Remember God's Love

Psalm 103

David's life rhythms

Remember and reveal the blessings of God's love.

Trace the blessing back to God.

Join in the praise with all of God's creation.

Considerations for the week

God's love is freely given and we receive it freely. It is vast... so vast that we remain fully enveloped in it while passing it on to others, as Jesus taught us. See John 13:34; 1 John 4:7,11. How can we best demonstrate God's love for others, both individually and corporately?

Many attributes of God's love are mentioned in <u>Psalm 103</u>, and it gives analogies to enrich our understanding. Which is most unfamiliar to you? Which has been most meaningful?

We can be diverted from our love for God by interests and endeavors and distractions and even by those who are dear to us. Consider how these may become momentary or fleeting loves – loves to which we devote ourselves, supplanting our love for God. What is their allure? Contemplate how we may re-order our desires and know again the blessings of God's love.

"In him we live and move and have our being." (Acts 17:28). In what circumstances do you typically express your gratitude to God? Consider how you might reshape your life rhythms to enhance your thankfulness.

Please use these considerations for personal reflection, small group discussions, and with friends and family.



Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits — Psalm 103:1-2, NIV

Scripture read today during worship:

Psalm 103

Hebrews 13:15-16

Ephesians 3:16-20

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Please scan to visit our website and, if you'd like to, fill out a virtual visitor's card.



We're glad you came.

Today's order of service

Prelude

Call to worship

Hymn, Your Love Never Fails

Confession and assurance

Hymn, King of Kings

Hymn, Same God

Offertory

Reading

Hymn, For the Good

Message

Hymn of response, The Way

Benediction

Postlude

Weekly Events

Mom's Day Out, Tuesday and Thursday, 9am – 2pm, pre-registration required

Wednesday evening

Kids' Music Class, 5-6 pm Dinner served 5:30-6:00 pm

Prayer, 6:30 pm

Ladies' international Bible class (Zoom), 6:45 pm

Joy Program, Thursday, 9am-noon, conversational English classes, Bible study, crafts, and handbells.

Contact: Kelly

During-the-week Bible studies on Zoom or in-person. New groups will be forming at the end of August.

Erev Shabbot, messianic Christians, Friday at 7 pm

Young Internationals Bible Study, Saturday at 7 pm

Contact: Komal and Blessy

Young adults fellowship, Saturday at 6:45 pm

Contact: Sarah

Sunday morning

Adult Bible study, 9:30 am Worship, 10:45 am Children's Church at sermon time

The church office has information on events.

Phone: 713.559.6875 Email: office@rtbchurch.org The office is open Tuesday – Friday, 9am-4pm.

Awana will begin again soon! Children age 3 through sixth grade. We need volunteers to teach and help with games. *Contact:* Alma

Cookies & Coffee

after the benediction in the Parlor





All-Church Work Days We'll clean the church from top to bottom! August 6 and 20, 8 am to noon. Supplies will be provided, but if you have buckets, new sponges, micro-fiber cleaning cloths, or step stools, those would be useful. There is a lot to do, and many hands make the work faster and more fun. There are jobs for all ages and abilities.

Registration is now open for our annual **All-Church Retreat** to be held September 23-25 at the Trinity Pines Conference Center. Accomodations are available for individuals and families of all varieties. Registration forms are available in the office. www.trinitypines.org