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**Third Sunday after the Epiphany
January 29, 2023 - 8:30 & 11:00 AM**

As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea - for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fish for people." Matthew 4: 18-19

Prelude Vorspiel *Adolf Hesse*

Introit 842 The Lord is my Light

Call to Worship (*responsive*)

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

We gather in the presence of God.

Let us open our hearts and minds in worship.

***Hymn 772** Live Into Hope

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, when despair and suffering overwhelm us, we cry out for you and feel abandoned. We doubt your presence and your promises. We believe you have turned away from us in anger. We ask why you have forsaken us. In these moments, strengthen us in faith and fill our hearts with courage. We believe, God. Help our unbelief. 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 Isaiah 49: 1-7

A Prayer for Children

Anthem Go Not Far From Me, O God *Zingarelli*

New Testament Lesson Matthew 4: 12-23

Sermon "Hungry, Restless and Ready" *Mark Stanley*
***Hymn 721** Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore
***Affirmation of Faith** A Brief Statement of Faith, Sects. 4 & 5, p. 38
Announcements and Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer
Invitation to Offering & Blessing of the Gifts
***Hymn 320** The Church of Christ in Every Age
***Charge and Blessing**
Postlude Toccata in F *Dietrich Buxtehude*

Worship Notes: Liturgy written by Teri McDowell Ott, © Presbyterian Outlook, 2023

LITURGIST(S): 8:30 Ron Howard
11:00 Kathy Madigan
PROJECTIONS: Russ Russell, Bud Weeks
LIVESTREAM: Duane Johnson, Jim Kisner,
Conrad Shannon, Jim Smelker

FLOWERS: Given by Diocles Wells and Eric McAnallen in honor of all our friends and chosen family here at Trinity.
LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: 135

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: Frank Burzio, Tabitha Judy,
Eric McAnallen, Beth Pensiero
Percussionist: Don Widmayer

TRINITY TEAM

Maintenance Facilitator: Jim Kisner
Treasurer: Tom Karvonen
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Carolyn Erickson, Lois Erickson, Becky Palmer,
& Sue Robinson
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.

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SUNDAY

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:45 Learning Hour

- "Searching for the Historical Jesus"

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

11:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

5:00 ManKind Project

MONDAY

9:00 Finance Team

10:00 New Member Subcommittee

3:15 Tai chi - Beginners

4:00 Tai chi - Intermediate

4:00 Death Café

TUESDAY

9:00 Staff Meeting

10:00 Coffee Group

3:00 Origami Group

6:30 Deborah Circle

6:30 Zoom: Worship Ministry Meeting

WEDNESDAY

10:30 Friends in Christ

1:00 Spanish Class

5:30 WNL Dinner

6:30 WNL Presentation - The Holy Land

7:30 Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

10:00 Musicke Antiqua

11:00 Between the Lines Book Group

1:30 Trinity Book Group

1:30 AA Ladies

3:15 Tai chi - Beginners

4:00 Tai chi - Intermediate

6:30 Cub Scouts

FRIDAY - TIDINGS DEADLINE

8:00 Toastmasters

SATURDAY - PRESBYTERY MEETING

9:30 Swing Band Rehearsal

SUNDAY - ONE SERVICE, ANNUAL MEETING, & 5 CENTS A MEAL

9:30 Choir Rehearsal

10:00 SINGLE WORSHIP SERVICE

11:00 Annual Meeting

**DON'T FORGET — ONE SERVICE ONLY
NEXT SUNDAY, JAN 29!**

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**Weekly Calendar:
Jan 22 - 29**

PRAYER CONCERNS In Sympathy: the family of Bill Blakely; Steve Culp upon the loss of his mother; **Hospital:** Marcia Shepard **Rehabilitation/Nursing:** Pete Pappanastos (Neena Haskin's brother-in-law); Nell Payne (Brookdale); Phil & Julia Sellers (Durham); Ruth Mills, Marian Lowry (CV Care Center); Jerry & Bea Miller (Indiana); Nancy Underwood (The Bridge); Ron Hoverson (The Lodge at Mills River). **Home:** Jeff Sheffield; Mary Monroe (Leslie Nissen's aunt); Neena Haskins; Emma Persigehl; Jimmy (Kathy Steinbaugh's brother); Lauren McBride (Kuykendoll's daughter); Ron Leach (Smelker's brother-in-law); Neil Hirschfield (Marty Zigovsky's son-in-law); Ed Remington (Glenn Walker's brother-in-law); Barbara Nichols; Scott Garrison; Bud Weeks; Bob Pearce (Diane Bowers' cousin); Jim Emme; Darlene Tribby; Dan Green; Jim Luzadder; Sarah Overton, Irene Lunsford (family of Dolly Owens & Nancy Twitchen); Barbara Pickwood; Alice McCullough; Dave Morrison; Evans Thibodeau; Irma Baldwin, Don Cunningham (Sarah Thibodeau's brother). **Others:** Our mission coworkers and sister church, Fuente de Vida, the people of Ukraine, and for those harmed by gun violence.

SEARCHING FOR THE HISTORICAL JESUS. Youth and adults are invited to join us for a special Learning Hour Elective featuring the biblical scholar Jean-Pierre Isbouts called *Searching for the Historical Jesus*. Taking place in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45, each session will begin with a viewing of a 25-minute video featuring Dr. Isbouts, followed by group discussion (today through February 12). Even if you're not a regular Learning Hour participant, we hope you'll join us for this fascinating limited series!

WOW FLOWERS! Thank you for the outpouring of flower support! We've got a few dates left if you're still thinking about it, though. Check out our website under "[Get Involved --> Sign-ups](#)". You can be a part of this beautiful ministry for only \$40. Please contact Susan Mangrum with questions. 828-595-7466

PLEASE CHECKOUT OUR (drumroll, please...) ANNUAL REPORT! Hard copies in the Narthex and digital copies in your email and on our website. See what Trinity's been up to over the past year and prepare yourself for the...

ANNUAL MEETING, Sunday, Jan 29 at 11:00 A.M. in the Fellowship Hall. Join us to help direct the future of Trinity in 2023! Please note: **only ONE Worship Service at 10 A.M.**

DEATH CAFÉ, MONDAY, JAN. 23, 4 PM - You're invited to come to a safe place where we share our joys and sorrows related to death, dying, loss and grieving. We also help to prepare ourselves for our own end of life. See Bob Miles for more information. Meets the fourth Monday of each month in the Lounge. Light refreshments provided.

WNL - JOURNEY TO THE HOLY LAND w/ SALLY BEGHTOL, JAN 25 (dinner at 5:30, presentation at 6:30) Please join us for food, fellowship, and Sally's story of the adventure of a lifetime to the Holy Land. Contemplating a trip of your own? Come see what it's all about.

JOIN THE LUOPAD PAD PARTY! Tues, Jan 31, 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This is a working session for the construction of "luopads" for Malawi. We are always in need of tracers, cutters, flippers and stuffers as well as sewers. Come join the fun and fellowship while we work to meet the requested need for our girls at Ebenezer School in Nkhoma, Malawi. Questions? Please contact Vickie Hugger.

NEW YEAR, NEW CONTACT INFO: If any of your contact info has changed in the previous year (new email, phone, address) or you would like to update your photo in our Trinity directory, please let Kaie in the office know. And feel free to request an updated directory via email (please specify if you'd like a color PDF file or a B&W printout). We don't post the directory anywhere online (for your privacy and safety), but we're always happy to send you a fresh copy via email or print a hard copy for you to pick up in the office.