



"Return to your home, and
declare how much God has
done for you."

Luke 8:39

Trinity Presbyterian Church Arlington, Virginia

Service for the Lord's Day
Sunday, June 22, 2025
First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Worshipping in the Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.



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Welcome.

We are glad that you are here.

As an inclusive community of faith, we welcome you just as you are. We celebrate that God's love and grace extends to all, and affirm that each person has sacred worth.

So take a moment.

Breathe.

10:00 AM Order of Worship

(For the lyrics and scripture text, click on the underlined text or go to the end of the bulletin. This service is recorded and livestreamed. Those in the first three rows in the center section might be visible on camera.)

Prelude

Theme, Bicinium and Fanfare from Partita on EBENEZER Carol Feather Martin

(Based on Hymn #181)

John Behnke

Welcome and Announcements

Please take this time to sign and pass the red Friendship Pads down the row and back.

Call to Worship and Opening Prayer

As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for you, O God.

Our souls thirst for God, for the living God.

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

Hope in God, for we shall again praise the Lord, our help and our God.

Hymn #626

As the Deer

Greeting Time and Passing of the Peace

Children's Message

**Children are invited to attend Godly Play after the Message or to remain in worship.*

Blessing of the Children

You are God's beloved child; with you God is well pleased.

Handbell Anthem

Joyful Praise
Susan Geschke

Trinity Ringers

Reading

Psalm 42
Luke 8:26-39

Sermon JESUS QUESTIONS: WHAT HAVE YOU TO DO WITH ME?

Rev. Judith Fulp-Eickstaedt

Hymn #181

Silence! Frenzied, Unclean Spirit

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Stewardship www.trinityarlington.org/GIVE

Offertory

Your Grace is Enough
Matt Maher

Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

Almighty God,
ruler of all things seen and unseen,
through your Son, Jesus Christ
and the Holy Spirit,
you show your power and mercy.
You cast out evil,
tear down walls of division,
comfort and challenge your people,
and show signs of your kingdom
coming into the world.
Living Word made flesh,
you call us to yourself
so that we may live in wholeness
with ourselves and our neighbors.
Unchain your people
and set us free to rejoice in your saving word. Amen.

Hymn #248

Christ is Risen, Shout Hosanna!

Benediction

Closing Music

You Shall Go Out With Joy

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace;
the mountains and the hills will break forth before you;
there'll be shouts of joy, and all the trees of the field
will clap, will clap their hands.

And all the trees of the field will clap their hands;
the trees of the field will clap their hands;
the trees of the field will clap their hands
while you go out with joy.

(Sing 3 times)

Hymn #626 As the Deer

As the deer pants for water,
so my soul longs after you.
You alone are my heart's desire,
and I long to worship you.
You alone are my strength, my shield;
to you alone may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire,
and I long to worship you.
(sung twice)

Hymn #181 Silence! Frenzied, Unclean Spirit

1 "Silence! Frenzied, unclean spirit,"
cried God's healing, Holy One.
"Cease your ranting! Flesh can't bear it.
Flee as night before the sun."
At Christ's voice the demon trembled,
from its victim madly rushed,
while the crowd that was assembled
stood in wonder, stunned, and hushed.

2 Lord, the demons still are thriving
in the gray cells of the mind:
tyrant voices, shrill and driving,
twisted thoughts that grip and bind,
doubts that stir the heart to panic,
fears distorting reason's sight,
guilt that makes our loving frantic,
dreams that cloud the soul with fright.

3 Silence, Lord, the unclean spirit,
in our mind and in our heart.
Speak your word that when we hear it
all our demons shall depart.
Clear our thought and calm our feeling;
still the fractured, warring soul.
By the power of your healing
make us faithful, true, and whole.

Your Grace Is Enough

Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness O God.
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart.
You lead us by still waters into mercy,
And nothing can keep us apart.

Pre-Chorus

So, remember Your people.
Remember Your children.
Remember Your promise O God.

Chorus 1

Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.

Verse 2

Great is Your love and justice God of Jacob.
You use the weak to lead the strong.
You lead us in the song of Your salvation,
And all Your people sing along.

