

9:00 am - LITURGICAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude *Here's One* - traditional American Spiritual Leslie Dove
"...talk about a child who do love Jesus, here's one"
How He Loves You and Me

Celebrating Life at Trinity Michael McLane, Denise Shannon, M.Div.

Learning With the Children Robin Olschner
The children are now dismissed. Please remember that all children need to be signed in now and then after worship, picked up by a parent or guardian.

Call to Worship Alan Krueger, Worship Leader

One: Across the barriers that divide race from race:

All: reconcile us, O Christ, by your love.

One: Across the barriers that divide rich from poor:

All: reconcile us, O Christ, by your love.

One: Across the barriers that divide people of different cultures:

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One: Across the barriers that divide us by our faith:

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One: Confront us with the hidden prejudices and fears
that deny and betray our prayers.

All: Teach us to grow in unity with all God's children.

Prayer of Praise

Hymn *In Christ There Is No East or West* # 440

Confessing Our Sin

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world.

The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and turn them into bonds of oppression.

Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Scripture Reading Titus 3:1-10 front cover

Hymn *Called as Partners in Christ's Service* # 343

Offertory *Search Me, O God*

Minute for Mission Severe Weather Shelter Network John Ford

Anthem *Lord, Listen To Your Children Praying* Choir

Scripture Reading Romans 16:17-19 front cover

Morning Message "Division" Michael McLane

Prayers for Understanding

Parting Hymn *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* # 391

Benediction

Postlude *Sun of My Soul*



10:35 AM

Gathering & Greeting

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Scriptures Titus 3:1-10 Romans 16:17-19 front cover

Sermon "Division" Michael McLane

Blessing

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Offerings may be left at the back of the Sanctuary as you exit. Thank You

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September 22, 2019



Titus 3:1-10

¹ Remind the people to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient, to be ready to do whatever is good, ² to slander no one, to be peaceable and considerate, and always to be gentle toward everyone.

³ At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another. ⁴ But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, ⁵ he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, ⁶ whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, ⁷ so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life. ⁸ This is a trustworthy saying. And I want you to stress these things, so that those who have trusted in God may be careful to devote themselves to doing what is good. These things are excellent and profitable for everyone.

⁹ But avoid foolish controversies and genealogies and arguments and quarrels about the law, because these are unprofitable and useless. ¹⁰ Warn a divisive person once, and then warn them a second time. After that, have nothing to do with them.



Romans 16:17-19

¹⁷ I urge you, brothers and sisters, to watch out for those who cause divisions and put obstacles in your way that are contrary to the teaching you have learned. Keep away from them. ¹⁸ For such people are not serving our Lord Christ, but their own appetites. By smooth talk and flattery they deceive the minds of naive

people. ¹⁹ Everyone has heard about your obedience, so I rejoice because of you; but I want you to be wise about what is good, and innocent about what is evil."

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

8:45 to 11:30 am - Nursery available for children birth thru age 2. A Family Room" is also available on the right side of the Sanctuary.

During the school year, children join their families in the Sanctuary for a time of worship at both 9:00 and 10:35 services before proceeding downstairs after "Learning with our Children" time. A parent, grandparent, or guardian needs to sign each child in (registration sheet in the main hallway outside the Sanctuary doors) & out (downstairs in Fellowship Hall).

On 1st Sundays, our Preschool thru 5th graders will return to the Sanctuary with their leaders to sit with their families for Communion. The sign-out sheet will be on the cart outside the center Sanctuary doors.

Feel free to visit our classrooms! Please do not leave children unattended before class and pick them up promptly following worship. Thank you for supporting our teachers in this way.

Trinity's Ushers can help you with:

- Sound Amplification Devices
- Family" Room & Nursery Locations
- Large Print Bibles and/or Bulletins

CD's of our services are available to check out through Trinity's Library.



Trinity's Mission Statement :
Living With God at the Center
 Individually and together, we honor God at the center of our lives by:
 Meeting Jesus in authentic community-**Community**.
 Seeking to know God better-**Communion**.
 Learning God's truths-**Roots**.
 Serving God's purposes through our life mission-**Mission**.
 Welcoming the deep changes that the Spirit desires within us-**Renewal**.
 We invite others to worship with us and to join us on this journey.

