

THE CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETIN

Trinity Presbyterian Church

March 22, 2015



• God loves
• God knows
• God prepares
• God is there
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• Jesus the
• Savior

A child's drawing in black ink. It shows a person with long hair and a cross on their chest, standing next to a heart with an arrow pointing to it. The drawing is on a light background with a dotted border.

Name: Mae Champion

Age: 7

JUST A WORD FROM Mrs. Stacy

Stacy Hamilton • Director of Children's Ministries

Good morning Children!

This morning, Mr. Mac will begin a series on marriage and family called "The More Excellent Way." More specifically, he will be preaching about laying a foundation of love, and our scripture will be from I Corinthians 13, which is sometimes referred to as the "Love Chapter." You often hear this passage read during wedding ceremonies.

The word "love" appears many many times in scripture. I find it interesting that I Corinthians 4 starts with the words "Love is patient, love is kind." Very often this passage is the hardest to apply to those we should love the most: our family. In his sermon, Mr. Mac will describe patience as enduring personal wrongs without retaliation (not trying to "get back" at someone because they might have done something mean to you); bearing with someone's (mom, dad, brother, sister, etc.) imperfections; and, maybe the hardest thing of all, forgiving someone over and over. Have you ever thought of forgiving someone as an act of love?

The greatest example of love is Jesus himself. He came to earth as an act of love; he forgave the people who crucified him as an act of love; and he forgives us as an act of love.

Spring break is a great time for you to put love into practice if you haven't already. Maybe you can start by asking your brother or sister, "What would you like to do today?" Or, if you have someone take a toy away from you, you could say, "It's okay, you can play with it." Try some of these things and see what happens!

I hope that you enjoy your spring break this week, and will plan to join us for some of our special services for Holy Week. 1st-6th graders, don't forget the Palm Sunday Processional at both of the morning worship services. We will line up in the Westminster Room at 8:00 am for the 8:30 service, and at 10:30 for the 11:00 am service. It would be wonderful if you could participate in both!

Love,

Mrs. Stacy

“And we are writing these things
so that our joy may be complete!”
John 1:4

Dear Mr. Mac

Do you have a:

Prayer Request?- Is there something you need prayer for?

Praise Report?- Has God answered a prayer?

Is there **anything else** you would like Mr. Mac to know?

Mr. Mac wants to know!!

Please write to him here and place your message in his box.

Dear Mr. Mac,

Name: _____ Age: _____

Guide to Family Worship

March 22-March 27

Sunday

Psalms

118



145

Jer. 23:16-32

1 Cor. 9:19-27

Mark 8:31—9:1

Lord, our heavenly father, at the beginning of another week we come to Thee for help and light. Grant, we beseech Thee, that we may hallow this day of rest to Thy service, and find in Thee all peace and strength. Quicken our devotion, that we may serve Thee in spirit and in truth, and lay a good foundation for our coming work. Be with us in all the public services of Thy day, that we may join in them with heart and soul, and receive the blessing which Thou hast promised to all who sincerely pray to Thee and faithfully hear Thy Word. This we ask for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Monday

Psalms

31



35

Jer. 24:1-10

Rom. 9:19-33

John 9:1-17

Lord, our Heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day: Defend us in the same with Thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings, being ordered by Thy governance, may be righteous in Thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Tuesday

Psalms

[120], 121, 122, 123



124, 125, 126, [127]

Jer. 25:8-17

Rom. 10:1-13

John 9:18-41

Thou in whose hand are the hearts of Thy children: shed abroad Thy peace upon the world by the might of Thy Holy Spirit quench the pride and anger and greediness which cause man to strive against man, and people against people. Lead all nations in the ways of mutual help and good will, and hasten the time when the earth shall confess Thee indeed for its Savior and King, and no evil deeds of man shall defile Thy glorious creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thursday

Psalms	131, 132, [133]	❖	140, 142
	Jer. 26:1-16	Rom. 11:1-12	John 10:19-42

Lord of all good life, we pray Thee to purify our lives. Help us each day to know more of Thee, and by the power of Thy Spirit use us to show forth Thyself to others. Make us humble, brave, and loving; make us ready for adventure. We do not ask that Thou wilt keep us safe, but that Thou wilt keep us ever loyal to the example of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Friday

Psalms	95* & 22	❖	141, 143:1-11(12)
	Jer. 29:1,4-13	Rom. 11:13-24	John 11:1-27, or 12:1-10

Almighty God, who seest that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves: keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to our body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Saturday

Psalms	137:1-6(7-9), 144	❖	42, 43
	Jer. 31:27-34	Rom. 11:25-36	John 11:28-44, or 12:37-50

God, the Protector of all that trust in Thee, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us Thy mercy, that, Thou being our Ruler and Guide, we may so pass through things temporal that we may finally lose not the things eternal. Grant this, O Lord most merciful, for the sake of Thy dear Son our Savior. Amen.



