



# The Tidings of Trinity United Methodist Church

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## Sermon Preview

### COMMUNION MEDITATION

#### "THE RENEWAL OF OUR HOPE"

*"Lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art, northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward."* Gen 13:14.

This verse of Scripture is the word of God spoken to Abraham as a part of the promise to enter into the Promised Land and know an expanded life. It may be well removed from this context and given relevance to our own situation.

As Abraham could have chosen to remain in Ur of the Chaldees and only dreamed of greater things to be, so each of us can become fixed and settled in our condition, yielding all vision of brighter promises, and become fixed in mediocrity, despair, easy security, or even in sin.

The Christian life is an expansive life, bounded only by eternity and the unalterable love of God. Our "frame of reference" is indeed an ultimate one. In history we live quietly in our todays because we draw upon the resources of our yesterdays and face our tomorrows in confidence.

We are the best of all the children of the *now* because we know that all contemporaneous events and experiences have their testing in the context of history and eternity. We have a destiny, which begins and ends with God, Lord of history.

*George A. Foster*

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NURSERIES IN TRINITY HALL ARE OPEN DURING MORNING SERVICES

# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sixth Sunday in Kingdomtide

Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'clock

°Congregation Stands

\*\*\*Ushers Seat Worshipers

**PRELUDE** "Trust in the Lord" ..... *Karhu*

**CALL TO WORSHIP** ..... *Choral Introit*

\***HYMN NO. 38**, "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

\***INVOCATION** *The Minister*

Open Hymnals at No. 830-3 and Follow Order of Holy Communion

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**THE COLLECT FOR PURITY** *To be Offered by Minister and People*

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy name; through Christ our Lord.  
*Amen.*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *The Minister and People*

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\*"GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH," NO. 830-4 *The Choir and People*

\***THE INVITATION**

**THE PRAYER OF GENERAL CONFESSION**, NO. 830-6 *The Minister and People*

**THE PRAYER FOR PARDON** *The Minister*

**SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

**PRAYER FOR THE WHOLE STATE OF CHRIST'S CHURCH**, NO. 830-7

**THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES**

**THE OFFERTORY**

Anthem: "O Taste and See"—*Vaughan Williams* ..... *Chancel Choir*  
O taste and see how gracious the Lord is:  
blest is the man that trusteth in him.

\***THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**THE COMMUNION MEDITATION**,

"THE RENEWAL OF OUR HOPE" ..... *Dr. George A. Foster*

**COMMUNION HYMN NO. 254**, "Dear Master, in Whose Life"

**PREFACE AND SANCTUS**, NO. 830-8

**THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION**, NO. 830-9

**THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS**, NO. 830-9

"O LAMB OF GOD," NO. 830-10 *The Choir and People*

**THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION**, NO. 830-11 *The Minister and People*

**THE BENEDICTION** ..... *Choral Amen*

**POSTLUDE** "The Salvation of the Righteous Is of the Lord" ..... *Karhu*

## EVENING CHAPEL WORSHIP

7:45 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

**PRELUDE** "Praeludium" ..... *Boyvin*

### CALL TO WORSHIP

**HYMN NO. 138**, "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

### INVOCATION

### LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

### HYMN SERVICE

No. 506, "The Day Is Slowly Wending"

No. 212, "There Is a Balm in Gilead"

No. 143, "My Faith Looks up to Thee"

### SPECIAL MUSIC

Air in G Minor—*Eccles* ..... *Karen Schlott, Cello Solo*

### MEDITATION

"STRENGTH FOR ANY DAY" ..... *Rev. Ben W. Curry*

### ALTAR PRAYER

### BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** "Postlude" ..... *Boyvin*

## MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *The Chapel Pulpit* and *The Chapel Bible Stand*.

### WORLD-WIDE COMMUNION OFFERING

The leaflet placed in your Bulletin this Sunday will fully explain your offering to the Fellowship of Suffering and Service. Please use the envelope attached for your offering. Our people have a record of generosity in the making of this annual offering.

### PARISH PARTICIPATION

The opportunity to suggest hymns has been widely taken up. We will follow your selections, though the range of choice is very great. The opinions on missionary support so far are quite indecisive. Suggestions for leadership positions are very few, and include mostly persons already on the Administrative Board.

### MEMBERSHIP SUNDAY

We will receive new members on Sunday, October 18, at the Eleven O'Clock Service. Those interested in being included in the group should let us know of their interest as soon as possible.

### FALL FESTIVAL

Our annual church C\*A\*R\*N\*I\*V\*A\*L will be Friday, November 6, 5:30-10 P.M. Plan to attend this Fall Festival event and bring the entire family!

All classes and groups who will want to participate in this event are asked to send a representative to a meeting on Tuesday, October 6, 7:30 P.M., Fellowship Hall.

### COLLEGE STUDENTS AWAY

Our church desires to keep in touch with college students who are members here but who are at school away from home. Please drop in the offering plate their address and school or call in the information to the church office.

### BUS TO CAMPUS AND RETURN

We are happy to provide bus service to and from the F.S.U. campus for the Eleven O'Clock Service at Trinity. The schedule for pick-ups follows:

\*Denotes bus will stop and pick up residents of dorms within bracket.

* Kellum	
Smith	10:20 A.M.
Salley	10:25 A.M.
Osceola	10:30 A.M.

