

Reflection

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, 2 but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world.

— Hebrews 1:1-2

“... the gospel did not so supplant the entire law as to bring forward a different way of salvation. Rather, it confirmed and satisfied whatever the law had promised, and gave substance to the shadows ... where the whole law is concerned, the gospel differs from it only in clarity of manifestation.”

— John Calvin

ENTERING GOD’S PRESENCE

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Amen.*

Call to Worship

Isaiah 49:8-10

Thus says the LORD: “In a time of favor I have answered you; in a day of salvation I have helped you; I will keep you and give you as a covenant to the people, to establish the land, to apportion the desolate heritages, saying to the prisoners, ‘Come out,’ to those who are in darkness, ‘Appear.’ They shall feed along the ways; on all bare heights shall be their pasture; they shall not hunger or thirst, neither scorching wind nor sun shall strike them, for he who has pity on them will lead them, and by springs of water will guide them.

Invocation and Prayer of Adoration

Hymn of Praise

Holy God, We Praise Your Name #103

Responsive Reading

Isaiah 62:1-5

Minister (v. 1): For Zion’s sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem’s sake I will not be quiet, until her righteousness goes forth as brightness, and her salvation as a burning torch.

People (vv. 2-3): The nations shall see your righteousness, and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

Minister (v. 4): You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate, but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.

All (v. 5): For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your sons marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Hymn of Praise

All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above #4
(alt. tune)

CONFESSING OUR SIN

Prayer of Confession and Pastoral Prayer

Words of Comfort and Promise

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah, not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, my covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, declares the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people. And no longer shall each one teach his neighbor and each his brother, saying, ‘Know the LORD,’ for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the LORD. For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.

Hymn of Response

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross #252

RENEWING OUR FAITH

Westminster Larger Catechism

Q. 34-35

Q. 34. How was the covenant of grace administered under the Old Testament ?

A. The covenant of grace was administered under the Old Testament, by promises, prophecies, sacrifices, circumcision, the passover, and other types and ordinances, which did all foreshadow Christ then to come, and were for that time sufficient to build up the elect in faith in the promised Messiah, by whom they then had full remission of sin, and eternal salvation.

Q. 35. How is the covenant of grace administered under the New Testament?

A. Under the New Testament, when Christ the substance was exhibited, the same covenant of grace was and still is to be administered in the preaching of the Word, and the administration of the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord’s Supper; in which grace and salvation are held forth in more fulness, evidence, and efficacy, to all nations.

Scripture Reading

Luke 24:36-49

Reader: The Word of the Lord

(Pew Bible p. 885)

People: Amen!

Hymn of Preparation

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing #457

At this time, children in pre-K through Kindergarten may be dismissed to the nursery classroom on the first floor.

Proclamation of God’s Word

Don Bennett, Ruling Elder

Acts 22:6-21; 23:1-6; 24:10-16 — “Paul Proclaims The Christ of the

Law and the Prophets”

(Pew Bible pp. 931, 932, & 933)

RESPONDING IN THANKS

Musical Reflection

God, in the Gospel of His Son (Sung by musicians)

1. God, in the gospel of his Son,
makes his eternal counsels known;
where love in all its glory shines,
and truth is drawn in fairest lines.

2. Here sinners of a humble frame
may taste his grace and learn his name;
may read, in characters of blood,
the wisdom, pow’r, and grace of God.

3. The pris’ner here may break his chains;
the weary rest from all his pains;
the captive feel his bondage cease;
the mourner find the way of peace.

4. Here faith reveals to mortal eyes
a brighter world beyond the skies;
here shines the light which
guides our way
from earth to realms of endless day.

5. O grant us grace, almighty Lord,
to read and mark your holy Word;
its truths with meekness to receive,
and by its holy precepts live.

Collection of Offering

Closing Hymn

The Church’s One Foundation #347

Benediction

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wedding Celebration for the Leitners — Join us **next Sunday, August 21st at 5:30 pm** for a time to celebrate Will & Caroline’s new marriage and recent move to join our ministry! We will share a meal together and spend time hearing from and praying for the new Leitners. This will take the place of our regular Sunday evening ministries. RSVP details and a sign up to help with the meal and contribute to a group gift will be sent via email tomorrow.

