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Reign of Christ Sunday
November 23, 2025 - 8:30 & 11:00 AM

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land."—Jeremiah 23:5

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude "There is a Higher Throne" K Getty, arr. Lloyd Larson

Introit "Ride On King Jesus" arr. Hall Johnson

Call to Worship (Psalm 93:1-2)

The Lord is king, he is robed in majesty;
the Lord is robed, he is girded with strength.

***He has established the world; it shall never be moved;
your throne is established from of old; you are from everlasting.***

***Hymn 268** "Crown Him With Many Crowns"

Prayer of Confession

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, and fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Meditation and Assurance of Pardon

***Congregational Response 369** "Blessing and Honor", v. 1

Passing of the Peace

Old Testament Scripture Jeremiah 23:1-6

Anthem "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken", arr. T Shepard

A Prayer for Children

New Testament Scripture	Luke 23:32-43	
Sermon	"A Different Kind of King"	David Garnett
*Hymn 267	"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"	
*Affirmation of Faith	(Colossians 1:15-20)	

[Christ] is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers--all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. Amen.

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Invitation to Giving

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn 263	"All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name"
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*Charge and Blessing

Postlude	Fanfare	N-J Lemmens
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**Please stand in body or spirit*

LITURGIST(S): Bob Forsythe	PROJECTIONS: Russ Russell, Bud Weeks,
FLOWERS: Given by Joy Guenther in honor of the	Catherine Langsdorf
Guenther and Johnson family loved ones	LIVESTREAM: Duane Johnson, Jim Kisner,
LAST WEEK ATTENDANCE: 137	Conrad Shannon, Jim Smelker, Paul Soltesz

WORSHIP TEAM

Transitional Pastor: Rev. David Garnett
Associate Pastor: Rev. Dwight Christenbury
Minister of Visitation: Sally Beghtol, C.P.
Interim Music Director: Tim Shepard
Section Leaders: Katie Cilluffo, Claire Crook, Tim Kuykendall, Eric McAnallen

TRINITY TEAM

Maintenance Facilitator: Jim Kisner
Treasurers: Bob Forsythe, Bev Luzadder
Financial Secretary: Diane Bowers
Bookkeeper: Angela Kuykendoll
Tellers: Barbara Goodman, Pat Harter, Robin Hodgson, Betty Lockwood

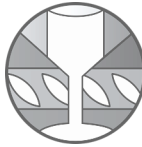
This congregation welcomes you without regard to race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical or mental ability, education, economic circumstance, your place of origin or any other issue that divides God's family. We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's place with its doors 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 - REIGN OF CHRIST

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:45 Learning Hour

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

10:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

5:00 ManKind Project Open Men's Circle

MONDAY

9:00 Finance Team

2:00 Personnel Ministry Mtg.

3:30 Tai chi - private lesson time

4:00 Tai chi

4:00 Death Café

6:00 PFLAG Board Meeting

TUESDAY

9:30 Staff Meeting

10:00 Coffee Group

3:00 Origami Group

5:30 Circles of Care Team - Hybrid

6:30 Deborah Circle

WEDNESDAY

10:30 Friends in Christ - Hybrid

THURSDAY - THANKSGIVING DAY (OFFICE CLOSED)

FRIDAY

8:00 Toastmasters

SATURDAY

11:00 Memorial Service for Bob Lux

SUNDAY - FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8:30 SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:45 Learning Hour

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

10:00 SUNDAY WORSHIP

5:00 ManKind Project Open Men's Circle

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PRAYERS, JOYS & CONCERNS: In *Sympathy*: the family of Cheryl Collins (Sánchez family) **Hospital:** Irene Lunsford (Dolly & Nancy's sister); **Rehab/Nursing:** Alice McCullough, Jack Caylor (HHR); Alice Malone (Pennsylvania); Don Widmayer (Florida); Kay Vickery; Ruth Mills (CV Care Center); Art Wayboer (High Point); Nell Payne (Brooks-Howell); Jane Sugawara (Ohio); Jerry Miller (Indiana) **Home:** Bella Ward (Steve & Esther Hider's friend); Marty Zigovsky; Keira Hunt (Carol Danilin's great-granddaughter); Victor (Brandon Haskins' friend); Evelyn Christensen (Mary Louise & Betty's sister); Alice Malone (Emma Persigehl's mother); Peggy King (Kathy Madigan's friend); Brenda Nelson; Nancy Twitchen; Steve Kuykendoll; Bob Miles; Kathy Orr (Neena Haskins' friend); Joe Stafford (Carole Ball's neighbor); John Kostlevy; Donnie Thompson (Kuykendoll's nephew); T.K. Owens; Evans Thibodeau; Kim & Jason Ball; Julee Gray (Kuykendoll's friend) **Others:** immigrants and those who are fearful or in hiding; our partners in Madagascar, Malawi, and Guatemala, our sister church Fuente de Vida, people in war-torn areas of the world, those harmed by gun violence and anti-LGBTQ+ legislation.

STEWARDSHIP 2026 – THANK YOU for participating in Stewardship Dedication Sunday on November 9! If you have not returned a completed 2026 pledge card but wish to, you may mail it in or drop it by the church office during office hours (extra cards are there). There is also an "on-line pledge card", found on the Trinity website (trinitypresnc.org) under the "Sign Up" link on the toolbar of the home screen.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to lead the Advent Candle Liturgy for the Sundays of Advent and Christmas Eve. Sign up sheet on the bulletin board, or see Dwight for more information.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING DAY: WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3. If you enjoy decorating for Christmas, mark your calendar for Wednesday morning, Dec. 3, and plan to join our fun-loving, Christmas-spirit-filled decorating crew!

BLACK MOUNTAIN HOME CHRISTMAS WISH LISTS NOW AVAILABLE! Our beloved tradition of fulfilling Christmas wishes for young people of the Black Mountain Home for Children, Youth & Families has returned. The wish lists for a number of kids and youth, along with instructions for how to participate, are available now. Look for the small Christmas tree in the Atrium.

RETIREMENT: *As my eyes continue to weaken, I have made the decision to retire in early January. I will continue to assist the pastors occasionally with pastoral care. Thank you for all your love and support—Sally Begthol*

BOOK STUDY: "BOOTSTRAPS & BENEFITS" If you missed the first few rounds and would like to learn more about eradicating systemic poverty, please join this special Learning Hour class at 9:45 AM on Nov 16, 23, and 30. Class will meet in the Family Room (couch room to the left of Sanctuary main doors)

TRINITY TRANSPORTATION - WANTED: Volunteer coordinators and drivers. We may borrow a small bus for 11:00 service pickups. Contact Joy Guenter or Tom Karvonen for details. Thanks!

REMINDER FROM YOUR FELLOWSHIP MINISTRY.... You can sign up in the Atrium to supply "goodies" for coffee time between worship services. Homemade or store bought are gladly accepted. (See Julie Carter or Lorraine Talbot for questions.)

DEATH CAFÉ: Mon, Nov 24 at 4pm. We practice gentle listening, sharing stories of loss, fear, and grief from deep within our hearts. We meet monthly in the lounge. Light refreshments.

PRAYER LIST ONLINE SUBMISSIONS: Hi folks! Just a quick reminder that the EASIEST way to add someone to the prayer list is through the big red button at the top of our website. Thank you for sharing your prayer requests!

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