

SESSION 2020-2022

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Trinity Presbyterian Church
Pensacola, Florida

December 1, 2019
1st Sunday of Advent



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 December 1, 2019 • 10:00 a.m.

A Community of Faith Seeking the Light of Christ in Service to the World

**Indicates times when all who are able may stand.*

PRELUDE "Polish Carol" arr. Whitworth
 CHIMING OF THE HOUR/ CHORAL PROCESSIONAL
 WELCOME AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS
 RISE AGAINST HUNGER OFFERING RECEIVED
 CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP/LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE
 "The Hope of Your Coming" R. Schram and A. Williams
 Choir – Narrator, Hal Tuten – Congregation (see insert)

Narrator: A Savior, the Messiah, is promised; the birth of the Child is prophesied in God's Word.

People: Oh Lord, You are our Hope.

Narrator: For what was written in former days was written for our instruction that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.

People: Oh Lord, You are our Hope.

Narrator: Our hearts long for the Hope that Your arrival will bring;

People: Oh Lord, You are our Hope.

Narrator: God's promises are true. We await the birth of Christ, the Promised Child, the Savior of the World.

People: Oh Lord, You are our Hope.

*HYMN 82 "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" HYFRYDOL

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION *Taken from The Worship Sourcebook, Second Edition*

All: While we ask, Lord, for the most meaningful Advent season ever, we sadly confess having done so little with so much. Forgive us Lord, for not bending the knee, for not reading your Word, for not searching our hearts, for not facing our sins. Forgive us according to your tender mercies, O God! Grant that when Christmas morning breaks for us this year, we may have a fresh sense of your presence and a renewed resolve to live to the praise of Christ's glory. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

People of God: Jesus Christ, our Lord, whose coming we announce in this season, is our righteousness. In Christ, we are made right with God.

All: Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
 world without end. Amen. Amen.**

*PASSING THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Please greet each other, "Peace be with you."

CHILDREN'S MOMENT / PRESENTATION OF 3RD GRADE BIBLES
 DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Liturgist, Hal Tuten

SCRIPTURE READING (**Unison**) Hebrews 12:18-24 Pew Bible, N.T., p. 227

SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 2:1-5 Pew Bible, O.T., p. 631

SERMON "A Vision of Hope and Beauty" Rev. Brian Yount

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation, Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread and Sharing of the Cup

Prayer after Communion

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" VENI EMMANUEL

*The Doxology

**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. Amen.**

*Prayers of Thanksgiving

*HYMN 93 "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates" TRURO

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE "May the God of Hope Go With Us"

*POSTLUDE "The Gallery Carol" setting: Broughton

Communion:

During the Lord's Supper, you may choose to use one of the following prayers to prepare yourself to receive these gifts of grace.

A Prayer for Guidance to Truth

Lord Jesus, there are times I struggle to believe and trust that you are the Son of God. There are so many things that cause me to question and doubt, and yet my heart wants to believe. Would you help me to see and understand who you are? I want to know what is true and feel confident that you are the way, the truth, and the life. Amen.

A Prayer for Repentance and Assurance

Lord Jesus, I trust that you are the Son of God, full of grace and truth. I know that I'm invited to your table because of your gift of grace, and I confess that I need forgiveness. I need to turn away from everything that displeases you and live a life of love for you and my neighbor. Would you help me to let go of sin? Would you teach my heart to love your law? Please lead my life and remind me that you are my shepherd and king. Give me assurance that your grace is sufficient for each day and all of eternity. Thank you for taking me as your own and all the love you show to me. Amen.

A Prayer for Belief

Lord Jesus, I know my life isn't perfect. I've done things that have brought shame to my life and hurt others. I haven't loved you very well. I admit I've sinned and done what is wrong in your sight, but I also believe there is salvation in your name for me. I thank you for what you've done to redeem me and give me new life. Give strength to my faith; guard me from doubts about your grace and love; and lead me to walk by faith. Amen.

