

Welcome to Trinity Church!

Advent Series | This Advent season, we journey with the prophet Isaiah and his powerful words about God's promised Prince of Peace.

In a world marked and marred with darkness and loneliness, war and violence, let us put our hope in Jesus, the promised Prince of Peace, who has already come and who will come again.

And let us wonder together, as followers of the Prince of Peace, how we are to live this peace here and now in our everyday lives...

Notes on our Worship Service...

While we use projection for our songs and liturgy, we do not project the Scripture reading. **Pew Bibles** are located below the seat in front of you and page numbers are included in the Order of Worship. You'll also find a hymnal there too.

Do you need help hearing the service? We have a **T-loop** installed in our sanctuary. Please see the Sound Room Team if you need help connecting.

We have several members on-call to help care for your little ones in the **nursery**. Please see one of the Greeters before the service who can help!

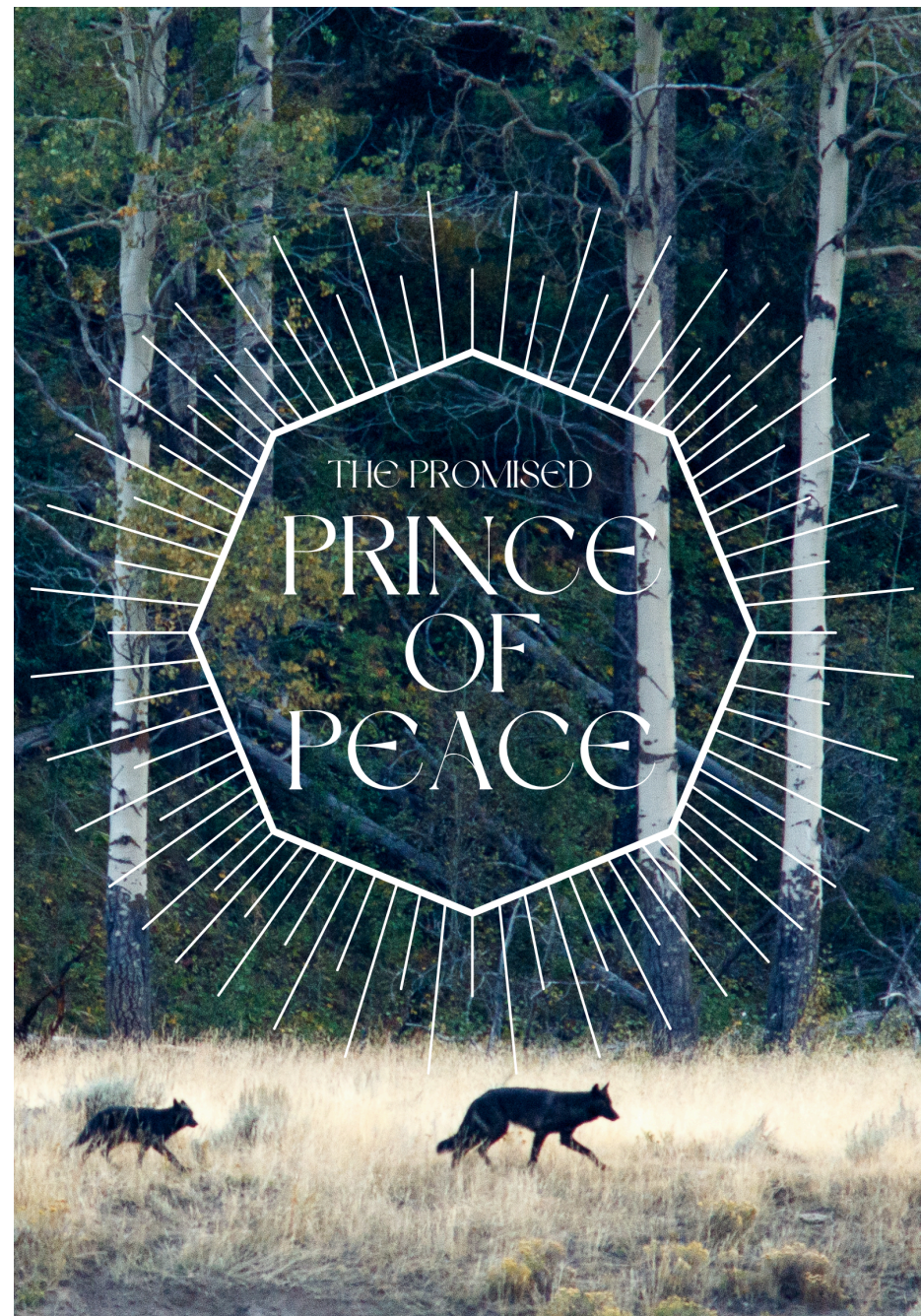


If you wish to **give online** rather than in the offering plate, please go to trinityrc.org/give/ or scan the QR code to the left to make your offering.

For our youngest members in the service, please visit our **Children's Worship Center** located in the sanctuary. Here your child will find helpful resources to engage them in worship, including children's bibles, books on faith, and coloring pages connected to our service. Children (4-3rd grade) are invited to Children + Worship downstairs following the Children's blessing. Parents: Children will be led back upstairs at the end of the service.

Interested to know more about Trinity Church? We'd love to learn more about you! See the Welcome Desk for more information about how to connect.

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30 November 2025
1st Sunday of Advent

Order of Worship

Gathering

Prelude

Tolling of the Bell

Gathering Song: *For You, My God, I Wait*

*Call to Worship & Candle Lighting: *Hope*

Refrain: *For You O Lord My Soul in Stillness Waits*

Approaching

*Welcome + God's Greeting with Mutual Greeting

*Songs of Praise: *Goodness of God*

Great Is Thy Faithfulness #60:1,2,3

Prayer of Confession

*Song of Assurance: *There Is A Redeemer*

Children's Blessing

Song of Faith: *In The Bulb There is a Flower #678:1,3*

Listening

Scripture: Isaiah 11:1-10 (p. 1076)

Sermon: A Vision of Hope

