



*Trinity Reformed*

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY  
FEBRUARY 17, 2019 - 10:30 A.M.**

*\*Designates "Those who are able please stand"*

**COMING BEFORE GOD**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rev. Peggy Stout

**PRELUDE**

*"Face to Face"*

by Grant Tullar/arr by Steven Scott  
Marty Light, Organist

**\*PASTOR'S DECLARATION**

Rev. Peggy Stout

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

*"Come, Thou Almighty King"*

#341 Blue Book

**\*PRAYER OF INVOCATION** *(Responsively)*

Greg Reitzel, Liturgist

Holy God, we gather in this place because you have called us. You loved us before we could love you. You have given your Son for our salvation, and for this, we join all creation in praising and thanking you.

***Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!***

As we offer our praise and join our hearts in worship today, we ask you to mold us in the likeness of your Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. ***Amen.***

**\*CHORAL INTROIT**

Chancel Choir—Martha Caldwell, Director

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(Responsively)*

Greg Reitzel, Liturgist

Eternal and Merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding and you have set us on the paths of righteousness for your name's sake; yet, we have strayed from your way.

***Look upon us in mercy, O God!***

For our sins are many and are similar, yet different from one to another. Forgive the wrongs we have done; free us from a past that we cannot change, and heal what we can no longer fix.

***Grant us the grace and strength to die daily to sin and to rise to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and who taught us to pray:***

***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***

**IN THE LORD'S SERVICE**

**Acolyte(s):** Addyson Lingle

**Cross Bearer:** Joye Lane

**Elder(s):** Tony Wells & Dawn Kilby

**Nursery Attendant:** Sonya Starnes

**Treasurer Assistant today:**

Stephanie Anderson

**REMINDERS FOR NEXT WEEK:**

**Liturgist:** Gloria Hill

**Lay Reader:** Kathy Winters

**Treasurer Assistant:** Linda Hill

**Flower Calendar:** Rev. Peggy Stout

**THE WORSHIP MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH**

All Church Members, Ministers

Rev. Peggy Stout, Pastor

Rev. Jaha Seechang, Lahu Worship Leader

Martha Caldwell, Director of Adult Traditional Choirs

Marty Light, Organist

Joe Hart, Financial Secretary

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*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.*

\*PRAISE RESPONSE      “O How He Loves You and Me” (vs 1)      #622 Blue Book  
*O how He loves you and me. O how He loves you and me;  
He gave His life, what more could He give:  
O how He loves you, O, how He loves me,  
O how He loves you and me.*

### LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD

CHILDREN’S SERMON      Jessica Spain

HYMN      “Jesus Loves Me, This I Know” (vs 1)      #226 Blue Book

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (*Unison*)      Tommy Simmons, Lay Reader  
*Holy and Loving God, prepare our minds to hear your Word. Move  
our hearts to accept what we hear. Purify our will to obey in joy and  
in faith. This we pray through Christ, our Savior. Amen.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING      *Psalms 30:1-5*      Tommy Simmons, Lay Reader  
The Word of the Lord.  
*Thanks be to God.*

ANTHEM      “I Will Arise”      arr by Shaw/Chancel Choir

\*GOSPEL READING      *John 21:4-17*      Rev. Peggy Stout  
The Gospel of the Risen Christ.  
*All praise to you, Christ our Lord!*

SERMON      Rev. Peggy Stout

### RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

\*HYMN      “My Jesus, I Love Thee”      #456 Blue Book

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH      The Apostles’ Creed  
Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say:

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I  
believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived  
by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius  
Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is at the*

### TONIGHT

We invite you to come back and join us “Faith Alive”  
Worship at 5:00pm!

Please make plans to stick around after for our very tasty  
**Chili Cook-Off!** There will be beef and vegetarian chili to  
share—along with cornbread! *Pizza will be available for the kids.*



Youth:      Our **Youth Confirmation Class** will meet again THIS Tuesday,  
February 19th at 6:00pm.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED—BAGGED LUNCHES—THE CORNER TABLE**  
THIS Saturday, February 23

9:00am—we will gather at the church to assemble bag lunches; 11:00am—we will  
be distributing lunches at the Corner Table. *If you are willing to assist, please let  
Tamara or Rev. Peggy know or sign-up at the back of the Sanctuary!*



Our Lahu sponsored **Fundraiser Lunch** will be held  
NEXT Sunday, February 24th—immediately following Worship!  
*All proceeds will go toward our Youth/Adult Mission Trip  
for Disaster Relief along the Carolina Coast!*

Please make plans join us!

Singles:

**Monday, February 25th**—6:00pm. We will be heading to  
Julia’s Talley House in Troutman. Julia’s offers Traditional  
Southern favorites, but their fried chicken is amazing!  
*Everyone needs to bring money for meal and van gas. We  
will be planning April, May, & June events during dinner!*

**“Coffee, Conversation, and Prayer Time” with the Pastor**  
NEXT Wednesday, February 27th at 10:00am in the Pastor’s Study.  
*If you would like to share a concern, a prayer request, or just talk about something  
on your heart and mind, please join Rev. Peggy for coffee or hot tea.*



**OLD TESTAMENT READING**      *Psalm 30:1-5*

<sup>1</sup> I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me. <sup>2</sup> O LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me. <sup>3</sup> O LORD, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit. <sup>4</sup> Sing praises to the LORD, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name. <sup>5</sup> For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

The Word of the Lord.  
***Thanks be to God!***

**\*GOSPEL READING**      *John 21:4-17*

<sup>4</sup> Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' <sup>6</sup> He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. <sup>7</sup> That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. <sup>8</sup> But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. <sup>9</sup> When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. <sup>10</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' <sup>11</sup> So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup> Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. <sup>14</sup> This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead. <sup>15</sup> When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' <sup>16</sup> A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.' <sup>17</sup> He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'

The Gospel of the Risen Christ.  
***All praise to you, Christ our Lord!***

**Congregational CARE NOTES today!** There are notebooks provided at the end of each pew. Please take a moment to write a note of care, thought, or appreciation to someone on the church prayer list. *Please write their name on the top of the paper.* We will take the notes up after the service and mail them directly to the person's home.

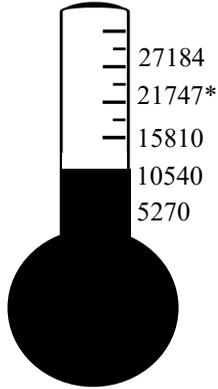
**REMEMBER IN PRAYER & with your cards, calls, visits**

<p><b><u>RECUPERATING AT HOME</u></b>  Martha Null  RJ York  Mary Schell  Sarah Hoffman  Garland &amp; Darlene Whittaker</p> <p><b><u>HOMEBOUND</u></b>  Peggy Miller  Odessa Whitmire  Paul &amp; Lula Towery  Mary Tuttle  Martha Sigmon  Bobbie Whisenant  Wanda Sue Ammerman</p> <p><b><u>IN ASSISTED-LIVING FACILITIES</u></b>  <b><u>ABERNETHY LAURELS</u></b>  Joan Williamson—Rm 240  Peggy Hollis</p>	<p><b><u>ALSO PLEASE REMEMBER:</u></b>  Mike Kilby  Mary Crump  Peggy Smith  Jackie Kanipe  Wally Davis  Evie Anderson  Debbie Dickerson  Virginia Brown  Sylvia &amp; Julie Settlemyre  Dr. Tony Fox—at home recuperating from surgery</p>
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**CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY** to Ryan and Carley Spencer on the loss of her father, Michael A. Pencola on February 14th. *Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.*

We would like to **THANK** our new Church Family for the warm and loving reception on January 13th, the day we joined Trinity Reformed Church. Pastor Peggy's words of love and encouragement, the rose corsage and boutonniere, and the meet-and-greet following the Service made this a day to remember. We are grateful and we are truly blessed to be a part of this Christian Family.  
- Tom & Kate Wedrychowicz



<u>ATTENDANCE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY</u>							
	Lahu	10:30am	5:00pm	Total	SS	Envelope Giving	
February 03	13	123	—	136	46	\$ 5,589.70	
February 10	—	140	—	140	—	\$ 4,503.00	
February 17							
February 24							
<b>TOTALS</b>	13	263	—	276	46	\$ 10,092.70	

Goal for a four week month is \$21,747\* and for a five week month is \$27,184.

*right hand of the Father, and he will come again 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.*

(Please be seated.)

**OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS**

Rev. Peggy Stout

Invitation

Offertory

\*Doxology

*“Melodia Semplice”*  
*“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”*  
*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.*

by Lani Smith

\*Offertory Prayer

\*HYMN

*“Jesus Calls Us o’er the Tumult”*

#399 Blue Book

\*BENEDICTION

Rev. Peggy Stout

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

Chancel Choir

\*CHIMES

\*POSTLUDE

*“Recessional”*

by Rex Koury/Marty Light

*This Week*

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17

**Sixth Sunday after Epiphany**

- 9:15am—S.S. Assembly
- 9:30am—Sunday School (all ages)
- 10:30am—Traditional & Lahu Worship
- 2:30pm—Community Piano Recital
- 5:00pm—“Faith Alive!” Worship
- 5:45pm—Chili Cook-Off!

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18

**President’s Day**  
**Preschool CLOSED**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

6:00pm—Youth Confirmation Class

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

7:00pm—Choir Practice

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21

- 9:00am—Preschool Field Trip to the Green Room (3-4 & pre-k classes)
- 6:00pm—Sweet Adelines’

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22

*Deadline for March Tablet Information.*

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23

- 9:00am—Helpers needed to assemble bag lunches in the Kitchen
- 11:00am—Helpers needed to distribute bag lunches at the Corner Table

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24

**Seventh Sunday after Epiphany**

- 9:15am—S.S. Assembly
- 9:30am—Sunday School (all ages)
- 10:30am—Traditional & Lahu Worship
- 11:45am—Lahu sponsored Fundraiser Lunch for Youth Mission Trip
- 5:00pm—“Faith Alive!” Worship



THE FLOWERS on the altar today are given in Loving Honor of Jo Ann Simmon’s birthday on February 18th and in Loving appreciation of our Trinity Church Family.  
 - Given by Jim & Chris Barrymore

THE FLOWERS on the piano today are given in Loving Memory of John Williamson and in Celebration of what would-have-been his 96th Birthday on February 12th.  
 - Given by Joan Williamson, Susan and Jerry Mallonee