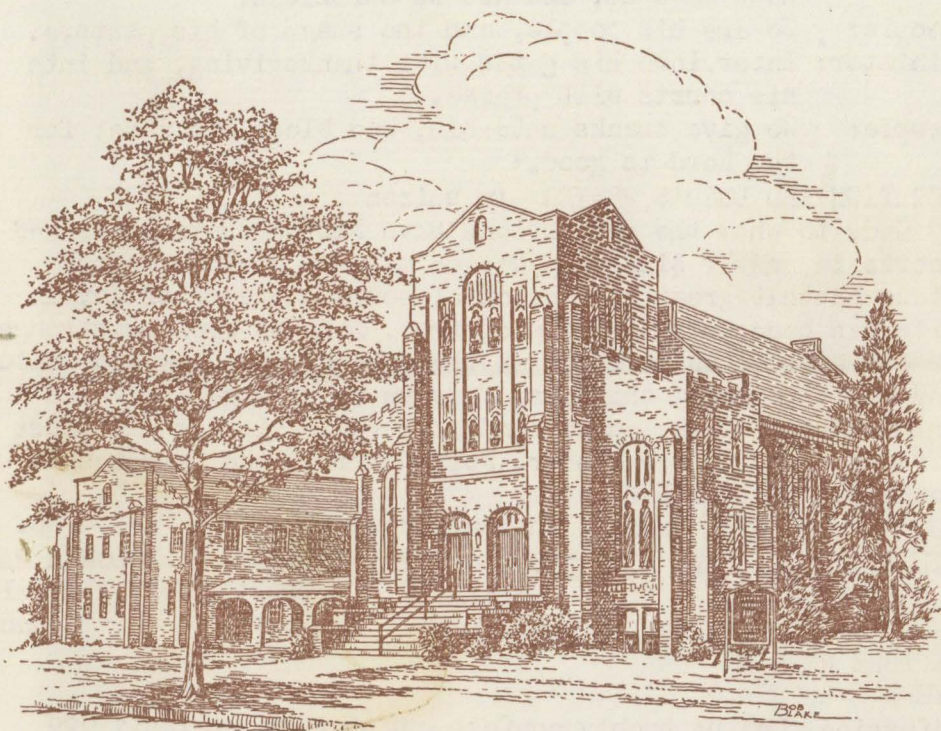


# Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

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, NOVEMBER 4, 1956  
MORNING WORSHIP ELEVEN O'CLOCK

"O God, our help in ages past,  
Our hope for years to come  
Our shelter from the stormy blast,  
And our eternal home."

PRELUDE "Sleepers' Wake"  
INTROIT

Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP Let Us Worship God

Minister: "Know ye that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves.

People: We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Minister: Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise.

People: We give thanks unto him, and bless his name: for the Lord is good."

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER In Unison

"O God, to whom the generations have lifted their hands and hearts in prayer since man became man, we would take our place in that great succession of souls whose chief joy in life has been the knowledge of thee. Make us cleaner, stronger, truer, because we have sat at the feet of the wise and noble and the saintly of the ages. May we be stronger comrades in thine eternal work, as we find it revealed in the matchless life of thy Son, our Master, Jesus Christ, who hath taught us to pray: 'Our Father...'"

HYMN "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"

No. 433

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

GLORIA PATRI

RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 27

Sel. 7

ANTHEM "In Thee, O Lord, Have I Trusted"

Handel

SCRIPTURE READING

PRAYERS - > 120

Confession Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God

"Have mercy upon us, O God, according to thy lovingkindness: according to the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sins. For we acknowledge our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Assurance of Pardon  
Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response  
CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

379

HYMN "Jesus, The Very Thought of Thee" No. 401  
PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS DOXOLOGY

"For your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty  
might be rich."

OFFERTORY "Adagio" Sonata No. 1 ✓ Mendelssohn  
SERMON GO TO WORK! The Minister

THE PARTING PROMISE OF GOD

Minister: The Lord is thy keeper, the Lord is thy shade upon  
thy right hand.

People: He will not suffer thy foot to be moved; He that  
keepeth thee will not slumber.

Minister: The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil, He will  
preserve thy soul.

People: The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming  
in from this time forth and even forevermore.

BENEDICTION and CHORAL RESPONSE "~~Choral Amen~~" POSTLUDE

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The Sanctuary flowers today are given in loving memory of  
Mr. H. L. Hassell by his family.

SPECIAL BIBLE STUDY: Wednesday, November 7th here at the  
Church. "A Survey of The Book of Deuteronomy." Tea 3:15.  
First Session 3:30-4:30; Supper 6:30-7:20; Second Session 7:30-8:15

Next Sunday is LOYALTY DAY in our Church. Canvassers'  
Luncheon: 12:30. Those members who are unable to attend Church  
on LOYALTY DAY and do not bring or mail their pledges in before,  
will be visited.

This afternoon at 4:00, Mr. E. Power Biggs will present an organ  
recital in the Duke University chapel, Everyone is invited.

Presbyterian Choir Festival, November 18th, First Church.

# The Church Directory

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

Junior: Robert L. Blake  
Pioneer: Mrs. Fred Bersebach  
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Classes for: Young Adults, Couples, Men and Women

## THE YOUNG PEOPLES' GROUPS

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