

# Worship Guide Sunday, April 27, 2025

Please take this worship guide with you to use for your times of personal worship during the week.

# Welcome to Trinity Baptist Church

## We are glad you are here.

We know that everyone walks through these doors with different questions, hopes, and challenges. We want you to know that you and your burdens matter to us and—most importantly—to Jesus.

We believe in God's good news that Jesus is the King who can forgive our sin, free us from death, and bring us into an unbreakable relationship with God. This message shapes everything we do.

We invite you to trust and follow Jesus with us.

### Here's how to get connected.

Here are a few ways for you to connect here:

- Attend smaller groups (Sunday classes, Midweek Bible Study)
- Sign up to receive weekly updates (tbcnh.org/connect)
- Reach out with a specific question (info@tbcnh.org)
- Stay after the service to meet a pastor or church volunteer

## Have you made the decision to trust Christ?

If today you have made the decision to put your trust in Jesus Christ, let us know so we can partner with you in your journey of continuing to trust and follow him. Talk to the person at the Welcome Center after the service or email us at info@tbcnh.org.

# **Call to Worship - Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14**

As the fountain of all truth, goodness, and beauty, God deserves our trust, honor, and adoration. The call to worship invites us to consider whether we are making God the object of our worship, and stirs us to recenter our lives on him alone.

**9-10** "As I looked, thrones were placed, and the Ancient of Days took his seat; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames; its wheels were burning fire. 10 A stream of fire issued and came out from before him; a thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him; the court sat in judgment, and the books were opened."

13-14 "I saw in the night visions, and behold, with the clouds of heaven there came one like a son of man, and he came to the Ancient of Days and was presented before him. 14 And to him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed."

# **Song of Praise - Ancient Of Days**

CityAlight

1

Though the nations rage
Kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King
Reigning over all
So I will not fear for this truth remains:
That my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

None above Him, none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand
All the power, all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

2

Though the dread of night
Overwhelms my soul
He is here with me
I am not alone
O His love is sure and He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

3

Though I may not see
What the future brings
I will watch and wait
For the Saviour King
Then my joy complete standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days
Chorus

## **Words of Confession**

Confession means we are completely honest with God and others about our flaws and failures. Instead of hiding in shame or self-defensiveness, we admit our sin, and open ourselves to God's mercy available through Christ alone.

## Psalm 32

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Selah I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. Selah Therefore let everyone who is godly offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found; surely in the rush of great waters, they shall not reach him. You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance. Selah I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you. Be not like a horse or a mule, without understanding, which must be curbed with bit and bridle, or it will not stay near you. Many are the sorrows of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the Lord. Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!"

# Song of Confession and Praise - "Oh How Good It Is"

Keith & Kristen Getty

1

Oh how good it is
When the family of God
Dwells together in spirit
In faith and unity.
Where the bonds of peace,
Of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence
Here among us.

#### Chorus

So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord And with one heart we'll live out His word Till the whole earth sees The Redeemer has come For He dwells in the presence of His people. 2

Oh how good it is
On this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy
And weep with those who mourn.
For the weak find strength
The afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing
Of belonging.

Chorus

3

Oh how good it is
To embrace His command
To prefer one another
Forgive as He forgives.
When we live as one
We all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father
And the Spirit.

Chorus

# Prayer

Prayer is talking to God—declaring our desire for his glory, confessing our sins, thanking him for his boundless grace, and bringing to him our concerns for ourselves, others, the church, and the world. Scripture teaches us to make "supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings ... for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way" (1 Timothy 2:1-2).

Missionary: Mariano and Becky Proto (Uruguay)

Civil Servant: Rebecca Perkins Kwoka (Minority Leader of NH Senate)

## **Words of Assurance**

## Psalm 130

"Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord! O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared. I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning. O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption. And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities."

# Song of Assurance - "The Love of God"

Frederick M. Lehman

1

The love of God is greater far / than tongue or pen can ever tell; it goes beyond the highest star, / and reaches to the lowest hell. The wand'ring child is reconciled / by God's beloved Son. The aching soul again made whole, / and priceless pardon won.

#### Chorus

O love of God, how rich and pure! / How measureless and strong! It shall forevermore endure— / the saints' and angels' song.

2

When ancient time shall pass away, / and human thrones and kingdoms fall; when those who here refuse to pray / on rocks and hills and mountains call; God's love so sure, shall still endure, / all measureless and strong; grace will resound the whole earth round— / the saints' and angels' song.

Chorus

3

Could we with ink the ocean fill, / and were the skies of parchment made; were ev'ry stalk on earth a quill, / and ev'ryone a scribe by trade; to write the love of God above / would drain the ocean dry; nor could the scroll contain the whole, / though stretched from sky to sky.

