

Worship Guide Sunday, May 25, 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 - Psalm 95:1-7

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.

Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation. Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise. For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land. Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Choir - "Psalm 150"

Throughout Scripture, God's people have used choirs to lead in worship. King David appointed hundreds of singers to minister musically to the Lord morning and evening (1 Chronicles 23:30). The choir serves in this same spirit today, testifying to God's eternality, love, and holiness, and stirring our hearts to praise him.

Song of Adoration - "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

1

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation O my soul, praise Him for He is thy health and salvation All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near Join me in glad adoration

2

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth Shelters thee under His wings, yea so gently sustaineth! Hast thou not seen how thy desires ever have been Granted in what He ordaineth?

3

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do
If with His love He befriend thee

4

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee
Decked thee with health and with loving hand guided and stayed thee
How oft in grief hath not He brought thee relief
Spreading His wings to o'ershade thee

5

Praise to the Lord O let all that is in me adore Him
All that hath life and breath come now with praises before Him
Let the Amen sound from His people again
Gladly forever adore Him

Words of Confession and Praise

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 103:8-13

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him. As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.

Psalm 150:1-6

Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness! Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp! Praise him with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe! Praise him with sounding cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals! Let everything that has breath praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)

1

You made the starry hosts
You traced the mountain peaks
You paint the evening sky with wonders
The earth, it is Your throne
From desert to the sea
All nature testifies Your splendor

Chorus

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord Sing His greatness all creation Praise the Lord, raise your voice You heights and all you depths From furthest east to west Let everything that has breath Praise the Lord 2

You reached into the dust
In love, Your Spirit breathed
You formed us in Your very likeness
To know Your wondrous works
To tell Your mighty deeds
To join the everlasting chorus

Chorus

3

Let symphonies resound
Let drums and choirs ring out
All heaven hear the sound of worship
Let every nation bring
Its honors to the King
A roar of harmonies eternal

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).

Gospel Partner: The Wilds of New England

Civil Servant: Chris Pappas (State Representative)

"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

1

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood

Chorus

This is my story, this is my song Praising my Savior all the day long This is my story, this is my song Praising my Savior all the day long

2

Perfect submission, perfect delight Visions of rapture now burst on my sight Angels descending, bring from above Echoes of mercy, whispers of love

Chorus

3

Perfect submission, all is at rest I in my Savior am happy and blest Watching and waiting, looking above Filled with His goodness, lost in His love

Chorus

5

When He comes our glorious King All His ransomed home to bring Then anew this song we'll sing Hallelujah what a Savior

Words of Assurance

John 10:27–28 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. **1 John 4:4** Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. **Romans 14:8** For if we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's.

Song of Preparation - "Jesus Is Mine"

1

Fade, fade each earthly joy, Jesus is mine Stronger than fleeting hopes, Jesus is mine Dark is the wilderness / Earth has no resting place Jesus alone can bless, Jesus is mine

2

In days of fragile peace, Jesus is mine
Through tearful nights of grief, Jesus is mine
His voice commands the storm / His presence stills my soul
He will sustain my hope, Jesus is mine

Refrain

Jesus is mine, Jesus is mine When all else fails, He still remains / Jesus is mine

3

When on that final day, Jesus is mine / Before His radiant face, Jesus is mine Safe in His arms, I'll cling / Praising my Savior King Forevermore, I'll sing, "Jesus is mine"

Scripture Reading - Ephesians 6:1-9

Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother" (this is the first commandment with a promise), "that it may go well with you and that you may live long in the land. Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. Bondservants, obey your earthly masters with fear and trembling, with a sincere heart, as you would Christ, not by the way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, rendering service with a good will as to the Lord and not to man, knowing that whatever good anyone does, this he will receive back from the Lord, whether he is a bondservant or is free. Masters, do the same to them, and stop your threatening, knowing that he who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and that there is no partiality with him.

Sermon: Spirit-Filled Parenting (Ephesians 6:4)

Sin has turned this world into a broken place. But God has a cosmic plan to heal and unite all things in Jesus—"things in heaven and things on earth" (Ephesians 1:10). Christian parents, as Spirit-filled participants in this plan, have a high and sacred calling: to nurture their children in the words and ways of Jesus.

