

Tryon Presbyterian Church

430 Harmon Field Road ~ Tryon, North Carolina

August 14, 2022 - 10:00 am

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Our Mission Statement:

To be and make disciples of Jesus Christ, who love God and their neighbor.

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD OF GOD

RINGING OF THE BELL

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

PRELUDE

Organ

Rev. Lesley Bush

“Theme from Second Movement of Symphony No. 9” - “Going Home”

Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904) arranged by Richard Lloyd

WELCOME

Dr. Allan Purtill

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 95:6-7

Come, let us bow down in worship,

Let us kneel before the Lord our Maker;

For he is our God

**And we are the people of his pasture, the
flock under his care.**

†OPENING HYMN

Hymnal Number 613 & 614

“O Lord, Our Lord”

Tune: HOW MAJESTIC

“Great Are You, Lord”

Tune: GREAT IS THE LORD

(Sing each hymn twice)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God, you bless those who are merciful, but we have often presided as harsh judges over the lives of others. We have been quick to place blame on anything or anyone but ourselves. Lord, have mercy upon us.

SILENT PRAYERS AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, hear and believe the good news of the gospel.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

†GLORIA PATRI

“Glory Be to the Father”

Hymnal Number 581

Tune: GLORIA PATRI

PROCLAIMING THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Dr. Purtil

CANTICLE

“Ancient Words”

Summer Hymnal Supplement page 3

Words and Music by Lynn DeShazo

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Carolyn Jones

Our Lord our God, now as we hear your Word, fill us with your Spirit. Soften our hearts that we may delight in your presence. Sharpen our minds that we may understand your truth. Shape our wills that we may follow gladly your ways. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Psalms 145:1-9 (NRSV)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Pew Bible, Old Testament page 581

ANTHEM

Summer Singers

“Come to Me, You Weary”

arranged by James Michael Stevens

“Come to Me, you weary, and I will give you rest.” Hear the words of Jesus, who speaks to hearts, oppressed, of pardon and His perfect peace; of love and joy that will not cease. Come to Him, you weary. He will give you rest. “Come to Me, you wanderers, and I will guide your way.” See the morning gladness with mercy, new, each day. He drives out darkness, bringing light; dispels the shadows of the night. Come to Him, you wanderers. He will guide your way. “Come, you weary. Come, you faint of heart. If you’re wandering, come home to My rest. Come to Me, you fainting, and I will give you life.” See the heart of Jesus, who calms the storms and strife. He calls to us, our cares to bring. His joy awakes the heart to sing “Come to Me, you weary, I will give you rest.”

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Dr. Purtil

Luke 15:25-32 (NRSV)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Pew Bible, New Testament page 79

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

†CLOSING HYMN

Hymnal Number 418

“Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling”

Tune: SOFTLY AND TENDERLY

SENDING OF THE CHURCH

†CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Dr. Purtil

†CARRYING CHRIST’S LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

†POSTLUDE

Organ

Rev. Bush

“Praise Him! Praise Him!”

arranged by Mary McDonald

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†The congregation is invited to stand. Those who wish to remain seated are welcome to do so.

Welcome!

We extend a sincere welcome to everyone who is visiting with us this morning. If you haven't done so, please be sure to pick up a welcome packet from one of the ushers this morning. If you are interested in learning more about Tryon Presbyterian or church membership, contact Rev. Dr. Allan Purtil at RevAllanPurtill@gmail.com or call the church office at (828) 859-6683. We hope that you will find the warmth and love of God in worship today.

Disciple: Bible study for busy or not so busy lives.

You are invited on a 12-week journey that will immerse you in the Old Testament. This study is a wonderful way to engage with the Bible for the first time or renew your understanding again. Ever wondered what ties the scriptures together? Ever sought to better read and understand God's word for today? We will read a manageable 3-5 chapters a day in preparation for weekly meetings. Each class will last approximately 75 minutes and includes a review video to help us recall important facts and ideas for discussion of the scriptures. Upon completion of Disciple, you will have the opportunity to take the New Testament in the coming year.

The class will begin Sunday, August 28th at 4 pm.
Room to be determined by number of participants.

Participant Manual is \$17

Please contact Dr. Allan Purtil for questions or to participate.

