

# Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

Trinity Avenue at Gregson Street  
Durham, North Carolina

*"A Friendly Community Church"*



*God make the door of this House wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship, and the Father's care; and narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred. Make its threshold smooth enough for the feet of little children and rugged enough to call forth our mature powers.*

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1955

MORNING WORSHIP

ELEVEN O'CLOCK

SUMMER ORDER OF SERVICE

QUIET PRAYER

"Give us grace, we pray thee, O God, to greet the new day with expectant minds and obedient wills; and, in thy mercy, show us from hour to hour, among the cares and duties which await us, the way to go and the truth to trust and the life to lead. Amen."

PRELUDE "Adagio" (from 3rd Organ Symphony) Saint Saens

DOXOLOGY INVOCATION THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" No. 29

SCRIPTURE READING PASTORAL PRAYER

ANTHEM "Turn Ye Even To Me" Harker

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

"Remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how He said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

OFFERTORY "Morning Reverie" Russell

SERMON "THE MEEK ARE NOT WEAK" The Minister

BENEDICTION

Choral Response " 3 fold Amen"

POSTLUDE

AFTER THE SERVICE, TURN AND GREET YOUR NEIGHBORS

## YOUR CHURCH CALENDAR

- Sunday:**        NURSERY: For the Hour of Worship.  
JUNIOR AND PIONEERS: will meet together at  
6:00- Rev. Walter W. Benjamin, Advisor.  
SENIORS: 7:30 at the Manse, 1012 Green St.  
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING: 6:00 at the  
Church.  
DIACONATE MEETING: 7:30 at the Church.
- Monday:**       WOMEN OF THE CHURCH CIRCLES MEET AS FOLLOWS:  
#2-12:00 noon with Mrs. L. L. Collins, 2025 Woodrow St.  
#4-8:00 P.M. with Mrs. Boardman Bennett, 1012 Green  
St., with Mrs. E. F. Rightsell, co-hostess.  
#5-8:00 P.M. with Mrs. George White, 3018 Banner St.  
#6-8:00 P.M. with Mrs. Gilbert Mays, 2006 Erwin Rd.
- Tuesday:**      #9-8:00 P.M. with Mrs. Fuller Walker, 920 Lamond Ave.  
NURSERY MOTHERS' ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING: 7:30 at the  
Church. Mrs. Madison Spach is Chairman of the group.  
SESSION MEETING: 8:00 at the home of Mr. Linwood L.  
Collins, 2025 Woodrow St.
- Wednesday:**   NURSERY SCHOOL 9:00-12:00  
COVERED-DISH SUPPER: 6:30-Mrs. D. J. Smith, Chm.  
SERVICE OF WORSHIP AND STUDY: 7:20.
- Thursday:**     CHOIR SCHOOL: 3:45.  
CHANCEL CHOIR: 7:30 for prayer; 7:40 for rehearsal.  
BOY SCOUT TROOP 412: 7:30 at the Church.
- Sunday:**        YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR:

The Sanctuary flowers today are presented by Mr. and Mrs. Preson P. Phillips in honor of Mrs. George W. Phillips, mother of Mr. Phillips, who celebrated her 84th birthday on September 8, 1955.

The new issues of the Upper Room have arrived. You will want to get your copy from the literature rack as you leave this morning.

# The Church Directory

## THE CHURCH STAFF

WILLIAM CROMPTON BENNETT, Th.D., *Minister*  
The Manse: 1012 Green Street Telephone 8-4346

WALTER W. BENJAMIN, *Assistant to the Minister*  
1838 Forest Road Telephone 8-9617

MRS. C. P. WILSON, *Church Secretary*  
Office Hours: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. — Monday through Friday  
Church Office Telephone 6-6671

WM. R. HOYT, *Minister to Students*  
Office at Duke University

MRS. A. L. SKILLEN, *Director of Music*  
106 Charlotte Street Telephone 8-7548

DR. AND MRS. HENRY S. NELSON  
*Medical Missionaries*

L. B. CARDEN, *Sexton*  
904 Virgie Street Telephone 8-2160

## THE SESSION

LIFE MEMBER, J. L. KIRKLAND

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## THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

|                             |                         |                              |                      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| President .....             | Mrs. Edward K. Kraybill | Chairman, Circle Three ..... | Mrs. C. F. Carty     |
| First Vice-President .....  | Mrs. R. N. Barringer    | Chairman, Circle Four .....  | Mrs. Edwin Shoaf     |
| Second Vice-President ..... | Mrs. A. L. Foster       | Chairman, Circle Five .....  | Mrs. W. T. Farmer    |
| Secretary .....             | Mrs. G. R. Blanchard    | Chairman, Circle Six .....   | Mrs. Dan T. Carr     |
| Treasurer .....             | Mrs. Thurman Johnson    | Chairman, Circle Seven ..... | Mrs. James S. Wilson |
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| Chairman, Circle One .....  | Mrs. Henry C. Carr      | Chairman, Circle Nine .....  | Mrs. Frank Barr      |
| Chairman, Circle Two .....  | Mrs. Charles Knott      |                              |                      |

## THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Nursery: Mrs. Wayne P. Rambeau  
Kindergarten: Mrs. P. M. Bussell  
Primary: Mrs. J. C. Petrea  
Adult Dept.: Dr. Henry C. Carr

Junior: R. L. Blake  
Pioneer: Gurney R. Blanchard  
Young People: E. H. Shoaf

Superintendent: Preson P. Phillips  
Asst. Supt.: J. C. Petrea  
Treasurer: C. C. White, Jr.  
Registrar: Edward K. Kraybill

Classes for: Young Adults, Couples, Men and Women

## THE YOUNG PEOPLES' GROUPS

Junior and Senior Fellowship  
Walter W. Benjamin

Pioneer Fellowship  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton Miller

Choir School  
Mrs. A. L. Skillen

Day Nursery: Monday, Wednesday, Friday: Mrs. Edward K. Kraybill, Teacher