



# BALLANTYNE

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

### THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

November 29, 2020

6:00 p.m.

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who struggle and desire victory;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
To all who hunger and thirst for righteousness;  
And to whoever will come —  
This church opens wide her doors  
And offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus.*

#### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

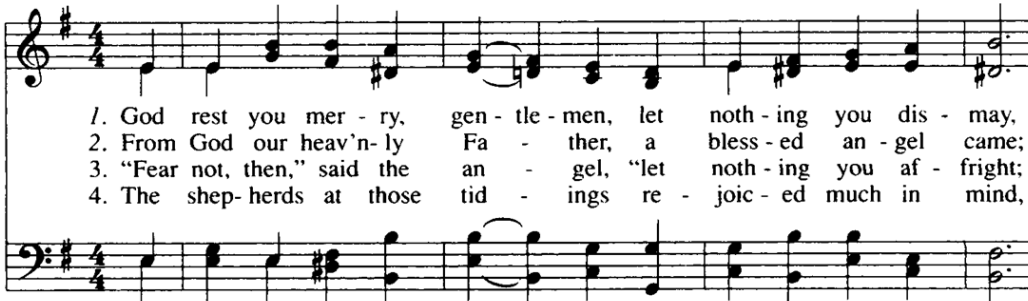
*Psalm 38:15,21,22*

For you, O Lord, do we wait; O my God, be not far from us! Make haste to help us, O Lord,  
of our salvation!

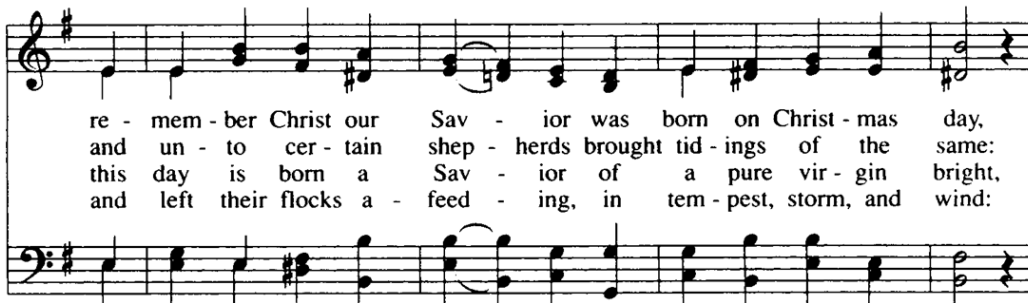
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# God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen

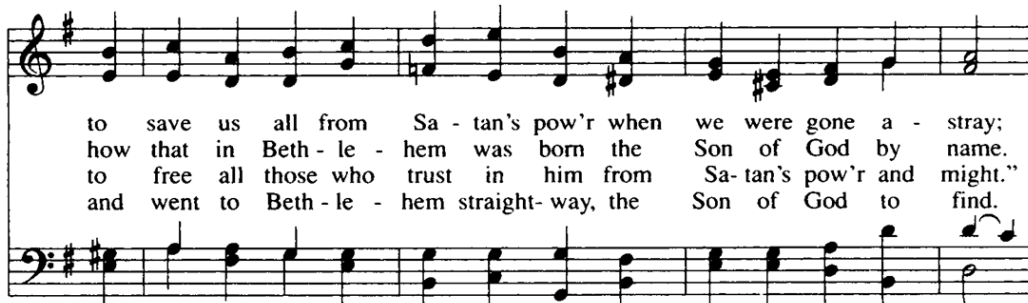
*Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people.*  
Luke 2:10



1. God rest you mer - ry, gen - tle - men, let noth - ing you dis - may,  
2. From God our heav'n - ly Fa - ther, a bless - ed an - gel came;  
3. "Fear not, then," said the an - gel, "let noth - ing you af - fright;  
4. The shep - herds at those tid - ings re - joic - ed much in mind,



re - mem - ber Christ our Sav - ior was born on Christ - mas day,  
and un - to cer - tain shep - herds brought tid - ings of the same:  
this day is born a Sav - ior of a pure vir - gin bright,  
and left their flocks a - feed - ing, in tem - pest, storm, and wind:



to save us all from Sa - tan's pow'r when we were gone a - stray;  
how that in Beth - le - hem was born the Son of God by name.  
to free all those who trust in him from Sa - tan's pow'r and might."  
and went to Beth - le - hem straight - way, the Son of God to find.

