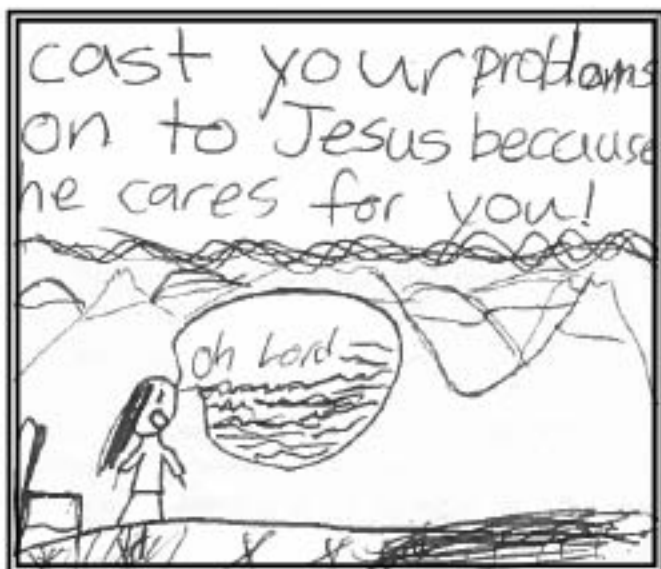


The Children's Worship Bulletin

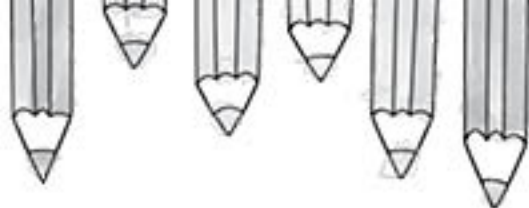
Trinity Presbyterian Church

August 12, 2018



Name: Harper Thomas

Age: 9



Just a word from Mr. Mac

Claude E. McRoberts, III • Senior Minister

Dear Children,

Sorry for repeat of last week's letter, but I have been sick, and this letter and questions with your mom and dad go with today's sermon.

Many of you will start school this week. I hope it is okay if I share with you and the congregation about how I used to cry in first grade before I had to go inside. I don't know why I did that because I had the sweetest teacher in the world. I think I just did not want to leave my mom and dad.

I would sit in my dad's car with him until the very last minute, then turn to him and say, "Pray for me." Then I would get out of the car and walk into the school building.

Children, I am fifty-four years old now, and I still say it all the time to people: "Pray for me." And if the truth be known, I still sometimes cry. It's okay to cry. Adults cry, too. But I do hope that after fifty years, I am asking people to pray for me more out of faith in God than out of fear of the unknown.

Do you get scared? Do you ask your mom and dad to pray for you? Do you pray with your mom and dad?

You don't have to be scared to ask someone to pray for you. You can ask people to pray for your day, a test at school, starting school this year, someone who is sick, for missionaries, for a trip, for your plans ... the list goes on and on.

And we will learn this morning about how much the Apostle Paul relied on people praying for him. He was very quick to say, "Pray for me." I love you, and I do pray for you.

Mr. Mac

Here are some things from my sermon about which you can talk to your mom and dad:

1. What are some things that you want people to pray for you? Do you pray for others? Why or why not? How can you do that?
2. How did Paul tell us to pray in Romans 15:30-33?
3. Other passages you and your mom and dad can read about Paul and his desire for prayer: I Thessalonians 5:25; II Thessalonians 3:1-2; Philippians 1:19-20; Ephesians 6:19-20; Colossians 4:2-4; II Corinthians 1:9-11.
4. Talk about the authority of Jesus and the love of the Holy Spirit. When do you most think about these things? When do you want to most experience them in your life?
5. Do you have good friends? Pray God will give you Christian friends.
6. Read Romans 15:33; memorize it; pray it.



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: _____

**A Guide to Family Worship
August 13-18, 2018**

THE SIMPLEST OUTLINE FOR FAMILY TIME EVER!!!