Pre-Chorus

Chorus 1

Chorus 2

Yeah, Your grace is enough.
Heaven reaches out to us.
Your grace is enough for me.
God, I sing Your grace is enough.
I'm covered in Your love.
Your grace is enough for me, for me.

Hymn #248 Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

1 Christ is risen! Shout Hosanna!
Celebrate this day of days!
Christ is risen! Hush in wonder:
all creation is amazed.
In the desert all-surrounding,
see, a spreading tree has grown.
Healing leaves of grace abounding
bring a taste of love unknown.

2 Christ is risen! Raise your spirits
from the caverns of despair.
Walk with gladness in the morning.
See what love can do and dare.
Drink the wine of resurrection,
not a servant, but a friend.
Jesus is our strong companion.
Joy and peace shall never end.

3 Christ is risen! Earth and heaven
nevermore shall be the same.
Break the bread of new creation
where the world is still in pain.
Tell its grim, demonic chorus:
"Christ is risen! Get you gone!"
God the First and Last is with us.
Sing Hosanna everyone!

Hymn #80 You Shall Go Out With Joy

You shall go out with joy
and be led forth with peace;
the mountains and the hills
will break forth before you;
there'll be shouts of joy,
and all the trees of the field
will clap, will clap their hands.
And all the trees of the field
will clap their hands;
the trees of the field will clap their hands;
the trees of the field will clap their hands
while you go out with joy.

Psalm 42

As a deer longs for flowing streams,
so my soul longs for you, O God.
My soul thirsts for God,
for the living God.
When shall I come and behold
the face of God?
My tears have been my food
day and night,
while people say to me continually,
“Where is your God?”
These things I remember,
as I pour out my soul:
how I went with the throng
and led them in procession
to the house of God,
with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving,
a multitude keeping festival.
Why are you cast down, O my soul,
and why are you disquieted within me?
Hope in God, for I shall again praise him,
my help and my God.

My soul is cast down within me;
therefore I remember you
from the land of Jordan and of Hermon,
from Mount Mizar.
Deep calls to deep
at the thunder of your torrents;
all your waves and your billows
have gone over me.
By day the LORD commands his steadfast love,
and at night his song is with me,
a prayer to the God of my life.
I say to God, my rock,
“Why have you forgotten me?
Why must I walk about mournfully
because the enemy oppresses me?”
As with a deadly wound in my body,
my adversaries taunt me,
while they say to me continually,
“Where is your God?”
Why are you cast down, O my soul,
and why are you disquieted within me?
Hope in God, for I shall again praise him,
my help and my God

Luke 8:26-39

Then they arrived at the region of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on shore, a man from the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had not worn any clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him, shouting, “What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me,” for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, “What is your name?” He said, “Legion,” for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding, and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd stampeded down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they became frightened. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then the whole throng of people of the surrounding region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone out begged that he might be with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, “Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.” So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

Our Thoughts and Prayers
Please pray for the following friends and families of Trinity.

Joys:

- + We celebrate the marriage of **Alex Vogel** and **Maeve Swick Vogel** on June 7.
- + The birth of **Hugo Harris Smith** to proud parents **Kyle Smith** and **Andrea Harris** with big brother **Walter** on Wednesday, May 14 at 4:06 p.m.
- + **Rev. Alan Dayal**, was installed at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of Liverpool, PA on Sunday, June 8th. His son Aaron was baptized in India on the same day. See Alan's service link at:
<https://youtube.com/@gslcliverpoolpa?feature=shared>

Concerns:

