



Pensacola, Florida October 18, 2020 10:30 a.m.

*Indicates times when all who are able may stand.

Chiming Of The Hour

Prelude "Praise Him!" Chester G. Allen arr. by Rick Parks

Welcome And Congregational Life Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Hymn "Praise Ye the Lord the Almighty"

*Opening Prayer

Creator God, maker of all that is, we worship and praise you for who you are and for what you have done. Open our hearts and spirits, allow your presence to bubble up from within us and overflow in joy and thanksgiving. We acknowledge the abundance of your gifts and the generosity of your love. May we savor what each day holds in your faithfulness, and live all our days trusting in you for whom all things are possible. Align our hearts, our desires, our wills toward you and find us faithful. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

*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.

*Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

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

Children's Moment (at this point children will remain in pews with family)

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:1-15 (NRSV)

8 We want you to know, brothers and sisters, about the grace of God that has been granted to the churches of Macedonia; ² for during a severe ordeal of affliction, their abundant joy and their extreme poverty have overflowed in a wealth of generosity on their part. ³ For, as I can testify, they voluntarily gave according to their means, and even beyond their means, ⁴ begging us earnestly for the privilege of sharing in this ministry to the saints— ⁵ and this, not merely as we expected; they gave themselves first to the Lord and, by the will of God, to us, ⁶ so that we might urge Titus that, as he had already made a beginning, so he should also complete this generous undertaking among you. ⁷ Now as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you—so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking.

⁸I do not say this as a command, but I am testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. ⁹For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. ¹⁰ And in this matter I am giving my advice: it is appropriate for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something— ¹¹ now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. ¹² For if the eagerness is

there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has—not according to what one does not have. ¹³I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between ¹⁴ your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may be for your need, in order that there may be a fair balance. ¹⁵ As it is written, "The one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little."

After each reading: Leader: The Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

Hymn "I Am Thine, O Lord"

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15 (NRSV)

⁶ The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷ Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. ⁹ As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever."

¹⁰ He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹ You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; ¹² for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. ¹³ Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, ¹⁴ while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. ¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Sermon FOUND FAITHFUL: 3. Found Faithful in Much

Hugh Hamilton

*Affirmation Of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

Pastoral Prayer and the 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.

*Hymn

"Take My Life"

- *Call for the Offering
- *Benediction
- *Postlude

"Trumpet Voluntary in D major"

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS

WELCOME! To learn about Trinity's life and service or about becoming a member of Trinity, visit www.trinitypcola.org.

ONE ENTRANCE ON SUNDAY In the interest of safety, please note the only access to the Trinity building on Sunday morning will be through front parking lot doors. All other doors will be locked, including the door under the overhang, and the door at the end of the ABC Sunday School wing.

TRUNK OR TREAT, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28 5-6 PM. Trinity wants to provide a fun and safe way for your family and friends to celebrate. We are opening up the parking lot for socially distant trunk-ortreating as well as non-contact activities. Come decked out in your spook-tacular costume attire for our costume contest! Chicken Tenders & Tots dinner box will be available for 5-6 PM, for \$5. Please follow the posted safety guidelines. Face masks will be required. Let the church know if you are planning to set up your trunk to hand out treats. We will email you specific details and safety guidelines.

FREE NOTARY PUBLIC: Reminder! Wendy and Sharon in the Trinity office are Notaries Public, and you are welcome to call ahead and come over, should you have that need.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE Verses of Comfort can be found at trinitypcola.org > ministries > congregational care > other services - click link here.



