

## Message Notes

Today: You're Invited: *On a Mission*

Introduction: You're invited: *On a Mission*

### I. You Do

John 14:11-13

### II. You Go

Matthew 28:16-20

### III. You are Sent

John 20:20-22

### IV. Recognizing your Mission



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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 2<sup>nd</sup> grade children will be invited to participate in children's worship most Sundays September through May.

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### Current Message Series



#### You're Invited

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***Teen Challenge is our guest today. May God bless them as they minister to us.***

#### 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 one another. Find out about all our small groups at: [trc-gh.org/kids-youth-and-small-groups/](http://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.

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**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



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Of all the great empires and enterprises on this globe, only one will endure into eternity – the Kingdom of God. Christ's mission is to proclaim the Kingdom and put into effect the purposes of God's Kingdom on earth. Everyone is invited to be part of this Kingdom by believing and putting their faith in Jesus Christ. It's a glorious privilege to be God's Kingdom agent – and you're invited.

### We Gather in God's Presence

Welcome  
Invitation to Worship  
Songs of Praise  
Prayers of the People/Lord's Prayer  
Children 4 yrs-2nd grade dismissed for C&W

### God Revealed in Word and Sacrament

#### Teen Challenge

Scripture: John 14:11-13; Matthew 28:16-20; John 20:20-22

Message: **You're Invited: *On a Mission***

Prayer for Blessing

### Our Response to God

Offering (***Please sign Friendship Pad***)

Closing Song: Hymn No. 376 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

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.