Chorus

# Song of Preparation - "Jesus, Thank You"

Pat Sczebel

1

The mystery of the cross I cannot comprehend
The agonies of Calvary
You the perfect Holy One, crushed Your Son
Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me

Chorus

Your blood has washed away my sin
Jesus, thank You
The Father's wrath completely satisfied
Jesus, thank You
Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table
Jesus, thank You

2

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near Your enemy You've made Your friend Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace Your mercy and Your kindness know no end

Chorus

Bridge (3x):

Lover of my soul I want to live for You

Chorus

# **Scripture Reading**

John 6:28-35, 47-51

**28-35** Then they said to him, "What must we do, to be doing the works of God?" Jesus answered them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So they said to him, "Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform? Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.' "Jesus then said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always."

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.

**47-51** Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your fathers ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. And the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.

## Sermon: The Bread of Life

## John 6

"You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you." - Augustine of Hippo

### I. What happened?

- A. Jesus fed the 5,000 (vv. 1-15)
- B. Jesus walks on water (vv. 16-21)
- C. Jesus taught about who he was (vv. 22-71)

### II. What was the problem?

"Truly, truly, I say to you, you are seeking me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves." - 6:26

They loved the gift and missed the giver.

### **III.** What is the solution? (vv. 28-29; 35)

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied" - Matthew 5:6

A recording of this sermon will be found at youtube.com/TrinityBaptistChurchMedia or on Spotify (access via tbcnh.org)

## Song of Response - "All I Have Is Christ"

Sovereign Grace Music

1

I once was lost in darkest night
Yet thought I knew the way
The sin that promised joy and life
Had led me to the grave
I had no hope that You would own
A rebel to Your will
And if You had not loved me first
I would refuse You still

2

But as I ran my hell-bound race
Indifferent to the cost
You looked upon my helpless state
And led me to the cross
And I beheld God's love displayed
You suffered in my place
You bore the wrath reserved for me
Now all I know is grace

Chorus

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ Hallelujah! Jesus is my life

4

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone
And live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands
Could never come from me
O Father, use my ransomed life
In any way You choose
And let my song forever be
My only boast is You

Chorus (2x)

## Benediction

The benediction declares the reality of God's favor and presence with us as we prepare to leave.

he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, 16 who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

1 Timothy 6:15-16

# **Questions for Discussion and Application**

### For Kids

- 1. Have you ever wanted something really badly—like a toy or a snack—but still didn't feel happy after you got it? Why do you think that happens?
- 2. **Jesus gave the people food before they even asked for it.** What does that show about His love?
- 3. What are some ways we try to fill our hearts with other things instead of Jesus?
- 4. **Jesus said, "I am the Bread of Life."** What do you think He meant by that? How is Jesus better than any gift or prize?

#### **For Adults**

- 1. What does it mean to have a "hungry heart"? Have you ever felt spiritually unsatisfied even while actively following Jesus? Why do you think that happens?
- 2. In what ways are we tempted to seek Jesus more for what He can give us than for who He is?
- 3. Can you think of a time when God didn't give you what you wanted, but used that moment to show you He was enough? What did you learn?
- 4. What are some "junk food" spiritual substitutes people turn to for satisfaction? How can we identify and turn from those in our own lives?
- 5. Jesus invites people to "eat His flesh and drink His blood." Why do you think He used such strong and confusing language? What do you think He was trying to confront in His listeners?
- 6. **Jesus said**, "This is the work of God, that you believe in Him whom He has sent." How do we keep growing in that kind of faith—not just believing Jesus *can* satisfy, but actually living like He *does*?

#### **Upcoming Events Gathering Times** Sunday 4/28-May 2 | TBC Office Closed 4/30 | Joni & Friends Presentation Prayer Meeting ...... 8:00 AM 5/1 | Encore Bible Study CORE Classes ...... 9:00 AM 5/4 | LifeGroup Worship Service ...... 10:00 AM 5/9 | Women's Book Study (Christa) 5/15 | Encore Longhorn Lunch Wednesday 5/18 | Communion / Last LifeGroup GriefShare ...... 5:30 PM 5/19 | Men's Fellowship Dinner Combined Midweek Gathering .. 6:30 PM **5/23** | Teen Activity 5/25 | Members Business Meeting **Thursday 5/26** | TBC Office Closed 5/28 | Combined Midweek Gathering For more upcoming events, please visit tbcnh.org/event-calendar **New? Subscribe to Weekly Updates CORE Classes** Sundays at 9:00 AM **Age Group** Room 18-29 ...... 219 308 ...... 218 40S ...... 217 **Kids & Teens Sunday Classes** 50S ...... 214 Preschool - Room 110 4-5 years - Room 115 1st-2nd Grade - Room 117

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3rd-4th Grade - Room 119

5th-6th Grade - Room 118

Teens - Teen Room

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