MISSIONS @

Meet ur Missionaries

"And He said to them, 'Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.'"

Mark 16:15



Trinity's Reynosa Missions Trip Team

serving

Isaiah 55 Deaf Ministries

This week's missionaries are normally here with us every Sunday, except this week they are in Reynosa, Mexico working with Isaiah 55 Deaf Ministries that provides a school for deaf children. That ministry serves other neighborhood children and does projects to benefit the city of Reynosa. Our team expects to do some painting or other work, play games and sports, teach Bible stories and other activities with the neighborhood children.

The team is composed of Tommy, Hampton, and Ivy Bopp; Kurt Cooper; Tom Danielson; Josh, Aaron, and Kate Hall; Milla and Adelaide Howard; Anna Johnson; Thomas Ladner; Melanie and William Newman; Rob, Joppa, Kim and Olivia Pendley; and Zach and Mary Cam Shaw.

Please pray for safety and protection, opportunities to share the gospel and the grace to do so, and that they will learn the lessons God wants them to learn. Will you pray for them and then ask them about their trip when they return?

TRINITY PCA
Write a letter to our
missionaries!

Would you like to write a letter encouraging our missionaries or thanking them for the work they do for God? A letter from you would make their day! If you would like to write a letter to the missionary or family shown this week, please write in the space provided below and put it in Mr. Tom's box. He will make sure they receive it!

Dear Reynosa Missions Trip Team,

This image shows a blank sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.

Name_____Age_____

Music and Hymns



#535 "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!"

Jesus loves you so much! He loves you more than you will ever know. There are some powerful passages in the Bible that really show His love.

Here are just a few: Jeremiah 1:4-6 says "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart." Luke 12:7 says "indeed, the very hairs of your head are all numbered." 2 Thessalonians 2:12 says "... God has chosen you from the beginning for salvation..." These verses should make you feel so special and loved. For His love is "vast and unmeasured, boundless, free."

#529 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Verse one says "Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded, love Thou art." Jesus is pure love. 1 John 4:8 says "God is love." Divine love is quite different than the love we know here on earth. We, as humans, love people, but we can never truly grasp the love Jesus has for us; His love is so much deeper. He is willing to forgive us no matter what we have done. He loves everyone and wants them to be with Him forever. This is why he offers us the free gift of salvation if we will just believe in Him. Jesus loves all people, even bad people that we would never think of forgiving. He is willing to forgive them right now if they are willing to accept Him as their Lord and Savior.

Isn't this is an amazing love?!

Hymn Word Unscramble



Let the word of Christ dwell in you
richly, teaching and admonishing one
another in all wisdom, singing psalms
and hymns and spiritual songs, with
thankfulness in your hearts to God.

Colossians 3:16

Try to unscramble these words from this week's hymn:

#529 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

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RHAET_____

IIPSTR_____

YJO_____

RPIAES_____

LRGYO_____

STRE_____

SSJUE_____

RPEU_____

"He who loves Me will be loved by My Father and I too will love him
and show Myself to him."

John 14:21

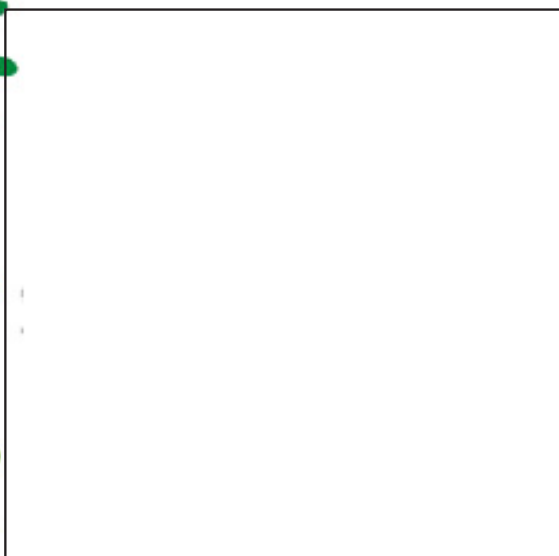
SERMON ART

Illustrate something for next week's Children's Bulletin.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON IS ON Selected Scriptures

Want to see your artwork on the
FRONT PAGE?

If so, put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



Name: _____ Age: _____

“...man shall not live by bread
alone, but by every word that
comes from the mouth of God.”

Matthew 4:4

Learning Together

This week's lesson is...

I love my family because....

This week, Mr. Mac is talking about love for our families.
Take a few minutes and write out a few reasons you love
your family.



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Friday, April 10
6:00 P.M.
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Childcare is available by reservation
48 hours in advance
contact Chelle Felder at 262.3892 ext. 161
or nursery@trinitypca.org

Jesus loves: