



TRINITY BIBLE CHURCH

For Christ, to God's Glory,
and Man's Joy

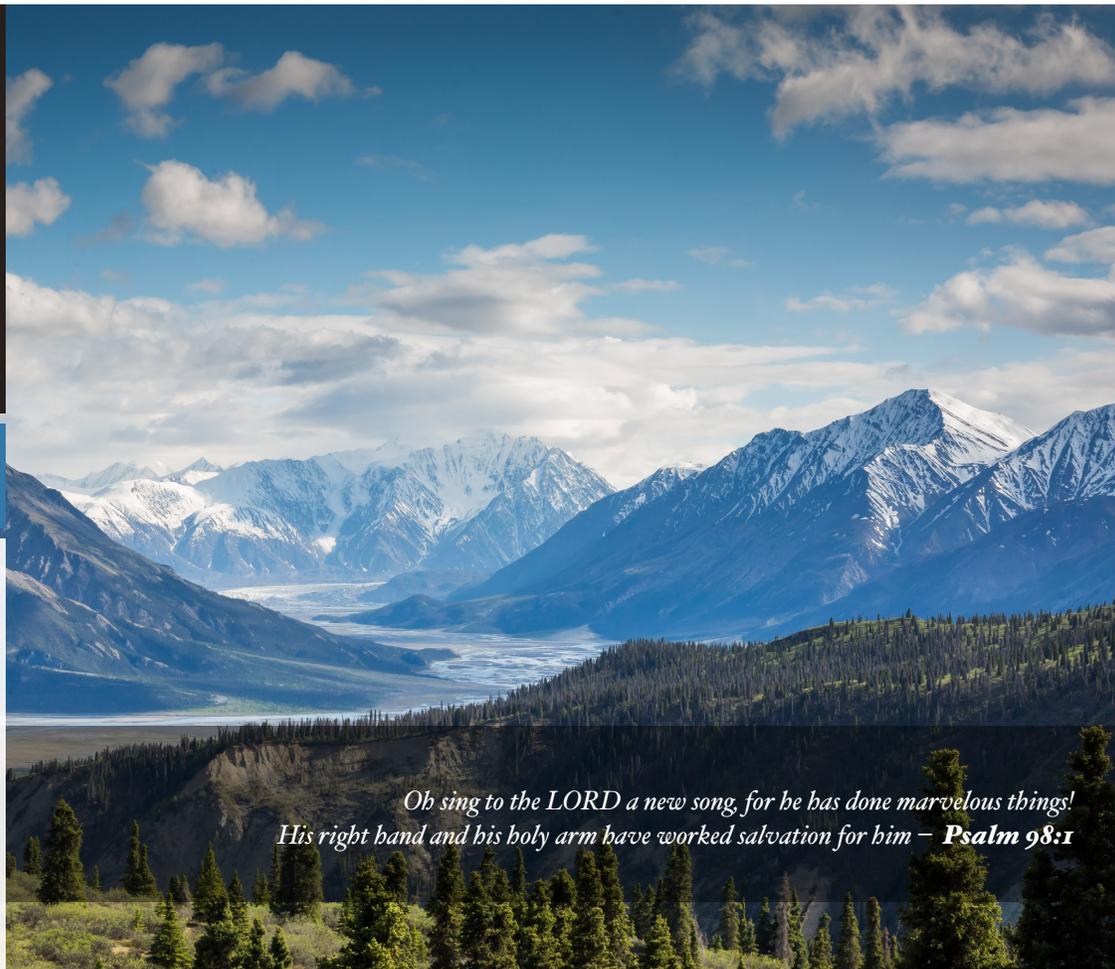
August 23, 2020

Special Online Edition

Welcome to the
Sunday worship service at
trinitybiblechurch.org/live

We have the blessed privilege
on this Lord's Day to make much
of Christ through the reading,
singing, and preaching of God's
Word together.

*Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things!
His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him — **Psalm 98:1***



Order of Worship

Call to Worship

Psalm 98:1-4

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Reading: Hebrews 1:1-3

Lamb of God

Reading: Ephesians 1:3-8

Nothing That My Hands Can Do

Reading: Ephesians 1:16-19

Show Us Christ

Shepherd's Scripture Reading & Prayer

Matthew 16:13-23

Sermon

“Manifesting the Mysteries of Christ”

Matthew 16:13-23

Hymn of Response

Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Benediction

Ephesians 3:20-21

Psalm 98:1-4

Make a Joyful Noise to the Lord

Oh sing to the LORD a new song,

for he has done marvelous things!

His right hand and his holy arm

have worked salvation for him.

The LORD has made known his salvation;

he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness

to the house of Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen

the salvation of our God.

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;

break forth into joyous song and sing praises!

Hebrews 1:1-3

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world. He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the word of his power.

Today at TBC



Increasing Illumination

Sermon:

“Manifesting the Mysteries of Christ ”

Matthew 16:13-23

On the path of increasing illumination, we have reached a summit of disclosure and declaration. An encounter full of wonder and awe is unfolded before us. Everything turns on one glorious revelation: Jesus is the Christ. As the parables spoke of the secrets of the kingdom, so this passage verbally unveils the secrets of Christ the King. It is a passage marked with firsts. In their own heart, soul, mind, and strength, no one understands, but God is here pleased to grant the beginnings of grasping Christ's glory. It is not so much about a man's confession as it is God's revelation. It is about light shining out of darkness. For the first time, a man explicitly declares Jesus to be the Christ. Only after the person of Christ is revealed, can His plan be rightly known. Conspicuously, the first mention of Christ's church immediately follows. Then, with stunning and fearful awe, the first disclosure of the cross is directly given. Here the marvelous mysteries of Christ are manifest unlike anywhere else.

