

BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

July 31, 2022

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

INSTRUMENTAL INTROIT

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 69:30

Leader: I will praise the Name of God with a song.

All: I will magnify him with thanksgiving!

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal No. 167

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When Morning Gilds the Skies

I will extol the LORD at all times; his praise will always be on my lips. Ps. 34:1

1. When morn - ing gilds the skies, my heart a - wak - ing cries:
2. When sleep her balm de - nies, my si - lent spir - it sighs:
3. Does sad - ness fill my mind? A so - lace here I find:
4. In heav'n's e - ter - nal bliss the love - liest strain is this:

May Je - sus Christ be praised. A - like at work and prayer
May Je - sus Christ be praised. When e - vil thoughts mo - lest,
May Je - sus Christ be praised. Or fades my earth - ly bliss?
May Je - sus Christ be praised. The pow'rs of dark - ness fear,

to Je - sus I re - pair: May Je - sus Christ be praised.
with this I shield my breast: May Je - sus Christ be praised.
My com - fort still is this: May Je - sus Christ be praised.
when this sweet chant they bear: May Je - sus Christ be praised.

5. Let earth's wide circle round
in joyful notes resound:
May Jesus Christ be praised.
Let air and sea and sky,
from depth to height, reply:
May Jesus Christ be praised.

6. Be this, while life is mine,
my canticle divine:
May Jesus Christ be praised.
Be this th'eternal song,
through all the ages on:
May Jesus Christ be praised.

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND INVOCATION

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

Leader: O Lord our God, we come to you as your children and servants, grateful for your constant love and grace and aware of our sinful condition.

All: We have broken your commandments. We have fallen short of your glory. We have not loved you with all our heart, mind, soul, and strength. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves.

Leader: We acknowledge our guilt, and that apart from the saving grace of our Lord Jesus, we rightly fall under your judgment.

All: Have mercy upon us, O Lord, in Jesus' name. Blot out our transgressions and forgive our sins.

Leader: Remove our transgressions as far as the east is from the west. Cast all our sins behind your back and remember them no more.

All: We confess our sins in the name of Jesus, our Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:8, 10-12

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

And Can It Be That I Should Gain (v. 5)

Trinity Hymnal No. 455

*No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in Him is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine,
bold I approach th'eternal throne, and claim the crown, through Christ, my own.
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 23, ESV page 458

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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.

RECEPTION OF NEW COMMUNICANT MEMBER

David Mason Tubangh

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 Mason 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 PRAYER FOR CHURCH AND WORLD

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY

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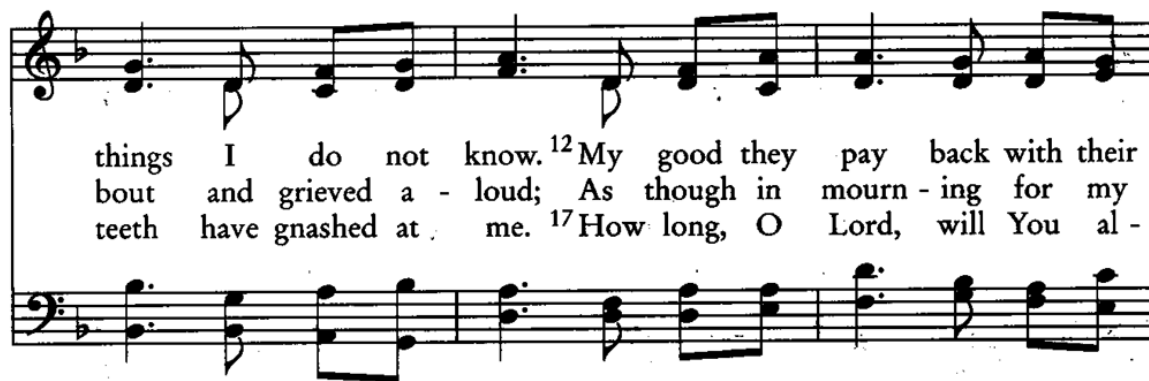
Now Men Arise to Bear False Witness

Psalm 35:11-18

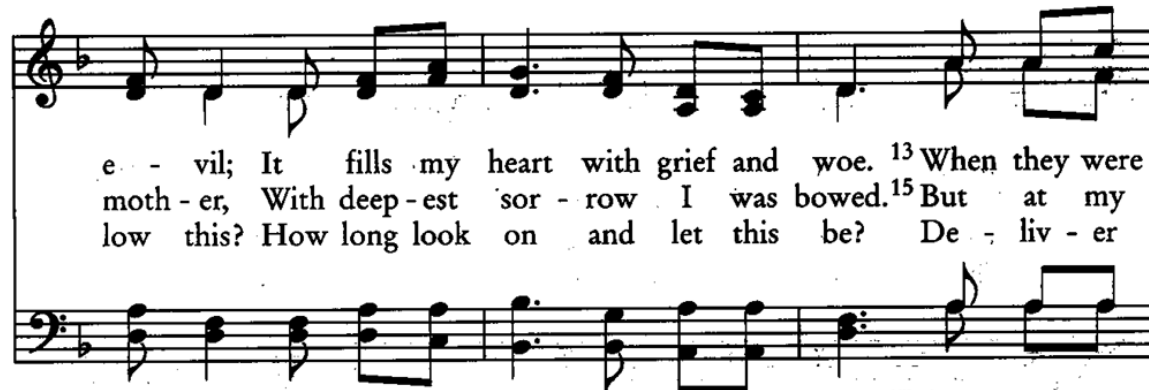
Woe to that man by whom the offense comes!
— Matthew 18:7



