

# The Church Directory

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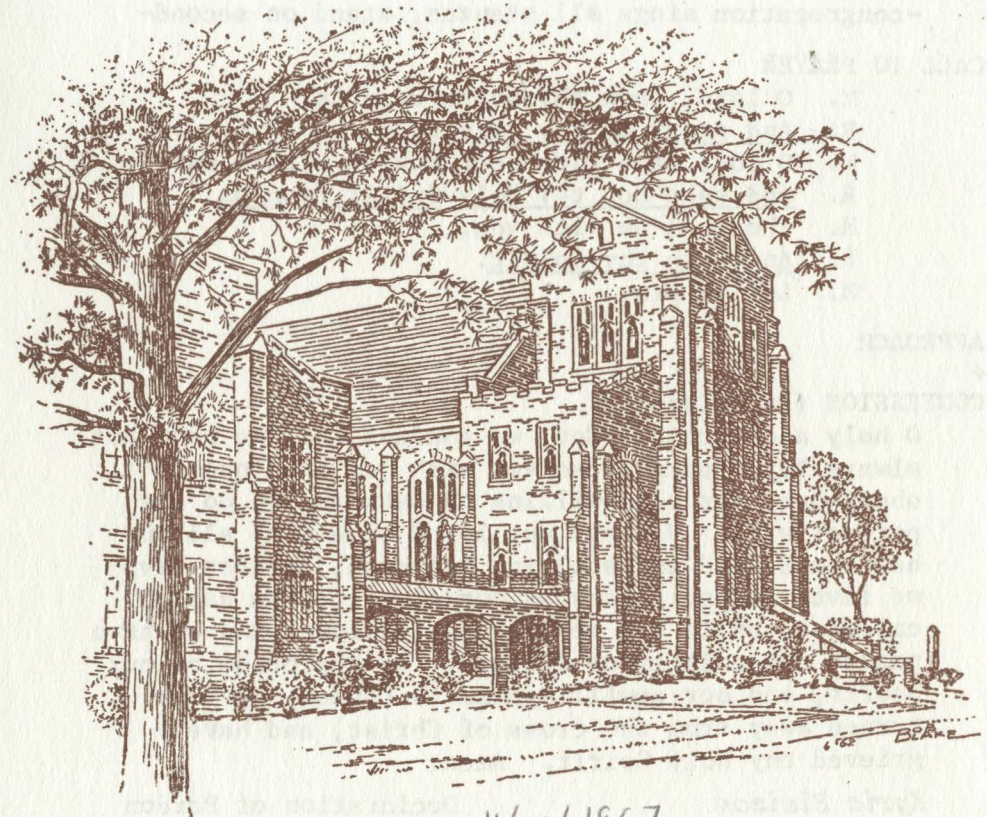
Explorer Scouts

Boy Scouts  
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# Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

Trinity Avenue at Gregson Street  
Durham, North Carolina

"A Friendly Community Church"



11/12/1967

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.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
12 November 1967

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PREPARATION

Silence  
Vestry Prayers  
Prelude + "Choral" and Menuet" Boellmann  
from Suite Gothique  
Chiming of the Hour  
"Let Us Worship God" Sanctus

PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 437 + Samuel S. Wesley, 1864  
-congregation sings all stanzas, stand on second-

CALL TO PRAYER

M. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.  
R. And grant us thy salvation.  
M. O God, make clean our hearts within us.  
R. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.  
M. The Lord be with you.  
R. And with thy spirit.  
M. Let us pray.

APPROACH

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CONFESSION (In Unison)

O holy and merciful God, we confess that we have not always taken upon ourselves with joy the yoke of obedience, nor been willing to seek and to do thy perfect will. We have not loved thee with all our heart and mind and soul and strength, neither have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. Thou hast called to us in the need of our fellows, and we have passed unheedingly on our way. In the pride of our hearts, and our unwillingness to repent, we have turned away from the cross of Christ, and have grieved thy Holy Spirit. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison Declaration of Pardon

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Prayer for Illumination

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

THE OFFERING AND OFFERTORY +

Doxology

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Hebrews 11

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Insert)

A Creed in the Words of St. John

Gloria Patri

HYMN NO. 19 Psalm 113 Hymn for the Month

PRAYERS

M. Lift up your hearts.  
R. We lift them up to the Lord.  
M. Let us glorify God.  
R. For all his goodness to us.  
M. Let us pray.

Thanksgiving

Supplication

Intercession

Communion of Saints

"OUR Father ..."

HYMN NO. 425 Sine Nomine Vaughan Williams

ANTHEM "The Old Hundredth Psalm" arr. Vaughan Williams  
Trumpets: Malcolm G. Lane and Marion L. Long

SERMON HEROES AND WITNESSES Mr. Brockwell

BENEDICTION

Three Fold Amen  
Bells  
Silence  
Postlude

The Service begins and ends with silence.

+ Latecomers may be seated.  
After the Anthem children in first and second grades may leave for Junior Church.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS TODAY ARE GIVEN BY

Mr. & Mrs. Boyd W. Harris, Jr.

A cordial welcome is extended to our visitors. We invite you to worship with us at every opportunity. Please sign a visitor's card to indicate your presence or interest in church membership.

THIS IS CHURCH LOYALTY DAY when members of this Church bring their pledges for the support of the Church at home and abroad. Appreciation is expressed to those who have visited this week and presented to members our needs for the coming year.

Pledge cards can be placed in the offering plates this morning. Extra cards are available in the pew racks.

MEN OF THE CHURCH ARE REMINDED OF THE LUNCHEON at 12:30 today in the Dining Halls. After the Luncheon members of the Administrative Committee will report on pledges received.