I. Meaning - What does the text say?

- **A. Audience** "Fathers"

 Dads bear the primary responsibility.
- **B. Negative instruction** "Do not provoke your children to anger" *Authority wrongly used breaks trust and breeds resentment.*
- **C. Positive instruction** "Bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord"

Instead of neglecting or embittering their children, parents should use their influence to nurture their hearts and shape their minds in Jesus' words and ways.

- 1. "Bring them up" = nurture toward maturity
- 2. "Discipline" (paideia) = life-shaping education (process)
- 3. "Instruction" (nouthesia) = formative instruction (means)
- 4. "Of the Lord" = the words and ways of King Jesus (goal)

II. Application - How does the text apply?

- A. Live the truth you teach (Deut. 6:6-7; 1 Cor. 11:1)
- **B. Shape** their habits, shape their hearts (Prov. 22:6; Ps. 1:1-2; Deut. 5:12)
- C. Speak life-giving words (Deut. 6:7; Prov. 10:11; Psalm 78:1-8)
- **D. Engage** their minds with questions and answers (Deut. 6:20-21).

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

Response - "Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated"

1

Take my life and let it be / Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.

Take my hands and let them move / At the impulse of Thy love,

At the impulse of Thy love.

2

Take my feet and let them be / Swift and beautiful for Thee. Take my voice and let me sing, / Always, only for my King, Always, only for my King.

3

Take my silver and my gold, / Not a mite would I withhold. Take my moments and my days; / Let them flow in ceaseless praise, Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

4

Take my will and make it Thine, / It shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is Thine own, / It shall be Thy royal throne, It shall be Thy royal throne.

Benediction

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

May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Romans 15:5-6

Questions for Discussion and Application

For Everyone

- 1. How have you experienced either positive or negative examples of discipline and instruction growing up or in your current relationships?
- 2. If you are a parent or caregiver, how might you evaluate your own approach: are you more prone to provoke frustration or to nurture with patience and godly teaching?
- 3. Even if you are not actively parenting children now, how might Ephesians 6:4 challenge you in your relationships with younger people or those you influence (managing, mentoring, teaching, coaching)?
- 4. How can the principle of "discipline and instruction in the Lord" be applied to personal growth or discipleship beyond parenting?
- 5. What specific steps can you take this week to embody the patience, love, and godly instruction this verse calls for in your closest relationships?
- 6. How can our church support parents and caregivers in fulfilling this calling well?
- 7. How does understanding God as a loving Father shape how we think about disciplining and instructing others?

For Parents

- 1. What is my ultimate goal for my children? (What kind of person am I hoping they become—spiritually, morally, and relationally?)
- 2. By the time they leave home, what do I want them to believe, love, and practice? (*What convictions should anchor them, what affections should drive them, and what habits should shape their daily lives?*)
- 3. How am I intentionally shaping our family's rhythms—our schedule, conversations, and use of technology—to move them toward that vision?
- 4. What do my children currently believe about God, the gospel, and the purpose of life—and how do I know? (*Have I heard it from their own mouths, or am I assuming based on outward behavior?*)
- 5. What value do my children place on the church, prayer, and Scripture—and what am I doing to help shape that value?

Upcoming Events

Gathering Times

5/26 TBC Office Closed
5/28 Combined Midweek Gathering
6/5 Encore Bible Study
6/7 TCS Graduation
6/8 Annual Business Meeting
6/15 Summer Sunday School Begins
6/29-7/7 Teen Mission Trip
7/4 Independence Day (Church Office
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For more upcoming events, please visit tbcnh.org/event-calendar

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Prayer Meeting	8:00 AM
CORE Classes	9:00 AM
Worship Service	10:00 AM

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study with
Nursery, Kids Club and
Youth Group 6:30 PM

Thursday

Freedom That Lasts 7:00 PM

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Kids & Teens Sunday Classes

Preschool - Room 110 4-5 years - Room 115 1st-2nd Grade - Room 117 3rd-4th Grade - Room 119 5th-6th Grade - Room 118 Teens - Teen Room

Upcoming Sundays

9:00 AM

5/25 | Budget Presentation (*Auditorium*)

6/1 | Church Prayer Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

6/8 | Annual Church Business Meeting (Auditorium)

6/15 | Summer Sunday School Begins

Weekly Giving Update: Weekly Budget: \$21,800 Last Week's Giving: \$21,127.65 **Leadership Team:** Jonathan Threlfall *Lead Pastor* • Jason Armstrong *Associate Pastor* Jake Jones Associate Pastor • Mike Kingsley Director of Educational Ministries

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