

Avenues for Giving:

Online giving is at trinitynorman.com or through the Trinity Norman App.

Text giving: text our ten digit code: (833) 381-4569.

By mail: P O Box 6016, Norman, OK 73070.

	2021 Budget Numbers	2022 Budget Numbers
Document last modified: 1h ago	\$171,089.12	*\$150,000.00
Total Budgeted	\$144,351.59	\$133,866.79
Total Spending	\$132,942.58	
Total Surplus	\$38,146.54	
Total in Savings as 1/2022	\$103,259.81	

Church Staff, Officers, Leadership Contact Info:

- Minister: Rev. Justin Westmoreland, justinwestmoreland@gmail.com 405.568.7000
- Elder: Mr. John Mantooth, 405.527.2138 (cell), 405.527.2137 (office)
- Elder: Mr. Cody Wampler, 580.591.6288, codywampler@gmail.com
- Deacon Chairman: Mr. Ross McClish, 405.313.4441, rossmcclish@att.net
- Pastoral Associate: Dr. Ryan Bisel, Youth and Family Ministries, rbisel@gmail.com
- Ministry Teams Creator: Mr. Todd Tullio, tullio@pldi.net
- Prayer requests or questions: admin@trinitynorman.com.

Our Mission: "Gathering & Perfecting"

- Men's Bible Study: @Rudy's. Tuesday, 6:30am, "Genesis 45."
- Women's Bible Study: @Tammie's, Thursday, 10:30am, "Wisdom of God."
- Sunday Discipleship Ministries- "Covenant Theology w/ Cody" 9:45-10:15
- New Class: Gospel of Mark for middle and high school age students. Starts Mar 6.
- Children's Discipleship Ministries- "Church Values." 9:45-10:15
- Midweek fellowship- Feb 7, 5:30-7:00pm, Big Brew.
- Ski-Grace- Spring Break 2023



Get Connected

← Trinity Pres' Link Tree



← Women's Ministry Groupme link:

Download the Trinity Pres App on Apple and Android devices.
Search: "A Church for Norman. Please rate/review the app."



Trinity Presbyterian Church of Norman
The Service of Worship of the Triune God
Sunday, February 6, 2021 – 10:30-11:45 am
Trinitynorman.com



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN
A Church for Norman

"Glorifying God & Enjoying Him Forever."
"We exist to gather and perfect the saints of God
in Norman, OK and beyond."

Pre-Service Meditation:

¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, ¹⁶ that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith--that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸ may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

- (Eph 3:14-21 ESV)

“The revelation to the believer that God is his Father is in a sense the climax of the Bible.”

- J.I. Packer

Being able to call our Creator and Redeemer ‘Father’—and to be called ‘sons’ and considered as members of the family in which Jesus is our ‘elder brother’—is the difference between living under the old covenant and living in the new. Being able to say, ‘Abba! Father!’ (Rom 8:15; Gal 4:6) is the heart of Christianity and our greatest privilege.”

- Derek Thomas

Return, O Israel, to the LORD your God, for you have stumbled because of your iniquity. ² Take with you words and return to the LORD; say to him, "Take away all iniquity; accept what is good, and we will pay with bulls the vows of our lips.

³ Assyria shall not save us; we will not ride on horses; and we will say no more, 'Our God,' to the work of our hands. In you the orphan finds mercy."

⁴ I will heal their apostasy; I will love them freely, for my anger has turned from them. ⁵ I will be like the dew to Israel; he shall blossom like the lily; he shall take root like the trees of Lebanon; ⁶ his shoots shall spread out; his beauty shall be like the olive, and his fragrance like Lebanon.

⁷ They shall return and dwell beneath my shadow; they shall flourish like the grain; they shall blossom like the vine; their fame shall be like the wine of Lebanon.

⁸ O Ephraim, what have I to do with idols? It is I who answer and look after you. I am like an evergreen cypress; from me comes your fruit.

⁹ Whoever is wise, let him understand these things; whoever is discerning, let him know them; for the ways of the LORD are right, and the upright walk in them, but transgressors stumble in them.

