

Sunday Worship

Nov. 8, 2020
Drive-in at 10 am

We are so glad you joined us for worship! Our shared ministry continues.

SAFE WORSHIP RESTRICTIONS at <https://trinitylc.org/worship-music/worship/drive-in-summer-worship/>

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The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille
The Rev. Peter Weston Miller



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91.9 FM

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We continue to be the church in all circumstances.

Gathering Music

Welcome

Opening Song *Cry of My Heart* – Butler

REFRAIN

It is the cry of my heart to follow you
It is the cry of my heart to be close to you
It is the cry of my heart to follow
All of the days of my life

Teach me your holy ways, O Lord, so I can walk in your truth
Teach me your holy ways, O Lord, and make me wholly devoted to you (REFRAIN)

Open my eyes so I can see the wonderful things that you do
Open my heart up more and more, and make me wholly devoted to you (REFRAIN)

TAG AFTER LAST REFRAIN

All of the days of my life
All of the days...of my life

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Gathering Litany (inspired by Psalm 24)

LEADER: *The earth is the Lord's, and all who live upon it!*

ALL: **God has placed this world upon the oceans and the rivers.**

Who may climb the Lord's hill or stand in God's holy temple?

Only those who do right for the right reasons.

Let us neither worship in vain, nor worship idols that deceive us.

God is worthy of all our worship. Let us proclaim the righteousness that begins only with God, drawing each of us into God's grace, and bringing new life to all things that God has made. Amen.

Hymn *Let Justice Flow like Streams* – Jane Huber, Aaron Williams

Let justice flow like streams of sparkling water pure,
Enabling growth, refreshing life, abundant, cleansing, sure.

Let righteousness roll on as others' cares we heed,
An ever-flowing stream of faith translated into deed.

So may God's plumb-line straight, define our measure true,
And justice, right, and peace pervade this world our whole life through.

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Reading Amos 5: 18-24

Message

– The Rev. Peter Weston Miller

Hymn/Song of Reflection *Christ, Be Our Light* – Bernadette Farrell

Longing for light, we wait in darkness
Longing for truth, we turn to you
Make us your own, your holy people
Light for the world to see.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY to the family and friends of **Carol Mereness**.

We are the church, GENEROUS in all circumstances. Please remember to make your pledge to support Trinity's ministries in 2021. We are thrilled that over 310 families have submitted their pledges already, totally about \$1 million. We are still a little short of our financial goal for the pledge drive, so join your Trinity friends and make your pledge today. Pledge online at <https://trinitylc.org/giving/>.

ADULT FAITH FORUM: White Savior: Racism in the American Church TODAY! Sunday, Nov. 8 at 11 am
Join Zoom at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83989674185>

You are invited to lead or host a 2020 Advent PAUSE gathering!
This year offers us an exciting new opportunity to offer the PAUSE gatherings using an online tool, such as Zoom. If you are interested in leading or hosting an Advent PAUSE gathering, or would like more information, please contact Karen Gieseke at 651-492-6610 or kgieseke@live.com, **prior to Nov. 11**. Advent PAUSE gatherings will occur around the week of Dec. 6-12.

GLOW/AWE OUTDOOR GATHERING: Fall Hike & Bonfire
Saturday, Nov. 14, 1:00-3:00 pm
Meet at the Nordic Center at Lake Elmo Park Reserve. Parking sticker is required at cost of \$7.00 (pay at entrance or online). Warm beverages will be provided. Questions? Please email Jill Longnecker at jnlongy@msn.com.

REOPENING: Trinity is in a phased reopening to small groups and for weddings and funerals with limited numbers, all with safety restrictions. Read an update and detailed documents from Trinity's COVID-19 Re-Entry Team at: <https://trinitylc.org/news/covid-19/>.

ONE & DONE BOOK GROUP: Discussing *White too Long*
Monday, Nov. 30 at 6:30 pm on Zoom
Our last discussion of 2020 will be *White too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity* by Robert T. Jones. Email Ann Wolff at wolff701@msn.com for the Zoom link.

REFRAIN

Christ, be our light!

Shine in our hearts, shine through the darkness.

Christ, be our light!

Shine in your church gathered today.

Longing for peace, our world is troubled

Longing for hope, many despair.

Your word alone has pow'r to save us.

Make us your living voice. (REFRAIN)

Longing for shelter, many are homeless

Longing for warmth, many are cold.

Make us your building, sheltering others

Walls made of living stone. (REFRAIN)

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Prayers

Communion – The Great Thanksgiving

God is with us.

Yesterday, today and forever.

Let us lift up our hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks for the abiding love of God.

It is wonderful to give our thanks and praise to God.

Lord's Prayer (1975)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Sending



PODCAST SERIES:

TrinityCast—An Encouraging Word

<https://trinitycast.buzzsprout.com/>

We are so pleased to launch a six-week podcast series — a new format in an unusual time. Pastors Chris and Peter will be diving into the Bible as a reflection of God's love in the world. Listen in to Episode 1: An intro into the Old Testament/Hebrew Scripture. Here Pastor Chris starts us off with an overview of the Old Testament or Hebrew Scripture, some of the ways that it is constructed, as well as the variety of stories that it represents for God's faithful.

BUDGET FORUM

Monday, Nov. 9 at 6:30 pm

Please note date change. If you have an interest in, or questions about Trinity's budget, this forum is for you! We will review the 2021 proposed budget that will be presented for approval at the annual meeting. The 2020 Annual Report will be available to download prior to the budget forum.

ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, Nov. 15 at Noon

Please join us for the annual meeting of our congregation. The annual meeting is held in November as our fiscal year end is Aug. 31. You have an important role to play in both the ministry and management at Trinity.

Both the budget forum and annual meeting will be held via remote communication. You must sign up to attend. Please visit <https://trinitylc.org/welcome/who-we-are/council/annual-meeting/> or call the church office at 651-439-7400.



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