

Message Notes

Gospel Project: *Our Father's Will*

Matthew 6:1-14; Luke 11:1-13

Introduction

I. Father

Matthew 6:9a

II. Holy and Heavenly

Matthew 6:9b

III. Your Kingdom, Your Will

Matthew 6:10



February 11, 2018



You've been invited! Long ago God invited us into a relationship with Himself through His son Jesus Christ.

When we gather to worship, we have the opportunity to experience God's presence, hear His word, and respond to this invitation. That's why we're glad you're here!

Kids are Welcome too!

Kids of all ages are welcome in the sanctuary. We also offer Nursery for newborn through 3-year-old. Four-year-old through 2nd grade children will be invited to participate in children's worship most Sundays September through May.

Current Message Series



Sunday, February 18: *Heaven on Earth*

Matthew 6:1-14; Luke 11:1-13

For the most part, we think of heaven as our eternal destiny. However, Jesus taught us to pray that it would be "on earth as it is in heaven." Jesus has in mind specific ways heaven is realized on earth. What are they, and are they the desires of our hearts too? Let's consider how it is Jesus taught us to pray for heaven on earth.

Something Special for your Children

Children & Worship was created to make a special place where Children can come to encounter God, to be still with God, and to listen to God. It is a place where Children come to nurture their spiritual life. Children & Worship is a spiritual formation approach that presents a joyful way for children to worship God.





All Generations. One Family.

Compelled by Christ's love, our mission is to:
Invite all generations into God's family.

We do this by

- Worship: Experiencing life-giving presence of God
- Discipleship: Making passionate disciples of Jesus transformed by God's Word.
- Mission: Showing God's love and telling the gospel.
- Community: Encouraging followers to practice their faith.

Next Steps



If you're new to Trinity or to being part of a church family, you may be wondering, "What do I do after today?" Let us extend a few invitations to you:

1. Let us take you out for breakfast, lunch, or coffee. No big agenda. Who's us? Good question. That would be Pastor Randy or Elder Mike.
2. Visit a small group. We've got friendly groups that meet to talk about the Bible and life, pray for each other and encourage on another. Find out about all our small groups at: trc-gh.org/kids-youth-and-small-groups/
3. Take the Next Steps Christian Growth Survey. Discover personal, practical, and proven ways to grow in Christian faith. You can take it on-line at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BasicNextSteps>
4. Make a decision to follow Jesus and become part of God's family. Just check the box below, we'll contact you.

My Next Step - I'm interested in: (Check all that apply)

- Information on becoming a member
- Having coffee, breakfast or lunch
- Starting a relationship with God
- Pastoral visit
- Joining a Small Group

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Tear off & put in offering plate

Today in Worship



Teach Us to Pray

Prayer can be so many things. Often it's an attempt to gain divine assistance getting what we want. Other times it's a

dutiful religious obligation. It can be a frustrating exercise in futile "talking to the ceiling." At times it's soul satisfying communion with God. If you've ever wanted your experience of prayer to be more meaningful, you're not alone. The disciples of Jesus saw the vital role prayer played in their Rabbi, and asked him: "Lord, teach us to pray."

TODAY: *Our Father's Will*

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It all starts with a relationship. Is God our Father? That's an essential matter you need to resolve if we hope to experience prayer the way Jesus wants us to. Once you know God as your Father, it all flows from there. God is our Father, but He's also holy and heavenly. How then should we pray?

We Gather in God's Presence

Welcome

Invitation to Worship

Songs of Praise

Prayers of the People/Lord's Prayer

Hymn No. 614 "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

Children 4 yrs-2nd grade dismissed for C&W

God Revealed in Word and Sacrament

Scripture: Matthew 6:1-14; Luke 11:1-13

Message: *Our Father's Will*

Prayer for Blessing

Our Response to God

Offering (*Please sign Friendship Pad*)

Closing Song: Hymn No. 43 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Benediction

What's Next?

Coffee and Conversation after worship. Take a left out of the Sanctuary right after worship. Step up to the coffee bar. Meet some new people.



Roots Small Group

A six-week small group experience with other newly arrived friends.

Get to know them, the good things

God intends for all of us and how they're happening at Trinity Church. Watch the bulletin for the next Roots Small Group.