

Connection Card

We are so honored that you are with us today!
To help us better identify and meet your needs,
please fill out both sides of this card and place
it in the offering.

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(Please Print Legibly)

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This is my (check one)

() 1st Visit () 2nd Visit

() Member () Attender

I'd like to learn more about:

() Joining Trinity () Pastor Call

() Children & Youth

() Baptism

†The Lord's Prayer

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Offertory

"Lenten Reflections"

by A. M. David

†*Response "Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples" PH #434 v. 4

**"May we in service to our God
Act out the living word,
And walk the road the saints have trod
Till all have seen and heard.
As stewards of the earth may we
Give thanks in one accord
To God who calls us all to be
Disciples of the Lord"**

†*Unison Offertory Prayer

Merciful God, we thank you for your wonderful works among
humankind. Accept this offering with the dedication of our
lives and help us be for the world an emblem of your steadfast
love, in Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Hymn

"As a Fire Is Meant for Burning"

STF #2237

*Blessing and Sending

*Response

"We Will Worship the Lamb Of Glory" by Dennis Jernigan

Postlude

"Sonatina in C"

by Corelli

(You are invited to remain seated to enjoy the Postlude)

STF-Sing the Faith—PH-Presbyterian Hymnal

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Trinity Presbyterian Church



LENT

**The Order of Worship
4th Sunday in Lent (B)**

March 11, 2018

Service for the Lord's Day

10 am

**(indicates stand if able)*

† Items projected on the screen

Prelude "Lenten Variations for the Season"

Welcome & Announcements

Introit "We Will Worship the Lamb Of Glory" *by Dennis Jernigan*

***†Call to Worship**

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One :Let us worship our God with songs of joy, for God is—

All: light, love, steadfast, eternal.

One: Let us follow Jesus our teacher, for Jesus is—

All: God's light-bearer, God's love-bringer, God's face among us, God's grace made alive.

One: Let us live by the grace of God's Spirit, for the Spirit is—alive, creating, invisible, moving the visible,

All: shaping us to be ever more faithful.

***Hymn** "Here in This Place Gather us In" **STF #2236**

†Prayer of Confession (*praying first in silent confession*) *Bob Anderson*

One: Come, beloved children of God, Come to confess your sin, to acknowledge all that separates you from God and one another. Come to claim new life in Christ.

All: God of grace, forgive us those things that keep us from living fully with you and with our neighbors near and far. Forgive us our grudges and indifference, our certainties that smother new possibilities, our fascination with false securities, our addiction to sweat-less dreams, our arrogant insistence on how it has to be, our corrosive fear of dying someday which eats away the wonder of living this day, and the adventure of losing our life in order to find it in you.

†Words of Assurance

One: God, who is rich in mercy, bids you to lift your hearts and realize God's presence; to see God's immeasurable grace in kindness toward us in Christ!

All: In grace we have been saved through faith. It is the gift of God!

One: Believe and accept the gift: you are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God!

†*Response "Create In Me a Clean Heart"

"Create in me a clean heart, O God, that I might serve you; create in me a clean heart, O God, that I might be renewed. So fill me and heal me, and bring me back to you. Create in me a clean heart, O God, that I might serve you." CCLI # 2168217

†*The Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

You are invited to greet those around you with words and signs of God's reconciling peace.

Children's Message

Joan Nichols

†Epistle Reading Ephesians 2.1-10 **p. 192 NT**

Choir Anthem "We Will Walk in Peace" *by Tom Fettke*

†Gospel Reading John 3.14-21 **p. 94 NT**

One: This is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Message "Belief. Truth. Love." *Rev. Dr. April Davis Campbell*

***Hymn** "Lord, We Come to Ask Your Blessing" **STF #2230**

†*Affirmation of Faith *from A Declaration of Faith, PCUS*

Prayers of the People

(Prayer requests can be made on the prayer cards found in the bulletin and picked up during Children's Message)

†Invitation to Prayer (Let us sing together)

"Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" **STF #2193**

**"Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your spirit in this place,
Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love,
send us pow'r, send us grace!"**

†Responsive Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Requests for Prayer Chain

(Pass prayer request to be offered up during worship to the ushers during children's message.)

Serving Today

Greeters: Roger & Judy Punt

Ushers: Fisher Family

Lay Liturgist: Bob Anderson

Children's Message: Joan Nichols

Coffee Servers: Roger & Judy Punt