- + **Prayers for the family, and friends of Derek Blakely, Doug Gardner's** 22-year-old nephew who passed away from critical injuries last week after being struck by a car.
- + **Polly Bare**, mother of **Tracy Bare**, 94 years old and diagnosed with metastatic cancer. Prayers for recovery following surgery. com
- + **Kay Plitt**, recovering at home following hip replacement surgery and rehabilitation.
- + **Art Hoffman**, is recovering at home. Access the CaringBridge site here:
<https://www.caringbridge.org/profile/signin>.
- + **Bill Plitt**, in treatment for multiple myeloma.
- + **Kathy Fulp**, sister-in-law of pastor Judith, is recovering at home.
- + **Sek-Man Young, Kathy Young's** ex-husband and **Kay Miller's** father, is out of the hospital and continuing recovery at home in Shanghai, but his serious heart issues continue.
- + **Gwen Sutherland, Amy Arnold's** mother, in treatment for glioblastoma.
- + **Rowan Smith**, three-year old great nephew of **Laurie Setzer**, with cancer.
- + **Brian Tuskey**, brother-in-law of **Jennie Gwin**, for lymphoma return after stem cell transplant.
- + **Doug Hardt**, recovering at home.
- + **Alec Gibson**, at Braddock Glen. 4027 Olley Lane, Fairfax, VA 22032
- + **Kristine Rogers**, cousin of **Jim Dykstra**, in treatment for pancreatic cancer.
- + **Sandi Thompson-Royer**, PC(USA) missionary and friend of Trinity, diagnosed with brain cancer in late May. [You can follow her CaringBridge site by clicking here.](#)
- + **Jason Ferguson, Janae Ferguson's** brother, recurrence of cancer. Pray for another remission.
- + **Barry Schneider, Troy Schneider's** uncle, with ALS.
- + **Jackie Alling**, living at Vitality assisted living.
- + **Lani, Nene Pisigan's** cousin, and mom of two young children, recurrence of cancer.
- + **Nene Pisigan's** parents in the Philippines, with long term illness and financial hardship.
- + **Graham Bardsley's** sister, **Kyila Sninsky**, in California, with ongoing lung and heart issues.
- + **Ron Shimabukuro**, friend of **Yvonne McIntire**, recovering at home.
- + **Brooks Bare**, for strength, comfort, healing, and patience during his incarceration.
- + **Immigrants and refugees** in many parts of the world. Displaced by war, violence, poverty, and natural disasters.
- + **Civilians on both sides of the Israeli/Hamas war**, including **Fakhira Haloun**, a Palestinian Israeli and friend of Priscilla Hoffman-Stowe. Prayers for another cease-fire.
- + **Daoud and Jihan Nassar**, for safety and to retain ownership of their land in the West Bank.
- + **For peace in Ukraine and an end to the Russian invasion into Ukrainian regions.**
- + **Genocide of Sudan and the conflict in eastern Democratic Republic of Congo.**
- + **We continue prayers for those affected by storms and other natural disasters.**

Trinity Presbyterian Church helps sponsor the missionary work of those listed below who serve in the international field. We also support them with our prayers: **Sharon Kandel**, South Sudan; **Mark Adams** and **Miriam Maldonado** (husband and wife) on the US/Mexico border; **Larry** and **Inge Sthresley**, Republic of Congo; **Elmarie** and **Scott Parker**, Lebanon and Syria; **Eliane Menezes** in Guatemala, and **Doug Dicks** for Israel/Palestine. We will be continuing our support of ecumenical global partners as the PCUSA shifts its model for international engagement.

Life of the Church and Announcements June 2025

Upcoming Events and Happenings

Summer Worship has Begun

May 25th-August 31st at 10:00 a.m. In our Summer Worship, we gather for one blended service followed immediately by fellowship together with "Lemonade on the Lawn."

Join us this week.....**ALL ARE WELCOME!!!!**



Classes and Spiritual Formation Opportunities

Caregivers Support Group This weekly Zoom call with other caregivers, Pastor Judith, and Katherine Nichols (*Commissioned Ruling Elder*), is a place to talk, get strength from each other, and pray. Weekly Zoom calls happen on Tuesdays, noon -1:00 p.m. Contact Pastor Judith to get on the email list or see the E-news or announcements in the church app for the Zoom link.

Sunday Afternoon Virtual Coffee Hour

Sundays at 4:00 p.m. Pastor Judith hosts a zoom chat. We talk about what happened in worship, the sermon, and just about anything else you can think of. See the Wednesday e-news or announcements in the church app for the link.



