

**THIS WEEK AT TRIUNE**

*(Triune is closed 1:00 PM-2:00PM, Mon, Wed, Th, and 1:00PM-2:30PM Tues)*

**Today**

Bible Study, 9:30AM  
Intergenerational Bible Study, 10:00AM-10:45AM (Art Room)  
Meditation & Prayer, 10:00AM-10:30AM (Micah Rm)  
Worship, 11:00AM  
Lunch, Noon  
NA, 6:00PM

**Monday**

Hot Breakfast, 7:00AM-8:00AM  
Mail Pick-up, Other needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM  
Premier Arts Collective Art Therapy, 9:30am-11:00AM  
Staff Appointments, 2:00PM-5:00PM

**Tuesday**

Mail Pick-up, Other Needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM  
Round Table, 10:30AM-12:00PM  
Staff Appointments, 2:30PM-5:00PM

**Wednesday**

Food Pantry, Pop-Top Bags, Hygiene Kits, 9:00AM-11:30AM  
Art Room (Open Studio), 9:00AM-12:00PM  
Bible Study, 10:00AM  
Mail Pick-up, 11:00AM-1:00PM  
NA, 6:00PM  
Staff Appointments 2:00PM-5:00PM

**Thursday**

Mail Pick-up, Other needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM  
Staff Appointments, 2:00PM-5:00PM  
NA, 7:00PM

**Friday** - Closed

**Saturday**

Mail Pick-up,, 9:00AM-12:00PM  
Art Room (OPEN STUDIO), 9:00AM-12:00PM  
Lunch, Noon  
AA, 9-10 and NA, 5:00PM

# Triune Mercy Center

Greenville, South Carolina



**January 12, 2025**

**You are God's child, and you are welcome in this place.**

222 Rutherford St.  
Greenville, SC 29609  
864-233-8020

Worship – 11:00 a.m.  
[www.triunemercy.org](http://www.triunemercy.org)

Pastor: Jennifer Fouse Sheorn  
Parish Associate: Elaine Nocks  
Music Director: Charles Hedgepath  
Sound: Niles McCall  
Percussion: Jason Owens & Ike Maddox

Associate Pastor: Trevor Barton  
Organ/Piano: Andy Welchel  
Vocals: Bronwyn White  
Live-streaming: Eric Cody  
Bass: Sam Krueer

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**January 12, 2025**  
**Baptism of the Lord**

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (inspired by Isa. 43:2)

When we pass through the waters,  
**God is there with us.**

When we suffer and feel hopeless,  
**God is there with us.**

When we are joyful and celebratory,  
**God is there with us.**

Whether we feel triumphant or defeated,  
**God is there with us, always.**

Come, let us worship together with Emmanuel, God with us.

Hymn "I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry" (see insert)

**Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

**Beloved One, when we forget that we are your beloved children, draw us ever closer to you. When we fail to hear your voice of love, whisper your words of reassurance. When we don't reflect the divine image within us, forgive us. Wash over us with your mercy and grace, and bathe us in your**

**abundant love, that we may remember who we are and whose we are. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon**

Do not fear! God is with us. In our baptism, Christ has redeemed us and claims us as God's own- forgiven children named and honored with compassion and love.

Meditation "Come Thou Font" (Robinson)

Scripture Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Sermon Jennifer Fouse Sheorn

Receiving New Members and Renewal of Baptismal Vows Insert

Offering "Baptized" (Williams)

Doxology "Glory To God, Whose Goodness Shines On Me" (P. Vasile)

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me;  
and to the son, whose grace has pardoned me;  
And to the spirit, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen!**

Moment of Silence/Prayers of the People

Hymn "Take Me to the Water" AAH #675

Benediction

Postlude

**Please silence your cell phone.  
As always, we'd love for you to join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall immediately following today's worship service. All are welcome.**

**Our GOAL Congregational Network Meeting will be after lunch on Sunday January 19, 2025. Please put his date and time on your calendar!**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.** O Lord our God, we give you thanks for the faith, hope, and love you give to us through the blessing of baptism— claiming us as your beloved children, calling us to the path of discipleship, revealing to us the light of your glory.

By the power of your Holy Spirit, poured out upon us in baptism, help us to follow you with faith, to trust in you with hope, and to serve you with love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **Renewal of Baptism**

Before any of us were able to confess our faith in God – God claimed us as children. The waters of the baptismal font remind us of this: Each of us – baptized or not – belongs to God. Our salvation does not depend on whether or not we are baptized.

Because we belong to God – it means that we are free to love. It means that we are to live in God's grace. Grace is free – but it comes with certain responsibilities; certain boundaries.

I want to ask you to clear your mind and answer these questions. Think about how much God loves you; think about what God wants for your life – what connections God desires for you to keep –and what disconnecting God is inviting you to do- so that you may have life abundantly.

Which commandment is the greatest of all?

**You shall love the Lord your God with all of your heart, mind, soul –and you shall love your neighbor as yourself.**

Do you renounce the ways of sin – the things that separate you from the love of God?

**We renounce them.**

Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Lord and Savior?

**We do.**