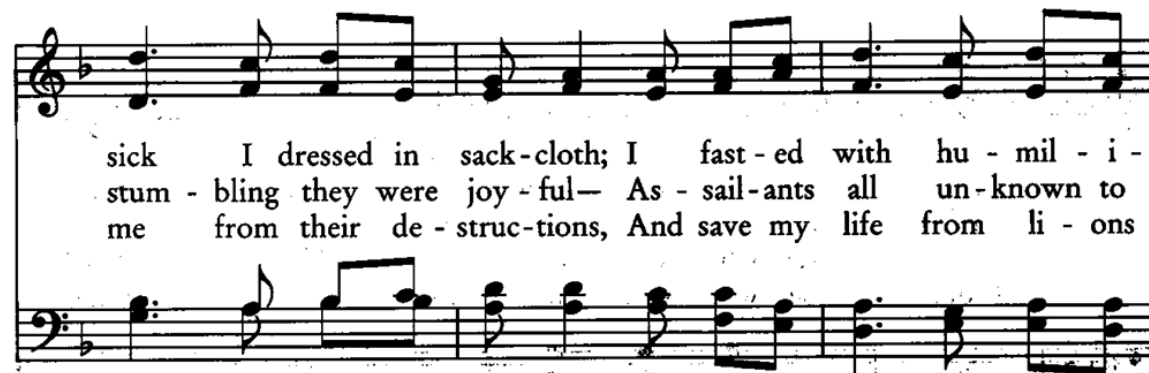
9. ¹¹ Now men a - rise to bear false wit - ness; They ask me
10. ¹⁴ As if they were my friend or broth - er, I went a -
11. ¹⁶ Like god - less jest - ers at a par - ty, They with their



things I do not know. ¹² My good they pay back with their
bout and grieved a - loud; As though in mourn - ing for my
teeth have gnashed at me. ¹⁷ How long, O Lord, will You al -



e - vil; It fills my heart with grief and woe. ¹³ When they were
moth - er, With deep - est sor - row I was bowed. ¹⁵ But at my
low this? How long look on and let this be? De - liv - er



sick I dressed in sack-cloth; I fast - ed with hu - mil - i -
stum - bling they were joy - ful— As - sail - ants all un - known to
me from their de - struc - tions, And save my life from li - ons

ty; But all the prayers I of - fered for them
me; To - geth - er they con - spire a - gainst me,
strong. ¹⁸ I'll thank You in the great as - sem - bly,

Would keep re - turn - ing back to me.
They slan - der me con - tin - ual - ly.
And praise You in the might - y throng!

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

Dr. Mantle Nance

Luke 6:27-36, ESV page 862

“Love Your Enemies”

Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak

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The things you have heard me say ... entrust to reliable men who will also be qualified to teach others. 2 Tim. 2:2

1. Lord, speak to me that I may speak in liv - ing ech - oes of your tone;
 2. O teach me, Lord, that I may teach the pre - cious things you do im - part;
 3. O fill me with your full - ness, Lord, un - til my ver - y heart o'er - flow
 4. O use me, Lord, use e - ven me, just as you will and when and where;

as you have sought, so let me seek your err - ing chil - dren lost and lone.
 and wing my words, that they may reach the hid - den depths of man - y a heart.
 in kin - dling thought and glow - ing word your love to tell, your praise to show.
 un - til your bless - ed face I see, your rest, your joy, your glo - ry share.

* 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*

* Congregation Standing

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TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offering plates will be passed during morning worship. Below are additional ways to give:

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

MAIL: Please mail any tithes and offering checks (no cash) to the treasurer's home address and he will ensure the funds are deposited into the church's account: Matt Spear BPC Treasurer, 1722 Tanglebriar Court, Weddington, NC 28104

THIS SUNDAY AT BPC

No Sunday School - Summer Break

We will resume meeting for Sunday School on August 7th

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

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THIS WEEK

Tuesday Night 7 p.m. YOUNG ADULTS meet at Kennedy's

Joshua Duemler leads our group on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

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.

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 at BPC

This semester the Youth Group will be going through the book of Proverbs to learn from the practical insights of biblical wisdom and prepare to apply them in our current contexts. Please join us on Wednesdays at 6:30pm for dinner and a lesson.

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

Keith Kowadlo leads Men's Bible Study, which meets at church at 7 a.m.

SAVE THE DATES

Aug. 2 Young Adults, 7 p.m.

Aug. 7 Sunday School resumes

Aug. 14 Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

Aug. 18 Women's Summer Supper, 6-8 p.m.

Sept. 16-17 Men's Retreat at Bonclarken

Nov. 4-5 Women's Retreat at Bonclarken – See Beth Smith for more information.

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

3/31/22	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income-Gifts	\$100,806	\$84,749	\$16,057
Expenses	\$80,893	\$84,749	\$3,856
Net Income-Deficit	\$19,913	\$0	\$19,913

SESSION

Dr. Mantle Nance	Senior Minister	980-329-8458
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Mr. Kenneth Jackson	Missions	704-604-0331
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Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

DIACONATE

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Mr. Keith Kowadlo	Men's Ministry	704-618-6181
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Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

STAFF

Miss Aimee Jobe	Pianist	803-389-5395
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Mr. Matt Spear	Treasurer	704-301-0524

MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
John & Mary Ann 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
*Queen City Pregnancy Resource Ctr.	1505 E. 4 th Street	Charlotte, NC
John & Judy Lehner	Serge 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 Ch.	Norman, OK

**Missionary of the Month*

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

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