

# 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.*

AN ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP  
ELEVEN O'CLOCK      SUNDAY      JUNE 21, 1959

"Almighty God, author of eternal light; illumine our hearts by the light of thy grace, that our lips may praise thee, that our lives may bless thee, that our worship may glorify thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

LET US WORSHIP GOD

PRELUDE            "Introduction and Toccata in G Major"            Walond

PROCESSIONAL HYMN \*            "Faith of Our Fathers!"            No. 348  
-Congregation stands to join in singing second stanza-

CALL TO WORSHIP \*

Minister: The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon him in truth.

People: Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations. Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children.

Minister: And let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us.

People: And establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.

INVOCATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)

"O Divine Father, whose mercy ever awaits those who return to Thee, we confess in lowliness and contrition of heart that we are so attached to pleasures of sense, so negligent of things spiritual: So fond of idleness, so indisposed to labor: So full of good intentions, so backward to fulfill them: So little able for great tasks, so discontented with small ones: So weak in adversity, so swollen and self-satisfied in prosperity. Bring to us afresh, O God, Thy healing cleansing power, so that again we may lay hold of Thy salvation which Thou hast offered to us through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 103

Selection No. 25

ANTHEM "Open Our Eyes" Macfarlane  
Chancel Choir

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

THE APOSTLES' CREED \* (Hymnal - Page 12) GLORIA PATRI \*

HYMN "Have Thine Own Way, Lord!" No. 302

OFFERING Let us make our offering unto Almighty God  
"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your  
good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven."

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY "Jesus, the Father's Only Son" VanHulse

DOXOLOGY \* -At this point in the Service, children leave  
with Mr. Boyd for Junior Church-

SERMON "JOSEPH - THE FORGOTTEN MAN" The Minister

BENEDICTION and Choral Response POSTLUDE

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\* Congregation stands.

THE MINISTER AND CONGREGATION OF THIS CHURCH EXTEND  
deepest Christian Sympathy to the family of Mrs. E. A.  
Erwin. Mrs. Erwin was a devoted member of this Church  
and final services were held in the Sanctuary Friday  
afternoon.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Given today by Mr. George Oldham and Mr. Anderson Oldham in  
loving memory of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. C. Oldham.

SINCERE APPRECIATION IS EXPRESSED TO THE TEACHERS AND WORKERS  
of the Vacation Church School conducted last week.

Total Enrollment: 93 Average Attendance Daily: 73  
Kindergarten Enrollment: 27 Primary Enrollment: 24  
Junior Enrollment: 23 Pioneer Enrollment: 6  
Teachers and Workers: 18

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

# The Church Directory

## THE CHURCH STAFF

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## THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Nursery: Mrs. Wayne Rambeau	Junior: Mr. R. L. Blake	Superintendent: Mr. John M. Samonds
Kindergarten: Mrs. P. M. Bussell	Pioneer: Mr. Wayne E. Boyd	Asst. Supt.: Mr. Wm. L. McLeod
Primary: Mrs. Edwin H. Shoaf	Young People: Dr. Chas. R. Vail	Treasurer: Mr. C. C. White
Adult Dept.: Dr. Henry C. Carr		Librarian: Mrs. A. Stan Colvin

## THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUPS

Pioneer and Senior Fellowship  
Wayne E. Boyd

Junior Fellowship  
Mrs. R. L. Blake  
Mrs. Jack Crumpacker

Choir Schools  
Mrs. Agnes M. Skillen

Cub-Scouts  
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Boy Scouts  
D. A. Woods, Scoutmaster R. L. Blake  
W. B. Kirkland, Jr. H. W. Johnson

Chairman of Troop Committee, Dr. William Barry

Day Nursery: Mrs. Edward K. Kraybill and Mrs. Fred Bersebach, Teachers