**REFRAIN**



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## **\* INVOCATION**

### **NEW TESTAMENT READING**

1 Corinthians 16:12-24, page 962

#### **Final Instructions**

<sup>12</sup>Now concerning our brother Apollos, I strongly urged him to visit you with the other brothers, but it was not at all his will to come now. He will come when he has opportunity.

<sup>13</sup>Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong. <sup>14</sup>Let all that you do be done in love.

<sup>15</sup>Now I urge you, brothers—you know that the household of Stephanas were the first converts in Achaia, and that they have devoted themselves to the service of the saints— <sup>16</sup>be subject to such as these, and to every fellow worker and laborer. <sup>17</sup>I rejoice at the coming of Stephanas and Fortunatus and Achaicus, because they have made up for your absence, <sup>18</sup>for they refreshed my spirit as well as yours. Give recognition to such people.

#### **Greetings**

<sup>19</sup>The churches of Asia send you greetings. Aquila and Prisca, together with the church in their house, send you hearty greetings in the Lord. <sup>20</sup>All the brothers send you greetings. Greet one another with a holy kiss.

<sup>21</sup>I, Paul, write this greeting with my own hand. <sup>22</sup>If anyone has no love for the Lord, let him be accursed. Our Lord, come! <sup>23</sup>The grace of the Lord Jesus be with you. <sup>24</sup>My love be with you all in Christ Jesus. Amen.

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## Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

*Who may ascend the hill of the LORD?... He who has clean hands and a pure heart.*  
Ps. 24:3, 4

1. Re - joice, ye pure in heart, re - joice, give thanks, and sing;  
2. Bright youth and snow-crowned age, strong men and maid-ens meek,  
3. With all the an - gel choirs, with all the saints on earth,  
4. Yes, on through life's long path, still chant - ing as ye go,

your fes - tal ban - ner wave on high, the cross of Christ your King.  
raise high your free, ex - ult - ing song; God's won-drous prais - es speak.  
pour out the strains of joy and bliss, true rap - ture, no - blest mirth!  
from youth to age, by night and day, in glad - ness and in woe.

REFRAIN

Re - joice, re - joice, re - joice, give thanks, and sing.  
Re - joice, re - joice,

5. At last the march shall end,  
the wearied ones shall rest;  
the pilgrims find their Father's house,  
Jerusalem the blest.

6. Then on, ye pure in heart,  
rejoice, give thanks, and sing;  
your glorious banner wave on high,  
the cross of Christ your King.

Question: What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?

Answer: The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the sabbath day.

EVENING PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION

# The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

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*The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. Ps. 23:1*

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major, 4/4 time. It consists of three systems of music. The first system contains five verses of lyrics. The second system continues the lyrics. The third system concludes the hymn. Chord symbols are provided above the staff lines.

**Verse 1:** The Lord's my Shep - herd, I'll not want; he  
**Verse 2:** My soul he doth re - store a - gain; and  
**Verse 3:** Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet  
**Verse 4:** My ta - ble thou hast fur - nish - ed in  
**Verse 5:** Good - ness and mer - cy all my life shall

makes me down to lie in pas - tures green; he  
 me to walk doth make with - in the paths of  
 • will I fear none ill, for thou art with me;  
 pres - ence of my foes; my head thou dost with  
 sure - ly fol - low me: and in God's house for -

lead - eth me the qui - et wa - ters by.  
 righ - teous - ness, the e'en for his own name's sake.  
 • and thy rod and staff me com - fort still.  
 oil a - noint, and my cup o - ver - flows.  
 ev - er more my dwell - ing place shall be.

