



BALLANTYNE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PALM SUNDAY

March 28, 2021

11:00 a.m.

<https://www.ballantynepres.com/webcast>

*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.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Zechariah 9:9; Matthew 21:9

Leader: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

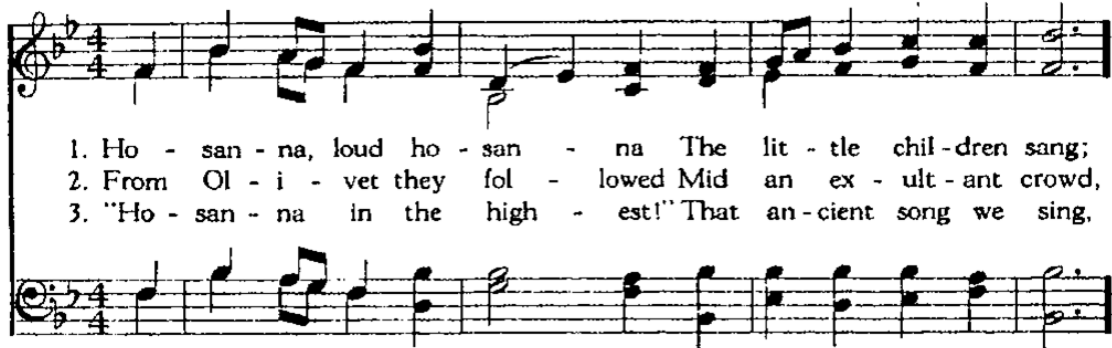
All: Hosanna to the Son of David, the King of Israel! Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

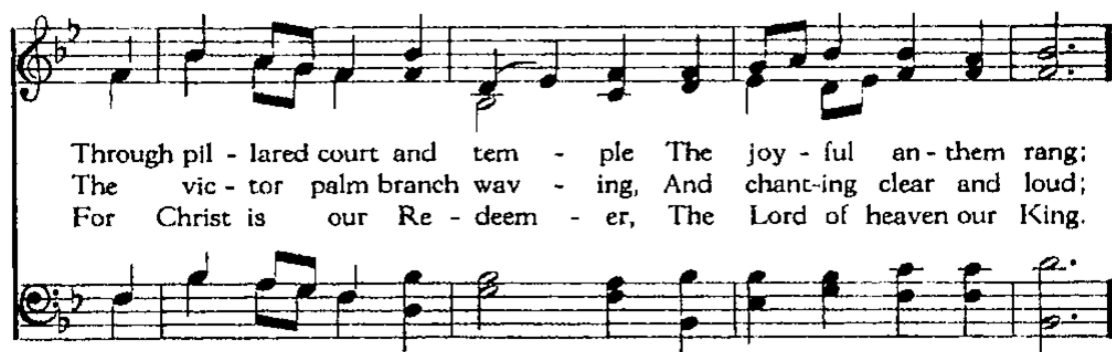
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Jennette Threlfall, 1873

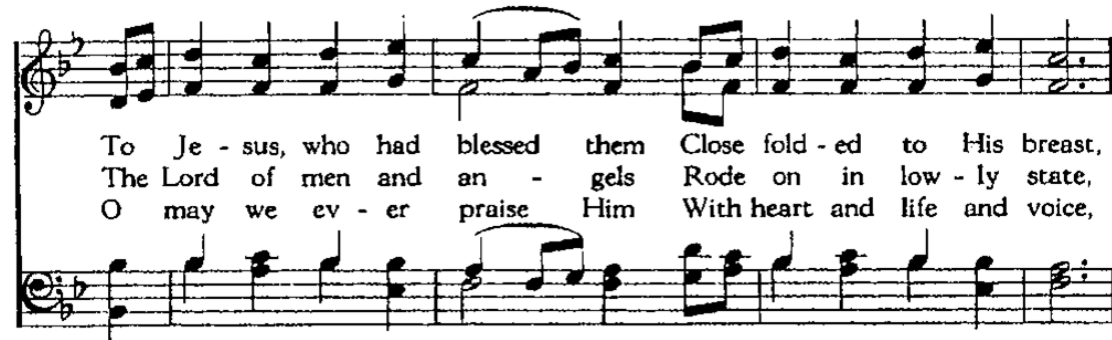
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Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Württembergischen
Katholischen Hofkapelle, 1784



