# THE CHARGE IS THIS

The character of God Himself should be the foundation of all our thinking and all our actions. Because God does not change, He does not consume Jacob or Jacob's children when they grasp at things that don't rightfully belong to them. Rather, just as He transformed Jacob into Israel, He now invites the people to return to Him. If they will test Him with their obedience in tithing, they will find that the Lord is pleased to open the windows of heaven to bless His people and put His favour on display to the watching world. When we are stingy with the Lord, we get progressively poorer. When we are generous with the Lord, even the unbelieving nations around us will see that we are richly blessed. This is not because God is a vending machine that needs to receive before He gives. Our tithing does not fill a need in God, but in us. Our generosity displays that we have the humility to understand that we are tenants in God's vineyard and that we have full trust in His provision and in His sufficiency to care for His own.

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Trinity Fellowship exists to herald the glory of God over all creation.

"Robbing God" Malachi 3:6-12

#### Call to Worship: 1 Chronicles 29:10-13

- Prayer for Assistance
- Congregational Singing
- Reception of New Members
  - Viktor & Katy Falk

#### Confession

- First Week of Advent
- Reading of the Law of God
  - Genesis 3:14-19
- Assurance of Pardon
  - -Luke 1:67-79
- Congregational Singing

#### Consecration

- Congregational Prayer
- Offering
- Scripture Reading
  - Malachi 3:6-12
- Congregational Response
  - "Praise be to God"
- Sermon
  - "Robbing God"
- Prayer

#### Communion

- January 4

### Comissioning

- Closing Song
- The Charge
- Benediction
  - Numbers 6:24-26

Next Week's Text:

TBD

#### Third Week of Advent

The Joy Candle, also known as the Shepherd's Candle, represents the joy of Christ's coming and the celebration of His birth. The pink color reflects a shift from repentance to joy as we draw closer to Christmas.

We practice Covenant Renewal Worship.

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<u>Confession:</u> God reminds us of our duty to Him and forgives us where we have sinned.

<u>Consecration:</u> God trains us for holiness and service through instruction by His Word.

<u>Communion:</u> God feeds us in order to strengthen us as we go back out into the world.

<u>Commissioning:</u> God gives us our mission as we depart.

At Trinity, we believe children are a gift from God, and we encourage families to see the importance of training them in the worship service. It is an opportunity to learn the songs, vocabulary, and rhythm of worship from young on.

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