*Song of Response: *Our Hope*

Sending

Congregational Prayer

Offering Song: *You Are Mine*

*Benediction

*Sending Song: *Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service*

Postlude

Please join us in the Cafe for conversation and connection!

Rev. Amanda Bakale, Preacher + Liturgist
Doug + Lavonne Vande Wege, Song Leaders
Thelma Hoekman, Organist
Bob Koning, Greeter
Russ Johnson + Kevin Brower, Sound & Tech
Sally Harper + Beth Borgman, Children & Worship Leaders

** Please rise in body or spirit*

Trinity News + Updates

Downtown Holland Parade of Lights | The Parade of Lights is THIS Tuesday, December 2 at 6:30pm. If you want to ride in the bus during the parade, please be to church by 4:45pm. If you want to walk with the bus, meet it between 9th & 10th on Columbia Ave by 6:00pm. The parade route is 8th street from Columbia to the Civic Center. Come on out and join the fun!

Security Team Volunteers | We are forming a security team once again! We are seeking **5 to 6 volunteers** to act as security point persons on any given Sunday. *If you're interested, please reach out to the church office.*

Salvation Army Angel Tree | The Angel Tree is back and ready to go! Please choose a tag (or two!) from the tree, purchase the gifts and return UNWRAPPED by **Sunday, December 14**. Have questions? Please see Kim Schrotenboer or call her at 616.283.7598.

Christmas Cards + Cookies | Christmas card lists are now available! We are also seeking volunteers to bake cookies. On **Sunday, December 21st**, after morning worship, we will package cards and cookies. Want more details? Check out the Welcome Desk!

December Calendar | You may have noticed that we have less meetings on our calendar this month than usual. This is intentional! During this busy time of year, most of our committees and leadership bodies take a mini-sabbath from meeting together. The hope is that we are all able to focus more on worship and rest as we turn our attention to our Emmanuel.

Elder/Deacon Highlights

- The Board of Deacons approved expanding our scope of outreach to include more ministries and surrounding neighborhoods, as well as going deeper with ministries like Lakeside Clubhouse.
- The Board of Elders approved the baptism request of Kristina Schrotenboer's son Jaden and received notice of the transfer out of Nicole + Mallory Weerstra to Grafschaap CRC and Pat + Deb Yurk to Pillar Church.

For more details see the latest issue of Connections or visit trinityrc.org