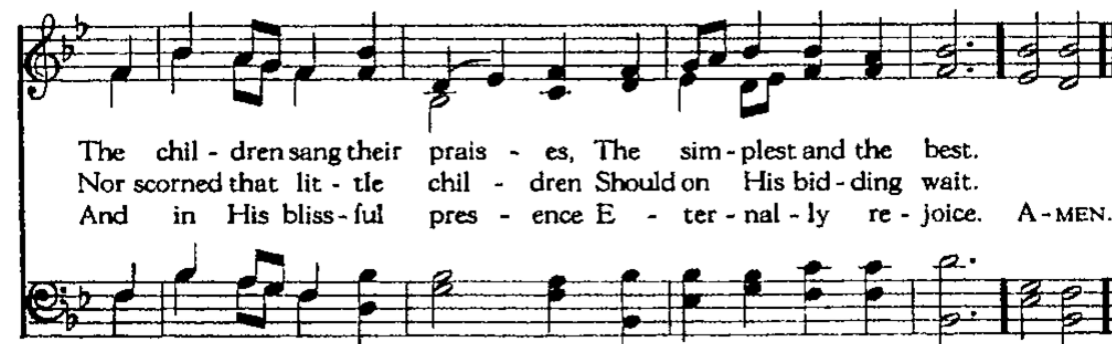
1. Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na The lit - tle chil - dren sang;
2. From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed Mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,
3. "Ho - san - na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,



Through pil - lared court and tem - ple The joy - ful an - them rang;
The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, And chant - ing clear and loud;
For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The Lord of heaven our King.



To Je - sus, who had blessed them Close fold - ed to His breast,
The Lord of men and an - gels Rode on in low - ly state,
O may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice,



The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The sim - plest and the best.
Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should on His bid - ding wait.
And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E - ter - nal - ly re - joice. A - MEN.

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ELLACOMBE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

John Knox's 1560 Liturgy

Leader: Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins.

All: We have sinned against you, O Lord, and do not deserve your mercy.

Leader: And yet you are a gracious God, a loving and kind Father, to all who come to you in faith.

All: For the sake of your Son, our Savior, show to us your mercy. Forgive us all our sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:11-12

As high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

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Psalm 118:19-29

Now Open Wide the Gates

*...Christ Jesus Himself being the cornerstone.
— Ephesians 2:20*

12. 19 Now o - pen wide the gates for me, The
13. 20 This is the gate that is the LORD's, The
14. 22 That stone is now the cor - ner - stone That
15. 24 This is the day the LORD has made; Let

gates of righ - teous - ness, And I will en - ter
righ - teous en - ter in. 21 I'm thank - ful You have
build - ers once de - spised. 23 This is the do - ing
us be glad and sing. 25 Ho - san - na, LORD! O

in through them; With thanks the LORD I'll bless.
an - swered me; My Sav - ior You have been.
of the LORD, And won - drous in our eyes.
give suc - cess! O LORD, sal - va - tion bring!

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 118:19-29, ESV page 511

¹⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them
and give thanks to the LORD.
²⁰ This is the gate of the LORD;
the righteous shall enter through it.
²¹ I thank you that you have answered me
and have become my salvation.
²² The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.
²³ This is the LORD's doing;
it is marvelous in our eyes.
²⁴ This is the day that the LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.
²⁵ Save us, we pray, O LORD!
O LORD, we pray, give us success!

²⁶ Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the LORD!
We bless you from the house of
the LORD.
²⁷ The LORD is God, and he has made his
light to shine upon us.
Bind the festal sacrifice with cords,
up to the horns of the altar!
²⁸ You are my God, and I will give thanks to
you; you are my God; I will extol you
²⁹ Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is
good; for his steadfast love endures
forever!

