

Prelude

Greetings & Announcements

*\*Indicates the congregation should stand.*  
*-Today’s hymns are found in the BlueHymnal*  
*-There are now Prayer Requests in the pews*  
*-Pastor Tony’s phone number has changed, (330) 431-4725.*

\*Call to Worship (based on Psalm 148)

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights!  
**Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!**  
Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!  
**Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!**  
Let them praise the name of the Lord, for he commanded and they were created.  
**He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.**

**\*Hymn of Welcome #281** *Guide Me Oh Thou Great Jehovah*

\*Opening Prayer

God of all times and all places, we turn to you in this hour of worship, eager to offer you our praise. We remember our ancestors in the faith, gathering in temples, in the open fields, in underground catacombs. Thank you for your presence then and for your presence among us now. Thank you for receiving our prayers, our hymns, our gratitude, our worship. Open us to hear your Good News in this hour, and to live it out each day until the coming of your new heaven and new earth. Amen.

\*Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession

Loving God, you call us to your merciful, gracious love, freely given without expectation or strings attached, like the unconditional love of a bridegroom. While we are eager to experience your mercy and grace in our own lives, we are quick to make our extension of your mercy and grace conditional for others, holding court in our own hearts.

We would rather show mercy to those we judge worthy, forgetting the new commandment to love as you have loved us. We would rather extend grace to those who will show us grace in return, missing the trustworthy and true nature of your boundless forgiveness. Forgive us, Redeeming God. And transform our hearts with your amazing grace and unconditional love so that our relationships and your world are transformed.Assurance of Pardon

Assurance of Pardon

**\*Gloria Patri #579** *Glory Be to the Father*

\*Passing the Peace and Greetings

Prayer for Illumination (Unison)

Gracious and Loving God, as you once declared, “See, I am making all things new.” So now, through your Holy Spirit, open our hearts and minds to your transforming word in Scripture. Grant us a new vision of the height, depth, and breadth of your trustworthy and true love, that we may be inspired to live as faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, reflecting the new creation you have begun in us. Amen.

Scripture

*Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-13*  
*New Testament Reading: John 8:1-12*  
*Colossians 3:3*

Sermon

*Dustin Lang*

**\*Hymn of Response #384** *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go*

\*Affirmation of Faith

*The Nicene Creed*

*Found on p. 14 in the Blue Hymnal*

Call for the Offering

\*Doxology

**Prayer Requests**  
**Trinity Parish Presbyterian**

- Brent McPherson - recovery and strength
- Family of Jim O'Brian
- Brian - diagnosed with cancer
- Sam Swoger - recovery and strenght
- The whole congregation to discern God’s will and find our missions to the community.
- Students graduating and finishing the end of the year.

**From the Presbytery**

- Kandy Dunn - her mother passed away last Monday.
- Prayers for the family and friends of the mother and toddler killed in the I-70 crash last Sunday.
- Mike - undisclosed medical condition
- Family of Edward Williams' passing on May 4th.
- Those in the paths of storms and other natural disasters.
- Continued prayers for the people of Israel, Gaza, Ukraine, Russia, India, Pakistan, all areas of conflict in the world.
- Joanie Apenzellar - fluid in lungs
- Family of Dorothy Myers - passed away on 04/27 at 104 years old.

### **May Birthdays**

Shannon Herron, 5/13  
Larry Roberts, 5/28  
Chad Roberts  
Jeanie Roberts

*Let us know when we can celebrate  
your Birthday/Anniversary with you!!*

### **Upcoming Events:**

#### **Newell Community Dinner**

May 31, 2025  
*Pulled Pork BBQ Sandwiches,  
Baked Beans, Cole Slaw and  
Desserts*

#### **Communion**

June 1, 2025

#### **Coffee Hour**

June 11, 2025, after worship

#### **Potluck/Cookout**

July 13, after worship

*If interested in reading Scripture during  
worship, please let Pastor Tony know!*

**Trinity Parish Presbyterian Church**  
342 Carolina Ave.  
Chester, WV 26034

[\(304\) 387-0600](tel:(304)387-0600)  
[www.trinity-chester.com](http://www.trinity-chester.com)

**Pastor Tony's contact info:**  
[pastor@trinity-chester.church](mailto:pastor@trinity-chester.church)  
(330) 431-4725

Facebook - [www.facebook.com/  
TrinityParishPC/](http://www.facebook.com/TrinityParishPC/)  
**Church email:**

### **\*Prayer of Dedication (Unison)**

Generous God, receive these gifts that we place before your throne. Do more with them than we can ask or imagine, furthering the holy work of your new kingdom in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ who revealed to us the truth of your loving commands.

### **\*Peoples of the Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

### **\*Hymn of Sending #387**

*Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us*

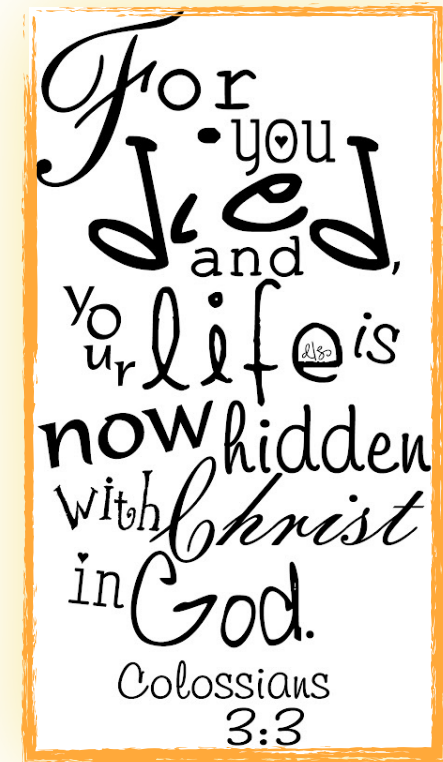
### **\*Charge and Benediction**

### **\*Response to the Benediction #358**

*Refrain from Because He Lives*

### **\*Postlude**

***United in Faith, Building Community***



**Trinity Parish Presbyterian Church**

***United in Faith, Building Community***

**Sunday Worship**

**May 18, 2025**

***Guest Preacher: Dustin Lang***  
***Today's Scripture: John 8:1-12,***  
***Jeremiah 17:5-13 and Colossians 3:3***



**...the church with the yellow door**

***Rev. Tony DeLucia, Pastor***