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Fighter Verse for the Week of August 23

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.

For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime.

Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

– Psalm 30:4-5

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Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the Name! I'm fixed upon it,
Name of Thy redeeming love.

Hither to Thy love has blessed me,
Thou hast brought me to this place;
And I know Thy hand will bring me
Safely home by Thy good grace.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
Wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger,
Interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,
Bind my wandering heart to Thee:
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love:
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for Thy courts above.

Oh that day when freed from sinning,
I shall see Thy lovely face;
Full arrayed in blood washed linen
How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace;
Come, my Lord, no longer tarry,
Bring Thy promises to pass.
For I know Thy power will keep me
Till I'm home with Thee at last.

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Lamb of God

O Lamb of God,
All worlds obeyed Your will,
From dark and void their being came
O Lamb of God,
Your glories echo still.
Creation sings its Maker's praise.
Eternal God, One with the Father,
Before all time You dwell in love.
Eternal God, unlike all others,
Yet You descended unto us.

O Lamb of God
In filthy manger lay;
In humble dress You entered earth.
O Lamb of God,
Creator bows to save
The needy ones, helpless from birth.
Incarnate Word, gift of the Father,
To take our place and bear our sin,
Incarnate Word, led to the slaughter,
You conquered death and rose again.

O Lamb of God
Now reigning on the throne,
The Judge of all, faithful and true,
O Lamb of God,
You'll make Your power known
When all Your foes receive their due.
Victorious King, when history's fading,
You'll call Your Bride to take her place.
Victorious King, Creation's waiting
For Your redeemed to see Your face,
For Your redeemed to see Your face.

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Nothing That My Hands Can Do

There's nothing that my hands can do
to save my guilty soul
I cannot cleanse my filthy stains
or make my spirit whole
For nothing but the blood of Christ
can all my sins erase
I dare not claim my righteousness
but hide within His grace
'Tis Christ who saved me from the depths
God's pardon I've received
I'm washed within His precious blood
my heart is sprinkled clean.

I'll praise the God of holiness
of justice, truth, and might
Who guides me by His mighty hand
to walk within His light
While Satan weaves his shallow lies
God speaks to me in love
reminding me His only Son
has bought me with His blood
And Christ dispels my every doubt
through Him I am redeemed
I love because He loved me first
I live because He lives.

My life is but a fleeting sigh
a tear within the sea
but You are everlasting Lord
and You've predestined me
to leave this fading world behind
not fearing death will come
for then I'll look on Jesus Christ
and to His arms I'll run

And when I see Him face to face
what glory that will be
to look upon my Savior's scars
and know they were for me.

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Show Us Christ

Prepare our hearts, O God,
help us to receive.
Break the hard and stony ground,
help our unbelief.
Plant Your Word down deep in us,
cause it to bear fruit,
open up our ears to hear,
lead us in Your truth.

(Chorus)
Show us Christ, show us Christ,
O God, reveal Your glory
through the preaching of Your Word
until every heart confesses Christ is Lord.

Your Word is living light
upon our darkened eyes,
guards us through temptations,
makes the simple wise.
Your Word is food for famished ones,
freedom for the slave,
riches for the needy soul,
come speak to us today.

Where else can we go, Lord?
Where else can we go?
You have the words of eternal life.

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Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Come, behold the wondrous mystery
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing, in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ, who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come, behold the wondrous mystery
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living, in His suffering
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law; In Him we stand

Come, behold the wondrous mystery
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured, love untold

Come, behold the wondrous mystery
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord; He is alive!
What a foretaste of deliverance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

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“Not What These Hands Have Done”

One of today’s congregational songs, “*Nothing That My Hands Can Do*” is based on the hymn title above by Horatius Bonar.

A prolific and popular author of tracts, sermons, and hymns, his works were published in many hymn collections of the 1800’s. One of Bonar’s great interests was biblical prophecy and the return of Christ, an interest reflected in some of his hymns.

Bonar subtitled the text “Salvation through Christ alone,” and that is surely its theme: *my salvation is entirely due to the grace of God, my own works have no merit at all, and nothing but the blood of Christ will do; my natural response, then, is praise, for “my Lord has saved my life”!*

- hymnary.org

*“Thy grace alone, O God, to me can pardon speak;
thy pow’r alone, O Son of God, can this sore bondage break.
No other work, save thine, no other blood will do;
no strength, save that which is divine, can bear me safely through.”*

Shepherd’s Reading:

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, “Who do people say that the Son of Man is?” And they said, “Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.” He said to them, “But who do you say that I am?” Simon Peter replied, “You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.” And Jesus answered him, “Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.” Then he strictly charged the disciples to tell no one that he was the Christ.

From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, “Far be it from you, Lord! This shall never happen to you.” But he turned and said to Peter, “Get behind me, Satan! You are a hindrance to me. For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man.”

– ***Matthew 16:13-23***

TRINITY BIBLE CHURCH STATUS UPDATES:

Trinity Bible Church is suspending all in-person events until further notice.

Live streaming of Sunday School classes and Sunday morning services are all scheduled to continue. Updates will be posted as they become available on our website as well as communicated through email and social media (TBC Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter accounts).

Let us all remember that “for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose” (Romans 8:28). Let us continue in earnest and patient prayer, by the faith of a disciplining mind that centers on Christ (Philippians 4:6-8). We thank God for you and are praying for you all with the affection of Christ. May the Lord be pleased to restore our gathering together soon, for His glory and our joy.

*If you have questions, concerns, or need prayer, please connect with one of our TBC Shepherds:
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We are a Bible-believing Christian church seeking to promote the preeminence of Jesus Christ in the lives of people, through knowing, living, and speaking the truth in love, for the glory of God and the joy of all in Him.

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