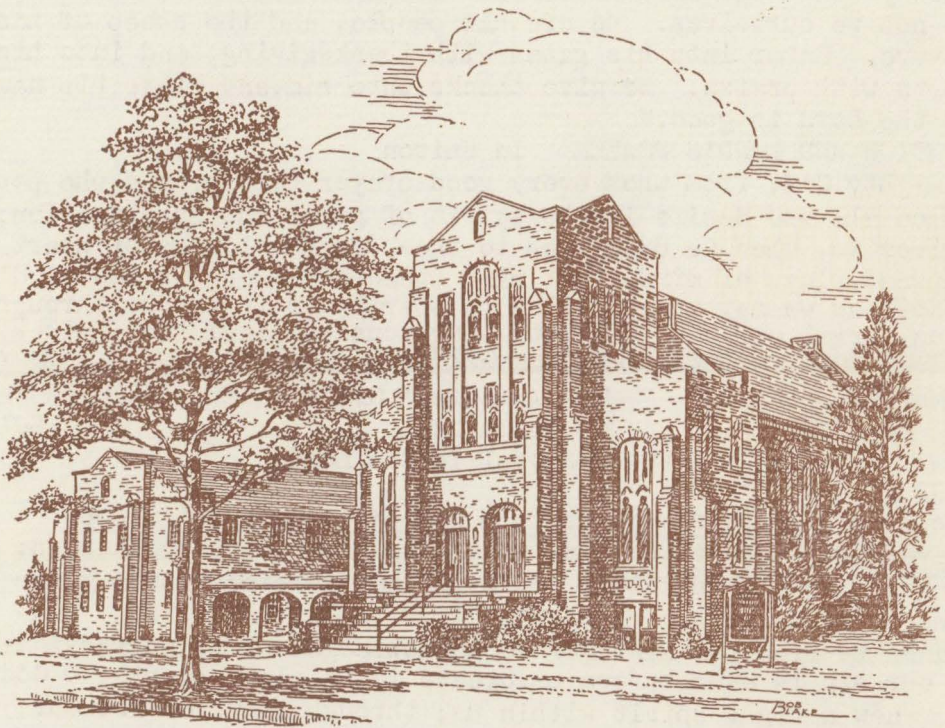


Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

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, OCTOBER 21, 1956
MORNING WORSHIP ELEVEN O'CLOCK

"All things are Thine: no gift have we
Lord of all gifts, to offer Thee;
And hence with grateful hearts today,
Thine own before Thy feet we lay."

PRELUDE "Fantasia In G Minor" Bach

INTROIT "The Lord Is In His Holy Temple"

CALL TO WORSHIP Let Us Worship God

"Know ye that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us,
and not we ourselves. We are his people, and the sheep of his
pasture. Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his
courts with praise. We give thanks unto him, and bless his name:
for the Lord is good."

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER In Unison

"Almighty God, from whom every good prayer cometh, and who pourest
out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and supplication;
deliver us, when we draw nigh to thee, from coldness of heart
and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled
affections we may worship thee in spirit and in truth; through
Jesus Christ our Lord who hath taught us to pray: 'Our Father...'"

HYMN "When Morning Gilds The Skies" No. 41

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed GLORIA PATRI

UNISON READING Psalm 23 Sel. 5

ANTHEM "O Be Joyful In The Lord" Woods

PRAYERS

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

HYMN "Crown Him With Many Crowns" No. 213

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS DOXOLOGY

"Remember the Words of the Lord Jesus, how He said, it is more blessed to give than to receive."

OFFERTORY "Elevation In F Major" Guilmant

SERMON "LORD, I'M TIRED!" 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

Sincere Christian welcome is extended to the following new members received into our Church on Sunday, October 7: Mrs. A. F. Thompson, 3949 Plymouth Road; affiliate members: Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sappenfield Jr., 1415 Sixth Street, Mr. Robert Smith of Duke University and Mr. Simon Constantine from Teheran, Iran, who is also at Duke.

The Sanctuary flowers today are presented in loving memory of Mr. P. A. Sloan, Sr., by his family.

The Congregation wishes to express its sincere Christian sympathy to Mrs. A. F. Thompson at the death of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wall

SPECIAL BIBLE STUDY - Wednesday, November 7, sponsored by the Spiritual Growth Committee of the Women of the Church, Mrs. Boardman Bennett, Chairman. This year: "A Survey of the Book of Deuteronomy." First Session: 4:30 - 5:30. Supper: 6:30 - 7:20. Second Session: 7:30 - 8:15. Plan now to attend. Teacher: The Minister.

The Presbyterian Church choirs of Durham are presenting a Choir Festival, Sunday, November 18, at 3:30 P.M. in the First Presbyterian Church Sanctuary. A program of worship is included with this musical program, Our choir is singing with the combined choir group. The congregation is invited to hear the service.

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