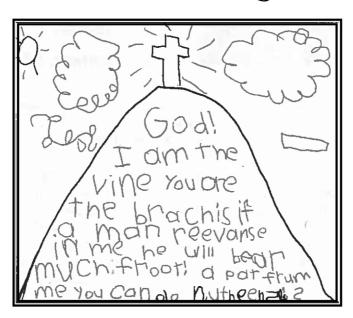


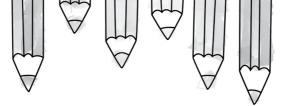
# Worship Bulletin

#### **Trinity Presbyterian Church**

# November 5, 2017 All Saint's Day



Name: Laurie Spooner Age: 6



#### Just a word from Mr. Mike

Michael Howell • Minister of Pastoral Care

My dear young friends,

This Sunday morning I want to preach on Genesis 15:1-6. It is a story of how God supported Abraham, when Abraham's faith was a bit shaky. God provided some 'crutches' so he could walk.

The plan is for me to tell a few stories. There is a story about a young boy named Luigi and another about a football player who broke his leg. Here is the story that I want to tell at the very beginning of the sermon:

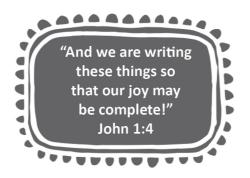
A long time ago, John Tyler was the 1st vice-president of the United States to become president without an election. It happened this way. President William Henry Harrison died while in office. So that meant that the vice-president (John Tyler) would become president. The problem was this: President Harrison died so quickly that the vice-president did not get a pay check for being vice-president. That meant that John Tyler did not have enough money to pay for his trip to Washington D. C. and attend his own installation as president! Friends had to give him money, so he could travel to Washington D. C. and become president.

The point of the story is this: sometimes you can have a great privilege and yet have problems with that privilege. Abraham had a great privilege, but had problems with that privilege. That is the reason why God came and gave him some 'crutches' to help him walk with the privilege.

If you have any questions about the story or any of the stories that I tell, please let me know. Maybe I can give you a better story!

Your friend in Jesus,

Mr. Mike



# 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	—  <b>⊢</b>
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# **SERMON QUESTIONS**

1.	What was the problem that John Tyler had?
2.	If we trust God, can we ask Him questions?
3.	How did the football player break his leg? Did he play the next game even though his leg was broken?
4.	When God took Abraham outside, what did He tell him to do? Could Abraham count?
5.	What did Luigi do with the Declaration of Independence?

# Sermon Art

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

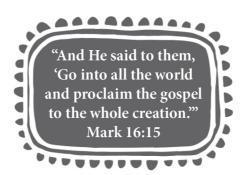
This weeks lesson is on Genesis 15:1-6

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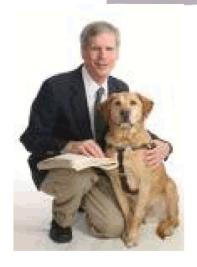
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## Meet Our Missionaries!



# John & Cathy Rug, and Bertha, the dog

Mission to the World

John and Cathy met while they were college students. After they were married, John went to seminary to become a minister. Later, they decided to become missionaries during a missions conference at their church. They have been starting churches in Chile since 1986.

You may not be able to tell this from the picture, but John is blind and has been so all of his life. That is why he has a service dog named Bertha. She helps him get around and even travel alone to the United States without any other family.

John's blindness helps him understand the needs of others who are blind or have physical disabilities that prevent them from doing things most people do. Because of this, his church makes a special effort to minister to people with disabilities as well as to their families.

# 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!

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# Music and Hymns

#### #358 "For All the Saints"

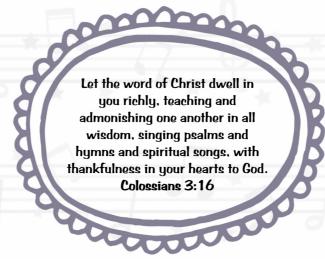
This hymn reminds us that, as believers, we are also soldiers in Christ who fight against evil. The Lord is our captain, our light, our rock, and our fortress. We have to keep fighting for what is right and against evil until the day that Jesus returns and evil is defeated once and for all!

#### #705 "I Know Whom I Have Believed"

The writer of this hymn confesses that there are several things he does not know about God or the way things work, but he does know Whom he believes. He doesn't understand why God chose him and gave him grace, how he has gained peace through the Word, how the Spirit moves, how the rest of his life will turn out, or when he will meet the Lord, but he does know that he believes the Lord and trusts in Him! You don't have to have all of the answers to trust in Jesus Christ. Trusting without fully understanding is called faith. Have faith in God even if you don't understand why or how He does what He does. Who do you believe?

"God Is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble."

Psalm 46:1



# Hymn Word Unscramble

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

#### #358 "For All the Saints"

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On **All Saint's Day**, we honor and remember those who have passed away since last All Saint's Day.

Can you think of the name(s) of someone who has passed away recently? If so, write their name(s) here:

Would you commit to praying for their family/families?

The family is still here on earth grieving the loss of their loved one, but the one who has passed is up in heaven praising God with the Church Triumphant!

Here is one suggested prayer from the *Book of Common Worship* for All Saint's Day:

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. One generation shall praise Thy works to another, and shall declare Thy mighty acts."

Re-write this prayer in your own words:

# **Events**

#### **Thanksgiving Day Service**

Thursday, November 23 at 9:00 a.m.

### **Family Christmas Movie Night**

Wednesday, December 6 at 6:00 p.m.

#### **Preschool Cookie Bake**

Thursday, December 7 at 1:00 p.m.



# children's ministry

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Jesus loves: