



# Trinity Presbyterian Church of Seven Springs

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February 19, 2012 Worship Services at 9:00 & 11:00 Sunday School for all ages at 10:00

## The Celebration of Worship 9:00am

Welcome and Announcements

† Singing Glory to our God  
Hymn # 138 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

**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.**

Faith Sharing With the Children (ages 3 - 5th Grade)

*(Please sing Jesus Loves the Little Children as the children come forward and Jesus Loves Me as they leave for Children in Worship or return to their seats to worship with their families.)*

Offertory *The Majesty and Glory of Your Name* See words p. 3

† Scripture Matthew 15:29-31 See below.

Message *Do You Believe in Miracles?* the Reverend Philip Hollins

Communion

† Departing Hymn #73 *Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory*

Blessing

Postlude *Take the Name of Jesus With You*

† Those who are able, please stand.

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### Today's Scripture: Matthew 15:29-31

<sup>29</sup> Jesus left there and went along the Sea of Galilee. Then he went up on a mountainside and sat down. <sup>30</sup> Great crowds came to him, bringing the lame, the blind, the crippled, the mute and many others, and laid them at his feet; and he healed them. <sup>31</sup> The people were amazed when they saw the mute speaking, the crippled made well, the lame walking and the blind seeing. And they praised the God of Israel.

### Invitation to the Lord's Supper

The invitation to the Lord's Supper is extended to all who have been baptized, remembering that access to the Table is not a right conferred upon the worthy, but a privilege given to the undeserving who come in faith, repentance, and love. In preparing to receive Christ in this Sacrament, the believer is to confess sin and brokenness, to seek reconciliation with God and neighbor, and to trust in Jesus Christ for cleansing and renewal. Even one who doubts or whose trust is wavering may come to the Table in order to be assured of God's love and grace in Christ Jesus. Baptized children who are being nurtured and instructed in the significance of the invitation to the Table and the meaning of their response are invited to receive the Lord's Supper, recognizing that their understanding of participation will vary according to their maturity.

# The Celebration of Worship 11:00am

Welcome and Announcements

Recognition of 50th Anniversaries

## GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

Prelude *Since Jesus Came Into My Life* Gabriel

Silent Prayer of Preparation

Lord of the globe, stretch my heart and mind as You expand my map of Your world. Alert my senses to the enormous need, and my significant place in Your design to reach others. Bring to my mind those who have reached out to me with the love of Your Son Jesus Christ as I worship and seek to follow You. In Christ's name, Amen.

Call to Worship II Corinthians 13:13 Lector

Leader: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us stand and worship God

† Hymn of Praise # 138 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!* Nicaea

† Call to Confession Lector

If we claim we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sin, God who is faithful and just will forgive us and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Trusting God, let us confess our sin together.

† Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Merciful God, we admit we have often failed to be obedient disciples. We have been slow to do Your will, hesitant to trust You, and wary of Your grace. Forgive us for refusing the gifts You have given us. Help us live new lives from this day forward.**

† Assurance of Forgiveness (Responsive) Lector

Leader: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." My friends, dare to believe that in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**People: Thanks be to God, who loves us and has made our forgiveness and reconciliation complete.**

† Congregational Response #76 (vs.2&5) *My Song is Love Unknown*

*Christ came from heaven's throne salvation to bestow,  
But people scorned and none the longed-for Christ would know.  
But O my Friend, my Friend indeed, who at my need His life did spend!  
Here might I stay and sing, no story so divine:  
Never was love, dear King, never was grief like Thine.  
This is my Friend, in whose sweet praise I all my days could gladly spend.*

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

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Sermon *Do You Believe in Miracles?* the Reverend Philip Hollins

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

† Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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

Anthem

*The Majesty and Glory of Your Name*

Fettke

*When I gaze into the night skies and see the work of Your fingers;  
The moon and stars suspended in space.  
Oh, what is man, that You are mindful of him?  
You have given man a crown of glory and honor,  
And have made him a little lower than the angels.  
You have put him in charge of all creation:  
The beasts of the field, the birds of the air, the fish of the sea.  
But what is man, oh, what is man that You are mindful of him?  
O Lord, our God, the majesty and glory of Your name  
Transcends the earth and fills the heavens.  
O Lord, our God, little children praise You perfectly,  
And so would we, and so would we.  
Alleluia, alleluia! The majesty and glory of Your name.  
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Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia!*

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Call To Offering

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Offertory

*Great Is The Lord*

Smith

† Doxology # 591

tune: Old Hundredth

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

† Prayer of Dedication

† Departing Hymn #73

*Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory*

Geneva

† Benediction

† Postlude

*Take the Name of Jesus With You*

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