

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost
November 10, 2024

Prelude Christopher A. McCroskey
(As the Prelude begins, prayerfully prepare your hearts and minds for worship.)
Greetings, Announcements & Prayer

Birthday Celebration

*Call To Worship
What does God want from us?
Does God want us to close the streets and have a festival on Sunday?

But God said, "I don't want festivals."
Does God want us to take an extra offering or learn a new hymn?

But God said, "I am not in the mood for your noise."

And the people said, "God, show us the way!"

What does our God of love and grace require?

And God said: "Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an everflowing stream."

*Opening Hymn "Come and Find the Quiet Center" TFWS 2128

*Opening Prayer
God of Abundant Grace,
We are gathered together in this sacred place to seek strength and courage for this, and the coming days. Let this time of worship center us. Let your peace gently enfold us. Here may the world's harsh demands fall away. Here may troubled hearts find rest. Now, may we turn to you, O God, for guidance and grace, for we pray in the name of the One who makes all things new, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith "The Nicene Creed" 880

*Gloria Patri 70
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*Psalter Psalm 146 858-859

Passing of the Peace: *Let us greet one another with words of love and peace.*

"Let the Children Come!"
(Those 3 years of age through 8 years of age may go to Children's Church.)

Stewardship Moment Jeanette Hornsby

Anthem "Spirit of God" Choir

Scripture Lessons Hebrews 9:24-28 Page 213 (N.T.)
Mark 12:38-44 Pages 50-51 (N.T.)

Sermon *Generosity* Rev. Darlene L. Kelley

*Hymn of Invitation "Give Thanks" TFWS 2036

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Christopher A. McCroskey

*Doxology 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Closing Hymn "Victory in Jesus" 370

*Dismissal With Benediction

*Benediction Response "May the Lord, Mighty God, Bless and Keep You" Choir

*Please Stand As You Are Able

Leading in Worship Today

Pastor: Rev. Darlene L. Kelley AV Director: Marie Stiles
Music Director: Christopher A. McCroskey AV Assistant: Chris Derrick
Liturgist: Bob Strickland Time Together: Fran Laska; Joyce Robinson

VISITORS ARE WELCOME in the service of worship! Please make use of the visitor's tags (located in the pew backs) to help us better welcome you as a visitor to Trinity this morning. We ask that you also please fill in the pew pad as it passes to register your attendance with us. **Large print hymnals** are available from the ushers.

You may join as a member into the life and work of this congregation by Confession of Faith or by Transfer of Membership from another church. If you would be interested in becoming a member, please speak to the pastor.

TODAY'S LOVELY FLOWERS are given to the **Glory of God** and in loving memory of **Jewel Percy** by **English Percy and family**. A gift in **Jewel's** memory has been made to **Killingsworth**, a ministry she treasured.

“AS MEMBERS OF THIS CONGREGATION, WE WILL FAITHFULLY PARTICIPATE IN ITS MINISTRIES BY OUR PRAYERS...

Hilda Edwards Patsy Zeigler Kaye Floyd Ruth Frady
Patsy Shuler English Pearcy Latson Lewis Jimmy Grahl

Shut-Ins: Esther Carter; Gillett Hipp; Linda Maloch; Jean Raynor

Family and Friends: **Sonny Hardee** (brother of Lynn Martin); **Colby Martin** (son of Donna Muszynski); **Sonya & Wayne Dooley** (daughter and son-in-law of Joyce Robinson); **Family of Rocky Brumbaugh** (father-in-law of Joshua Ballentine); **Lynne Powell** (friend of the Ballentines and Branhams); **Bobby Johnson** (friend of Billy Pearson); **Rev. Donna Eidson** (former pastor of Trinity); **Ima Thibodeaux** (friend of Christopher McCroskey); **Keith Jordan** (nephew of John & Kay Jordan); **Deanne Summer** (partner of Martha Cooke); **Kelsey Molotsky** (granddaughter of friend of Bob Strickland); **Malcolm Skipper** (grandfather of Matthew Skipper); **Bryan Collard** (brother-in-law of Mary Sue Lewis); ; **Charlyn McNeill, Michael McNeill** (sister & brother of Mary Sue Lewis); **Bob Bohnstengel** (spouse of Jo Ann Heiting's cousin); **Missy Abrams** (stepdaughter of Lissa Abrams); **Mary Davis** (daughter of Bob & Libby Strickland); **Chuck Hardee** (cousin of Lynn Martin); **Bruce Beatty, Sandra Hornsby, Gloria Erd** (friends of Lynn Martin); **Pearl Geddens** (mother of Tom Geddens); **Ross Deal** (grandson of Mary Kamoroff); **Nancy Wilson** (friend of Jeanette Hornsby); **David Turner** (brother of Pam Turner); **Ernie & Betsey Hendrix, Chip Mixon** (friends of Tommy Gleaton); **Ron & Janet Walker** (friends of Tommy & Chris Gleaton); **Merit Takach** (friend of Joyce and Brent Robinson); **James Boggs** (father of Claire Boggs); **Bill Areheart** (friend of Bonnie Ramsey); **Robert Bradley** (Business Associate of Simon Ross); **Monnie Tiller** (friend of Chris Derrick); **Adrin & Linda Hargett** (stepfather and stepmom of Christopher McCroskey); **Haidee Baehr** (friends of Ruth Frady); **Denise Paul, Scott & Karen Nelson** (cousins of Gale Frady); **Dan Conner, Max Johnson** (friends of Gale Frady); **Walt & Janet Beck** (friends of Jo Ann Heiting); **Adam Lavender** (son of Phil Lavender)