“The Shepherd Who Walks on Water”

Mark 6:34-52, ESV page 842

<sup>34</sup>When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. And he began to teach them many things. <sup>35</sup>And when it grew late, his disciples came to him and said, “This is a desolate place, and the hour is now late. <sup>36</sup>Send them away to go into the surrounding countryside and villages and buy themselves something to eat.” <sup>37</sup>But he answered them, “You give them something to eat.” And they said to him, “Shall we go and buy two hundred denarii worth of bread and give it to them to eat?” <sup>38</sup>And he said to them, “How many loaves do you have? Go and see.” And when they had found out, they said, “Five, and two fish.” <sup>39</sup>Then he commanded them all to sit down in groups on the green grass. <sup>40</sup>So they sat down in groups, by hundreds and by fifties. <sup>41</sup>And taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing and broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the people. And he divided the two fish among them all. <sup>42</sup>And they all ate and were satisfied. <sup>43</sup>And they took up twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish. <sup>44</sup>And those who ate the loaves were five thousand men.

### **Jesus Walks on the Water**

<sup>45</sup>Immediately he made his disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, to Bethsaida, while he dismissed the crowd. <sup>46</sup>And after he had taken leave of them, he went up on the mountain to pray. <sup>47</sup>And when evening came, the boat was out on the sea, and he was alone on the land. <sup>48</sup>And he saw that they were making headway painfully, for the wind was against them. And about the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. He meant to pass by them, <sup>49</sup>but when they saw him walking on the sea they thought it was a ghost, and cried out, <sup>50</sup>for they all saw him and were terrified. But immediately he spoke to them and said, “Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid.” <sup>51</sup>And he got into the boat with them, and the wind ceased. And they were utterly astounded, <sup>52</sup>for they did not understand about the loaves, but their hearts were hardened.

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# O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!

*Having loved his own who were in the world, he now showed them the full extent of his love. John 13:1*



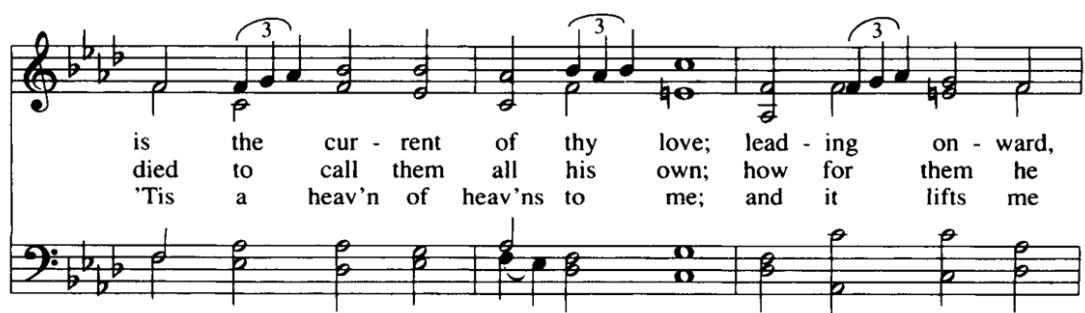
1. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Vast, un - mea- sured,  
 2. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Spread his praise from  
 3. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Love of ev - 'ry



bound - less, free; roll - ing as a might - y o - cean  
 shore to shore; how he lov - eth, ev - er lov - eth,  
 love the best: 'tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing,



in its full - ness o - ver me. Un - der - neath me, all a - round me,  
 chang - eth nev - er, nev - er - more; how he watch - es o'er his loved ones,  
 'tis a ha - ven sweet of rest. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus!



is the cur - rent of thy love; lead - ing on - ward,  
 died to call them all his own; how for them he  
 'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me; and it lifts me



lead - ing home - ward, to thy glo - rious rest a - bove.  
 in - ter - ced - eth, watch - eth o'er them from the throne.  
 up to glo - ry, for it lifts me up to thee.

## \* CLOSING PRAYER

## POSTLUDE

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*\* Congregation Standing*

## TITHES AND OFFERINGS

At this time, we do not plan to collect the offering by passing the plate. These are available in the back of the sanctuary. Online or mail-in giving are still encouraged, but you can drop a check in the plate if that is more convenient.