Three New Books in the TPC Library

Do angels interest you? We have two new books by Robert D. Lesslie that you might enjoy. They are *Angels in the ER* and *Angels and Heroes*. Another inspirational book that we have received is by Max Lucado. *It is Out Live Your Life*.

Come by the library and check them out.

Guatemala Children's Scholarships

It is time to share our love and ministry to help fund scholarships for **children in Guatemala**.

For more than 20 years, Tryon Presbyterian Church has supported children from our sister church, El Mesias.

In Guatemala, there is little or no government support. Education is their path out of poverty. For every donation of \$125.00, one or more students will have tuition, books, and uniforms for the upcoming school year.

What can you do? Prayerfully consider making a \$125 donation per child to help give them the opportunity to receive an education. Donations can be given through the church office noting **Guatemala Scholarship** on your check.

Thank you for your consideration of this very worthy ministry!

Thank You

When we put out the appeal for boots and gloves for the folks in eastern Kentucky, we knew that Tryon Presbyterian would come through. On many projects you've shown the caring, compassion, concern, and love which are earmarks of our congregation.

The boots, gloves, and other gifts will be well used. We've been assured by our friends on Caney Creek (where we lived) that the boots, gloves, and other gifts are needed. In fact, the needs all over eastern Kentucky are great and will be for a long time.

Your prayers and concern, as well as the gifts, are greatly appreciated.

We love you.

Richard and Dot Kennedy

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, August 14

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am Worship - S

Monday, August 15

Tuesday, August 16

Wednesday, August 17

10:00 am Prayer Group - S

3:00 pm Summer Singers Rehearsal - CR

Thursday, August 18

11:30 am Tryon Rotary Club - FH

Friday, August 19

Saturday, August 20

11:00 am Ralph Kuether's Memorial Service

Sunday, August 21

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am Worship - S

S=Sanctuary; **FH**=Fellowship Hall; **EB**=Educational Building;
JCR=Jones Conference Room; **CR**=Choir Room; **PS**=Pastor's
Study; **TE**=Tryon Estates; **WO**=White Oak

We Remember in Prayer...

MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH

Joanne Alderman
Russ Alderman
Duane Bateman
Delores Brinson
Fran Creasy
Dale Drake
Merle Greene
Susan Kelley
Amy Leidheiser
Joan Post

TRYON ESTATES MEDICAL - COLUMBUS

Betty Chamberlain
Mimi Child
Max Coy
Dan Schutter

LAUREL WOODS - COLUMBUS

Gerri Cegielski
Kay Davis

Penny Kuether
Ruth Rose

WHITE OAK - TRYON

Ruby Ferverda
(Terri Hendrix's Mother)

FRIENDS OF THE CHURCH

Debbie Potter
(Mary Potter's daughter-in-law)

...our church family and staff

... our Pastor and Family

Allan, Jenny, Syler and James Purtill

...our partner church, El Mesias

in Flores Costa Cuca, Guatemala

Maria Luisa Lopez Basilio

Daily Bible Readings For This Week

S	08-14	Jer. 23:23-29; Ps. 82; Heb. 11:29-12:2; Luke 12:49-56
M	08-15	Psalm 74; Isaiah 5:8-23; 1 John 4:1-6
T	08-16	Psalm 74; Isaiah 5:24-30; Acts 7:44-53
W	08-17	Psalm 74; Isaiah 27:1-13; Luke 19:45-48
T	08-18	Psalm 71:1-6; Jeremiah 6:1-19; Hebrews 12:3-17
F	08-19	Psalm 71:1-6; Jeremiah 6:20-30; Acts 17:1-9
S	08-20	Psalm 71:1-6; Jeremiah 1:-3, 11-19; Luke 6:1-5

Flowers

*The flowers are given to the
glory of God.*

*by
Bill & Patra Sullivan*

Weekly Giving

August

Weekly Offerings

	<u>Given</u>	<u>Need</u>
08-07	\$ 8,411	\$ 8,064
08-14	\$	\$ 8,064
08-21	\$	\$ 8,064
08-28	\$	\$ 8,064

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Monday - Thursday

8 am - 11:30 am, 12:30 pm - 4 pm
(11:30-12:30 lunch hour)

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8 am - 12 pm

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