

Welcome! The Covenant Partners of Trinity United Presbyterian Church hope you'll find both peace and inspiration in this morning's worship and that you'll discover us to be a warm and friendly group of Christ's followers. If you would like more information about the church, including how to become a Covenant Partner, please fill out a *Connect Card* located in the pew rack and put it in the offering plate. We invite you to join us for a time of fellowship following worship.

Prayer: You are encouraged to place prayer needs on the *Connect Card* and put it in the offering plate. Staff prays for these requests throughout the week.

Parents with Children: Trinity United has excellent programs for your elementary-aged children while you worship. Children exit worship following the Children's Message and return during the final song. You can find them in Covell Hall.

Small Groups: For information about participating in a small Bible study group during the week, please call the church office at (209) 529-3228.

Ride to Worship: We offer transportation to worship for those needing a ride. Please contact the church office for details.

Prior to Worship: Please switch mobile devices to silent upon entering the sanctuary.

Large Print Bulletins: Please see an usher.

FORMATION BIBLE STUDY CLASSES

Sundays 8:30-9:30 AM

Ecclesiastes • Prayer

**Please stand if you are able*

Recorded Sermons are available on our website at tupc.org

Worship Services are livestreamed through Boxcast on our website.

Assisted listening devices are available at the usher table.

LIFE OF OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY

WORSHIP 10:00 AM in the Sanctuary

Fellowship at 9:45 AM

Psalm 23 NIV

¹ The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. ² He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, ³ he refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake. ⁴ Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶ Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

I Corinthians 2:9

However, as it is written: "What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived"—the things God has prepared for those who love him.

Revelation 21:1-5

¹ Then I saw "a new heaven and a new earth," for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. ² I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Look! God's dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. ⁴ 'He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death' or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." ⁵ He who was seated on the throne said, "I am making everything new!" Then he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true."

Rev. Fred Jantz, *Interim Senior Pastor*
Rev. Leslie Malakian, *Parish Pastor*
Becky Pombo, *Minister to Children*

Destiny Robles, *Director of Youth Ministry*
Matthew Little, *Organist/Music Director*
Rebecca Duque, *Business Administrator*



Crossing the River Jordan

Psalm 23

I Corinthians 2:9

Revelation 21:1-5

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TRINITY UNITED FAMILY IN PRAYER

Prayer releases the power of God to accomplish the purposes of God.

—Jennifer Kennedy Dean, “Live a Praying Life”

We hold in continual prayer all those with a serious illness or failing health. If you or a loved one wish to be included on this Prayer page or if it is appropriate to take your name off, please notify the office via phone or email: tupc@tupc.org

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| Martha Beasley | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Phillip Bravard | Prayer for healing |
| Jack and Jackie Brown | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Chris Currie | Prayer for healing |
| June Davis | Prayer for healing |
| Rodger Davis | Prayer for healing, son of Doris Jones |
| Danny Garrett | Prayer for healing |
| Roger Gray | Prayer for healing |
| Arlo Haberman | Prayer for continued healing |
| Dick Hagerty | Prayer for healing |
| Larry Heckler | <i>Prayer for peace and comfort</i> |
| Melinda Heim | Prayer for treatment and healing |
| Lois Housman | Prayer for healing |
| Sue Husted | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Irma Kaelemakule | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Nannette Knockum | Prayer for healing |
| Sally Lindberg | Prayer for continued healing |
| Robb Loeser | Prayer for healing |
| Willie and Bob Loeser | Prayer for healing |
| Sue Lorenz | Prayer for healing |
| Myrna McDaniel | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Jeanine Monteith | Prayer for healing |
| Anita Mould | Prayer for peace and comfort |
| Tony Ott | Prayer for healing |
| Fern Pope | Prayer for healing |
| Saylah Robles | Prayer for healing |
| Mike Siemens | Prayer for continued healing |
| Phyl Stover | Prayer for healing |
| Jenny and Ken Willmarth | Prayer for continued healing |
| Milly and David Wing | Prayer for peace and comfort |

Advancing Vibrant Communities—Michael Douglass

Central Presbyterian Church, Merced—Brent Swanson, Lead Pastor

Bells of Blessing Free Concert—Today, 4:00 PM in Telle Center

Trinity United and the Opus Handbell Ensemble will host this concert featuring handbell ensembles from eight churches in our community. Some groups will play a solo number followed by two massed group numbers directed by Rich Colla. A free-will offering will be received and all proceeds will go to the Modesto Salvation Army.

Messiah Sing-along— Sunday, November 20, 3:00-5:00 PM in the Sanctuary

Quiet since the pandemic, community sing-along welcomes vocalists of all ages and abilities to participate in this free event. Conductor John Carter will return to take up the baton, organist Carol Hughes will accompany the singers, as well as a professional string quartet, brass and timpani. The 2022 performance will be dedicated to the memory of Ginger Covert Colla, who led the sing-along from 2008 to 2018. For more information, call (209) 765-6388.

Sunday Sermons are on our Website and Facebook.

10:00 AM in the Sanctuary

Fellowship at 9:45 AM on the patio

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| Prelude | <i>The Lord is My Shepherd</i> Koinonia Choir | John Rutter |
| *Hymn #11 | <i>Come Thou Fount</i> | |
| *Praise Song | <i>New Doxology</i> | Celebration Band |
| Opening Prayer | | Destiny Robles |
| Welcome | | Rev. Les Malakian |
| Offering | | Rev. Les Malakian |
| Dedication | <i>Operation Christmas Child</i> | Rev. Fred Jantz Marlin Sena |
| Communion | | Rev. Fred Jantz Rev. Leslie Malakian |
| Hymn #631 | <i>The Lord's Prayer</i> | |
| Scripture Reading | <i>Psalm 23 NIV</i> <i>I Corinthians 2:9</i> <i>Revelation 21:1-5</i> | Rev. Fred Jantz |
| Sermon | <i>Crossing the River Jordan</i> Rev. Fred Jantz | |
| *Praise Song | <i>Christ Be Magnified</i> | Celebration Band |
| *Benediction | | Rev. Fred Jantz |
| Postlude | Improvisation on <i>Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i> | |

NOTES

Crossing the River of Death

Psalm 23
I Corinthians 2:9
Revelation 21:1-5

Surviving the many trials and tribulations of this life, the two pilgrims reach the river of death. Christian begins to deal with past sins and feels like he will not make it to the other side. His friend Hopeful is a strong friend who sees him to the other side. There they are met by two angels who escort them to the throne room. What rejoicing there is with singing and joy because redemption has become complete. A redeemed sinner has finally come home. “As it is written, What no eye has seen nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him.” I Corinthians 2:9

Hopeful reminds Christian to remember the promises of God.

Philippians 1:21-23

II Timothy 4:6-8

Isaiah 43:2

Psalm 23:4

Hebrews 13:5-6

A Chorus to sing:

What a day that will be when my Jesus I shall see,
When I look upon his face, the one who saved me by his grace.
Then forever I will be with the one who died for me.
What a day, glorious day, that will be.

Questions/comments: fjantz@tupc.org