

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*If there be one God subsisting in three Persons,
then let us give equal reverence to all the Persons in the Trinity.
There is not more or less in the Trinity; the Father is not more God than the Son and Holy Ghost.
There is an order in the Godhead, but no degrees;
one Person has not a majority or super eminence above another,
therefore we must give equal worship to all the Persons.*

THOMAS WATSON (1620-1686), ENGLISH PURITAN PREACHER AND AUTHOR



APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation

9:55 a.m.

The Prelude

Trinity Hymn

Limberg Gesangbuch, arr. Waldrop

Michael Huff, Carly Johnson, Bryan Reeves, *trumpets*

The Trinity Handbell Choir

*Forever blessed be Thy Name, Thrice Holy, we revere Thee;
Shew mercy as Thy people now, in fear and hope draw near Thee.
Thou from eternal ages, God, the Heaven of heavens containing;
Thou Christ our Lord, Thou Spirit good, in Trinity remaining.*

Ancient Greek Hymn, translated John Brownlie

The Announcements

Rev. Bill Clark, *Interim Minister*

The Striking of the Hour

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

The Choral Introit

All Glory to Our Lord and God

DEO GRATIAS, art. Hopson

All glory to our Lord and God for love so deep, so high, so broad;
The Trinity Whom we adore for ever and forevermore!
Alleluia! Alleluia! to the Triune Majesty! Alleluia! Alleluia!

† The Call to Worship – *based on 1 Corinthians 3:23, 3:16*

You are Christ's, and Christ is God's, and God's Spirit dwells in you.
Let us bow our hearts in worship and glorify the triune Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

•† The Hymn No. 296

Come, Thou Almighty King

ITALIAN HYMN

† The Confession of Our Faith –The Apostles' Creed (inside cover of *The Hymnal*)

† The Prayer of Invocation

† The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father Which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.**

•† The Doxology – No. 650 in *The Hymnal*

OLD HUNDREDTH

SEEKING GOD'S FACE

The Call to Confession – 2 Peter 3:8-9

Rev. Clark

Do not overlook this one fact, beloved, that with the Lord
one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.
The Lord is not slow to fulfill His promise as some count slowness,
but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish,
but that all should reach repentance.

The Silent Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon – Isaiah 57:15

For thus says the One Who is high and lifted up, Who inhabits eternity,
Whose Name is Holy: “I dwell in the high and holy place,
and also with him who is of a contrite and lowly spirit,
to revive the spirit of the lowly, and to revive the heart of the contrite.

The Pastoral Prayer

- † The Hymn No. 435 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* BEECHER

The Offering

*Each one must give as he has decided in his heart,
not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.*
2 Corinthians 9:7

The Instrumental Offertory *Fanfarra Real* Handel Cecilio

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

- † The Reading of God's Word – Galatians 5:22-23 *Pew Bible, page 1239*

All men are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field.

**The grass withers and the flowers fade,
but the Word of our God shall stand forever. Amen.**

The Personal Meditation and Preparation of the Heart

*Children age four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church. They may be
picked up in Room E-100 (Pre-K4) and Room E-105 (Kindergarten) after the service.*

Vacation Bible School

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SUNDAY NIGHT

HELPERS

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Zack Shaw
Peter Thompson
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Kyle Trammell

RECREATION

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Stephen Spooner, Jr.
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Jessica Ostberg
Margaret Roby
Kristen Van Hooser

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Caroline Smith

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Prayer Chair
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TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

JUNE 4, 2023

SELF-CONTROL: THE BATTLE AGAINST “ONE MORE”

I. OLD TESTAMENT:

A. Proverbs 25:28

B. Proverbs 16:32

II. NEW TESTAMENT:

A. Acts 24:25

B. 1 Corinthians 7:9

C. 1 Corinthians 9:25

D. Galatians 5:23

E. 2 Peter 1:6

SERMON NOTES

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome
in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.*



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