

A Prayer for Children

2nd Scripture Reading

Exodus 13:17-18

Sermon

"The Roundabout Way"

David Garnett

*Affirmation of Faith (Confession of 1967)

We acknowledge that God's sovereign love is a mystery beyond the reach of human minds. We ascribe to God superlatives of power, wisdom, and goodness. But in Jesus Christ God reveals love by showing power in the form of a servant, wisdom in the folly of the cross, and goodness in receiving sinful people. The power of God's love in Christ transforms the world and discloses that the Redeemer is the Lord and Creator who made all things to serve the purpose of his love.

*Hymn 187

"Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead us"

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

- Invitation to the Table
- The Prayer of Thanksgiving
- The Words of Institution
- Communion of the People:

Service Prelude - Eugene Thayer

Prelude - František Xaver Brixi

*Hymn 515

"I Come With Joy"

*Charge and Blessing

Postlude

Sonata I, Allegro di Molto

C. P. E. Bach

**Please stand in body or spirit*

LITURGIST(S): Steve Culp
PROJECTIONS: Russ Russell, Bud Weeks,
Catherine Langsdorf
LIVESTREAM: Duane Johnson, Jim Kisner,
Conrad Shannon, Jim Smelker, Paul Soltesz

FLOWERS: Given by Diocles Wells and Eric
McAnallen in honor of Rev. F. Victor
McAnallen

WORSHIP TEAM

Transitional Pastor: David Garnett
Associate Pastor: Rev. Dwight Christenbury
Minister of Visitation: Sally Beghtol, C.P.
Music Director: Stephen Klein
Section Leaders: Claire Crook, Tim Kuykendall,
Eric McAnallen, Gwenn Roberts

TRINITY TEAM

Maintenance Facilitator: Jim Kisner
Treasurer: 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 -
our denomination



Presbytery of Western
North Carolina -
our regional leadership



More Light
Presbyterians -
LGBTQ+ affirming



an Earth Care
Congregation -
eco-stewardship



Fuente de Vida
Guatemala - global
partnership



a Matthew 25
Church - social
justice advocacy

SUNDAY - COMMUNION

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:45 Learning Hour - Ohmann Lecture Series:

Jeannie DuBose "Practice Heaven"

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

11:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

5:00 ManKind Project Open Men's Circle

MONDAY

9:00 Finance Team

2:00 PW Coordinating Team

4:00 Tai Chi

7:00 Zoom: Building & Grounds

TUESDAY - MARDI GRAS

9:30 Staff Meeting

10:00 Coffee Group

4:00 Global Missions Ministry Mtg.

7:00 Zoom: Book Study - "Listening for the Heartbeat of God"

WEDNESDAY - ASH WEDNESDAY

10:30 Friends in Christ - Hybrid

5:30 Ash Wednesday Dinner

6:30 ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

7:30 Choir Rehearsal

DON'T FORGET TO
SPRING FORWARD!

THURSDAY

10:00 Musicke Antiqua Rehearsal

10:00 Luopad Project

11:00 Zoom: "Between the Lines" Book Group

12:00 PW Bible Study Leaders Team

1:00 Technology Committee

4:00 Tai Chi

4:00 Zoom: Finance/Stewardship Ministry

6:30 Cub Scouts

FRIDAY - PWNC HIGH SCHOOL MISSION RETREAT

8:00 Toastmasters

9:30 Feed the Kids

9:30 Swing Band Rehearsal

SATURDAY - PWNC HIGH SCHOOL MISSION RETREAT

SUNDAY - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME STARTS

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

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

Contacts (office/pastoral business) during the week

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Weekly Calendar: Feb 23 - Mar 2

PRAYERS, JOYS & CONCERNS: In Sympathy:

Julio & Jillian Chavez (Brenda Nelson's nephew & wife) upon the loss of their son Luca **Rehab/Nursing:** Ken Sugawara (The Lodge); Kathie Van Itallie (Life Care); Art Wayboer (High Point); Nell Payne (Brooks-Howell); Don Widmayer (The Bridge); Neena Haskins (Sunnybrook); Jane Sugawara (Tore's Home); Jack Caylor (HHR); Ruth Mills (CV Care Center); Julia Sellers (Durham); Jerry Miller (Indiana) **Home:** Evelyn Christensen (Mary Louise & Betty's sister); Fitz Sthreshley; Steve Kuykendoll; Martin Roller; Maureen (Jane Strange's friend); Tim Simmons; Donnie Thompson (Kuykendoll's nephew); Helen Dearborn; T.K. Owens (Dolly's son); Linda Dillon; Ken Sugawara; Harry Petersen; Susan Kincaid; Pat Dienst; Sandra Dwork; Paul Soltesz; Evans Thibodeau; Benny Elliot (Landen Gailey's partner); Kim & Jason Ball; Julee Gray (Kuykendoll's friend); Lauren McBride (Kuykendoll's daughter); Barbara Nichols; Bud Weeks; Irene Lunsford; Barbara Pickwood; Alice McCullough; Dave Morrison **Others:** the people of Syria; our mission coworkers and the people of Madagascar, Malawi, and Guatemala, our sister church Fuente de Vida, the people of Israel and Gaza, Lebanon, Sudan, Ukraine and Russia, those harmed by gun violence and anti-LGBTQ+ legislation, and all who have suffered loss, harm, and loss of loved ones due to Hurricane Helene.

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

FROM PASTOR DAVID GARNETT - *I want to invite you to come and talk to me one-on-one as we begin our mission study together. Contact me at david@trinitypresnc.org or call the church office and suggest a couple of dates and times you could meet with me. These conversations give me a chance to get to know you better and to hear some of your perceptions of the church.*

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- **OHMANN SPEAKER SERIES:** March 2, Learning Hour - We're pleased to welcome back author, speaker, and retreat leader Jeannie DuBose, presenting part 1 of "Practice Heaven: The Spiritual Art of Aging," (Part 2 will take place on Sun, March 23.)
- **ASH WEDNESDAY:** Help us welcome Lent into our hearts. Join us for dinner at 5:30 followed by our Ash Wednesday Worship service at 6:30
- **BUILDING & GROUNDS SPRING WORK DAY,** Saturday March 29th, Inside and Outside of the church. Sign-up sheet will be in the Narthex. Last year's work days was a great success and we look forward to being together again, please join us from 9 until noon. Thank you,

LUOPAD PARTIES Only three more Luopad Parties will be held as we complete our 3rd season of providing for the girls in Malawi. The last Parties will be held at Trinity in the sewing room on:

- Thursday, March 6th at 10:00 a.m.
- Thursday, March 20th at 2 p.m.
- Thursday, April 3rd at 10 a.m.

We will begin our 4th season of sewing in September of 2025. A huge THANK YOU to everyone for your Global Mission project support. Everyone is invited: sewers and non-sewers, beginners and professionals, previous participants and the curious first timers. Come and help us support girls and women in Malawi.

ALUMINUM CANS FOR GUATEMALA: Aluminum cans (rinsed, soda and beer cans) are still collected the first Sunday (other days if necessary) of each month. Deposit them behind the church (near the playground) in the cage in front of the storage shed. Money collected is used for the children's scholarship program. Thank you for your support.