## TRINITY AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Trinity Avenue at Gregson Durham, North Carolina 27701

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

For February 19, 1995

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Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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During Ordinary Time
we celebrate the manifestation of our
Lord Jesus Christ
through the three Wise men.

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Beginning with the Baptism of the Lord and concluding with the Transfiguration of Jes

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we can also join the Wise men and bring
our gifts to the King.
W. H.

Liturgical Color: Green W. Kent Clise, Pastor
Murray Richmond, Associate Pastor
Suzanne Purtee, Director of Music
Thomas Harvey, Director of Christian Education
William Crompton Bennett, Minister Emeritus

#### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The people's preparation, in silence and anticipation of the prelude:

O God, in the folly of the cross You reveal how great is the distance between Your wisdom and human understanding. Open our minds to the simplicity of the gospel, that, fervent in faith and tireless love, we may become salt and light for the world. Amen.

#### **PRELUDE**

PEAL OF THE TOWER BELLS
J. S. Bach

Break Forth Into Joy

#### ENTRANCE

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

LIGHTING OF THE TABLE CANDLES AND THE MARKING OF GOD'S WORD

CALL TO WORSHIP

\*HYMN OF PRAISE (Please stand as the organ begins.)

Come, Thou Almighty King

No. 244 Italian Hymn

\* THE APOSTLES' CREED (p. 12, The Hymnbook)

John Grotz Candidate for the Ministry

\* THE GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father...

No. 546

#### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In unison)

Merciful God, in baptism You grafted us into the body of Christ, promising us forgiveness of sin and newness of life. But we fail to live as forgiven people. We keep destructive habits and hold grudges, we allow the past to hold us hostage and are reluctant to welcome newness. In Your loving kindness have may on us, and free us from sin. Remind us of the promises You made to us in baptism so that we may live as Your people, claimed in the waters of promise. Amen.

**DECLARATION OF PARDON** 

\*\*INTERLUDE

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** 

Genesis 45:315

The reading concludes with the following response: Reader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Laudate Dominum

E. Butler

CHILDREN'S TIME

Tom Harvey Director of Christian Education

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH

Kent Clise Senior Pastor

RECOGNITION OF SCOUTS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**OFFERING** 

OFFERTORY

All Beautiful the March of Days

Forest Green

\* THE DOXOLOGY (Sung in Unison)

Lasst uns Erfreuen

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise him all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. O, praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 6:27-38

The reading concludes with the following response: Reader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Feast of Anger and the Feat of F

Kent Clise Senior Pastor

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION

It Is Good to Sing Thy Praises

No. 20 Hyfrydol Alternate tune

EXTINGUISHING OF THE TABLE CANDLES

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

God Be With Thee

G. Grazioli

\*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

POSTLUDE

Variation on Hannover

PEAL OF THE TOWER BELLS W. Best

#### THE CHURCH DIRECTORY

#### Sundays:

9:00 a.m. Early Worship / 9:45 a.m. Church School / 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

#### Church Office

Telephone: (919) 682-3865

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

William M. Ross, Treasurer

Mary Ende, Administrative Office Manager

Jo Ellen Blaine, Secretary/Bookkeeper

Albert Asselin, Building Maintenance Supervisor

Noel Tillett, Wade Johnson, Lloyd Humphrey, Crawford Eakle, House Managers

John Faulkenbury, House Manager & Night Security

Judi S. Bishop, Weekday School Director

Suzanne Freeman & Ralph Gunderson, Sunday School Superintendents.

Ruth Knott, Moderator, Sanctuary Guild

Joanne Franke, Moderator, Presbyterian Women

The Daniel T. Carr Memorial Library

Monday through Friday during regular Church Office Hours, and on Sunday mornings Dot W. Colvin, Librarian

#### THE SESSION

David E. Patton, Clerk

Life Elders: Russell N. Barringer, Sr. and Perry A. Sloan, Jr.

Class of 1994	Class of 1995	Class of 1996
Thomas Beavers	Robert Burger	Dan Cagle
Robert Blake	John Findlay	Ed Coman
James Elkins	Judy Johnson	John Faulkenbur
John Fletcher	David Patton	Jim Nunley
Wade Johnson	Bruce Shields	Travis Porter
Frances Rollins	Len Stockburger	Bill Ross
James VanderWeide	Robert Yowell	Martha Sparks

# THE DIACONATE Al Thorn, Moderator

Class of 1994	Class of 1995	Class of 1996
Carolyn Andrews	Jean Findlay	Betty Beavers
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Noell Tillett	Chris Perry	John Reeves
William West	John William Waddell	Corlis Wood
Steve Yova	William Wilcox	Sunny wooden