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER

John Jackson

MEMBERSHIP VOWS

- Do you confess that you are a sinner in the sight of God; that you deserve His punishment; that you are unable to save yourself; and that you are without hope of salvation except for God's love and mercy?
- Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God and the Savior of sinners; and do you receive and trust in Him alone for your salvation?
- Do you accept the Bible, comprised of the Old and New Testaments, as the written Word of God; and that it is the only perfect rule of faith and how to live?
- Do you promise to trust in the guidance and strength of the Holy Spirit so that you can live all of life as a Christian, following the example set by Jesus Christ?
- Do you promise to exercise faithful stewardship of God's resources entrusted to you for the furtherance of God's Kingdom and purposes?
- In loving obedience, do you submit yourself to the government and discipline of this church, promising to seek the peace, purity, and prosperity of this congregation as long as you are a member of it?

CONGREGATIONAL VOW

- Do you promise to love, encourage, and pray for John so that he might grow in grace, prosper in his relationship with the Lord, and be further equipped to serve for the advancement of His Kingdom?

THE GLORIA PATRI

Trinity Hymnal No. 734

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, Amen.

* HYMN OF PREPARATION

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Hail to the Lord's Anointed

In his days the righteous will flourish; prosperity will abound till the moon is no more.
Ps. 72:7

1. Hail to the Lord's A - noint - ed, great Da - vid's great - er Son!

2. He comes with com - fort speed - y to those who suf - fer wrong;

3. He shall come down like show - ers up - on the fruit - ful earth;

4. O'er ev - 'ry foe vic - to - rious, he on his throne shall rest,

Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, his reign on earth be - gun!

to help the poor and need - y, and bid the weak be strong;

and love, joy, hope, like flow - ers, spring in his path to birth;

from age to age more glo - rious, all - bless - ing and all - blessed;

He comes to break op - pres - sion, to set the cap - tive free,

to give them songs for sigh - ing, their dark - ness turn to light,

be - fore him on the moun - tains shall peace, the her - ald, go;

the tide of time shall nev - er his cov - e - nant re - move;

to take a - way trans - gres - sion, and rule in eq - ui - ty.

whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, were pre - cious in his sight.

and righ - teous - ness, in foun - tains, from hill to val - ley flow.

his name shall stand for - ev - er—that name to us is Love.

“An Unusual King”

Mark 11:1-11, ESV page 847

The Triumphal Entry

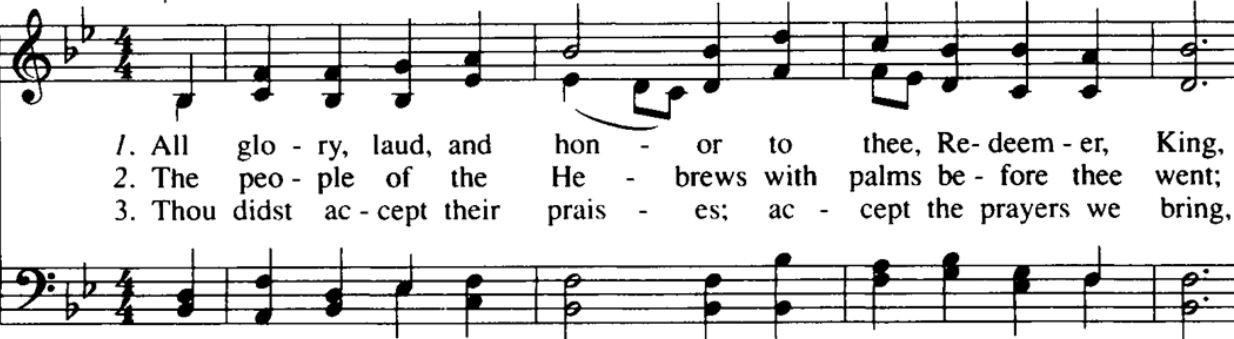
11 Now when they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples ² and said to them, “Go into the village in front of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it. ³ If anyone says to you, ‘Why are you doing this?’ say, ‘The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately.’” ⁴ And they went away and found a colt tied at a door outside in the street, and they untied it. ⁵ And some of those standing there said to them, “What are you doing, untying the colt?” ⁶ And they told them what Jesus had said, and they let them go. ⁷ And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. ⁸ And many spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. ⁹ And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, “Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! ¹⁰ Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!”