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CONCERNS OF THE TRINITY FAMILY

TRINITY MEMBERS
Kent, Rachel, and Parker Boyd
Rod Burton
Nancy Campbell
Butch Crooke
Tom Gross
Richard & Sue Peden
Jake and Lil Renfroe
Lamar & Cheryl Wasdin
Carl Williams

TRINITY FRIENDS & FAMILY

Don Allen (neighbor of Dona & Milton Usry)
Rose Baber (mother of Barb Martensen)
Morgan Beck (brother of Gregg Beck)
Joe Caruthers (friend of Mary Ruth Dobie)
Harvey Howell Casey (nephew of Mary Catherine Hinton)
Nathan Dille (friend of Diane Millas)
Rob Dobie (family of Mary Ruth Dobie)
Vince Farrugia (friend of Mary Ruth Dobie)

Tina & Roger Jaskot (friends of Jon & Karen Nagel) Yangduck Kim (mother of Hyunjoo Kim) Jerry LaFlamme (request of Linda Gamble) Mason Land (request of Barbara McLean) Tom Landsgaard (brother of Greg Landsgaard) Allyson Lassiter (niece of Jan Beck) Deanna & Jeff Lepa (family of Tom & Sandra Buck) Melanie & Richard Mabe (friends of Gary Davidson) Angelica Makepeace (request of Alison John) Wyatt Mixson & Family (request of Marge Shimmin) Barbara & Ben Mozo (request of Sandy Edwards) Shade O'Driscoll Family (friends of Mary Ruth Dobie) Jim Potter (request of Jean Norman) Diane Swalin (request of Mary Ruth Dobie) Roger Vinson (request of Jean Norman) Linda Warrick (request of Marge Shimmin) The Family of Willie Williams Jo Winford (sister of Jayne Felix) Saffron Young (family of Mary Anne Meier)

Prayer Warriors have been praying for our Concerns of the Trinity Family list during this time of isolation. We are grateful to Sally Zorn, Linda Gamble, Mary Anne Meier, Jill Clark, Sharon Gensemer, Sandra Holman, Kathy Webb, Marshall Arrich, Jane Patterson, Pat Harris, Dawn John, and Betty Petree. Thank you all!

Thank you for packing your own empty box(es) this year!



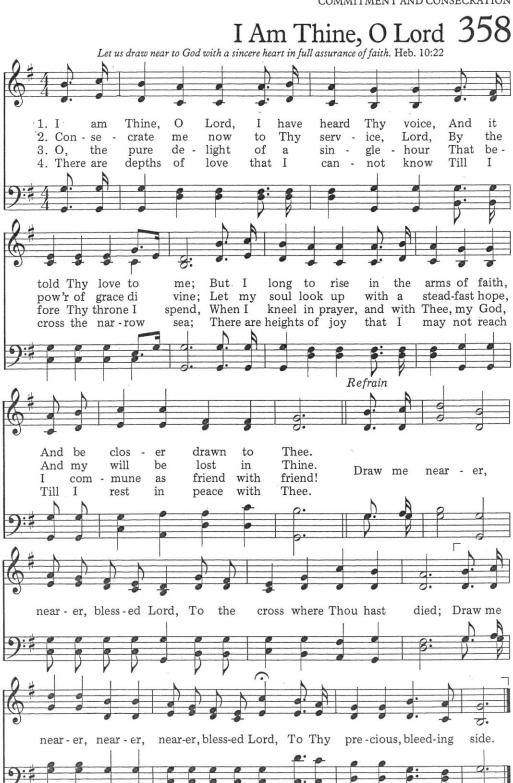
Each box at Trinity contains the following information:



35 Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty



This very strong 17th-century German hymn employs many phrases from the psalms, especially Psalms 150 and 103:1–6. It did not receive an effective English translation until the mid-19th century, but has remained popular ever since, thanks in part to its stirring tune.



TEXT: Fanny J. Crosby MUSIC: William H. Doane

I AM THINE 10.7.10.7. with Refrain



- 5 Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine.

 Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne, it shall be thy royal throne.
- 6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store; take myself and I will be ever, only, all for thee, ever, only, all for thee.

This hymn of consecration radiates from the repeated word "take," resulting in a remarkably full survey of a person's attributes and possessions and giving weight to the "all" at the end. The composer of the tune was influential in the renewal of Reformed hymnody in French.