Sermon Notes:

WELCOME, GUESTS! We're glad you are here! Please stop by Welcome Booth to learn about Trinity's life and service or about becoming a member of Trinity; speak to pastors Hugh or Brian; call the church office at 432-3505, or visit www.trinitypcola.org.

HEARING ASSISTANCE (William Sound) is available to those with and without hearing aids (hearing aid must have a manual T-coil). Devices are located at the rear of the sanctuary.

REFRESH THE TEXT BIBLE STUDY WITH BRIAN: Join us Tuesdays at 8:00 am in the Conference Room for a Bible study that will focus on the most recent sermon text.

ELDER ON DUTY: Kris Tande; **HEAD USHER:** Jerry Mock **USHERS:** Paige Connors, Maicol Parr, Zachary Peterson, Gus Parr, Samantha Peterson, Nathan Connors

NURSERY CARE: Trained and experienced staff are available to care for our children 4 years old and under in Room 2. Also – A Mother's Room for Moms and Infants is located across from the Senior Pastor's office. Ushers can direct you to either if you need help.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP WITH PARLOR REFRESHMENTS! Sign up on the side of the refrigerator to help in the Parlor and on MyTrinity or the sign near nametags to bring snacks.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS begin again January 8 at 5:30, Small Groups, Children's Music, and Programs at 6:15-7:15. Reservation cards in the pew racks. \$5.00 per person, or family maximum of \$20.00.

PLEDGE CARDS Have you turned yours in? Please turn it in either in the offering plate, or in Sharon's mailbox in the work room. Thank you!

TANGO will be hosted by James & Leah McCreary at 6 pm on Friday, December 20th at 2101 North 20th Ave. Bring a Christmas breakfast dish, your favorite beverage, and a gift for the white elephant exchange (optional) - \$20 max. Wear your Christmas PJs if you have some! RSVP on MyTrinity or to Leah at 850-390-0830. There will not be childcare at the church this month.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING: Families of Children and Youth, join us on December 22 at 3:45 for an afternoon of caroling through Cordova Park. Dinner will be in Room 10 at 5:15/5:30.

WE ARE LISTENING. Do you have input for improvement to Trinity's facilities? Trinity members shared 133 ideas at the recent Vision Workshop. Your Master Building Plan Team members will continue to collect ideas through December 8th. For your convenience, team members available after church. Look for us in the Narthex or contact us personally. Members are: Alice Adams, Sandy Hamilton, Colette Obray, Clara Riggleman, Laura Lawrence, Jim Green, and Kyle Watson.

ART IN THE TRINITY LIBRARY – The featured artist is Anne Baehr. Anne and John are long time members of Trinity who are very involved with the various ministries of Trinity. Anne is a very talented artist and has an outstanding display. Stop by and enjoy her works.

CANCER SUPPORT Congregational Care is seeking a leader to facilitate this group once a month for one hour. Good listening skills are needed, and being a cancer survivor would be beneficial. Please contact Sue Coleman at 410-382-9782.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY (*Hosea* by Jennifer Rothschild) begins again Jan. 7 at 2:30 in Room D. Teacher: Pam Frank Contact Dot Couch or Alice Adams. Books available at first class.

TOYS FOR TOTS Toys for needy children are being collected now thru December 9. Place a NEW, UNWRAPPED toy in one of the collection boxes located in the Narthex.