* Landis	
Magnolia	
Dorman	
Deviney	
Gilchrist	10:40 A.M.

* Reynolds	
Broward	
Bryan	
Murphee	
Cawthon	10:45 A.M.

Stops along the way:

Call to Copeland  
Copeland to College  
College to Duval  
Duval to Church

Arrival at Church ..... 10:50 A.M.

### WELCOME TO STUDENTS AND OTHERS

A special welcome to students and all visitors to our Services. Our invitation is not only to worship, but to all activities of our Church.

### ACOLYTE TRAINING

Sixth and seventh grade boys are eligible to acolyte in the morning services. A training session will be held for them on Saturday, October 17, 11 A.M., in the Sanctuary.

## CHURCH FAMILY

### Our Circle of Concern (Known to be in TMH)

Mrs. Lester G. (Lottie) Flanagan  
Mr. Cassie M. Retherford  
Miss Celeste Stainer

### IN MEMORIAM

*"I am the resurrection and the life."*

Miss May Bird Carmine  
September 27, 1970

### FLORENCE CLEMONS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

The Florence Clemons Sunday School Class will meet with Miss Hattie Roebuck, 430 E. Sixth Ave., Saturday, October 3, at 4:30 P.M.

### CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Church Women United invites all church women in Florida, Area VIII, to attend their annual meeting Friday, October 9, at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church, 1405 Melvin St., Tallahassee. Registration starts at 9:30 A.M. with a nursery provided. Luncheon is at 12:30 and tickets are \$1.50. To make a reservation for the luncheon call Mrs. H. N. Dawirs, 385-2915 by 8 P. M., October 6. Luncheon speaker is Mrs. M. F. Nimkoff; theme for the meeting, "Thinking Through Tomorrow — Today."

### W.S.C.S.

The W.S.C.S. October meeting will be a Salad Luncheon, Tuesday, October 6, 12 Noon. Following it will be our program, with special guest, Mrs. Allen Watson, Conference President, W.S.C.S. A good attendance is urged. The Wesleyan Service Guild is invited.

At 10 O'Clock the Executive Board will meet. All officers are expected to attend.

### JR. HI UMYF

The counselors for the 7-8 graders are: Dick Brown and Flossie Ledbetter, with "Dusty" Long assisting. The early teens meet on Saturday, 7:30-9:00 P.M. in The Ark.

### THE ARK

Our Coffee House is open on Friday nights, 8-12 P.M., entrance on Duval Street. This informal place for discussion and entertainment is a welcome spot for high school and college youth in Tallahassee.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Saturday

- 10-12 A.M. District W.S.C.S. Leadership Training, Fellowship Hall  
4:30 P.M. Florence Clemons Class, 430 E. Sixth Ave.  
7:30 P.M. Jr. Hi's Meet, The Ark

### Sunday

- 8:30 A.M. Early Morning Worship  
9:00 A.M. Church Broadcast (1270)  
9:45 A.M. Church School for all ages  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
11:30 A.M. Carol Choir, 1-2 Grade, Room 304  
4:30 P.M. Advanced Youth Handbell Choir  
5:30 P.M. Instrumental Ensemble  
6:00 P.M. Adult Handbell Choir  
6:30 P.M. Altar Choir, 9-12 Grades  
7:45 P.M. Evening Worship Service, Chapel

### Monday

- 7:00 A.M. Layman's Prayer Breakfast, Jimmie's Restaurant  
3:45 P.M. Chapel Choir, 6-8 Grades  
7:00 P.M. Sr. Hi's Meet, The Ark

### Tuesday

- 12:00 Noon W.S.C.S. Salad Luncheon  
3:30 P.M. Wesleyan Singers, 3-5 Grades  
7:30 P.M. Carnival Planning Meeting, Fellowship Hall

### Wednesday

- 10:00 A.M. Morning Prayer Group, Chapel  
7:30 P.M. Chancel (Adult) Choir (Nursery provided)  
Scout Troop 107, Scout House  
Children's Council, Room 212

### Thursday

- 3:45 P.M. Tower (Training) Bell Choir  
7:30 P.M. Youth Planning Session, F. H.

### Friday

- 8:00 P.M. "The Ark" Coffee House

### SR. HI UMYF

The counselors for the 9-12 graders are: Charles and Phyllis Webb, with John and Salley McConaughay assisting. The group meets on Monday nights in The Ark, 7:00-8:30 P.M. This week the movie, "Have You Told Me Lately That You Love Me" will be shown and discussion will follow.

### HELP NEEDED IN MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Mrs. James needs help with transportation, telephoning, robing and refreshments for choirs. If you have some time to spare, call the church, or Mrs. James at 385-3098.

Needed: Adult Bell Ringers! Adults interested in learning about bell ringing, contact the Jameses at the above two numbers.