¹¹ And he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple. And when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

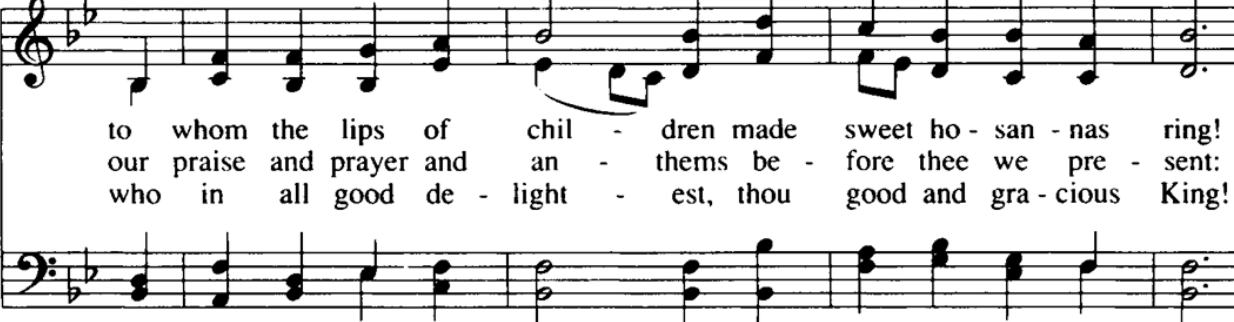
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All Glory, Laud, and Honor

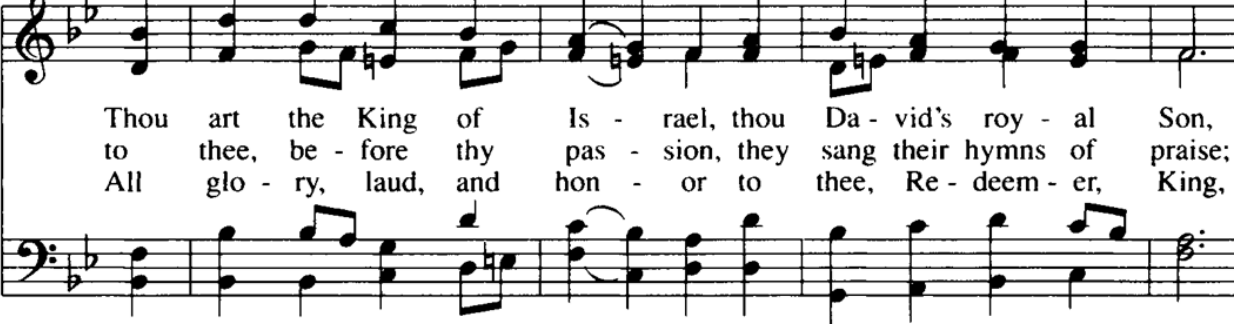
"Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the King of Israel!" John 12:13



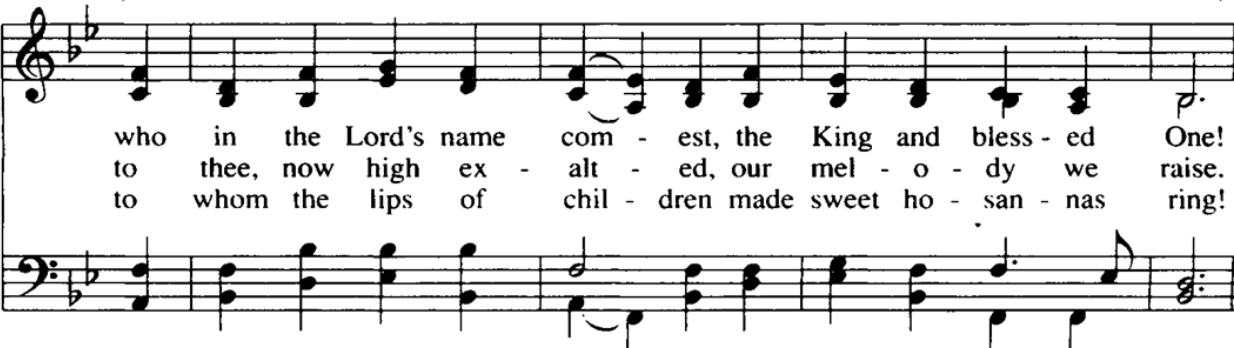
1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King,
 2. The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;
 3. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,