If you have a friend or family member on the Prayer List, we ask you to please keep us updated. If no word is received, we will trust that our prayers have been answered and remove the name. To update us, please call the office or e-mail us at trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com.

OUR PRESENCE ...

In-Person Attendance 11/03 SS: 8 Worship: 49

OUR GIFTS ...

General Fund 11/03 \$ 6,341.54

OUR SERVICE ...

OUR WITNESS."

Upcoming Events

TODAY Birthday Celebration

11/11 Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m.

11/12 Grieving with God, 11 a.m.
FH Reserved, 6:30 p.m.

11/13 Choir, 6 p.m.
T.a.G., 7 p.m.

11/14 Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m.
Killingsworth, 6 p.m.

11/15 Office Closed

11/16 Trinity Ladies Group, 9:30 a.m.
Lizard's Thicket Hwy. 1



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“She out of her poverty has put in everything she had.”

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**Grieving with God
Tuesday, November 12**

All who are on the journey of grief are invited to join us each second Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room of the church. Retired Hospice and Palliative Care Chaplain from Richland Hospital, Jerry Fonte, facilitates discussion.



The Trinity Ladies Group will meet at Lizard's Thicket on Hwy 1 at 9:30 a.m. on **Saturday, November 16**.

Contact Marie Stiles at (803) 463-9706 if you are interested in being added to the group email and text for notification.



Sunday, November 24

Taste of Trinity, our church-wide covered dish luncheon, will be held on **Sunday, November 24**. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to share great food and fellowship!

Please Note: The Ministry Team will meet immediately following Taste of Trinity.



**Monday, November 18
7 p.m.**

In order to encourage college students and young adults a group is being formed called Hot Topics and Cold Beer. This group will get together monthly at [Weco Bottle and Biergarten](#) in West Columbia on Meeting Street. The objective of the group is to get together for fellowship, good conversations about God and faith, and enjoy a beer or other beverage of your choosing. Any theological or spiritual topic is welcome. This will be a casual event, so come as you are!

The first Hot Topics and Cold Beer will be **Monday, November 18th at 7 p.m.** Since this is the week before Thanksgiving, the topic for discussion will be focused on gratitude and thankfulness. Feel free to suggest topics as well.

If you have any questions, please see Slone Taylor or Patsy Boggs. If you are interested in attending and would like email or text message updates, please email Slone Taylor at Slonetaylor21@yahoo.com or text her your cell phone number to (803) 397-7294 and she will add you to her list. Also, invite anyone who you think would be interested in attending. This is open to all and is not limited to those who attend Trinity.

About Weco Bottle and Biergarten:

Weco Biergarten is located at 626 Meeting St. in West Columbia. They offer mostly outdoor seating under a large covered patio and tables with umbrellas beyond the patio. They host a different food truck every day, and they post the food truck schedule to their website, [Instagram](#), and [Facebook](#) weekly. Parking is located in front of the building and in a small parking lot on the side. They also have an overflow parking lot located at 730 Meeting Street.



**Tuesday, November 26
6 p.m.**

We will be participating in a Community Thanksgiving Service hosted by Providence Presbyterian Church. Also participating will be Congaree Presbyterian and Brookland United Methodist Churches. The offering will benefit God's Helping Hands. Don't miss this great opportunity to meet our neighbors.