

BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

August 14, 2022

6:00 p.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.

***RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 95:1

Leader: O come, let us sing unto the LORD!

All: Let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation!

*** HYMN OF PRAISE**

Trinity Hymnal No. 6

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O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord

Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Ps. 103:1

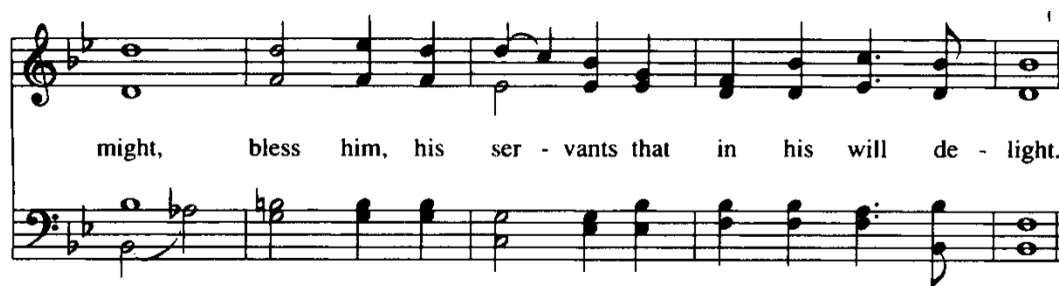
1. O come, my soul, bless thou the Lord thy Mak - er, and all with -
2. Good is the Lord and full of kind com - pas - sion, most slow to
3. His love is like a fa - ther's to his chil - dren, ten - der and
4. We fade and die like flow'rs that grow in beau - ty, like ten - der
5. High in the heav'ns his throne is fixed for - ev - er, his king - dom

in me bless his ho - ly name; bless thou the Lord, for -
an - ger, plen - te - ous in love; rich is his grace to
• kind to all who fear his name; for well he knows our
grass that soon will dis - ap - pear; but ev - er - more the
rules o'er all from pole to pole; bless ye the Lord through

get not all his mer - cies, his par - d'ning grace and
all that hum - bly seek him, bound - less and end - less
• weak - ness and our frail - ty, he knows that we are
love of God is change - less, still shown to those who
all his wide do - min - ion, bless his most ho - ly

REFRAIN

sav - ing love pro - claim.
as the heav'ns a - bove.
• dust, he knows our frame. Bless him for - ev - er, won - drous in
look to him in fear.
name, O thou my soul.



might, bless him, his ser - vants that in his will de - light.

* INVOCATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Galatians 5:13-15, ESV page 975

HYMN OF ADORATION

Trinity Hymnal No. 335

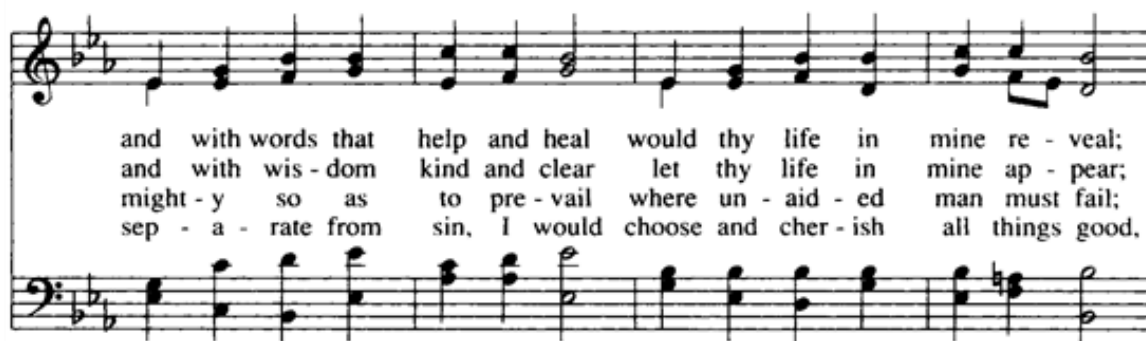
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Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me

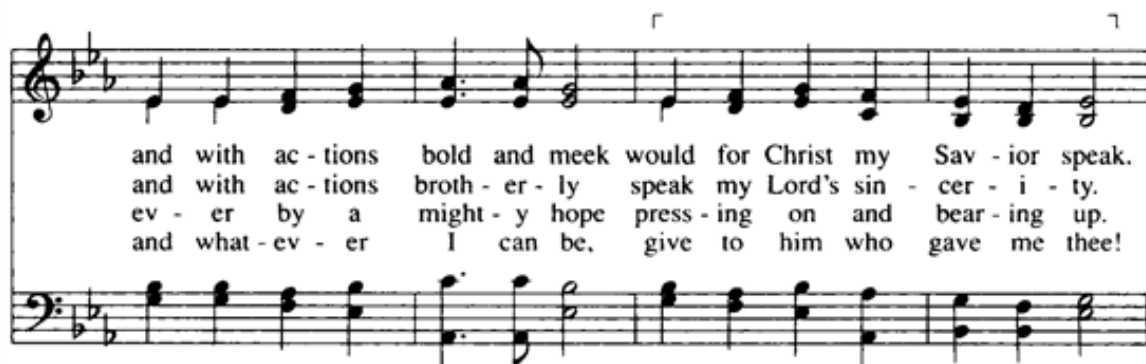
I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws. Ezek. 36:27