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. **Parents must sign their children in and out of all classes every Sunday and pick them up promptly after worship.** This is particularly important after the 9 am service so our teachers can put away materials and set up for the 10:35 class. Thank you for supporting our teachers; you are always welcome to visit our classrooms.

Adult Christian Education

Sunday morning and Midweek opportunities are available. Please check the calendar or contact Robin Olschner (robino@tpcarvada.org) for information about upcoming fellowship and learning opportunities.

Youth Ministries

For current and upcoming schedules, please see "Youth Happenings" article.

Pastoral Care

While Pastor John and Cynthia are away on sabbatical, we are blessed to have Denise Shannon available for any pastoral care needs, including prayer, hospital and pastoral visit requests, etc. Please feel to reach out to her:

Denise Shannon, MDIV 720-271-6733 or DeniseLShannon@aol.com

CALENDAR

Sunday, September 22

9:00 am Traditional Worship

9:00 am Children & Youth Sunday School
 10:30 am Adult NT Weekly Study (Libr.)
 10:30 am Children's Sunday School

10:35 am Contemporary Worship

6:00 pm **NO** Youth Group this week

Monday, September 23

1:00 pm Senior Bible Study (Library)
 6:30 pm Just Faith (Library)

Tuesday, September 24

6:00 pm Film & Faith (FSH)

Thursday, September 26

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Friday, September 27

1:00 pm Sew Crafty (Library)

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, September 29

9:00 am Traditional Worship

9:00 am Children & Youth Sunday School
 10:30 am Adult NT Weekly Study (Libr.)
 10:30 am Children's Sunday School

10:35 am Contemporary Worship

6:00 pm Youth Group (grades 6-12)

Monday, September 30

1:00 pm Senior Bible Study (Library)
 6:30 pm Just Faith (Library)

Tuesday, October 1

11:00 am Journeying Together (Library)
 6:30 pm Ladies' Bunco Night (Lobby)

Wednesday, October 2

7:00 pm Book Chat (off-site)

Thursday, October 3

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Saturday, October 5

Bread Baking (off-site)

Sunday, October 6

World Communion Sunday

9:30 Worship Service followed by a Potluck

Spirit of Christ's Peace and Social Justice Committee wants to team up with members of Trinity Presbyterian Church this year to serve the homeless in Olde Town Arvada. We will be working with Cornerstone Church of God and the **Severe Weather Shelter Network** (<https://swshelternetwork.com/>), to be the hands and feet of Jesus. If you are interested in being a part of this ministry please contact John Ford at johnford18@outlook.com, or call 303-503-2819 to get more information. In addition, there is information on the table in the lobby as you leave the service today.

TODAY is the last day to register for the Women's Retreat, October 12 at Mother Cabrini.

We still have two spots left. Don't miss out! Sign up in the Lobby.

Calling all handymen, gardeners, heating and A/C workers!

Trinity is looking for a few more good people to join our Trustee Committee, as well as to help maintain our church building and grounds, now and into the future. Trinity saves thousands of dollars a year by utilizing those who have a love of this church and the church building. If interested, please call Jack Roberts at #303-422-3484.

Girlfriend Book Groups

BOOK CHAT

October 2 @ 7:00 pm

"The Last Thing You Surrender" Leonard Pitts (Michelle Stephans home)

GLAM

"The Newcomers" Helen Thorpe
Wednesday, October 9 @ 10 am
 (Betty Hope's home)

Please note: Youth Group will NOT meet this evening, September 22.

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

SUNDAY EVENING YOUTH GROUP

6 to 8 pm - All 6th through 12 grade students

Come join us as we gather on Sunday evenings for great times of fun, games and fellowship, and then opportunities to break out by age groups as we explore doing life together. On the **First Sunday of the Month**, we'll start with dinner together.

SUNDAY MORNINGS during the SCHOOL YEAR

On Communion Sundays, we will not have Youth Sunday School, but join together in the full Body of Christ in worship. (9 am or 10:35 am).

