

WEEKLY PRAYER PEOPLE. Prayers, calls, and notes are encouraged (please check the church directory for contact information):

Bob and Claire Lux, Jim and Pat Norris,
Clarence and Joan Poole,
Bud and Carol Ann Mayfield.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Home: Sandy Weeks, Sally Beghtol, Stan Dienst, Sue Ellsasser, Barbara and Scott Garrison, Kathie Bivens, Bruce Penn, Mark and Denise Slaughter, Bob and Janet Baker, Bill and Juliette Blakely, Ginny Arkens, Merritt Roach, Connie Moore; Irene Robertson, Paddy Deich, Bob Brackett (CV Care Center); Eleanor Beardsley (Carolina Reserve). *Rehabilitation, Nursing:* Harry Papazian (Heritage Hills), Gene Carman (HH&R), Audrey White (The Laurels); Bob Brackett (CV Med Center), *Others:* Evelyn Christensen (sister of Mary Louise Forsythe), Lynn Thiel (friend of Harry and Katie Hankla), Christy Presseau (needs a kidney), Irving Lindsey (Paul Soltesz's uncle), Jean Stanfield Walters, Heather McMillan (Judy Woelke's daughter), Donna Dalton's grandson Ryan (chronic leukemia), Jay, Lorrie and Robert Pelc (family of Carole Ball), Don Cunningham, (Sarah Thibodeau's brother), Scott and Sandy Owens, Marvin Gilley, Albert Bunch, and Tina Lunsford and her son, Craig (family and friends of Dolly Owens and Nancy Twitchen). Please remember mission coworkers and our Guatemalan partner church, Fuente de Vida.

CHRISTMAS UN-DECORATING. It's not much fun, but the time has come to take down Trinity's Christmas decorations. Storage boxes will be ready tomorrow morning (Monday, January 7); if you're able to help with removing decorations and boxing them up at any time this week, we'll be very grateful! (If you plan to come later in the week, please call the church office to find out whether there's still work to be done.)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE BEGINS JANUARY 16. We'll kick off the 2019 season of Wednesday Night Live on January 16 with dinner and a New Year's Jazz Vespers featuring the Michael Jefry Stevens Quartet. Mark your calendars!

JANUARY NEEDS FOR IAM: Canned chili, individual fruit cups, canned vegetables, toothbrushes and toothpaste.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR. January 30, Wednesday Night Live will be performances by some of the Hendersonville Community Music Center musicians. All of our instructors are PROFESSIONAL musicians and extremely talented. Please plan to attend the FREE performance! You will be entertained and SO impressed with these HCMC instructors!

WHO WILL MAKE DECISIONS for you when you are unable to make them for yourself? Sunday, January 13, the 9:45 Learning Hour in the Fellowship Hall will address this and many other questions that are so pertinent to "estate planning." Trinity's Endowment Committee will give a program addressing Wills, Living Wills/Advance Directives, HPOA, POA (what is the difference between a Power of Attorney and a Durable POA?) And, of course, Endowments. There will be several handouts. We want this to be an interactive session, and look forward to YOUR input regarding personal experiences "what I did, what I wish I'd done, what I wish I hadn't done!" See you there.

OUT-TO-LUNCH-BUNCH will be going to the *Fireside Restaurant* today with Russ and Iona Hubbard. Join them after the 11 o'clock service.

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Partnered in Christ with
Fuente de Vida Presbyterian Church
Guatemala

Epiphany of the Lord

January 6, A.D. 2019

8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"on entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage." -- Matthew 2:11

Introit "A Child Is Born in Bethlehem" *Philip Stopford*

Call to Worship (*responsive*)

Leader: Arise, shine; for your light has come,
and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

**People: We have seen the darkness cover the earth,
and thick darkness cover the people.**

Leader: The Lord will rise upon you,
and God's glory will appear over you.

**People: Let every nation rejoice,
for God has come to deliver us.**

***Hymn no. 151** "We Three Kings of Orient Are"

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

God of glory, you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world, to reveal your love for all people. We confess that our sin and pride hide the brightness of your light. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace.

In your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, and baptize us once again with your Spirit, that, forgiven and renewed, we may show forth your glory shining in the face of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Meditation and Assurance of Pardon

***Congregational Response no. 126** "Jesus, Jesus, O What a Wonderful Child"

***Passing of the Peace**

Announcements

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem "Christ, Our Host, We Come Adoring" *Bringler/Rowan*

***Doxology no. 607** *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

***Prayer of Dedication**

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 60:1-6

Ordination and Installation of Officers

A Moment for Children

New Testament Lesson: Matthew 2:1-12

Sermon "Wisdom and Service" Mark Stanley

Affirmation of Faith (*unison*) A Brief Statement of Faith (*sections 3 & 6; pp. 37 & 38*)

***Hymn No. 526** "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ" (*vv. 1-2*)

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer

The Words of Institution

Communion of the People Gelobet seist du, Jesu Christ *J. S. Bach*
Es ist ein' Ros' entsprungen *Brahms*

***Hymn No. 526** "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ" (*v. 3*)

***Charge and Blessing**

***Choral Response** "Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

***Postlude** "Glory to God in the Highest" *Pergolesi*

*** Stand, or remain seated**

LITURGIST: 8:30 – Jane Presseau; 11:00 Robin Hodgson

GREETERS: 8:30 - Barbara Pickwood, Ken Sugawara

11:00 – Alice Cooper and Billie Hicklin

USHERS: 8:30 –

11:00 – Susan Mangrum, Norie and Enrique Sanchez, Cindy Stanfield

CHILDCARE: Room 201; 8:30 to Noon (for Birth through Preschool)

HEARING AIDS: Hearing aids to assist the hearing impaired are available from the ushers

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: 173

Thank You for remembering the Church in your Will.

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.

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Calendar for the Week of January 6

Today	8:30 A.M. Worship Service
Communion	9:45 A.M. Learning Hour
	Adults:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Issues and Concerns:</i> Near future classes: we will have the choice of meeting in Room 207 or joining Jack Presseau's series on Wisdom passages in the Bible and Peter Hobbie's Ohmann lecture series on Science and Religion. Both will be in Fellowship Hall. • <i>Lectionary Class:</i> Trinity Room • <i>Hashing It Out:</i> Lounge • Children and Youth: • <i>Preschool:</i> Ages 3-4 (Room 203 – meets 10:15-10:45) • <i>Primary:</i> Grades K-4 (Room 103) • <i>Youth:</i> Grades 5 and up (Room 101)
	11:00 A.M. Worship Service
	12:00 Noon Trinity 30
Monday	1:00 P.M. Presbyterian Women Coordinating Team
	4:00 P.M. Tai Chi
Tuesday	9:00 A.M. Staff Meeting
	10:00 A.M. New Member Subcommittee
	10:00 A.M. Coffee/Issues
	10:00 A.M. Trinity Preschool Board
	3:30 P.M. Deacons Meeting
Wednesday	9:45 A.M. Esther Circle
	10:30 A.M. Friends in Christ
	4:00 P.M. Finance/Stewardship Ministry
	7:30 P.M. Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	9:30 A.M. Spanish Class
	10:00 A.M. Study of Luke
	4:00 P.M. Tai Chi