Mr. Eugene M. Henry, Canvass Director  
Mr. Thomas M. Patrick, Co-Director

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WOMEN OF THE CHURCH - GENERAL MEETING tomorrow, Monday, November 13, 11:00 A.M. in Church Parlor. Mrs. Johnston Irvin of Concord, N. C., former Synodical President will speak and show slides of her visit to the Far East. Circle 1, Mrs. W.A. Kirkland, Chrm., will be in charge of the social hour to follow.

DEACONS ELECTED ON LAST SUNDAY WERE: Messers. Mayton E. Betts, Ernest Purcell Carter, Jack T. Crumpacker, T. Sidney Johnson and J. Melvin Tillman, Jr.

ON THANKSGIVING EVE, NOV. 22, BRING THE FAMILY FOR a covered-dish supper at 6:00 P.M. and The Service of Praise at 7:30. The Ministers, Youth and Adult Choirs will participate in the Service. Nursery facilities available for the Service of Praise.

MANY REQUESTS FOR THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF TRINITY Avenue Members now in military service are being made. Please call the Church Office to give us this information.

BOYS WHO ARE SEVEN TO ELEVEN YEARS OF AGE and wish to play basketball, should meet with Mr. Frank D. Byham in Church Parlor after the Worship Service.

THE MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC, 1002 LAMOND AVE., ANNOUNCES their Christmas Bazaar, Nov. 15-16, 10:00 to 4:00.

MEMBERS OF CIRCLE NO. 6, Mrs. Fred Bersebach, Chrm., as a special Christmas Project, are preparing packages for servicemen in Viet Nam. They invite other interested persons to join them in this work on any Monday or Tuesday, 7:00 P.M. at 913 Monmouth Avenue.

#### CHURCH CALENDAR

##### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Church School: 9:30, Nursery Facilities: 9:30-12

Luncheon for Men of the Church: 12:30

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE: 4:00 P.M.

YOUTH GROUPS: Recreation at 5:00 P.M., Supper at 6:00. 6:30 Study Groups with Dr. & Mrs.

Paul B. Smith and Mr. & Mrs. Richard Grier.

DIACONATE: Business Meeting, 7:45 in Parlor

##### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH-GENERAL MEETING: 11:00

WEEKDAY SCHOOLS: 9:00 to 12:00, Monday-Friday

SCOUTS - TROOP 412: 7:30

##### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

CHOIR II: 3:30 - CHOIR III: 4:40 - RINGERS: 5:15

##### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Chrismons: 9:30 in Dining Halls

Choir I: 3:40 - Handbells: 4:35 - Chancel: 7:30

AN OVERCOAT BELONGING TO MR. L. E. CRABTREE was taken by mistake on last Sunday night. We have the coat left here and would like to make the exchange.

HOSTS AT THE DOORS TODAY ARE: Messers. R.N. Barringer, Stuart W. Black, R. J. Massengill, L. D. Kirkland, Jr., L. R. Shaw, Dr. Thomas G. Wilson, Mrs. Dan T. Carr and Mrs. Thomas G. Wilson.

USHERS FOR NOVEMBER ARE Messers. Nelson A. Jackson, Gerald W. Gibson, Alex Goswick, L.W.W. Horton, Jr., Stephen W. Harris, Stephen H. Downer, James M. Sawyer, J. C. Paulette, Dr. Wilhelm Jorgensen, Messers. Barton G. Hagerty, B.W. Harris, III, Victor P. Holdren and C. Howard White.

Friends of Mrs. E.T. Tyren will want to know that she now resides at Hillcrest Rest Home.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

A Creed in the Words of St. John

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*Minister:* Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

*Minister and People:* We believe that God is Spirit, and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.

We believe that God is Light, and that if we walk in the light, we have fellowship one with another.

We believe that God is Love, and that everyone that loveth is born of God and knoweth God.

We believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.

We believe that he is the Resurrection and the Life, and that whosoever believeth on him, though he were dead, yet shall he live.

We believe that we are children of God, and that he hath given us of his Spirit.

We believe that if we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all uncleanness.

We believe that the world passeth away and the lust thereof, but he that doeth the will of God abideth forever. Amen.

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CHRISMONS

*Study the Chrismons on display in the Narthex. Those today are:*

1) *CHI RHO W/ALPHA AND OMEGA*

The most widely-known Chrismon is this combination of the first two letters of the Greek word, CHRISTOS (XPISTOS), or, Christ. The Chi Rho (XP) is the oldest monogram for Christ and was commonly used by the early Church. (For many, in that day, the shame and death of the cross was too immediate for them to use it openly.) Sometimes, people say, "Let's take the X out of Christmas!" X meant the Christ over 1,000 years before the English language began to develop.

2) *SUN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS*

"But for you who fear my name, the Sun of Righteousness shall arise with healing in his wings." Malachi 4:2

3) *LATIN CROSS WITH XP, TRIANGLE, ROSES, AND M.*

When you look at this Chrismon, you can see the XP in the form of the cross used. The triangle symbolizes the Holy Trinity and points to our Lord's divine nature while the M, the monogram of His Mother, Mary, suggests His human birth.

The rose decoration of the M further emphasizes the fact of the Christ's birth as One of us. Use of the shells to cover the triangle evokes another idea, that of our own birth. Shells traditionally symbolize Holy Baptism. Thus, they remind us of our second birth, our spiritual rebirth in Christ at baptism when, by faith, we become sons of God.

*Appreciation to Mrs. L.W. W. Horton, Jr. for this explanation of the Chrismons.*

*Women of the Church meet every Wednesday morning in the Dining Halls at 9:30 to make Chrismons. All interested persons are invited to join the group. Chrismons will be used to decorate the Chrismon Tree in this Sanctuary at Christmas time.*

*Mrs. George W. Brumley, Jr., Chairman*