### THE TIDINGS

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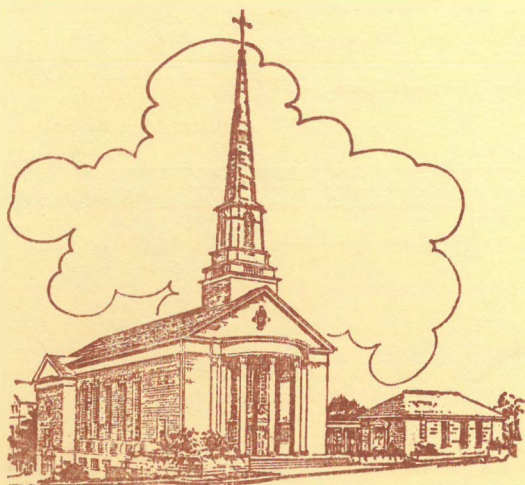
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## Sermon Preview

### "WHEN PUSH COMES TO SHOVE"

*"And fearing that we might run on the rocks, they let out four anchors from the stern, and prayed for day to come."*

Acts 27:29

There is no doubt that we are in the midst of a disturbance of great extent and as yet unknown depth. One can hardly select an area of our life where such elements as uneasiness, threat, ferment, and even turbulence and revolution cannot be found. Only a few years ago we were considering how to cope with our rapidly changing society, now we are concerned about moral deterioration, social disruption, and possible severe repressive measures to counter some of these.

As Christians we like to think of ourselves as always on the offensive, making the "redemptive thrust," as we like to say it. But now we are thrown on the defensive, not simply to protect our beliefs and our institutions, but the very system of meaning and values by which we live, and on which our society has been built.

The story in Acts of a storm at sea and the drama enacted on board the ship bound for Rome with St. Paul as prisoner will be used as an analogy for us in the living of these days.

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## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Seventh Sunday in Kingdomtide

Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'Clock

° Congregation Stands

\*\*\* Worshippers May Be Seated

**PRELUDE** "Carillon" ..... Boellmann

**CALL TO WORSHIP** ..... Choral Introit

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 488**, "O Day of Rest and Gladness"

**\*INVOCATION** *The Minister*

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**CALL TO CONFESSION** *The Minister*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *To be offered by Minister and People*

Eternal God, who hast created man for thine own high purposes, look with mercy upon our lives, we humbly pray, and deliver us from the harshness of thy judgments. We confess that we have sometimes placed the low purposes of our lives above the high purposes of thy Kingdom. We acknowledge that we have sought the satisfaction of our own desires above thy commandments to love. We realize in regret that we have been hasty in our judgments and too ready with our words. By thy love forgive us, we pray, and by thy grace strengthen us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE** *The Minister*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *The Minister and People*

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**\*THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 625**, "The Souls of the Righteous"

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

**\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738**, "The Apostles' Creed"

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**ANTHEM**

11:00 A.M. "Jubilate Deo"—Rogers ..... Chancel Choir

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**LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES** Acts 27:21-32

**THE PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES**

**THE OFFERTORY**

"Choral" ..... Boellmann

**\*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**HYMN NO. 252**, "Prayer Is the Soul's Sincere Desire"

**PRAYER FOR DELIVERY AND RECEPTION OF SERMON**

Minister: Let the words of my mouth,

People: And the meditation of our hearts,

All: Be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, our Strength and our Redeemer. Amen.

**SERMON**

"WHEN PUSH COMES TO SHOVE" ..... Dr. George A. Foster

**\*RECESSIONAL HYMN NO. 250**, "Soldiers of Christ, Arise"

**BENEDICTION** ..... Choral Amen

**POSTLUDE** "Postlude" ..... Boellmann

## EVENING CHAPEL WORSHIP

7:45 P.M.

8:30 P.M.

PRELUDE "Preambulum"	Duben
CALL TO WORSHIP	
HYMN NO. 18, "Thanks to God Whose Word Was Spoken"	
INVOCATION	
LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES	
HYMN SERVICE	
No. 115, "How Happy Every Child of Grace"	
No. 310, "Jesus, We Look to Thee"	
No. 439, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"	
SPECIAL MUSIC	
"I'll Never Contented Be"	Mary Gairns, Soloist
MEDITATION	
"THE GOOD TIME HOUR"	Rev. John H. Green
ALTAR PRAYER	
BENEDICTION	
POSTLUDE "Postlude"	Duben

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## COUNCIL AND BOARD

The Council of Ministries will meet on Tuesday, October 13, at 6:00 P.M., for dinner and business. The Administrative Board will follow at 8:00 P.M.

## NEW MEMBERS NEXT SUNDAY

New members will be received on next Sunday, October 18, at the close of the Eleven O'clock Service.

## CONFIRMATION CLASS FOR ADULTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

A Confirmation Class for adults and young people will begin on Sunday, October 25, 6:30 P.M. The time for regular meetings will be arranged by the group.

## BIBLE STUDY

In response to many requests for Bible Study, a course on the Psalms is provided in our forthcoming Christian Worker's School. This is one among four excellent opportunities for study, and is open to all.

## ANNUAL CLOTHING DRIVE

Our church will again serve as the depot for the annual clothing drive for Church World Service sponsored by Church Women United. Fuller announcement in next week's *Tidings*.

## FELLOWSHIP OF SUFFERING AND SERVICE

The offering for the Fellowship of Suffering and Service made last Sunday amounted to \$232.00. It is expected to reach at least \$250.00.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Miss Debbie Ekwall was recently initiated as Worthy Advisor of the Rainbow Girls, Northwood Assembly. This group of girls will worship with us this Sunday.

## BUS TO FSU CAMPUS

The schedule for the bus to and from Trinity to pick up FSU students is repeated, corrected.