10 EASY STEPS

- #1** Just make sure you gather once a day as a family.
- #2** Try really hard to make the same time every day.
- #3** It does not have to be long; it does not have to be perfect.
- #4** Read a Bible verse. Maybe a devotional.
- #5** Sing a song or two together.
- #6** Take prayer requests.
- #7** Pray. (Daddy, your children **NEED** to hear you pray.) Pray for the children; pray for missionaries; pray for Trinity Church; give thanks.
- #8** Everyone tell one thing they are thankful for.
- #9** Have a Leader of the Day; they get to read and/or pray and/or tell everyone to come gather and/or put out the Bibles/hymnals and/or tell something that happened to them that day.
- #10** Dad, pray this over your children: Numbers 6:24-26
The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

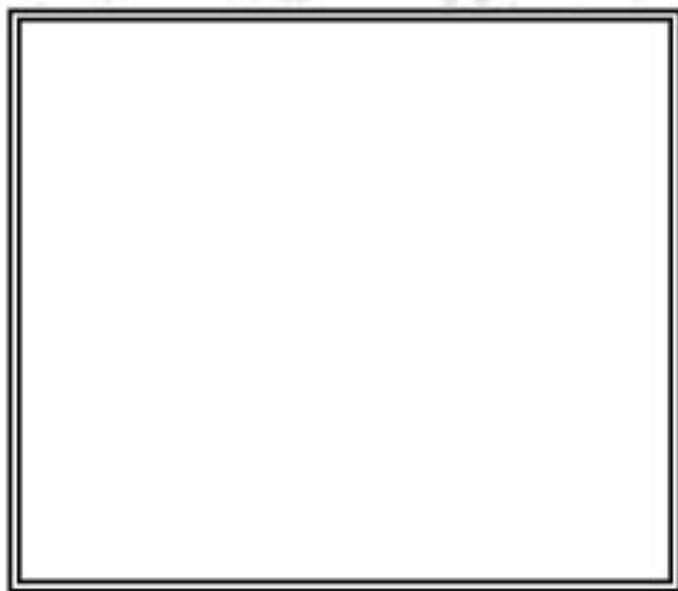
Sermon Art

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

This week's lesson is on
Romans 15:30-33

Want to see your artwork on
the FRONT PAGE?

Put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



Name: _____ Age: _____

"And He said to them,
'Go into all the world
and proclaim the gospel
to the whole creation."
Mark 16:15

Meet Our Missionaries!



Missionaries in Closed Countries

Normally, a missionary will go to a country and say they are there to plant churches, start a Christian school, medical clinic, or other ministry so they can tell people about Jesus. Some countries don't allow missionaries who want to do those kinds of things. Those places are called Closed Countries.

Trinity Church has about a dozen missionaries in Closed Countries. They usually go as teachers or business people or for other jobs that they actually do, but they also tell people about Jesus at the same time. Some of those countries are not safe places for Christians. They could be persecuted, put in jail, or even put to death. Jesus told His disciples to expect to be persecuted just as He was. The Apostle Paul is one of our best examples in the Bible.

When we talk or write about missionaries who do these things, we usually don't use their full first and last names or we may not use their real names. We usually don't identify their country, but you can always ask someone who is part of Trinity's Missions Ministry for more information about them.

**Will you pray for our missionaries
who serve God in Closed Countries?**

Music and Hymns

#378 "Here, O My Lord, I see Thee Face to Face"

This is a perfect hymn for communion. Most of you have probably not ever taken communion, but I am sure you have seen it and heard about it. We eat bread and drink grape juice that symbolize Jesus' body and blood shed on the cross for our sins. Taking communion is a very intimate moment with Jesus. Verse 4 says "Mine is the sin, but Thine the righteousness; mine is the guilt, but Thine the cleansing blood." Communion is a reminder that Christ died for our sins and we do it in remembrance of Him!

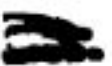
#286 "Worship Christ the Risen King!"

Do you think of Christ as though He is alive and sitting at the right hand of God the Father? He is alive and awake and is always available to hear your prayers. You are not alone in this world. Christ has conquered the world and death and He is here for you! Praise Him and pray to Him with all of your praises and concerns and know that He hears you.
He is not in the tomb for He is risen!

"I am living bread that came down from heaven."

John 6:51

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