1. Gra - cious Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would gra - cious be;
 2. Truth - ful Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would truth - ful be;
 3. Might - y Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would might - y be;
 4. Ho - ly Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would ho - ly be;



and with words that help and heal would thy life in mine re - veal;
 and with wis - dom kind and clear let thy life in mine ap - pear;
 might - y so as to pre - vail where un - aid - ed man must fail;
 sep - a - rate from sin, I would choose and cher - ish all things good,



and with ac - tions bold and meek would for Christ my Sav - ior speak.
 and with ac - tions broth - er - ly speak my Lord's sin - cer - i - ty.
 ev - er by a might - y hope press - ing on and bear - ing up.
 and what - ev - er I can be, give to him who gave me thee!

CONFESSION OF FAITH: Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 40

105 Q. What is God's will for us in the Sixth Commandment?

105 A. I am not to belittle, insult, hate, or kill my neighbor – not by my thoughts, my words, my look or gesture, and certainly not by actual deeds—and I am not to be party to this in others; rather, I am to put away all desire for revenge. I am not to harm or recklessly endanger myself either. Prevention of murder is also why government is armed with the sword.

106 Q. Does this commandment refer only to killing?

106 A. By forbidding murder God teaches us that he hates the root of murder: envy, hatred, anger, vindictiveness. In God's sight all such are murder.

107 Q. Is it enough then that we do not kill our neighbor in any such way

107 A. No. By condemning envy, hatred, and anger God tells us to love our neighbor as ourselves, to be patient, peace-loving, gentle, merciful, and friendly to him, to protect him from harm as much as we can, and to do good even to our enemies.

EVENING PRAYER

O Praise the LORD

Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.
—Romans 12:21

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Psalm 112

1. ¹ O praise the LORD! The man is tru - ly blessed
 2. ³ A - bun - dant rich - es are with - in his house,
 3. ⁵ The gra - cious man who free - ly lends is blessed,

Who fears the LORD, and in His law de - lights.
 His righ - teous - ness en - dures for - ev - er - more.
 The one who just - ly gov - erns his af - fairs.

² His chil - dren will be might - y in the earth.
⁴ In dark - ness light a - ris - es for the just;
⁶ The righ - teous man will sure - ly not be moved,

How blessed the chil - dren of all the righ - teous!
 He's full of mer - cy; he's just and gra - cious.
 He'll be re - mem - bered through - out the a - ges.

4. ⁷ At evil news he will not be afraid;
 His heart is steadfast, trusting in the LORD.

⁸ His heart is firm, he will not live in fear,
 Till on his foes he shall look in triumph.

5. ⁹ He helps the poor with generosity;
 His good endures, his horn is lifted high.

¹⁰ The wicked sees and grinds his teeth in rage;
 But he will vanish, his lust will perish.

Judges 9, ESV page 208

“Abimelech’s Destruction”