- (Hosea 14:1-9)

Responding to God's Word Preached

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Words of Institution- Matthew 26:26-29 “Now as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. I tell you I will not drink again of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."

Communion Hymn

#498

“Jesus What a Friend for Sinners”

Closing Words & Announcements

Hymns of Commitment

#469

“How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place”

Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

24 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.

Doxology

#731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Review Questions: Use these questions personally or in a group to engage further with God's message in the sermon:

Question ONE: Moses prayed in Psalm 90:14, “Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.” Have you called upon God the Father to satisfy you with His steadfast love? If not, why not?

Question TWO: How do the hindrances mentioned in point 2, (sin, idolatry, and strongholds), not only hinder the apprehension of God's love but the spirit of slavery in you?

Question THREE: Recall a particular sin you confessed to God and to someone, how did you feel about God's love after doing that?

Question FOUR: What is the engine that drives our sanctification and putting to death the deeds of the body?

Question FIVE: What are things that help you apprehend Father's love?

Sermon Notes

Welcome & Statement of Purpose

Silent prayer of preparation. You might utilize prayers & quotes from page 2.

We Come to Worship at His Bidding

“O send out thy light and thy truth, that they may lead me, and bring me unto thy holy hill, and to thy dwelling.” -Psalm 43:3

Call to Worship

adapted from Psalm 98:1-3

Minister: Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for He has done marvelous things!

People: His right hand and His holy arm have worked salvation for Him.

Minister: The LORD has made known His salvation;

People: He has revealed His righteousness in the sight of the nations.

Minister: He has remembered His steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.

People: All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God

Prayer of Adoration, Invocation, & the Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Hymn

“How Deep the Father's Love for Us”

Reading the Word

“Savoring the Father's Love”

Psalm 34:4-8, 19-20

⁴ *I sought the LORD, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.*

⁵ *Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.*

⁶ *This poor man cried, and the LORD heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.*

⁷ *The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.*

⁸ *Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!*

¹⁹ *Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the LORD delivers him out of them all.* ²⁰ *He keeps all his bones; not one of them is broken.*

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord, no day of my life has passed that has not proved me guilty of sin. Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart; praise has been often praiseless sound. Lord Jesus, though my sins rise to heaven Your merits soar above them. I appeal from the throne of Your perfect justice to Your throne of boundless grace. Grant me to hear Your voice assuring me that I am guilty of sin, but pardoned; wandering, but found; sinning, but cleansed. Give me perpetual broken heartedness, keep me always clinging to Your cross, flood me every moment with descending grace. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Words of Assurance

Psalm 90:14-17

¹⁴ Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days. ¹⁵ Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, and for as many years as we have seen evil. ¹⁶ Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. ¹⁷ Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

We Respond to the Gospel with Singing, Speaking Truth, Giving, & Prayers

<u>Hymn</u>	#455	“And Can It Be
-------------	------	----------------

<u>Confession of Faith</u>		The Apostles’ Creed
----------------------------	--	---------------------

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen..

*that is, the true Christian church of all times and all places

Congregational Prayer

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

Deuteronomy 16:17

“Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God that he has given you.”

Offering Hymn

Gloria Patri #735

We Hear, Receive, and Rest upon the Word of God

Children’s Catechism Lesson – w/ Dr Ryan & Mrs. Stephanie

Q48. **What is the church?** A. God chooses and preserves for himself a community elected for eternal life and united by faith, who love, follow, learn from, and worship God together. God sends out this community to proclaim the gospel and prefigure Christ’s kingdom by the quality of their life together and their love for one another.

Sermon:

Romans 8:12-17

“Apprehending God’s Love”

(If able, please stand for the reading of God’s word.) Rev. Justin Westmoreland

¹² So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh.

¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!” ¹⁶ The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs--heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Main Point: In Romans 8 we have learned the gospel, that believers in Christ are not only uncondemnable and formerly enslaved to sin, but now due to the ministry of the Holy Spirit, all believers are made sons of God by adoption, today we’ll examine the Father’s love for His sons practically and how we may or may not apprehend it.

I. Apprehending the Father’s Love, more than judicial pardon

II. Hindrances to Apprehending the Father’s Love

III. Helps to Apprehending the Father’s Love