Cash Hall — 10:15 A.M.; Kellum\*, Smith — 10:20; Salley — 10:25; Osceola — 10:30; Landis\*, Magnolia, Dorman, Deviney, Gilchrist — 10:40 A.M.; Reynolds\*, Broward, Bryan, Murphee, Cawthon — 10:45. Stops along the way — Call to Copeland, Copeland to College, College to Duval, arrival at Church — 10:50 A.M.

(\*Denotes dorm at which students from all dorms in group will be picked up.)

## COUNCIL ON YOUTH MINISTRY

October meeting of the Youth Ministry Council will be Thursday, October 22, 7:30 P.M., at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Schultz, 232 Westminster Dr. All adult representatives and youth members plan to attend.

## ACOLYTES SERVE

Acolytes for October are: Mike and Tommy Cawthon, Greg Brewer, Ronnie Melton, and Byard Mowell (cross).

A training session for interested sixth, seventh and eighth grade boys will be Saturday, October 17, 11 A.M., in the Sanctuary.

## FALL CARNIVAL

Friday, Nov. 6

5:30 - 10:00 P.M.

Rides

FUN

Food

FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!

## CHURCH FAMILY

### Our Circle of Concern (Known to be in TMH)

Mrs. Marvin H. (Frances) Collins, Jr.  
Mr. Cassie M. Retherford  
Mrs. Wm. A. (Leona) Snowden, Jr.  
Miss Celeste Stainer

### IN MEMORIAM

*"I am the resurrection and the life."*

Mrs. Armstead Brown  
October 1, 1970

### Congratulations and a Rose to:

Mr. and Mrs. David Dahlen on the birth  
of a son, Brian David, October 2, 1970.

### W.S.C.S. MONTHLY MEETINGS

#### Monday, October 12—

##### 10:00 A.M.—

Circle 1 with Mrs. Hamilton Dowling and  
Mrs. Phil Taylor, 804 E. 6th St.

##### 3:00 P.M.—

Circle 2 with Mrs. Thelma Sattler and  
Mrs. Marie Taylor, 2000 Old Fort Drive.

Circle 3 with Mrs. Harold Yates and Mrs.  
S. C. Draper, 1219 Camellia Dr.

##### 8:00 P.M.—

Circle 4 with Mrs. Orlis Causseaux, 317  
Conradi St.

#### Tuesday, October 13—

##### 10:00 A.M.—

Circle 5 with Mrs. Theo Couch and Mrs.  
D. M. Shelley, 709 Piedmont.

Circle 6 with Mrs. Myrtle Metz and Mrs.  
R. H. Gibson, 1229 Sarasota Dr.

Circle 7 with Mrs. H. C. Dean and Mrs.  
A. P. Wimberley, Fellowship Hall.

##### 9:30 A.M.—

Circle 8 with Mrs. W. P. Crockett, Church  
Parlor.

Circle 9 with Mrs. W. S. Anderson, Mrs.  
Fred Bennett and Mrs. H. C. Strickland,  
919 Brookwood.

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9:45 A.M. Church School for all ages  
10:00 A.M. Adult Council  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
11:30 A.M. Carol Choir, 1-2 Grade,  
Room 304  
4:30 P.M. Advanced Youth Handbell  
Choir  
5:30 P.M. Instrumental Ensemble  
6:00 P.M. Adult Handbell Choir  
6:30 P.M. Altar Choir, 9-12 Grades  
7:00 P.M. Youth Encounter, Parlor  
7:45 P.M. Evening Worship Service,  
Chapel

### Monday

7:00 A.M. Layman's Prayer Breakfast,  
Jimmie's Restaurant  
3:45 P.M. Chapel Choir, 6-8 Grades  
4:30 P.M. Cub Pack, Room 210  
7:00 P.M. Sr. Hi's, "The Ark"

### Tuesday

3:30 P.M. Wesleyan Singers, 3-5 Grades  
6:00 P.M. Council on Ministries  
8:00 P.M. Administrative Board

### Wednesday

10:00 A.M. Morning Prayer Group,  
Chapel  
7:30 P.M. Chancel (Adult) Choir  
(Nursery provided)  
Scout Troop 107, Scout House  
W.S.G. Board Meeting,  
Room 212

### Thursday

3:45 P.M. Tower (Training) Bell Choir

### Friday

8:00 P.M. Coffee House, "The Ark"

### Saturday

7:30 P.M. Jr. Hi's, "The Ark"

### ADULT COUNCIL

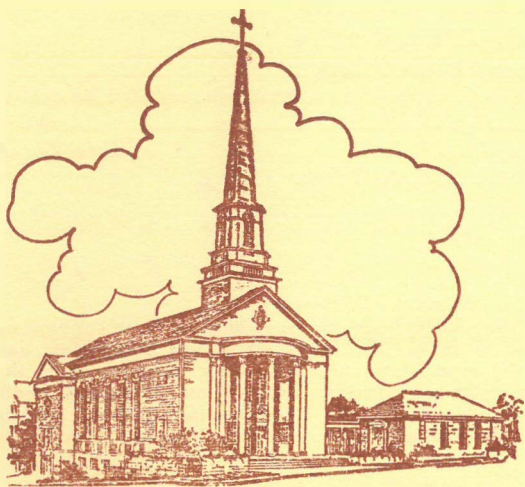
We will meet in Room 403 — 10:00 A.M.,  
October 11. Each adult class should be re-  
presented.