Summer Book Study — Both the men and women have been reading and discussing Richard Wurmbrand’s *Tortured for Christ* this Summer. **The men will meet for their last meeting Tuesday, August 23rd at 6:30 pm.** Location details to come.

NEW DATE! Missions Lunch — Join us **Sunday, August 28th** after our worship service for a time to hear a report from our Honduras missions team! Lunch will be provided.

No Morning or Evening Ministries — We will not have Sunday School or our evening ministries on **Sunday, August 28th** or **Sunday, September 4th**. We will, however, have our missions lunch after the worship service on Sunday, August 28th (see above).

Fall Kickoff — We will highlight and pray for our new Fall ministries during the Sunday School hour (9:15 am) on **Sunday, September 11th**.

Sunday Night Science Exploration — Inspired by our recent VBS Science Camp, we want to embark upon a church-wide venture to study God’s world together. Adults and children, plan to join us four consecutive Sunday evenings beginning **September 11th from 5:30-7:00 pm** as we learn from several individuals within our congregation who have sought and are seeking to use God’s Word as the “spectacles” through which they view the world. Stay tuned for more details!

After School Arts Program — We will begin the third year of our arts and music classes for children Kindergarten through 5th grade on **Tuesday, September 13th from 3:30-5:30 pm**. Please invite friends! Contact Sarah Fisher at sfisher@htpctampa.org to register.

New Members Class — We will begin our seven-week New Members Class during the Sunday School hour (9:15 am) **Sunday, September 18th**. This class will be taught by the Elders and is intended to provide you with an opportunity to get to know our leadership as we seek to provide you with a clear

understanding of the identity of our church. We desire to have a unified vision of church life under the authority of God's Word and are committed to warm, vibrant orthodoxy in life and doctrine under our common Chief Shepherd. RSVP to Sarah Fisher (sfisher@htpctampa.org). See below for details about our upcoming Visitor's Lunch following the service on the first day of this class.

Visitors Lunch — If you are newer to Holy Trinity, we warmly invite you to join us **Sunday, September 18th** for a fellowship lunch after worship in the Fellowship Hall to get to know others in our church as well as some of our leadership. Please RSVP to Sarah Fisher in the church office (sfisher@htpctampa.org).



Acts 22:6-21; 23:1-6; 24:10-16
"Paul Proclaims The Christ of the Law and the Prophets"

1. Introduction: Paul In Jerusalem and Caesarea (Acts 21:17-24:27)

2. Paul's Message to Israel

a. Paul proclaims Christ in the _____.

b. Paul proclaims Jesus as the promised _____.

c. Paul proclaims _____ hope in Christ.

3. Implications

WELCOME

HOLY TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Our theological standards are the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Larger and Shorter Catechisms, all of which are subordinate to our only ultimate rule of faith and practice, God's Word (the Old and New Testament Scriptures).

We are glad you are worshiping with us today. We invite you to join us for refreshments in the courtyard immediately following the morning worship service.

Let us know how we may pray for you. Fill out a prayer request card, found in the pews, and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. The officers of the church will confidentially pray for these requests.

We welcome the participation of children in our worship service. This is their time to hear from God's Word and praise him. Childcare is also available downstairs:

- Age 0-3: childcare available during the entire service (bottom floor)
- Pre-K-K5 Grade: dismissed to the nursery before the sermon

MEETING TIMES

Sundays: 9:15 am.....Sunday School for all ages
 10:30 am.....Morning Worship Service
 6:00 pmEvening Worship and Prayer, Covenant
 Kids class, High School & Middle School studies

Nursery and childcare are provide for all above Sunday activities

Small Groups meet at various times for prayer and fellowship in members' homes. See our website for details, htpctampa.org.

Thursdays @ 5:30 pm. Neighborhood Outreach Dinner. We prepare and serve a meal for those in need from the community. More details on website.

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