



TRINITY CHURCH

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Welcome to Worship at Trinity Church!

Mother Church of Savannah Methodism

September 19, 2021

Today's Message: "Childlike Faith: Empowered to Respond"– Rev. Ben Gosden

Worship Schedule: Every Sunday morning at 11:00. ALL are welcome at Trinity Church!

Generosity: Giving our offerings is an act of worship to God!

You are welcome to place your gift in the offering plates during the Offertory or as you walk out.

Give securely online by going to trinity1848.org/give

Text your giving amount to (912) 385-4771

Venmo: Our username is @Trinity-Church

Scan the QR Code below with your phone



Connect: We would love to connect you with our church. To learn more about Trinity Church's ministries, programs, and events follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/trinitychurchsav) or visit our website (trinity1848.org).

Vision: To build a diverse and inclusive community of people who live and love like Jesus.

Purpose: So ALL can know the life-giving love of Christ.

Strategy: To create a space for people to belong and become deeper disciples of Jesus.

Important Notes About Accessibility at Trinity Church

*We encourage those who are able to park in the garage behind the church, where you can park for free until 2 PM. This frees critical parking spots around the church for those who need to park more closely for a shorter amount of steps into the sanctuary and more spaces for those visiting our church to have an outstanding experience from start to finish. Accessibility entrance is on York Street side of church.

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

17th Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Prelude

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome

Choral Introit

I Was Glad

*Call to Worship

Jesus calls us to servant ministry.

We must be willing to help others, not counting the cost or rewards.

Pretense, disharmony, greed have no place in discipleship.

Serving God means receiving each person as though they were a beloved child.

Lord, help us to truly become your disciples.

Create in us hearts for ministries of compassion and kindness. AMEN.

*Processional Hymn

Lift Every Voice and Sing

#519

*Affirmation of Faith

The World Methodist Social Affirmation

#886

*Gloria Patri

#71

*Passing of the Peace

Children's Moment

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

*Hymn of Response

Seek Ye First

#405

*Gospel Lesson

Matthew 6:25-34

Choral Anthem

The Lord is my Shepherd

Sermon

"Childlike Faith: Empowered to Respond"

Rev. Ben Gosden

Offertory

*Doxology

#95

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

*Recessional Hymn

Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service

#581

Benediction

Postlude

The altar flowers are given by Ben & Katie Gosden in Celebration of their 15th Wedding Anniversary.

(*Congregation Stand in Body and Spirit)

Upcoming Opportunities

New Church Office Email Address – Our church office has changed email addresses. If you need to reach the office, please email T'Lene at: office@trinity1848.org

Zoom at Noon – Ben will be hosting a weekly “Zoom at Noon” This is a small group discussion that will go in a variety of directions. It will start with a look at the book, “Celebrations of Discipline” and a weekly discussion on how to incorporate various spiritual disciplines into your daily life. The group may look at bible studies, other book studies, or just time to share as the group comes together. Weekly Zooms will last 45 minutes, so it’s designed to fit into your lunch break! Email Ben at ben@trinity1848.org if you want to know more!

Telfair Squares Luncheon – Our next Telfair Squares Monthly Luncheon will be **Thursday, September 23rd at 11:30am**. We will meet at Cancun Mexican Restaurant in the Twelve Oaks Shopping Center for a great time of food and fellowship! Telfair Squares meets the 4th Thursday of each month. Please rsvp by contacting The Ervins at 912-571-5096 or waynedervin67@gmail.com

Fellowship Hour – Coffee and Donuts are BACK! As we shift to optional mask-wearing, we are bringing back coffee and donuts. We will have them during the 10:00 hour in the parlor. You can also find coffee and donuts next to the Welcome Table on the front porch at 11:00. You are welcome to eat and drink in the sanctuary.

Altar Flowers – You are invited to reserve a date to sponsor our altar flowers! Sponsorships cost \$60 (with special pricing of \$100 for Easter) and can be made in honor or in memory of a loved one or special occasion. The link to the calendar can be found in Ben’s weekly email or you may email the church office at office@trinity1848.org to reserve your date. You can pay for your flowers by check (note “altar flowers” in the memo line) on our website by selecting “flowers” in the drop-down menu.

Support at Trinity – If you or a loved one are struggling with addiction, know that our church is a safe haven for helpful information and support. We have a Faith Partners team of Trinity members who understand the disease because they have lived it. They can help. Contact Ben at ben@trinity1848.org or (706) 326-1819 for a confidential connection.

Prayer List

The Family of Fran Stanley, Betty Grice, Gena Washington, Hubert Baker, Mava Byrd, Rene Hitt, Ralph Bailey, Jaime & Armond Towns, Nicky Olubajo, Vickie Gale, Sue Thompson, Margaret Smith, Ella Stevens, Vermelle Bailey, Kathy Bailey, Gerry Lawson-Herman, Mary Cook, Daniel Miley, Spencer Miley, Elspeth Stewart

Small Groups

Trinity Kids – Trinity Kids is our ministry with children. Children ages 0-2 are welcome in our nursery on the 2nd floor (turn left off the elevator). Children's ages 2-up are welcome to join our children's Sunday Small Group weekly at 11:00 featuring music, motion, and learning using Orange curriculum (thinkorange.com). If you have any questions or want to learn more about Trinity Kids, email our Children's Director, Dawn Wilson (dawn@trinity1848.org)

Young Adult Fellowship Hour – Beginning Sunday, September 12th, we will relaunch our Young Adult Fellowship Hour at 10am! Adults ages 20-40(ish) are invited to attend! We will meet in the Open Door Classroom on the 2nd floor. Parents: Trinity Kids Sunday school time will begin at 10am so you can attend.

Upper Room Small Group – An ongoing study group that meets through Zoom on Sunday mornings at 10:00am. Led by Mark Jackovich. If you would like to join this group, please email Mark at jackovich@bellsouth.net

Weekly Morning Group– The Thursday Women's Small Group will join the **Becoming More Aware Group** led by Dawn Wilson starting on Wednesday, September 22nd via Zoom at 7:00pm. Reach out to Peggy Hilleary with any questions and Zoom information at p_hilleary@yahoo.com

Trinity Church Staff & Contact Information

Senior Pastor – Rev. Ben Gosden: ben@trinity1848.org or 706-326-1819

Pastor Emeritus – Rev. Dr. Ralph Bailey

Director of Music – Dr. Jared Register: jregistermusic@gmail.com

Office Administrator – T'Lene Drzymalski: office@trinity1848.org or 912-233-4766

Children's Director – Dawn Wilson: dawn@trinity1848.org

Trinity Kids Small Group Leaders –Cassandra Miller & Megan Ours

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am-2:00pm

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