### NOTICE

Too many people are coming to Church  
School late. This frustrates teachers and  
people who have to keep rolls. Please arrive  
this Sunday at 9:45 A.M.

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## Sermon Preview

### "SAINTS AMONG SOPHISTICATES"

Scripture — Acts 17:16-32

Saint Paul among the assorted cosmopolites and sophisticates in Athens is not the most admirable of his evangelistic endeavors. Yet the episode has in it many of those elements found in our current secularized and urbanized culture. Here is a New Testament setting easily transposed to our own situation when we seek to speak the gospel amidst the currents of competing ideologies.

Present among the multitudes were "Jews and devout persons." Also remnants of the declining "Epicurean and Stoic philosophies." Those moderns who are so enamoured of now have their prototypes in the Athenians and foreigners who "spent their time in nothing except telling or hearing something new." The apostle's spirit was justly provoked when "he saw that the whole city was full of idols."

History does indeed repeat itself! And it is still not easy to blend Jerusalem and Athens into one. Philosophy and theology remain separate disciplines, the sermon and the lecture require different rhetoric. Creative encounters between saint and sophisticate require no small doing on the part of both. Paul's Athenian adventure was not after all a total failure. When the saint makes his witness he must not forget the sophisticates, who may also be sinners.

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## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Eighth Sunday in Kingdomtide

Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'Clock

\*Congregation Stands

\*\*\*Worshippers May Be Seated

**PRELUDE** "O Give Thanks to the Lord" ..... Wood

**CALL TO WORSHIP** ..... *Choral Introit*

\***PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 42**, "Paise the Lord, Ye Heavens Adore Him"

\***INVOCATION** *The Minister*

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**CALL TO CONFESSION** *The Minister*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *To be offered by Minister and People*

Eternal God, who art beyond the farthest mortal man can see, and yet dost condescend in mercy to all who are lowly and contrite in spirit. Behold us set amidst the threats and temptations of these days, and grant us thy mercy when we fall. Look upon us under the burden of demands on us, and be patient with us when we fail. Consider that we walk in darkness, and give us light. Forgive us, our Father, we humbly beseech thee, and by thy grace strengthen us that we fail not thee nor fall by the wayside; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE** *The Minister*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *The Minister and People*

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\***THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 598**, "By the Waters of Babylon"

\***GLORIA PATRI**

\***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738**, "The Apostles' Creed"

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**ANTHEM**

8:30 A.M. "Hear Ye, Israel" from *Elijah—Mendelssohn* ..... Pat Wright, Soloist

11:00 A.M. "Father, Once More Within Thy Holy Place"—*Matthews* ..... Chancel Choir

Father, once more within Thy holy place we bring the sins

which, kneeling, we confess,

Not worthy yet to look upon Thy face, yet loath to rise until

Thy hand doth bless.

Father, once more within Thy house of hope, we turn from

sin to find a glad release;

In Thy forgiveness there is strength to cope with all that

robs the spirit of Thy peace.

Father, once more within Thy house of prayer we kneel

before Thee at the open way;

And leaving both our hopes and burdens there, we wait till

Thou shalt teach us how to pray.

Father, once more within Thy house of praise, we bring

our gifts from whom they came;

We lift our hearts, and our hosannas raise to welcome Him

who cometh in Thy name.

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**LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES** Acts 17:16-32

**THE PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES**

**THE OFFERTORY**

8:30 A.M. "The Lord Is My Shepherd" ..... Wood

11:00 A.M. "Hear Ye, Israel" from *Elijah—Mendelssohn* ..... Pat Wright, Soloist

\***THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**HYMN NO. 133**, "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

**PRAYER FOR DELIVERY AND RECEPTION OF SERMON**

Minister: Let the words of my mouth,

People: And the meditation of our hearts,

All: Be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, our Strength and our Redeemer. Amen.

**SERMON**

"SAINTS AMONG SOPHISTICATES" ..... Dr. George A. Foster

\***RECESSIONAL HYMN NO. 342**, "Go, Make of All Disciples"

**BENEDICTION** ..... *Choral Amen*

**POSTLUDE** "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" ..... Wood

## EVENING CHAPEL WORSHIP

7:45 P.M.

— 8:30 P.M.

# WHO WILL ANSWER?

**PRELUDE** "Prelude" ..... 18th Century

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**HYMNS**

No. 20, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

No. 200, "The Voice of God Is Calling"

No. 413, "Are Ye Able"

**PRAYERS**

**GOD AND COUNTRY AWARD** ..... Ben Smith

**A SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR CHRISTIANS**

"WHO WILL ANSWER?"

**ALTAR PRAYER**

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** "Voluntary" ..... 18th Century

A Service of Celebration — Participation — Corporate Action for All People

## MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *The Chapel Candlesticks* and *The Chapel Flower Vases*.

## CONFIRMATION CLASS FOR ADULTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

We will begin a Confirmation Class for adults and young people next Sunday, October 25. The time has been changed to 9:45 A.M. in Room 326. The class is open to any who are already members of the church as well as candidates.

