

Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian Church

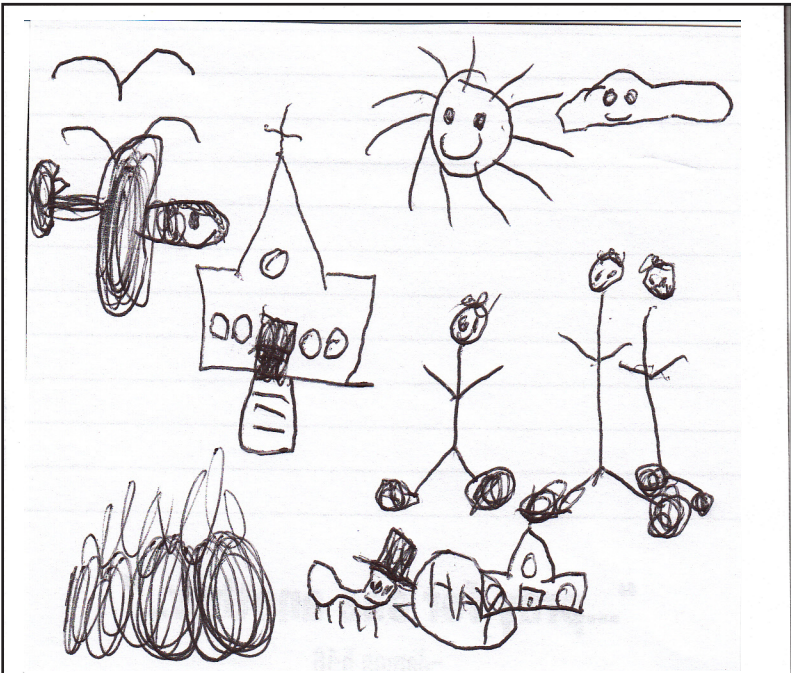
The Children's Worship Bulletin



Jesus said: "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them,
for the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:14

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The Lord's Day • October 7, 2012





just a word from **Mr. Mac**

Claude E. McRoberts, III · Senior Minister

Dear Children,

Today we talk about another piece of armor; actually a WEAPON!

Now, I know boys seem to like weapons and knives and guns more than girls do, but these weapons we are talking about are for EVERYONE.

My son had a collection of knives as he grew up. Over time, he probably collected more than 40 knives! Some were pocket knives; some were more like daggers; and he had a few swords. He has a beautiful sword that hangs in his room that my dad gave him.

The Sword of the Spirit is the Word of God.

But when Paul speaks of the Sword of the Spirit, he is thinking in his mind about a dagger; something about 6-18 inches long that a soldier would keep in his sheath. But when it came time to fight, he would draw that dagger out and skillfully use it to defeat his enemy.

We have an enemy. His name is Satan. He tempts us to sin, and he would like to destroy us. But the One Who lives in us is greater than he who is in the world. And our Commander, Jesus, has given us this sword (dagger) to wield against our enemy.

The best way to learn to use this dagger is to read it, to memorize it, to think about it, to make time every day to read it, to think about what it says, and to pray about it.

The Bible is very, very important. It is our highest authority; there is no greater authority in our lives! And it is life-giving. It helps us, compels us to obey and love Jesus, converts us, convicts us, lights our path, and comforts us among many other things. We should read it every day; it is God's love letter to us.

I love you,

Mr. Mac

The Week of October 7 - 13, 2012

A Guide to Family Worship

An Opening Statement

Head of the Home

The Head of the Home should take the Call to Worship from the Morning Worship Bulletin and use all or some each day of the week as needed.

Hymn Suggestions

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken • The Law of the Lord is Perfect
• Psalm 11 (Tune: "This is My Father's World" • Family Favorites •

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:10-20 (all or portions; perhaps a portion each day)
Psalm 19 • II Kings 6:12-19 • Psalm 149:6 • Exodus 34:1-9

Doxology

Silent Reflections/Meditation

OR, Suggested Questions from the Morning Sermon

- Whast piece of armor did Mr. Mac speak about today?
- Can you describe the sword? (More like a dagger; easy to use in hand-to-hand combat; one must be skilled in using it)
- How did Jesus use God's Word in the wilderness when tempted by Satan?
- What do we believe about God's Word: its power? its being inspired by God? it never returns void of what God sent it out to do? authoritative?
- How can we use God's Word as a weapon against our enemy?
- Hebrews 4:12-13
- How can I learn more about God's Word? How often should I read it? Should it be a priority? How can I make it a priority?
- Jesus is THE Word of God. When will I see Him?

Prayers of Thanksgiving, Adoration, Confession and Intercession

Final Hymn or Song

The Head of the Home

Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, to the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever.

So, go forth into the world in peace; be of good courage; hold fast that which is good; render to no man evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted; support the weak; heal the afflicted; honor all men; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit, preserve and keep you until the day breaks and all these shadows flee away.



MISSIONS

Around the World and Here at Home

Where Do Our Missionaries Live and Work?

Jim is from Greenville, Alabama. Caty was born in Ecuador. They met in Quito, Ecuador where Jim was serving as a single missionary. Now that they are married, they work together in Quayaquil, which is a large city along the Pacific Ocean in Ecuador. Jim has helped plant four churches in Ecuador and helped them be able to support their own pastors. Caty leads a special ministry to women in her city and has other women who volunteer to help her. They have two teenaged children, Phillip and Iliana. While the Tates have been in the United States, they have often stayed in Trinity's missions houses for several weeks or months. Our missions houses are one of the ways Trinity Church supports our missionaries. Recently, the Tates have stayed in Greenville but are planning to return to Ecuador in January 2013.

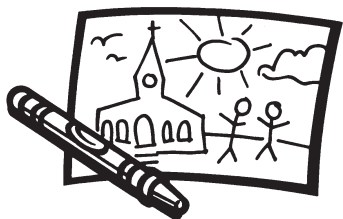
Meet the Tate Family

Jim and Caty
Phillip and Iliana

Serving in Ecuador

with

Mission to the World



Sermon Art

Use this page to illustrate something that Mr. Mac preaches on during the sermon this morning.

Would you like for your artwork to be considered for the front cover of next week's bulletin? If so, either give it to any of the pastoral staff or have an adult to put it in the mailbox for Sermon Art in the church office.

The Sermon Art mailbox is located on the bottom left hand side of mailboxes in the church office.

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Have something on your mind or do you have a prayer request?

Use this space to write down any prayer requests, or comments you have for Mr. Mac or the other pastors.

Place this sheet in the "Sermon Art" mailbox in the church office
so they will know of your questions, prayer requests or concerns. Thank you!

Your Name: _____

Your Request: _____

"...pray for one another..."

-James 5:16





MUSIC and HYMNS

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord...

#570 “Faith of Our Fathers!”

We think the “fathers” referred to in this hymn are our ancestors who suffered for their Christian beliefs, even to the point of death. We should all be willing to die for our faith and even to love both friend and the enemy. All that is difficult to even think about, but that is the kind of faith God demands of His children.

#345 “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

The special city of God referred to as Zion is probably symbolic of the Christian church, of which we are a part. This hymn speaks of God’s promised protection against foes, streams of living waters, and the lasting treasures given only to the children of God. This is said to be one of John Newton’s finest works and the only joyful hymn in his collection. It give a description of God’s protection of His chosen people, showing Newton’s respect for the covenantal promises to the Jews as well as to the local church and its earthly ministry.





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UPCOMING Events

*Reformation Party
October 31, 2012
5:00 until 6:30 p.m.*