



Trinity Parish Presbyterian Church

United in Faith, Building Community

Sunday Worship, 11:00 am

December 7, 2025

Second Sunday of Advent:

Peace Sunday



Prelude

Greetings & Announcements

-Today's hymns are found in the Red Hymnal

-If you would like to read the Scripture on Communion Sunday's, a sign-ups sheet will be posted in the back of the Sanctuary on the bulletin board.

Welcome & Announcements

*The Congregation will stand as they are able.

***Call to Worship**

Isaiah 11:1-10

A shoot shall come forth from Jesse's stump

And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him

He will judge the poor with righteousness, and the meek with equity

He will be clothed with righteousness and faithfulness

The wolf and the lamb will live peacefully together

The leopard and the kid will lie down, side by side

The cow and the bear will graze together; the lion will eat straw like the ox

And a little child will lead them all

They will neither hurt nor destroy on God's holy mountain

For the earth will be full of the knowledge of God, as the waters fill the sea

***Hymn of Welcome**

Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus v.1

***Lighting the Advent Candle of Peace**

Psalms 72:1-8

***Advent Prayer (unison)**

God, your servant John the Baptist cries out to us: "Repent; turn and be restored". Can we hear? Will we respond? Holy God, open the ears of our souls to hear your word of salvation. Holy and Peace-Inspiring God, on this second Sunday of Advent, Open wide our hearts and our minds. To see, feel, hear, and know the salvation of our God. Amen.

Call to Confession

***Prayer of Confession (unison)**

God of Grace, we confess that we are not ready for you to come into our world — not quite yet. We cling to the known and familiar, afraid of the transformation your grace will bring. Yet you are always a step ahead of us, a voice crying out in the wilderness, inviting us into to bold new ways of being disciples. Humble us, O God, and teach us to do the work of repentance so that, fully reliant on your grace, we may know the richness of restored relationship with you and one another. Amen.

***Assurance of Pardon**

***Gloria Patri**

***Call for the Offering & Passing of the Peace**

*Doxology #815

Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

“What can I give him, poor as I am? ... If I were a wise one, I would do my part; Yet what I can I give him: give my heart.”

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings *Isaiah 11:1–10*
 Matthew 3:1–12

Sermon *Repent* *Rev. Tony DeLucia*

Hymn of Response #271 *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee You*

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

The Invitation to the Table

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

...The prayer continues.

... Therefore, we praise You, joining our voices with the heavenly choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who sing to the glory of Your name:

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of power and might

Heaven and earth are full of your glory

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the one who comes

In the name of the Lord

Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

...The prayer continues.

...Great is the mystery of faith...

Christ has died

Christ is risen

Christ will come again

...Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all glory and honor are Yours, eternal God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Emmanuel, God with us, in our lonely nights, under our guiding stars, with the hopes and fears of all our years, we come for comfort, for peace of mind and peace on earth, for a blessing on our hands and the bread in them, on our lips and the cup we lift to it.

Communion of the People

Prayer of Response and the Lord's Prayer

The Pastor will offer a small prayer before the Congregation joins... May this bread and cup be your holy Life, that we may ponder in our hearts, and pray in our community, and pray as our Savior taught us, Our Father, who art in Heaven...

Hymn of Sending #256 *Love Has Come!*

***Response to the Benediction #245** *“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” v.1*

*Charge & Benediction

*Postlude