## LEADERSHIP TRAINING

## SCHOOL SCHEDULE

Sunday, October 18—Covered Dish Supper

5:00 P.M. Meet in classes

6:00 P.M. Eat supper

6:45 P.M. Return to classes

7:45 P.M. Chapel worship

Monday, October 19, Tuesday, October 20, and Wednesday, October 21

7:30 P.M. Meet in classes

8:20 P.M. Break for refreshments

8:30 P.M. Return to classes

9:20 P.M. Dismiss

Classes will meet:

Ministry with Adults—Psalms, Room 212

Ministry with Young Adults, Room 330

Ministry with Youth, Room 332

Ministry with Children, Room 334

Note: It is still not too late to sign up.

## FALL FESTIVAL

It is not too late to sign up for a booth for the C\*A\*R\*N\*I\*V\*A\*L. The Festival plan is already bigger than last year's design. The BIG date is November 6, Friday, 5:30-10:00 P.M.

## SCOUT AWARD

Ben Smith will receive this Sunday at the evening worship the honored GOD AND COUNTRY AWARD. We are proud to present this award and to congratulate Ben on his fine achievement.

## NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to receive new members into our church this Sunday at the close of the Eleven O'Clock Service. Following the Service we will gather in Fellowship Hall for an informal time of greeting. Everyone is invited.

## FALL CLOTHING DRIVE

Church Women United request contributions of lightweight clothing and blankets for Church World Service. Receptacles are in the vestibule of Fellowship Hall and in the hallway near Room 210.

## YOUNG PEOPLE: NOTE — NEW LIFE

Copies of our Youth Newsletter, "New Life" went out this week. Please let us know if you did not receive a copy or if you have a change of address. Let your parents see and read the edition, too.

## DEVOTIONAL BOOK

*Fruit of the Spirit*, a devotional book written by Mrs. J. O. Smith, Sr., mother of Dr. Orson Smith, is available at Campbell's Bookstore on College St.

## TALLAHASSEE LITERACY WORKSHOP

The Tallahassee Literacy Council Workshop is scheduled for October 27, 29, November 3 and 5 from 6:30 to 9:30 P.M. This is a 12-hour workshop to train more tutors to help meet the needs in our community. An opportunity to meet others interested in the program is planned for literacy leaders, tutors and prospective tutors on October 22 at 7:30 in the Westminster Room, First Presbyterian Church. If you know of anyone wishing to attend the workshop please call Donna RuBino, Tutor Training Chairman at 385-1719. The registration fee for the workshop will be \$5.00.

## CHURCH FAMILY

### Our Circle of Concern (Known to be in TMH)

Mrs. Wm. A. (Leona) Snowden  
Mrs. Marvin H. (Frances) Collins, Jr.

### IN MEMORIAM

*"I am the resurrection and the life."*

Mrs. George R. Copeland  
October 10, 1970

### Our Christian Love and Sympathy to:

Mrs. Glenn C. James on the death of her sister, Mrs. Carl H. Garth, on October 1, 1970, in Detroit, Mich.

### AMAH! AUDITIONS

Singers from several of Trinity's choirs will combine with choir members from the Hand Memorial United Methodist Church of Pelham, Ga., to present *Amahl and the Night Visitors* at Trinity, Sunday evening, December 13.

The part of Amahl is sung by a boy between the ages of nine and twelve or thirteen. Private auditions for this part may be arranged by calling Mr. or Mrs. Walter James at their home or at the church. Selections from the score, available at the church, should be used for the audition. The casting of Amahl must be completed by Sunday afternoon, October 25.

### YOUTH MINISTRY COUNCIL

The Council will meet *this week*, Thursday, October 22, 7:30 P.M., at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Schultz, 232 Westminster Dr. If you cannot attend, please call Rev. Ben Curry.

### WOMEN'S SOCIETY NOTE

Circle 11, of the W.S.C.S., the Studies Group, will meet with Mrs. Robert Lawton, 10 A.M., on Tuesday, October 20.

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet Monday, October 19, at 7:30 P.M.

Circle 1 at the home of Mrs. Foy Williams, 822 Washington St.

Circle 2 at the home of Misses Elizabeth and Effie Cureton, 125 Cadiz.

Circle 3 at the home of Mrs. Blannie Gallagher, 1342 Terrace.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Sunday

- 8:30 A.M. Early Morning Worship  
9:00 A.M. Church Broadcast (1270)  
9:45 A.M. Church School for all ages  
10:00 A.M. Adult Council  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
11:30 A.M. Carol Choir, 1-2 Grade, Room 304  
4:30 P.M. Advanced Youth Handbell Choir  
5:30 P.M. Instrumental Ensemble  
6:00 P.M. Adult Handbell Choir  
6:00 P.M. Youth Encounter, Parlor  
6:30 P.M. Altar Choir, 9-12 Grades  
7:45 P.M. Evening Worship Service, Chapel

### Monday

#### LEADERSHIP TRAINING SCHOOL (See announcement)

- 7:00 A.M. Layman's Prayer Breakfast, Jimmie's Restaurant  
3:45 P.M. Chapel Choir, 6-8 Grades  
4:30 P.M. Cub Pack, Room 210  
7:00-  
8:30 P.M. Sr. Hi UMYF, "The Ark"

### Tuesday

- 3:30 P.M. Wesleyan Singers, 3-5 Grades

### Wednesday

- 10:00 A.M. Morning Prayer Group, Chapel  
7:30 P.M. Chancel (Adult) Choir (Nursery provided)  
Scout Troop 107, Scout House

