/crushing machine, turning them into blocks of solid plastic which can then be reused by manufacturers. Open til 4pm.