CONCERNS OF THE TRINITY FAMILY

TRINITY MEMBERS

Janet Allman
John Arrich
Nancy Biasco
Betty Burrows
Pat Drlicka
Dilver Fellers
Jeanne Franz
Carol Gilroy
Tom Gross
Marie Kuhn
Melanie Haupt
Earl Hawthorne
Kenny Heffner
Mary Kennedy
Don Kilpatrick
Nancy Nesvik
Joyce Pate
Richard & Sue Peden
Melba Powell
Beverly Prewitt
Jake & Lil Renfroe
Leilia Vannoy

TRINITY FRIENDS & FAMILY
Eric Allen (request of **Marge Shimmin**)
Rose Baber (mother of **Barb Martensen**)
Gretchen Barron (daughter of **Jon & Karen Nagel**)
Jeannine Bartlett (sister of **Faye Groves**)
Judy Benton (request of **Dan Prettyman**)
Teresa Bradley (request of friends of Trinity)
Rebecca Brashear (granddaughter of **Peggy Watson**)
Reese, Blake & Rebecca Brown
(request of **Freddie Prettyman**)
Terri Carroll (sister of **Dan Prettyman**)
Lynn Carter (request of **Joe & Mary Black**)
Irene Christian (request of **Freddie Prettyman**)
Ben Clark (nephew of **Aline Nicholson**)
Charles Couch (father of **Tim Couch**)
Norman Cushon (friend of **Marge Shimmin**)
Brad Daugherty (nephew of **Sandra Buck**)
Ashlee Davidson (granddaughter of **Brenda Summersell**)
Joey Davidson (son of **Gary Davidson**)
Bill & Ann Delavan (request of **Laura Lawrence**)
Vicky Depew (friend of **Lori Skelton**)

Anne Tuten Deas (request of **Hal Tuten**)
Ethel Edwards (grandmother of **Leah Harrison**)
Carl Enck (brother in law of **Jim & Nancy Lemke**)
Marianne Fortuna (request of Jonathan Fortuna)
Karen Galloway (request of **Gail & Robert Childs**)
Lance Gill (son of **Elizabeth & Cam Massengill**)
Tom & Elaine Goddard (request of **Mary Ruth Dobie**)
Kristen Gottschalk (niece of **Barb & Allen Martensen**)
Sara Gulick (request of **Susan Clark**)
Mike Heynie (friend of Tiffany Holloway)
Fred & Jana Hole (request of **Leah Franko**)
Chris & Jenni Jennings (niece of **Pat Drlicka**)
Kristen Laughlin (niece of **Jim Patteson**)
Jerry Lolli (father of **Ginnette Lolli**)
Hermon Luskwitz (request of **Gary Davidson**)
Lisa MacKendrick (request of **Mary Ann Meier**)
André J. Marceau (friend of **Charlie Gilroy**)
Amy Martin (niece of **Anne Green**)
Billie Martz (request of **Jean Nickinson**)
Joe Meeks (request of **Kathy Franz**)
Bob Morris (cousin of **Paula Morris Connor**)
Carolyn Morgan (mother of **Sharon Robbins**)
Deb Patterson (request of **Lori & Jody Skelton**)
Keith Percy (request of **Joe & Mary Black**)
Jack Pipa (request of **Lori & Jody Skelton**)
Dr. Fred Renfroe
Samantha Rine (request of **Mary Ruth Dobie**)
Shirley Sawyer (request of **Joni & Gary Moore**)
Hoyt Saye, Jr. (request of **Pat Young**)
Ronnie Shaw (son of **Pat Drlicka**)
Helen Simmons (request of **Ona Gilbert**)
Allen Smith (son of **Gerry Smith**, brother of **Berney Smith**)
Angelia Smith (request of **Dan Prettyman**)
Barbara & Gerald Spriggins (request of **Marge Shimmin**)
Bettie Stout (sister of **Carl Williams**)
Richard & Diane Swalin (request of **Mary Ruth Dobie**)
Keith Sylvest (request of **Kathy Franz**)
Mary Lou Thayer (former Trinity employee)
Dr. Riley Walker (friend of **Dan Prettyman**)
Cricket Ward (request of **Marte Pickens**)
Lamar & Cheryl Wasdin (parents of **Keith Wasdin**)
Nancy Williamson (request of **Peggy Watson**)
The Zaharko Family (request of **Janet Zaharko**)

Be sure to stop by to say a prayer and sign cards in the Prayer Room from Monday 3:00 PM to Thursday 9:00 AM. When you make a prayer request, please include an address of the individual being prayed for and your name, too. Thank you for your continued prayers for those on the Trinity Concerns list.

