

# TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



*Partnered in Christ with*  
**Fuente de Vida Presbyterian Church**  
Guatemala

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## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - 11:00 A.M. ONLY

*"Give, therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's,  
and to God the things that are God's" Matthew 22:21*

**Prelude**

Preludio

*Luigi Bottazzo*

**Introit**

*"God, We Honor You"*

### **Call to Worship** (*responsive*)

**Leader:** Praise the Lord; praise God, O my soul!

**People:** **God alone is worthy of our devotion;  
we will sing praise to God all our life long.**

**Leader:** Happy are those whose hope is in God,  
who labor in steadfast faith and love.

**People:** **God lifts up those who are bowed down;  
prisoners are freed, and the blind see.**

**Leader:** Grace to you and peace, from God whose care we know.  
Worship now, giving to God all that belongs to God.

**People:** **We bring all that we are to this time of worship.  
Praise God for the joy inspired by the Holy Spirit.**

**\*Hymn 694**

*"Great God of Every Blessing"*

### **Prayer of Confession** (*unison*)

**We confess, O God, that we have not fulfilled the tasks for which you have chosen us. We have failed to share the joy of faith. We have neglected to learn and pray and witness to your living presence among us. You have not received our full loyalty and devotion. We have found idols to occupy the time you have given us. O God, help us to refocus our energies and reclaim the mission you set before us. Amen.**

### **Silent Meditation and Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Congregational Response 582** *"Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"*

**\*Passing of the Peace**

**Old Testament Lesson**

Numbers 13:25-33

**Choral Anthem**

“Judge Me, O God”

*Felix Mendelssohn*

**A Moment for Children**

**New Testament Lesson**

Matthew 22:15-22

**Sermon**

“That Which Belongs to God”

*Mark Stanley*

**\*Affirmation of Faith** (*unison*)

A Brief Statement of Faith, sections 1, 5, 6, pp. 37 - 38

**The Presentation of Tithes, Offerings, and Pledges**

**Offertory**

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*Luigi Bottazzo*

**\*Doxology no. 607**

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**Announcements**

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns**

**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Hymn 700**

“I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”

**\*Charge and Blessing**

**Choral Response**

“Celtic Alleluia”

*Fintan O’Carroll*

**Postlude**

Fugue in C (Jig Fugue)

*Dietrich Buxtehude*

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*\* Stand, or remain seated*

**LITURGIST:** 11:00 - Donna Crawford

**GREETERS:** Barbara Pickwood, Ken Sugawara, David & Nancy Gilbert

**USHERS:** 11:00 - Jim & Nancy Kisner, Billie Hicklin, Kathy Madigan

**FLOWERS:** Given by Glenn & Linda Walker in memory of their son Daniel on his 39th birthday

**CHILDCARE:** Room 201; 10:00 - 11:00am (for Birth through Preschool)

**RESOURCES:** Children’s worship activity bags, hearing aids and boosters, and large print bulletins available upon request. Please ask the ushers for assistance.

**ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY:** 162

*“The happiest people on earth are the people who have discovered  
the joy of giving.” — Unknown*

*This congregation welcomes you without regard to race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical or mental ability, education, economic circumstance, your place of origin or any other issue that divides God's family. We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's place with its doors wide open. If you are passing through, Godspeed. If you are looking for a worship home, stay with us. We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.*

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**Office:** Mon, Tue, Wed, Friday: 9:00–4:00, Thur: 9:00-12:00 **Preschool:** Mon through Fri, 8:30 - 11:30

**TODAY - STEWARDSHIP DEDICATION**

9:45 - Learning Hour

**Adults:**

*Lectionary Class:* Trinity Room

*Hashing It Out:* Lounge

*Issues & Concerns:* Room 207

**Children and Youth:**

9:45 - *Learning Assembly:* Sanctuary

10:00 - *Sunday School Classes*

*Young Children (Pre-K through K):* Room 203

*Elementary (Grade 1-5):* Room 103

*Youth (Grade 6 and up):* Room 101

10:30 - Choir Rehearsal

**11:00 - Worship Service**

12:00 - SPECIAL Trinity 30 (Fellowship Hall)

12:30 - Out to Lunch Bunch

**MONDAY**

4:00 - Tai Chi

4:00 - Hendersonville Pride Planning Meeting

**TUESDAY - PRESCHOOL PICTURE DAY**

9:00 - Staff Meeting

10:00 - Coffee/Issues

10:00 - New Members Subcommittee Meeting

3:00 - Origami Group

6:00 - Deborah Circle

**WEDNESDAY - PRESCHOOL PICTURE DAY**

10:30 - Friends in Christ

5:30 - WNL Dinner

6:30 - WNL Program

7:30 - Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY**

9:30 - Spanish Class

10:00 - Bible Study - Isaiah

1:30 - Book Ground

4:00 - Tai Chi

6:30 - Cub Scouts

**FRIDAY**

9:00 - American Assoc. of University Women

**SATURDAY - PRESBYTERY MEETING**

**SUNDAY - 5 CENTS A MEAL**

**8:30 - Worship Service**

9:45 - Learning Hour

9:45 - Inquirers' Class

10:30 - Choir Rehearsal

**11:00 - Worship Service**

12:00 - Trinity 30 Fellowship

12:30 - Out to Lunch Bunch

2:00 - Climate Talk to Citizen Action

(Grace Lutheran Church)