### Thursday

- 3:45 P.M. Tower (Training) Bell Choir  
7:30 P.M. Youth Council meeting, the Schultz's

### Friday

- 8:00 P.M. Coffee House, "The Ark"

### Saturday

- 7:30-  
9:00 P.M. Jr. Hi UMYF, "The Ark"

### ACOLYTE TRAINING SESSION

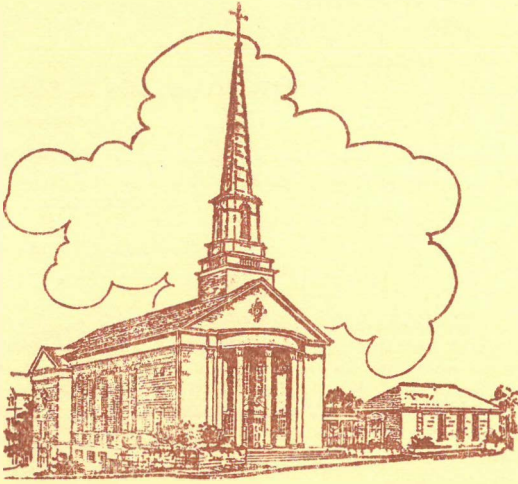
October 17, 11 A.M., Sanctuary. For boys in 6-8 grades.

### PARENTS OF YOUTH

Our informal UMYF sessions meet regularly each week. The *senior highs* (9-12 grades) gather on Mondays, 7-8:30 P.M., in "The Ark" with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb. The *junior highs* (7-8 grades) meet on Saturdays, 7:30-9 P.M., in "The Ark" with Dick Brown, Flossie Ledbetter and Dusty Long. Encourage your teenagers to attend!

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## Sermon Preview

### "WHICH ONE IS YOU?"

Scripture Lesson, Luke 10:25-37.

In the story of the Good Samaritan we are more likely to identify ourselves with the priest, the Levite or with the Samaritan. This sermon will attempt to lead to identifications also with the man "who fell among robbers" and with the robbers who "stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead."

A sermon I heard as a young man used the following easy to remember outline:

- I. "What Is Thine Is Mine" — Robbers.
- II. "What Is Mine Is Mine" — Priest and Levite.
- III. "What Is Mine Is Thine" — Samaritan.

Except for the exclusion of the victim, who is designated only "a man," that is any man, the simple outline provides us with a workable approach for the development of a sermon.

Within the spread of this parable we are able to entertain several of the pressing problems of our times. Each one present will be invited to identify with each character, or imaginatively to enter each role, especially with the first two, Victim and Robber, as unaccustomed and more difficult identifications.

*George A. Foster.*

James W. Henley, *Bishop*  
Robert B. Chapman, Jr., *Dist. Supt.*

John H. Green, *Minister of Education*

George A. Foster, *Pastor*  
Ben W. Curry, *Pastor*

NURSERIES IN TRINITY HALL ARE OPEN DURING MORNING SERVICES

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Reformation Sunday

Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'Clock

\*Congregation Stands

\*\*\*Worshippers May Be Seated

**PRELUDE** "On Earth Has Dawned This Day of Days" ..... *Pepping*

**CALL TO WORSHIP** ..... *Choral Introit*

\***PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 20**, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

\***INVOCATION** *The Minister*

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**CALL TO CONFESSION** *The Minister*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *To be offered by Minister and People*

Eternal God, by whose mercy we are forgiven our sins and through whose grace we enter thy kingdom, let both thy mercy and grace be upon us, we humbly pray, as we bow before thee, confessing our sins. We acknowledge the control of pride in our lives. We recognize in thy presence acts of disobedience. We see by thy truth wrong turns we have taken. Forgive, restore and strengthen, we beseech thee, and henceforth order our lives by thy wisdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE** *The Minister*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *The Minister and People*

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\***THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 624**, "Let Us Praise Famous Men"

\***GLORIA PATRI**

\***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738**, "The Apostles' Creed"

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**ANTHEM**

8:30 A.M. "Consider Now the Lily" (*Tell It Like It Is*)—*Carmichael* ..... *Altar Choir*

11:00 A.M. "Blessed Is the Man"—*Rachmaninoff* ..... *Chancel Choir*

Blessed is the man that hath not walked in the counsel of the ungodly. Alleluia.

For the Lord knoweth the way of the righteous, but the way of the ungodly shall perish. Alleluia.

Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice unto him with reverence. Alleluia.

Blessed are all they that put their trust in him. Alleluia.

Arise, O Lord, and save me, O my God. Alleluia.

Salvation belongeth unto the Lord and thy blessing is upon thy people. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, both now and ever and to ages of ages. Amen.

Alleluia. Glory be to thee, O God.

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**LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES** Luke 10:25-37

**THE PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES**

**THE OFFERTORY**

"With Joyful Heart" ..... *Pepping*

\***THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**HYMN NO. 489**, "Safely Through Another Week"

**PRAYER FOR DELIVERY AND RECEPTION OF SERMON**

**Minister:** Let the words of my mouth,

**People:** And the meditation of our hearts,

**All:** Be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, our Strength and our Redeemer. Amen.

**SERMON**

"WHICH ONE IS YOU?" ..... *Dr. George A. Foster*

\***RECESSIONAL HYMN NO. 200**, "The Voice of God Is Calling"

**BENEDICTION** ..... *Choral Amen*

**POSTLUDE** "Praise Be To God in the Highest" ..... *Pepping*

## EVENING CHAPEL WORSHIP

7:45 P.M.

