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CHIMES, GREETING & PRELUDE

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

Into My Heart

EXCHANGE OF PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP 🕆

One: If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation! All: Thanks be to God for such great mercy.

One: Everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All: Thanks be to God for new beginnings!

One: God has given us the ministry of reconciliation through Christ Jesus.

All: Together we will make a new beginning in Christ!

One: Let us worship God with joyful hearts, trusting God to renew us and all things.

All: We will lift our praises to God with hearts refreshed by grace.

OPENING HYMN¹

#605 Living for Jesus

We Renew Our Relationship With God

PRAYER OF ADORATION

LORD'S PRAYER





Please stand in body or in spirit.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of love and mercy, when we pause for a moment in Your presence, the daily details of our lives press in on us.

We recall things left undone, opportunities ignored. We remember careless words spoken, disappointments that trouble our souls.

In silence we offer to you our misspent moments and missed opportunities.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

MINOR DOXOLOGY

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

ANTHEM-CHANCEL CHOIR

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY[†] #815 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

We Respond to God

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN OF DEDICATION

#817 O Bless the Gifts

#813 Glory Be To The Father

Nicene Creed

A Cup of Water



When I Can Read My Title Clear



God Speaks to Us



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Psalm 32:1-7 (New International Version)

¹Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered.

² Blessed is the one whose sin the LORD does not count against them and in whose spirit is no deceit.

³ When I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long.

⁴ For day and night your hand was heavy on me; my strength was sapped as in the heat of summer.

⁵ Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD. And you forgave the guilt of my sin.

⁶ Therefore let all the faithful pray to you while you may be found; surely the rising of the mighty waters will not reach them.

⁷ You are my hiding place; you will protect me from trouble and surround me with songs of deliverance.

2 Corinthians 5:16-21 (New International Version)

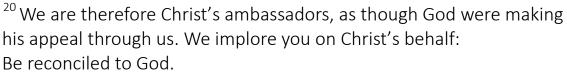
¹⁶ So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer.

¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!

¹⁸ All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation:

¹⁹ that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation.





²¹God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

HYMN FOR ILLUMINATION

#633 Open Our Eyes, Lord

THE PREACHED WORD

"Ambassadors of Reconciliation" by Rev. Vinod Gnanaraj

God Sends Us Into the World

CLOSING HYMN #597 Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated

COMMISSION & BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN¹

#764 The Trees of the Field



Pastor Vinod is the current minister of Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church, in North Fort Myers. He has been serving the Lord for the past 24 years in varied capacities and ministerial settings both in the USA and India. He has served in hospital chaplaincy, Christian mission organization, urban and rural congregations and taught in theological seminaries. In the USA, Pastor Vinod has served as a pastor in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Bronx, New York and in the Presbytery of Genesee Valley of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in upstate New York.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



Prayer Group Wednesdays at 12 noon

Join us in a spiritual communion with God as we pray with Thanksgiving, adoration, and confession.

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March Blessing Tree

Please help us collect items for C.A.R.E. to help victims of Domestic Abuse by donating items suggested items are listed near our Blessing Tree by the Sanctuary doors.



Join us for our mid-week Worship Service every Thursday at 6:30 PM, through April 10th.



Join us after the service to Celebrate February & <u>March</u> birthdays with cake and fellowship!



Goldtones will be performing Sunday, April 6th at 3:00 PM. Get your Tickets for \$25. Contact Sue Brembs for details at 941-241-6480.

PRAYER LIST

Adams Family Cathy & Rick Armstrong Bernadine & Tom Allesee's Family Susan Baivey Raye Bittinger Sharon Beckman Charlie Brox Barbara Edwards Jean Heim Ruth Hester Alzie & Senior Lee family Sue Littrell Violet Logan/Green Donna & Loren Livengood Margorie Hill Courtenay Mason Brad Messick	 strength & comfort health needs safety & health health needs health & strength needs health needs health needs health needs health needs strength & comfort health needs strength & comfort health needs health needs health needs health needs health needs

FPCPC FAMILY -

If you know of any shut-ins or anyone who may need our prayers, please call the church office at 941-625-5045.



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