*NOTE: In joyful thanksgiving for all of our many blessings and in celebration of God's love, you are invited to an "expanded Trinity 30" in the Fellowship Hall following worship.*

**Weekly Calendar:**  
**Oct 20<sup>th</sup> - Oct 27<sup>th</sup>**

**WEEKLY PRAYER PEOPLE:** Prayers, calls, and notes are encouraged: (*please check pdf directory*)

Betty Congdon, Ginny Gernoske,  
Jim & Nancy Kisner, Connie Johnson

**PRAYER CONCERNS: In Sympathy:** The family of Gene Carman **Home:** Nancy Sheffield, Don Widmayer, Gayle Hoverson, Dan Kincaid, Barbara Howard, Ann Fennell, Scott & Bill and Juliette Blakely, Ginny Arkens, Merritt Roach, Connie Moore **Rehabilitation, Nursing:** Phil & Julia Sellers (The Bridge) Ron Hoverson (The Lodge); Barbara Garrison, Gene Carman (HH&R); Audrey White (The Laurels); Alice Gantt, Bob Brackett, Irene Robertson, & Paddy Deich (CV Care Center); Edie Clark, Harry Papazian (CV Med Center); Clara Manning, Ted & Phyllis Dills, Eleanor Beardsley (Carolina Reserve); **Others:** Joanna Dorsey Duncan (Diane Pearce's daughter), Jeffrey Presseau (the Presseaus' son, brain tumor), Tim Dale (Diane Bowers' nephew), Jean Stanfield Walters, Jay, Lorrie and Robert Pelc (family of Carole Ball), Don Cunningham, (Sarah Thibodeau's brother). Please remember mission coworkers and our Guatemalan partner church, Fuente de Vida and the families of the Ebenezer school students who lost their lives in a tragic bus accident on Sept 20.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE - OCT 23rd, 5:30 Dinner, 6:30 Program,** "The Genesis of the Exodus", a film by the PCUSA, moderated by Norrie Sanchez. *Violence, poverty and social disintegration: the root causes of Central American migration* - The General Assembly of the PCUSA was grieved and moved to compassion when Central American families and children began fleeing en masse to the U.S. from Honduras, El Salvador and Guatemala in 2014. We have created this film to bring communities together, to educate one another to a place of compassion, inspire one another to reach out in friendship to our new neighbors, and to challenge one another to organize and advocate for reform. Menu: Chicken with Dijon Sauce, Rice, Green Bean Almandine, Rolls, Brownies & Fruit.

**OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH:** This week, we'll be going to Post 25 with Jack Caylor. Next week, *Fire-side Pancake House* with Myrl Jean Hughes.

**IAM NEEDS FOR OCT:** canned chicken & tuna, canned pasta & soup, dish & laundry detergent, baby diapers - sizes 4,5,6, bar soap.

**TRINITY BOOK GROUP:** meets Thursday, Oct. 24 at 1:30 in the Trinity Room to discuss "The Chilbury Ladies Choir" by Jennifer Ryan. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome!

**CALL FOR WRITERS.** Our Advent devotional is a great tradition. You can still be part of "*Share in the Wonder*" by writing a brief devotion. Sign up and pick up your info packet in the Narthex.

**TOWN HALL FORUM - CLIMATE CONCERNS** October 27th, 2:00-4:00 at Grace Lutheran Church. Goal - to raise climate crisis awareness. Organized by concerned citizens to address threats to local farms, businesses, livelihoods, infrastructure, and public safety. This is the sequel to our Oct 2nd film screening night. Please join us!

**INQUIRERS' CLASS: Sunday, Oct 27th, 9:45pm.** Ever wondered why Presbyterians do things the way they do? Want to learn more about ways to get involved in the church? Considering becoming a member? Please join Mark Stanley and fellow inquiring minds next Sunday morning in the church office to have all the mysteries REVEALED!

**TPS YARD SALE UPDATE:** Gross income = \$8151; expenses = \$355; Net income = \$7796. \$7500 goes to supporting their budget and the remaining \$296 goes to their Tuition Support Fund. "Books For Good" receipts of \$1233 (through 9/30) also go to the Tuition Support Fund. Thanks again to all the volunteers who contributed many hours in making the sale a success! Jan, Priscilla, and Tom

**MISSION TRIP TO GUATEMALA:** If you would like to visit our partner church (possibly in May) please contact Carole Ball. [caroleball@gmail.com](mailto:caroleball@gmail.com). or 828-692-8774.