Trinity Presbyterian Church November 13, 2022 A.D.

Rev. Dr. Murray Joseph Thompson - Pastor

Gathering Music Welcome & Announcements Prelude

Call to worship

L: When I waited patiently for you, O God, you bent down to me and heard my cry.

P: You put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

L: I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation; I have not restrained my lips, as you know, O Lord.

P: Do not, O Lord, withhold your mercy from me; let your steadfast love and faithfulness keep me safe forever.

All: Let us worship God!

The Morning Anthem

Call to Confession

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: The grace of the Lord, Jesus Christ be with us all.

Let us pray . . .

Prayer of Confession

All: Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Silent Confession

(A time of silence will be observed for personal confession.)

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the Good News! Truly as far as the East is from the West, so far has he removed our sins from us. In Christ Jesus we are all forgiven. Amen.

*Our Response What a Friend We have in Jesus

What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer! O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear, all because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

Sharing Our Faith with Our Children

*Hymn - All Creatures of Our God and King #455

Stewardship Moment: Sandra Peoples

⁵ So I thought it necessary to urge the brothers to visit you in advance and finish the arrangements for the generous gift you had promised. Then it will be ready as a generous gift, not as one grudgingly given.

Generosity Encouraged

⁶ Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. ⁷ Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. ⁹ As it is written:

"They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor; their righteousness endures forever."[a]

¹⁰ Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹ You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.

Sermon: Part IV - Giving Gratefully: Time, Talent, Treasures

*Hymn - Eternal Father, Strong to Save #562

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings Offertory

*Doxology (Hymn #592)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Veteran Recognition Moment: All Trinity Veterans

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer *Sending forth and Benediction

*Choral response God be with You Till We Meet Again

God be with you till we meet again, by his counsels guide, uphold you, with His sheep securely fold you, God be with you till we meet again. Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus' feet; till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

Liturgist: Wayne Williams Soloist: Jessica Starcher

Head Deacons: Karen Sassaman & Cindy Williams

Rev. Dr. Murray Joseph Thompson Music Director: Pamela Carroll

The flowers today are dedicated to the glory of God in loving memory of my husband Gordon and parents Raymond and Dororthy Tubridy and in honor

of all Veterans. Given by: Betsy Fairchild



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