

Trinity Parish Presbyterian Church

United in Faith, Building Community
Sunday Worship, 11:00 am
October 19, 2025

Today's Scriptures: 2 Timothy 3:4--4:5



...the church with the yellow door

Rev. Tony DeLucia, Pastor

Prelude

Greetings & Announcements

*Please stand as you're able.

**Today's hymns are found in the Red Hymnals

***Would like to start having someone read the Scripture on Communion Sunday's. Signups will be posted in the back of the Sanctuary

*Call to Worship Psalm 65

From the east and from the west, we come to praise God!

Today we celebrate the ways God is at work in our world.

From the fields ready for harvest to the majesty of the mountains,

From the abundance of gentle rains to the blazing color of fall leaves

God crowns the year with good blessings!

And today we gather to praise God, Creator and Sustainer of life!

*Hymn of Welcome #621

Tell Me the Old, Old Story

*Opening Prayer (Unison)

Bring us to deep silence, God, as we give thanks for the gifts you pour out on us and on all creation. Help us focus on you, and on the ways you sustain us in this life, even as we offer you our praise. Amen.

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Holy God, your truth is so often sharp and unsettling. We confess the ways we skirt the hard edges of your Word, turn up the volume on lesser noises, and lean into the comfort of our own certainty rather than submit to the discomfort of your challenge. You send us messengers, and we sidestep them; you challenge us, and we defend ourselves. Again and again, Holy God, we resist what we do not want to hear. And yet you keep calling. Have mercy on us. Interrupt our evasions. Soften what pride has hardened in us. Let us hear and receive your truth. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Book of Common Worship

*Gloria Patri #579

Glory Be to the Father

*Passing the Peace and Greetings

*Prayer for Illumination (Unison)

2 Timothy 4:3

God of Wisdom and Grace, you speak through your Word read and proclaimed. Prepare us, then, to listen well. Open our ears to your truth; open our minds to the unexpected. Humble us here, in your presence, so nothing stands in the way — not pride, not distraction, not weary hearts. Let your Word reach us as we are now. Amen.

Scripture Luke 18:9-14

Sermon Humblebrag Rev. Tony DeLucia

*Hymn of Response #617

Near to the Heart of God

*Affirmation of Faith Philippians 2: 6-11

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross. Therefore, God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess to the glory of God: Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

*Call for the Offering

*Doxology #815 Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

Holy God, these offerings are only a portion, a single slice, of the abun-dance you've handed to us. Still, we press them into your care, set them down where they might become more. We hand over these gifts, grate-ful, but also in awe at how you shape small things into good news. Let these gifts find their way into the broken places, find the ones carrying heavy burdens. May these humble offerings help relieve those who need it most. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*during today's prayer when *God of mercy* is heard, respond with, **hear our prayers.**

*Hymn of Sending #599

Jesus is the Lord of All

*Charge & Benediction

*Response to the Benediction #358

*Postlude

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Numbers 6:24-26
Because He Lives