The remaining weeks, **Youth Sunday School is held during the 9:00 worship hour.** For September, we'll be exploring a variety of topics of theology with the video series of the "The Bible Project". "The Bible Project is a non-profit animation studio that produces short-form, fully animated videos to make the biblical story accessible to everyone, everywhere."

For more information about Youth Ministries at Trinity, contact Abby McCubbin 303-218-0028 or abbym@tpcarvada.org

Film & Faith

Tuesday, September 24
6:00 pm (Fellowship Hall)



"Spider-man:

Into the Spider-verse" (2018 - PG)
 Join us as we kick off another season of Film & Faith with a **Kid-Friendly, Family Movie Fellowship event.** We'll gather together downstairs instead of Trinity's Library. With our kiddos' schedules in mind, we are starting a little earlier, at 6 pm, to have enough time to watch the movie and have brief discussion.

(Bitten by a radioactive spider in the subway, Brooklyn teenager Miles Morales suddenly develops mysterious powers that transform him into the one and only Spider-Man. When he meets Peter Parker, he soon realizes that there are many others who share his special, high-flying talents. Miles must now use his newfound skills to battle the evil Kingpin, a hulking madman who can open portals to other universes and pull different versions of Spider-Man into our world.)

Sunday, October 6 One Service 9:30 am World Communion Sunday

Let's celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion with those united in Christ around the world as one worshipping Trinity family. We will also welcome Pastor John and Cynthia back from sabbatical. Following worship will be a Chili cook-off and potluck. If you don't want to bring chili, salads, cornbread, desserts or anything else you would like to share would be great.



Calling Bread Bakers and Families

Bakers of all skill levels are invited to make bread for communion on World Communion Sunday, October 6. There's also a fellowship opportunity involved! Bakers can be partnered with a family to teach children how to make bread on **October 5**.

Sign up in the Lobby or contact Abby McCubbin (abbym@tpcarvada.org or 303-218-0028)

August Financial Update

All numbers are year-to-date as of August 30, 2019.

	Operating	Building
Year to Date Income	\$242,500	\$28,035
Year to Date Expense	<u>-\$267,094</u>	<u>-\$29,022</u>
2019 Outstanding Need	- \$24,594	- \$987.00

Summer income tends to drop as people travel; staying current with your financial commitment is vital to the ministries of Trinity Presbyterian Church. Another no cost to you option is to link your Amazon shopping to Trinity through AmazonSmile. And don't forget to support our Missions with King Soopers loyalty cards and Safeway gift cards. It all makes a difference and always is appreciated.

Today's **CHANCEL FLOWERS**

have been sponsored by:

Dana Easton and Rick Thorne

in honor of their

35th Wedding Anniversary.



Coloradans for the Common Good

The Founding Assembly is October 3 at Manual High School. Please the double-sided insert in today's bulletin for more information. If you are interested in going and would like to carpool, please contact Memory Wollenweber at 303-358-7050.

Sew Crafty Friday, September 27

1 pm til 4ish Trinity's Library

If you cross stitch, make cards, crochet, knit, sew, quilt, paint, or anything else that can be brought to the church, then come enjoy some fellowship with other people who enjoy being creative!

For more information, contact Margie (margieb@tpcarada.org)

TRINITY'S WEBSITE: www.TrinityArvada.org

Trinity's Staff		Senior Pastor: John Anderson, D. Min (on sabbatical)
Temporary Pastor: Denise Shannon, M.Div.	Music & Worship Arts: Nate Stuart	Administrator: Cathy Castleman
Adult Spiritual Formation: Robin Olschner	Children/Youth Ministries: Abby McCubbin	Piano: Leslie Dove
		Secretary/Bulletin: Margie Bessler
		Treasurer: San Daugherty
9:00 am	Helping With Our Services Today	10:35 am
Preaching Today: Michael McLane		
Worship Leader: Alan Krueger	Acolyte: Sindra Wolf	Worship Leader: Betsy Watts
Ushers: Linda Walker, Joan Enget Jack Roberts	Greeters: Dan & Jenni Yount	Security Rover: Fred Poston
Security Rover: Fred Poston	Monitor: Mike Losievesky	Monitor: Russ Coley
		Openers: Steve & Karen Gustafson
		Closer: Penni Benkler