WHO NEEDS A VISIT? If you know someone in our church family going through a difficult time or needing help with anything, please call the office at 432-3505, in confidence.

****MyTrinity Spotlight** Use MyTrinity to:** check the church calendar!

CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, December 1, 2019

Christian Education for all ages
Worship
Youth Choir Rehearsal
Loaves & Fishes Feed the Homeless

8:45 AM
10:00 AM, Sanctuary
11:15 AM, Choir Room
4:00 PM

MONDAY, December 2, 2019

Movers and Shakers Exercise Class
Prayer Team
Bell Choir Rehearsal
Grief Support Group

9:00 AM, Parlor
1:00 PM, Room B
5:00 PM, Sanctuary
6:00 PM, Prayer Room

TUESDAY, December 3, 2019

Refresh the Text
Presbyterian Women Christmas Luncheon
Congregational Care Team
Master Building Plan Team
Communications Team
Service Team
Worship Band Rehearsal

8:00 AM, Conference Room
10:30 AM, Parlor
11:00 AM, Room B
2:00 PM, Conference Room
4:30 PM, Room F
6:00 PM, Room B
6:30 PM, Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, December 4, 2019

Movers and Shakers Exercise Class
No Wednesday Night Supper
Adult Bible Studies check with your leaders for meeting schedule
Adult Choir Rehearsal

9:00 AM, Parlor
7:00 PM, Choir Room

THURSDAY, December 5, 2019

TLC Staff Christmas Party

6:00 PM, Parlor

FRIDAY, December 6, 2019

Movers and Shakers Exercise Class

9:00 AM, Parlor

SUNDAY, December 8, 2019

Christian Education for all ages
Worship
Outreach Team
Youth Choir Rehearsal
Youth Group Christmas Party
Blue Christmas Service

8:45 AM
10:00 AM, Sanctuary
11:15 AM, Room E
11:15 AM, Choir Room
12:30, Room 10
5:00 PM, Sanctuary

SERENDIPITY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS will have a Christmas Party on Sunday, December 15, 2019 at 6:00 PM at the home of Andrew & Mary Catherine Hinton, 4109 Brittany Place. Please RSVP by leaving a message before December 10 for Mary Catherine at 438-7691.

THE PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON this Tuesday, December 3, will begin at 10:30 in the parlor for refreshments, followed by the program, Angels in Our Midst, presented by Clara Riggelman in the sanctuary. Lunch will be served in the Activities Center.

The Hope of Your Coming

Congregation

Words and Music by
Ruth Elaine Schram
and **Aren Newell Williams**

Verse 1: Choir only

Narration

Repeat Verse 1: Choir and Congregation

Please sing when directed mf

May the hope of Your

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Postlude: Choir only

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Join us as we explore how the power of hope impacts our daily lives.

10 a.m. Sundays

December 1
A Vision of Hope & Beauty
(Isaiah 2:1-5)

December 8
Signs of Hope Emerging
(Isaiah 11:1-10)

December 15
"Have You Heard"
A Celtic Christmas Celebration

December 22
God With Us
(Isaiah 7:10-16)

December 29
God Is Here In the Places in Which Our Lives Unfold
(Isaiah 63:7-9)

Blue Christmas
December 8 • 5 p.m.
A service of comfort for those grieving deaths, losses, or life events amid this forced joyfulness at Christmas. Join others needing the comfort and hope God offers during dark times.

Candlelight Communion Service
December 24 • 5:30 p.m.
"Those who walked in darkness will see a great light."
- Isaiah 9:2-7

have you heard
A Celtic Christmas Celebration

Trinity Presbyterian Church
Sunday, December 15 at 10 a.m.

Hear the story of Christmas told through the spirited folk melodies of Celtic Music.