

Trinity Presbyterian Church

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Just a word from Mr. Kurt

Kurt Cooper • Minister to Youth

Children,

When I was a child, I had a teacher that told us that there are no dumb questions. She told us that so we wouldn't be afraid to ask about something we didn't understand. Sometimes, we can be afraid to ask questions because it might hurt someone's feelings or it might make us look like we don't know something everyone else knows. In our passage this morning, one of Jesus' disciples isn't sure about Jesus being resurrected. His name is Thomas and the first time that Jesus appears to his disciples, Thomas isn't there. He has trouble believing that Jesus really did rise again from the dead. Because of this, many people have called him "Doubting Thomas." When you read this part of Scripture, I want you to notice something about how Jesus treats Thomas. Jesus doesn't scold Thomas for having doubts. Jesus doesn't say he's disappointed in Thomas. Jesus doesn't make fun of Thomas' doubts. Jesus invites Thomas to touch his scars. Jesus invites Thomas to see that he is really who he says he is. If you have doubts, I hope that you won't be afraid to ask questions of your parents, your pastors or your Sunday school teachers. We want you to ask us about Jesus. We'd love to talk with you about him. Jesus is bigger than all our doubts and he is more than ready to answer your questions, just like he was ready to answer Thomas' questions.

In Christ,

Kurt



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,

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A Guide to Family Worship

November 14 - November 19

THE SIMPLEST OUTLINE FOR FAMILY TIME EVER!!! 10 EASY STEPS

#1	Just make sure	you gather once a	a day as a fan	nily.

- #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. Kurt preaches on during the sermon this morning!

This week's lesson is on

John 20:19-31

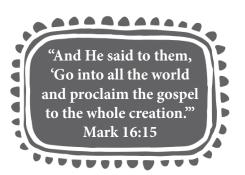
Want to see your artwork on the FRONT PAGE?

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

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Meet Our Missionaries!



William and Dorothy Stabler RUF Jackson, MS

William was raised in Montgomery and began attending Trinity Church when he was in high school. While he was in college, he became interested in telling other college students about Jesus. After graduating from the University of Alabama, he went to a country in Asia for two years so he could learn their language and tell other college students about Jesus. William is working with Reformed University Fellowship (RUF) to help connect the work of RUF to Mission to the World (MTW) and connect RUF students to short-term opportunities with MTW. The goal is for these short-term opportunities to lead to long-term missionary work in the field.

Music and Hymns

"How Great Thou Art"

This song speaks of the awesomeness of God from the beginning of creation to His second coming. It speaks of the stars, the birds, the thunder, the gentle breeze, the mountain grandeur, His death on the cross, and many other things. What can you see around you that speaks to the awesomeness of God?

"How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place"

Written by Isaac Watts, this one dates back to the year 1707. Read the story of the invited guests in Luke 14 to better understand this hymn. The gathering place (perhaps the church) of saved Christians is what he refers to as "a sweet and awesome place." And were it not for Christ's drawing us to Him, we would be lost forever!

"Great is the LORD, and most worthy of praise."
Psalm 48:1



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