

Trinity Presbyterian Church

February 18, 2026 6:30 pm

in the Sanctuary & Online

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Wednesday

GATHERING

PRELUDE

“O God, You Search Me and You Know Me”

Farrell/arr. Vogt

“Change My Heart, O God”

Espinosa/arr. Hayes

YOUR SILENT PRAYER (During The Prelude) *Gracious God, out of your love and mercy you breathed into dust the breath of life, creating us to serve you and neighbors. Call forth our prayers and acts of tenderness, and strengthen us to face our mortality, that we may reach with confidence for your mercy; in Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Bless the LORD!

We bless God’s holy name.

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We will remember all God’s blessings.

The LORD forgives all our sins,

And heals all our infirmities.

The LORD redeems our life from the grave;

And crowns us with mercy and loving-kindness.

So we gather in humble gratitude to offer God our prayer and praise.

***HYMN #676**

“Day Is Done”

HEARING

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

SPECIAL MUSIC

“A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth”

DeCesare

Janet Jones, soloist

RESPONDING

LITANY OF CONFESSION

Psalm 51:1-3, 7

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love,
in your great mercy blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from all my sin.

For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.

Against you only have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight.

Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure;
wash me, and I shall be clean.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND SILENT CONFESSION

IMPOSITION OF THE ASHES

*“Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return.”
But remember, too, that you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit
and are Christ’s own forever.*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON & FORGIVENESS Joel 2:13; John 3:16; Luke 19:10

Yet even now, says the Lord,
return to me with all your heart!

Return to the Lord, your God,
**for God is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in
steadfast love.**

Indeed! God so loved the world that he sent his Son!
God so loved us that he sent his Son!

And this Son came to seek out and to save the lost;
to find us, to restore us and bring us home.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

***HYMN #442**

“Just as I Am, without One Plea”

***BENEDICTION**

Go forth into the world in the strength of God’s mercy to live and serve in newness of life. And may the Spirit of the risen Lord bless you and keep you.

Amen.

May the Lamb of God who laid down his life for all, smile graciously upon you.

Amen.

May the Lord God order all your days and your deeds in peace.

Amen. Bless the Lord!

SENDING MUSIC

“Lamb of God”

Paris/arr. Carter

WELCOME to all who worship with us tonight. We pray you find your load lightened and your spirit renewed. We encourage you to keep a holy Lent.

MACK’S LENTEN CLASS begins February 22 at 9:00 am in the Upper Room In “The Third Day: Living the Resurrection”, Tom Berlin uses his gifts of storytelling & understanding the Scriptures to connect the reader to the experiences of individuals around Jesus in his final days, focusing on new life and redemption rather than loss. Join Peter, Mary Magdalene, and Thomas as they feel the despair of losing Jesus and the surprise and joy that awaits them in the resurrection. This study traces events around these characters, along with Paul and the disciples at Emmaus, and how the resurrection transforms their lives.

“Day is Done”

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