4th and 5th Grade Group

We are currently **"Off for the Summer,"** but will meet on the 1st Sunday of every month in the Fellowship Hall when we start back up this fall. Led by Ben and Keeley, the group aims to help our preteens get to know each other and prepare them for Youth Group with fun games and serious conversations.

Our next gathering is **September 7 from 4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.** For more information, contact either Ben at Ben@trinityarlington.org or Keeley at youth@trinityarlington.org.



VBS Begins on Monday, June 23rd



Let the "Road Trip" begin.....

If you have questions or would still like to volunteer at VBS, please get in touch with trinityarlingtonvbs@gmail.com

JUNE

YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE 2025

JUNE 01

REGULAR YOUTH GROUP
Need an adult volunteer!

JUNE 08

MISSION TRIP NIGHT
To discuss our mission trip this summer, so come if you are signed up for the mission trip!
Chaperones are welcome, but not required!

JUNE 15

MY DOG WILL BE AT YOUTH GROUP
She's medium sized and loves people, and will want to play! We will be in Fellowship Hall

JUNE 22

VBS YOUTH VOLUNTEERS
Come for information on VBS this summer!

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QUESTIONS?

YOUTH@TRINITYARLINGTON.ORG

Ways to Serve in the Community and in the Church

Lemonade on the Lawn Started June 15th

Lemonade on the Lawn (in the Narthex) has returned! **Two dates are still available** this summer for your small group or Ministry to host. Please check the dates and sign up at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0B4EAFAD2FA31-56538891-lemonade#/>

Books for Brooks

Brooks Bare reads a lot and one way that we, as a community, can support him during his time of incarceration, is by providing him with books. If you would like to participate in this effort, the Church Office will be collecting book suggestions as well as Amazon Gift Cards (along with the name of the giver) and facilitate the delivery through a required, 3rd party vendor process with notification to the Bare family. If you have questions, please contact Ken at office@trinityarlington.org.

Also, we finally have a mailing address for Brooks that works! You can send mail to:

Brooks Bare P# 203876
Arlington VA c/o Securus DMC
PO Box 21406
Tampa FL 33622

Once the mail is received at the Securus Digital Mail Center it is scanned, and Brooks sees a picture of it on his tablet. They can easily scan letters on 8 x 11 paper. They also scan cards, pictures and drawings. He enjoys seeing pictures of friends and family. Remember that all the mail is read before given to Brooks.

Thank you for helping keep his spirits up by sending him cards and letters.

Trinity is Hiring

With the impending retirement of Carol Feather Martin on December 31, 2025, Trinity is currently advertising for a Director of Music to begin January 1, 2026. See the ad ([Director of Music PD April 17 2025.pdf](#)) and **help us spread the word**. Questions should be directed to Pam Michell, Chair of the Search Committee, at pamelalmichell@gmail or 703-963-3067.

Serving with S.O.M.E.



Trinity has been preparing breakfast for over 30+ years on the 3rd Monday of the month for SOME (So Others May Eat <https://some.org/get-involved/volunteer/>) in DC. They have recently completed a renovation of the kitchen, dining room and building at [71 O Street NW](#).

TPC resumed this local mission support last December. Breakfast preparation consists of 3-4 people arriving at 6:00 a.m. (*finishing by 7:30 a.m.*) and cooking eggs, sausages, grits

and other duties as needed. It's a great way to start the morning and support people in need. Visit the sign-up genius link to volunteer (calendar set up through Dec. 2025) - for more information contact Todd Parker at 703-237-7699. <https://signup.com/go/eahNdeL>



Get Connected

Social Media Photograph Release Form (please fill this out)

The Outreach ministry would like to be able to use more photos of Trinity members "in action" on our website and social media platforms. We respect that some people would prefer not to have their images on public platforms, so we are asking for a simple photo release from each Trinity household. Use the [Church Connect link](#) to review and sign the Photograph Release Form.



Do You Have Items for the Bulletin? Please send an email to office@trinityarlington.org to put announcements in the bulletin for Sundays, please send them no later than noon on Wednesday.
Thank you for helping to keep our community informed!

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