— 8:30 P.M.

### SANCTUARY

**PRELUDE** "Hymn Song for Sunday"—*Gillis* ..... *Instrumental Ensemble*

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

**HYMN NO. 295**, "How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place"

#### INVOCATION

#### LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

#### HYMN SERVICE

No. 138, "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

No. 173, "O Young and Fearless Prophet of Ancient Galilee"

No. 67, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

#### SPECIAL MUSIC

"Deep River Suite"—*Erickson* ..... *Instrumental Ensemble*

#### MEDITATION

"RIDDLED WITH RESENTMENT?" ..... *Rev. Ben W. Curry*

#### ALTAR PRAYER

#### BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** "Jesus Shall Reign" ..... *Matthews*

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. Paul Howard Brock by Mrs. P. H. Brock and Mrs. C. B. Wilharm.

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### NEW MEMBERS LAST SUNDAY

The following new members were received and welcomed into our Church on last Sunday:

Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Hall,  
2312 Dozier Dr. 32301

Mrs. Hazel Hargrove,  
2108 Ridgeway Dr. 32303

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hayes,  
2805 Vann Circle 32303

Miss Adelaide S. Maner,  
525 Palm Court 32301

Mr. and Mrs. James Hugh McDowell,  
F.S.U. Trailer Park, Lot # 4, 32304

Mrs. Frank G. McKinney,  
425½ Hillcrest 32303

Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Peirce,  
Catherine (Cathi) Peirce,  
2608 Lotus Dr. 32303

Mr. Ted Riefer,  
Room 114, Kellum Hall, F.S.U. 32306

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schramm,  
3512 Raymond Diehl Rd., Killearn Est.

Mrs. Robert B. Stamey,  
500 Truett Dr. 32303

Miss Kathy Wahlers,  
631 E. Call, Apt. 606 32301

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williamson,  
Robert Allen and Susan Williamson,  
2034 Wahlaw Nene 32301

### NEW FLAGS IN CHANCEL

The two fine new flags, an American flag and a United Methodist flag, displayed in our Chancel this Sunday for the first time, are the gift of Mrs. W. Theodore Proctor, Jr., and are placed by her to the glory of God and in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goode.

### CONFIRMATION CLASS FOR ADULTS

A Confirmation Class for adults, to be led by Dr. Foster, will begin this Sunday at 9:45 A.M. in Room 403. The Class will be conducted as a discussion group and will develop according to the needs of its members. *Please note change of room.*

### ATTENTION USHERS

Those who are involved in our ushering program or would like to be involved, please meet in the Sanctuary this Monday, October 26, 7:30 P.M. This will be a training session for ushers.

### UNITED NATIONS — TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

A special observance of the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the United Nations will be made this Sunday (October 25), 3:00-5:00 P.M. at the LeMoyné Art Foundation. The observance will feature the continued showing of "A Fable," a 17-minute color film starring Marcel Marceau, French pantomimist.

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Mrs. Dempsey (Althea) Mayo

### IN MEMORIAM

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Mr. Charles T. Whitehead  
October 18, 1970

### CIRCLE NOTE

Circle 12 (Visiting) of the W.S.C.S. will meet Tuesday, October 27, 10:00 A.M. in the Church Parlor. All women interested in a visitation program are invited to attend.

### A PLEA FOR YOUR CONCERN

We invite the parents of children in Elementary I-II to take time to read carefully the bulletin board on the 3rd floor located by the respective classrooms. There is a summary of materials being used in class. You, as a parent, may have a set of the curriculum. Mrs. John Green, counseling teacher, I-II, will be available for discussion with you about the materials and your child's class teachers in the office of the Minister of Christian Education at 10 A.M. this Sunday.

### THANK YOU!

We appreciate your participation in our Leadership Training School. The attendance was above the number registered. Our hat's off to the assistance of the Women's Society to each who performed so well their responsibilities.

### SR. HIGHS PLAN TRIP

The senior high UMYF has made plans for an Appalachian Trail Hike during the Thanksgiving holidays. The group has already begun its work to make this experience the best ever.

### FALL FESTIVAL SOON

Circle Friday, Nov. 6, on your calendar for the C<sup>a</sup>A<sup>r</sup>N<sup>i</sup>V<sup>a</sup>L here at Trinity, 5:30-10:00 P.M. Booths with food, games and fun will be centered in the two patios and parking lot. Proceeds will go for Methodist mission work in Florida, final payment on our bus, and the youth program at Trinity.

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### COFFEE HOUSE

"The Ark," Trinity's youth Coffee House, opens every Friday, 8:00 to midnight. Anyone wishing to attend may do so. If you would like to entertain, contact John Poag (222-4792).

### GROUP ATTENDANCE

We are happy to reserve pews for groups such as sororities, fraternities, clubs, or a class that may wish to sit in Church as a body. Please call the Church Office, 222-1120, for such reservations. Please also let us know whether or not you wish your group to be presented.

### RUN YOUR CLOCKS BACK!

Our Schedule this Sunday will be the same except we will follow the country in going on Standard Time. Suggestion: Run your clocks back one hour Saturday evening, then go to bed, get up and attend Church by the new schedule. Right?

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