**ONLINE:** <http://www.ballantynepres.com/giving/>

**MAIL:** Please mail tithe checks (no cash) to the treasurer's address. She will immediately deposit to the church's account and forward the Wells Fargo e-mail confirmation to you:

Marilyn Spencer - BPC Treasurer  
3020 Shaker Drive  
Charlotte, NC 28210

## THIS WEEK

### **Tuesday Night 7 p.m. Young Adults meet at Kennedy's house**

Michael Moon leads our group on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

### **Tuesday Night 7 p.m. Women's Bible Study and Prayer IN PERSON and via Zoom**

Phoebe Pritchett leads with a prayer in the Bible and then we spend an extended time of prayer together. Contact is Phoebe [phoebe@ballantynepres.com](mailto:phoebe@ballantynepres.com) or 770.823.2508.

<https://zoom.us/j/95704412821>

### **Wednesday Night 6:30 p.m. Congregational Prayer Meeting IN PERSON and via ZOOM**

Dr. Nance leads with a devotional and then we will pray together on a Zoom call hosted by Michael Moon. **\*\* The ZOOM meeting password is the same as the Prayer List**

**password\*\*** <https://zoom.us/j/97617806601>

### **Wednesday Night 6:30 p.m. Youth Group IN PERSON and via Google Meet**

Josh Duemler leads our Youth Group using Google Meet. Our current series is called "Who is Jesus?", where we are looking at the book of Mark, as we seek to discover how Mark answers this question and grow in our faith and knowledge of Jesus. Google Meet

link: <https://meet.google.com/udm-kagp-gfy>

### **Friday Morning 7 a.m. Men's Bible Study IN PERSON and via Zoom**

Keith Kowadlo leads Men's Bible Study, which meets at church at 7 a.m., in person, while simultaneously broadcasting live via Zoom - <https://zoom.us/j/93124082779>

## SAVE THE DATES

**Dec. 1** Young Adults meet at Kennedy's house, 7 p.m.

**Dec. 5** Youth Progressive Dinner

**Dec. 10 \*\*NEW\*\*** Women's Christmas Ornament Exchange, 7 p.m. at BPC

Join us for an evening filled with the sweet fellowship and the joyful hope of the season as we gather at the church. Please bring a wrapped ornament to exchange (\$5-\$10). For those who would like to participate, we will also be collecting new, unwrapped baby items for Human Coalition (diapers, onesies, blankets, etc.) Drinks and light snacks will be provided.

**Dec. 13 \*\*NEW\*\*** A Festival of Lessons of Carols

**Dec. 15** Young Adults meet via Zoom, 7 p.m.



## SESSION

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Dr. Brian Jerby	Women's Ministry	704-574-0678
Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Bob Stone	Personnel	704-442-0109
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

## DIACONATE

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Mr. Rob Kelley	Building/ Grounds	704-907-5474
Mr. Keith Kowadlo	Men's Ministry	704-618-6181
Mr. Jake Spencer	Chair/ Finance	704-617-0197
Mr. Tim Teague	Clerk	704-770-1421

## STAFF

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Dr. Catie Jackson	Music Coordinator	704-604-0330
Mrs. Christie Kelley	Administration	704-953-1951
Mr. Michael Moon	Intern	828-989-7356
Miss Phoebe Pritchett	WIM Intern	770-823-2508
Mrs. Marilyn Spencer	Treasurer	704-617-0304

## MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
John Baber	RUF - UNCC	Charlotte, NC
Michael and Laura Cochran	World Witness	England
Drew & Lauren Goodman	World Witness	Sully, Wales
Josh & Ashley Grimm	RUF - Queens	Charlotte, NC
*John & Judy Lehner	Pilgrim Grace for Spain	Charlotte, NC
Human Coalition	1505 E. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	Charlotte, NC
Rob & Rachel Turner	Arsenal Hill Presbyterian	Columbia, SC
Michael & Lauren Wenzler	RUF - CSU	Ft. Collins, CO
Justin & M. Westmoreland	Trinity Presbyterian Church	Norman, OK

*\*Missionary of the Month*

## CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

10/31/20 YTD	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income	\$246,656	\$282,667	(\$18,011)
Expenses	\$283,604	\$282,667	\$937
Net Income/ (Deficit)	(\$18,948)	\$0	(\$18,948)

**BALLANTYNE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH'S MISSION  
IS TO DECLARE GOD'S GLORY TO BALLANTYNE,  
SOUTH CHARLOTTE, AND BEYOND.**