to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring!
 our praise and prayer and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent:
 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King!



Thou art the King of Is - rael, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
 to thee, be - fore thy pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise;
 All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King,



who in the Lord's name com - est, the King and bless - ed One!
 to thee, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.
 to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring!

*** BENEDICTION**

*** DOXOLOGY**

Trinity Hymnal No. 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Amen

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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 SUNDAY AT BPC

10:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship – In Person and Live Streamed
<https://www.ballantynepres.com/webcast>

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship – In Person and Live Streamed
<https://www.ballantynepres.com/webcast>

THIS WEEK

Wednesday Night 6:30 p.m. PRAYER MEETING - In Person & 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 & via Google Meet

Josh Duemler leads our Youth Group in person and over Google Meet. Our current series is called "What is Jesus doing?" and we are looking at the second half of Mark's gospel. As Jesus goes to Jerusalem to die and rise again, how are we as his disciples supposed to follow him? Please join us! Google Meet link: <https://meet.google.com/udm-kagp-gfy>

Thursday Night 7 p.m. WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - In Person and via Zoom

Phoebe Pritchett will lead a weekly study on Colossians and then we will spend an extended time of prayer together. We will be meeting in person at the church, as well as having Zoom set up. Contact Phoebe Pritchett with any questions: Phoebe@ballantynepres.com or 770.823.2508.
Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/95704412821>

Friday Morning 7 a.m. MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - In Person & 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

Mar. 28	Palm Sunday
Apr. 2	Good Friday Worship, 6:30 p.m.
Apr. 4	Easter Sunday
Apr. 6	Young Adults meet at BPC, 7 p.m.
Apr. 10	Men's Pancake Breakfast
Apr. 11	Congregational Meeting to vote Matt Spear as our new Treasurer
Apr. 16-18	High School Retreat - RSVP to Joshua by 3/29
Apr. 23-24	Women's Biblical Theology Workshop (at Christ Covenant Church)

UPCOMING EVENT

April 23-24

Women's Biblical Theology Workshop led by Nancy Guthrie at Christ Covenant Church
Over three sessions, Nancy Guthrie will work through the basic makeup and storyline of the Bible. She'll trace major themes that run from Genesis to Revelation and demonstrate how a better grasp of these themes that the divine Author has written into his book can help us to understand and apply it rightly. Nancy's goal is to help women see the beauty, sufficiency, and necessity of Jesus Christ in fresh ways through these various themes. Her desire is that women will leave the workshop loving him more and longing more for his return. The event will take place **Friday evening (7-8:30) and Saturday morning (9-12:30).**

<https://www.nancyguthrie.com/biblical-theology-workshop>

Register for the workshop here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/biblical-theology-workshop-for-women-charlotte-nc-tickets-142366176065>

SESSION

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Mr. Bob Stone	Personnel	704-442-0109
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

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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
Human Coalition	1505 E. 4 th Street	Charlotte, NC
John & Judy Lehner	Pilgrim Grace for Spain	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
<i>*Missionary of the Month</i>		

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

2/28/21 YTD	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income	\$58,366	\$56,771	\$1,595
Expenses:	\$64,140	\$56,771	\$7,369
Net Income/ (Deficit)	(\$5,774)	\$0	(\$5,774)

**SHARING THE LOVE OF THE FATHER, THE GRACE OF HIS SON,
AND THE FELLOWSHIP OF HIS SPIRIT IN BALLANTYNE AND BEYOND.**