

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

God of all nations, we praise you that in Christ the barriers that have separated humanity are torn down. Yet we confess our slowness to open our hearts and minds to people of other lands, tongues, and races. Deliver us from the sins of fear and prejudice, that we may move toward the day when all are truly one in Jesus Christ. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Glory to God. Amen.

SONG OF RESPONSE

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less
Trinity Hymnal 521

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism 103
Trinity Hymnal 877

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Joshua 10:22-43
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The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

DISMISSAL Children (Age 3 through Grade 5) to Children's Church

† PSALM

Psalm 45:1-10
Trinity Hymnal 169

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 14:1-19
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This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

By Certificate of Transfer

Harris and Nuji Kunanayagam
from McLean Presbyterian Church, McLean, VA

By Reaffirmation of Faith

Bob Brown, Ruth Shannon, Grace Lee, Ruth "Gie" Walker, Alice Wiens

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

General Fund

Please place Welcome Card in the Offering Plate

OFFERTORY SONG

I Will Sing the Wondrous Story
Trinity Hymnal 180

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

2 Timothy 1:3-7
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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

Faith and Heritage
Rev. Freddy Fritz

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

Showers of Blessing
Trinity Hymnal 130

† BENEDICTION

† DISMISSAL SONG

Threefold Amen
Trinity Hymnal 740

Children, ages 3 to Second Grade, are dismissed to Children's Church in Room 4.
Nursery care is provided in Room 13, across from the Ladies' Restroom, during the Worship Service.
Parents: Please pick up your children at 11:45 a.m. (except on Communion Sunday or when there is a lunch following Worship Service, when they will return to you during the closing song).
Parents: For the safety of your children, please accompany them to the bathrooms and the "Meet & Greet Café".
Please silence all communication devices.
Please refrain from applause and flash photography during the Worship Service.
Please refrain from eating or drinking during the Worship Service.
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Visitors: Please visit the Welcome Center in the narthex for a free book and information about the church.

This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Center

Alan Polasky and Joanne Carter

Ushers

Martine Extermann, Richard Hunter,
and Barb Hess

Children's Church

Cheryl Barber and Rebekah Skopp

Nursery

Abigail Vincent and Carey Springer

Sound Board

Nathan Vincent
and LeeAnn DeStefano

Next Week's Volunteers

Welcome Center

Brian & Alisa Carrier

Ushers

Jack Diaz and Derk Shultz

Children's Church

Cheryl Barber, Rebekah Skopp, Averil

Masie, and Caleb Massie

Nursery

Jill Otero and Brandi Shultz

Sound Board

Jack Diaz, Cathi Diaz,
and Anthony Contrata

Evening Worship Service

Sunday, August 14, 2022

6:00 p.m.

Tonight's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz & Michael Bridges

† Please stand as you are able

PRELIMINARY SINGING

Lamb of Glory
Hear the Call of Kingdom
Mercies Anew

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign Welcome Card

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Based on Psalm 27; John 4:23

Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.

We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holy temple.

We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.

Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

Teach us your ways and make straight our paths in this hour of worship and always.

† OPENING SONG

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Trinity Hymnal 92

INVOCATION

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Father, you tell us in your Word that whatever does not proceed from faith is sin. We confess that we have frequently relaxed our faith. We have allowed ourselves to become cynical, and our cynicism has boiled over with slander, criticism, prayerlessness, and pessimism. How easily we've allowed ourselves to crumple under the stresses of our lives. Forgive us for our smallness of faith. In your mercy, hear us, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

In Christ we have the forgiveness of sins and the riches of God's grace. This grace was given to us: to preach to the nations the unsearchable riches of Christ, and to make plain to everyone the administration of this mystery, which for ages past was kept hidden in God, who created all things. Thanks be to God.

