

# TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Partnered in Christ with  
**Fuente de Vida Presbyterian Church**  
Guatemala

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

*Effie Christiansen, Ted and Phyllis Dills,  
Dave and Nancy Gilbert, Karen Burnham*

## **PRAYER CONCERNS: Sympathy:**

Family and friends of Dave Arnold. Dave entered the Church Triumphant on Friday, August 3. A memorial service will be held Saturday, August 18, 2:00 at Trinity. **Home:** Bruce Penn, Mark and Denise Slaughter, Sandi Russell, Dennis Smith, Donna Thompson, Gayle Hoverson, Janet Baker, Bill and Barbara Garrison, Bill and Juliette Blakely, Ginny Arkens, Merritt Roach, Connie Moore; Irene Robertson and Paddy Deich (CV Care Center); Eleanor Beardsley, Stan Dienst, (Carolina Reserve). **Rehabilitation, Nursing:** Harry Papazian (Heritage Hills), Gene Carman (HH&R), Jessie Ann Boterf, Audrey White (The Laurels); Betty Bobb, Bob Brackett (CV Med Center), **Others:** Christy Presseau (Jack's daughter-in-law), Irving Lindsey (Paul Soltesz's uncle), Kira Sloop (Forsythe's niece – breast cancer), 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.

**IAM NEEDS FOR AUGUST:** Macaroni and cheese, canned vegetables and fruit, individual fruit packs, crackers, cold cereal, spaghetti sauce, shampoo.

## **CONTINUING NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 19: RABBI PHILIP J. BENTLEY, "BETWEEN A ROCK AND A HARD PLACE."**

We're pleased to welcome back our friend and colleague Phil Bentley for a month-long series on the situation in Israel and Palestine. Rabbi Bentley writes, "For someone who thinks of himself as a Zionist and is also a lifelong human rights activist, Israel is a very tough subject to address." He will explain some basics in the relationship between Israel and the Palestinians, and in that context he will talk about efforts to resolve the conflict between Israel and the Palestinians. Please plan to join us for this timely and enlightening series of lectures: Sundays in August, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

**OUT-TO-BRUNCH BUNCH:** Today: We are going to *Pomodoros* with Barbara Johnson. Next week we are going to *Roux* with Jack Caylor.

**WANTED:** Trinity bridge players, couples or singles. Contact Myrl Jean Hughes – 891-5556 or Carolyn George – 388-1108.

**THANKS...**to everyone who signed up to usher in August. September's list is in the narthex.

**NEEDED:** Trinity 30 hosts for Sunday, September 23. Call Neena - 606-5202.

## **Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

August 12, A.D. 2018

10:00 A.M.

*"...you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers..."*

*--Romans 13:11*

### **Prelude**

*Toccata in C, Johann Pachelbel*

### **Introit**

*"For You, My God, I Wait"*

### **Call to Worship** (*responsive*)

**Leader:** Come to God with whatever faith is yours;  
seek good and not evil that you may live.

**People:** **We come to rekindle the gift of God within us  
and to re-examine our commitments and actions.**

**Leader:** Seek the whole of truth, and God will be with you;  
give heed to the way that is blameless.

**People:** **We want to be faithful and to walk with integrity,  
to give our best to the tasks God sets before us.**

**Leader:** Grace, mercy, and peace be yours today,  
from Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.

**People:** **The triune God calls us to loyalty and justice  
and gives us a spirit of love and self-control.**

**\*Hymn no. 385**

*"All People That on Earth Do Well"*

### **Prayer of Confession** (*unison*)

**O God, we have turned your justice to wormwood and betrayed the very people you have called us to help. We enjoy the fruits of others' labors without giving them just compensation. We pursue arrogant power to keep our privileges and practice deceit to gain our own ends. Save us, we pray, from our poor choices, our willful disobedience, and our unconscious denial of your way, through Christ. Amen.**

## Silent Meditation and Assurance of Pardon

\*Congregational Response no. 582 “Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me”

\*Passing of the Peace

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 130

Choral Anthem “Give Me Jesus” Larry Shackley

A Moment for Children

New Testament Reading: Romans 13:8-14

Sermon “Tick – Tock” Mark Stanley

\*Affirmation of Faith (*unison*)

Announcements

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Praise to the Lord, *Johann Gotfried Walther*  
\*Doxology no. 607 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Hymn no. 384 “Soon and Very Soon”

Charge and blessing “Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love”

\*Postlude Fugue in C, *Johann Pachelbel*

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\* *Stand, or remain seated*

LITURGIST: Charles Keefer

GREETERS: Ray and Helen Dearborn, Landon Gailey, Barbara Pickwood, Ken Sugawara

USHERS: Ron Howard, Kathy Madigan, Kathleen Ohle, Sandy Weeks

FLOWERS: Today’s sanctuary flowers are given by David and Nancy Gilbert to share the joy of another anniversary together.

CHILDCARE: Room 201; 9:00 – 11:00 (for Birth through Preschool)

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

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: 174

*Remember 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 August 12

Today 9:00 A.M. Learning Hour  
**Adults:**  
• Today: *Rabbi Philip J. Bentley, “Between a Rock and a Hard Place,” part 2.* Next week: *Rabbi Bentley, part 3.*  
**Children and Youth:**  
• *Primary:* Grades K-4 (Room 103)  
• *Youth:* Grades 5 and up (Room 101)  
10:00 A.M. Worship Service

Monday 11:00 A.M. Trinity 30 – Gilbert, Hankla, Lux, Presseau  
4:00 P.M. Worship Ministry  
4:00 P.M. Tai Chi

Tuesday 9:00 A.M. Staff Meeting  
10:00 A.M. New Member Subcommittee  
10:00 A.M. Issues and Coffee  
3:30 P.M. Deacons Meeting  
5:30 P.M. Local Missions Ministry  
6:30 P.M. Session Meeting

Wednesday 10:30 A.M. Friends in Christ  
11:00 A.M. Prayer Shawl Group  
7:30 P.M. Choir

Thursday 9:30 A.M. Spanish as Second Language  
4:00 P.M. Tai Chi

Sunday – 08/19 9:00 A.M. Learning Hour  
10:00 A.M. Worship Service  
11:00 A.M. Trinity Thirty – Becker