



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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7:00 pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Prelude *What Child Is This* Leslie Dove
Angels We Have Heard On High

Anthem *Christmas Time* Choir

Welcome Pastor John Anderson

Advent Wreath

Video *Christmas According to Kids*

Carol *O Come All Ye Faithful* projected

Call to Worship Michael McLane

Leader: He's coming! He's coming!
The Savior of the World is coming!

People: Let us prepare our hearts to greet him!

Leader: He comes to each one of us, healing and restoring our lives!

People: Praise be to God for God's mighty gift to us.

Leader: O Come Jesus, Prince of Peace, bring your light to us!

People: We are ready to receive you in our lives! Amen

Anthem/Carol *Do You Hear What I Hear* projected

The Birth of Jesus — Luke 2:1-7

Carol *God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen* projected

Learning with the Children Robin Olschner

The Angels Visit the Shepherds — Luke 2:8-14

Carols *The First Noel* projected
Hark, the Herald Angels Sing

Worshiping at the Manger — Luke 2:15-20

Carol *What Child Is This?* projected

Anthem *Breath of Heaven* Choir

Offering *O Holy Night*
Stacie Taylor, Nate Stuart

Christmas Meditation Pastor John Anderson

Carrying the Light

Carol *Silent Night* projected

Benediction

Postlude *Christmas Joy*

(When passing the Light, please keep lit candle upright.)

Children are welcome in worship, but if you think they would be more comfortable, a "Family Room" is located on the right side of the Sanctuary.

Helping With Our Service This Evening

Senior Pastor: John Anderson, D. Min

Director of Music: Nate Stuart

Musicians/Soloists: Leslie Dove – piano, Marc Larson – guitar,
Kathy R – cello, Stacie Taylor, Nate Stuart, Trinity's Choir

Worship Leader: Michael McLane

Children's Time: Robin Olschner

Greeters: Byron & Virginia Hokenson

Ushers: Bob Shirley, Michelle Bullock, Jeanette Lloyd,
Connie Bergeron, Barbara Hooks, Gary Wellborn

NEW TO TRINITY?

Helping people to worship God is important to us. We believe that worship is not a passive receiving, but an active encounter with Jesus who stoops to meet us as we worship.



The **Mostly Liturgical Worship Service at 9:00 am** uses liturgy, hymns, worship songs, and silence to guide us in the worship of God. The **10:35 am Church From Scratch Worship Service** blends all different types of music, arts, liturgy and free-form worship to help guide newcomers and experienced alike in the worship of God. **During the Summer** and on **Family Worship Sunday**, selected Sundays throughout the year, we come together as one worshipping family at **9:30 am**.

A **Nursery**, (downstairs) is available for children two and under at both worship hours. A **"Family Room"** on the right side of the Sanctuary is available, as well.

Sunday Morning

Children's Christian Education

9:00 & 10:35: Children join their families in the Sanctuary for opening worship and "Learning with Our Children", then proceed downstairs for class. The sign-in sheet at both hours is located in the main hallway outside the Sanctuary doors; sign-out downstairs in Fellowship Hall.

Adult Christian Education

Sunday morning and Midweek opportunities are available; check the calendar or contact Robin Olschner for details (robino@tpcarvada.org)

Youth Ministries

During the school year: 9:00 am - Sunday Morning Breakfast Club (upstairs) for Junior & Senior High Youth. At **10:35 am**, all Youth are encouraged to attend worship. (sarah@tpcarvada.org)

Impact, Mid High Youth Group (6th—9th)

Sundays, from 5:15 to 6:45 pm

Dert, Senior Youth Group

Selected Sundays after church lunch meeting

Worship Schedule

Sunday, December 25:

No Worship Services on Christmas Day

Sunday, January 1:

Family Worship Sunday

Combined Service @ 10:00 am

Remember to bring non-perishable foods for our monthly food drive for the Growing Home Food Pantry and Arvada Food Bank.

Regular Worship Schedule resumes Sunday, January 8

9:00 am - Traditional Worship

10:35 am - Church From Scratch (contemporary)

Adult Education Classes—2017:

Companions in Christ: The Way of Blessedness

Monday evenings, 7 - 8:30 pm,
January 9 - March 20
(no class on March 13)

This group experience is an invitation for participants to discover and live in the kingdom of God. Each week is an exploration of one of the Beatitudes from Matthew 5. Readings and journal exercises combined with group discussion will help us develop practices that *form* us spiritually while *informing* us about scripture. Materials cost: \$10

Feeling at Home with the Bible
Wednesdays, 11 am -12:30 pm,
January 11 - February 22
(no class on February 1)

If you believe that the Bible is important, but have never felt comfortable enough to regularly read it, you're not alone! A lot of people struggle to experience the Bible as a way of connecting with God. This class is designed to help folks finally feel at home in their Bibles!

This 6-session class will lead participants through the Companions in Christ resource, "Feeding on the Word." Participants will learn how to both study and reflect on God's word. Isn't it time that you finally felt at home in the Bible? Make it your New Year's commitment to meet God in Scripture this year! Materials cost: \$8

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT AT TRINITY!

In addition to weekly worship and Adult Education opportunities:

Ruth Circle: Study and fellowship for women on the second Thursday of the month at 11 am at the Arvada Egg & I.

Film and Faith: The fourth Tuesdays of each month at 6:15 pm, in Trinity's Library, we view a film together and then discuss themes and elements that intersect with our Christian journey, led by our resident film-maker, Rob Gosbee.

Game Nite: Second Friday of the month at 7:00 pm in Trinity's Library.

Ladies' Bunco: First Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm.

Ladies' Nite at the Movies: fourth Wednesdays, selected movie at AMC 24, Westminster Promenade.

Women's Book Clubs: daytime and evening opportunities.

Sew Crafty: Bring your handcrafts and sewing projects the second and fourth Fridays at 1 pm. Be encouraged by others, make progress and new friends.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast: selected Saturdays at 7 am.

Dinner Connection: Enjoy eating out at local restaurants with others from Trinity.

Each month, Trinity is host to a variety of professional chamber concerts.

Enjoy quality music and free parking, without downtown prices, as well as refreshments and a time to meet and greet the musical artists! Spread the word!

Second Tuesdays at Trinity

Tuesday, January 10 at 7:30 pm

Featuring the Boulder Bassoon Quartet

Always a fun concert with these phenomenal musicians!

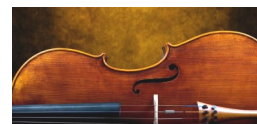
Tickets: \$15 for adults and \$10 for students through high school.

Reserve tickets by using this link:

<https://www.presbyterianmissionexchange.org/second-tuesdays-tickets>

You can also purchase tickets at the door the evening of the concert using cash, credit card or check.

For more information, go to secondtuesdays.com or call 303-422-3656 x 6000.



Please note:

The Church office will be closed on Monday, December 26 and January 2.