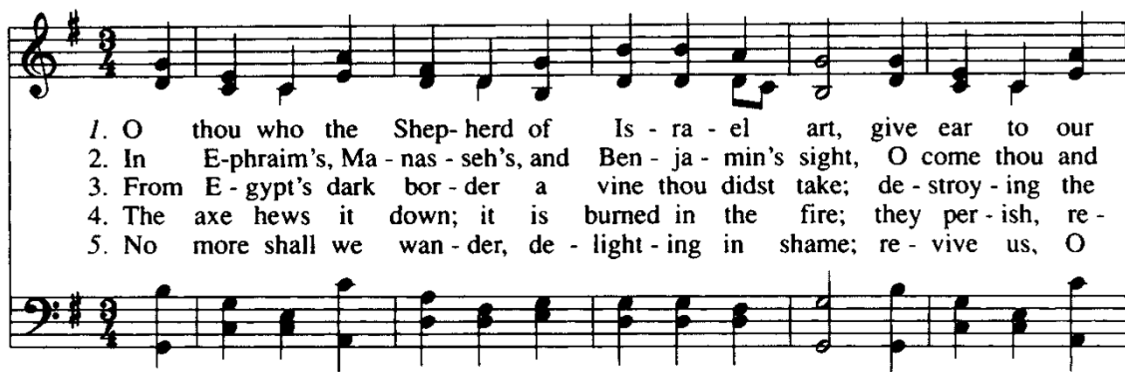
* HYMN OF RESPONSE

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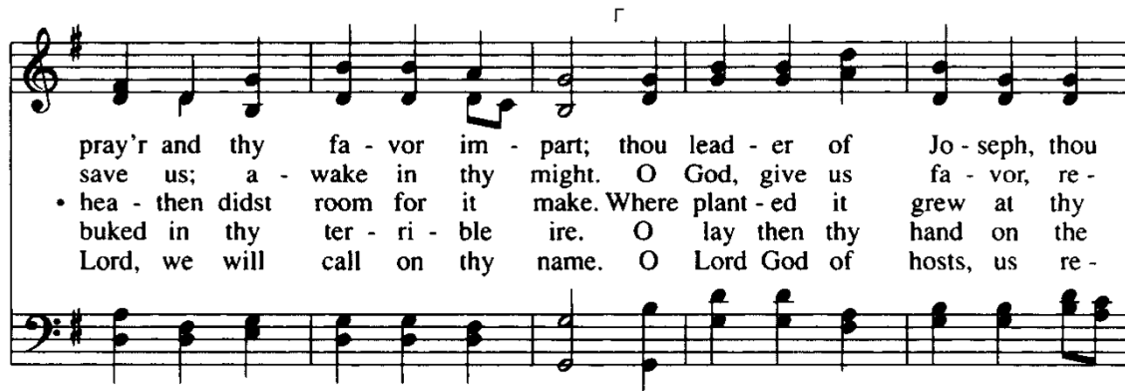
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O Thou Who the Shepherd of Israel Art

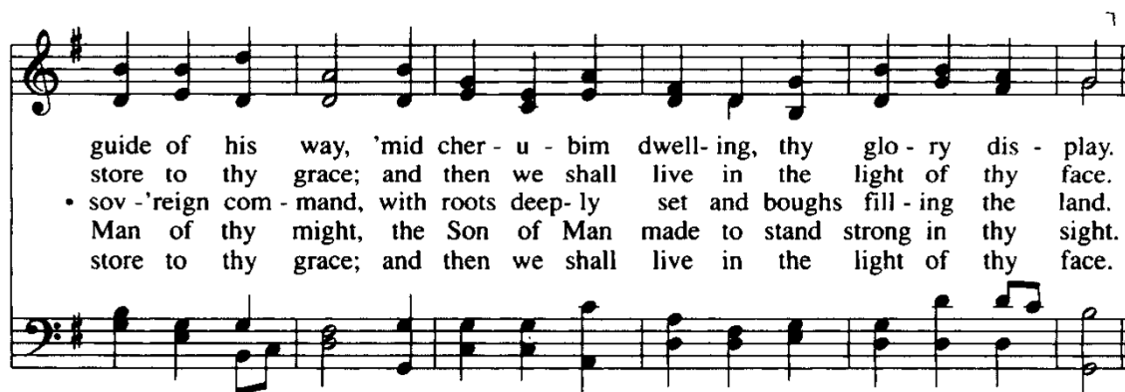
Hear us, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph like a flock. Ps. 80:1



1. O thou who the Shep-herd of Is - ra - el art, give ear to our
 2. In E-phraim's, Ma - nas - seh's, and Ben - ja - min's sight, O come thou and
 3. From E - gypt's dark bor - der a vine thou didst take; de - stroy - ing the
 4. The axe hews it down; it is burned in the fire; they per - ish, re -
 5. No more shall we wan - der, de - light - ing in shame; re - vive us, O



pray'r and thy fa - vor im - part; thou lead - er of Jo - seph, thou
 save us; a - wake in thy might. O God, give us fa - vor, re -
 • hea - then didst room for it make. Where plant - ed it grew at thy
 buked in thy ter - ri - ble ire. O lay then thy hand on the
 Lord, we will call on thy name. O Lord God of hosts, us re -



guide of his way, 'mid cher - u - bim dwell - ing, thy glo - ry dis - play.
 store to thy grace; and then we shall live in the light of thy face.
 • sov - 'reign com - mand, with roots deep - ly set and boughs fill - ing the land.
 Man of thy might, the Son of Man made to stand strong in thy sight.
 store to thy grace; and then we shall live in the light of thy face.

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

* 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 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.

UPCOMING EVENT

The second Women's Summer Supper will be August 25th from 6-8pm. If you are able to attend, please RSVP to Phoebe: phoebe@ballantynepres.com.

SAVE THE DATES

Aug. 14	Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering
Aug. 16	Young Adults, 7 p.m.
Aug. 21	Hymn Sing, 5 p.m.
Aug. 25	Women's Summer Supper, 6-8 p.m.
Sept. 11	Children's Sunday school class resumes
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

6/30/22	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income-Gifts	\$176,854	\$169,498	\$7,356
Expenses	\$178,283	\$169,498	(\$8,785)
Net Income-Deficit	(\$1,429)	\$0	(\$1,429)

SESSION

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Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

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Mr. Rob Kelley	Building/ Grounds	704-907-5474
Mr. Keith Kowadlo	Men's Ministry	704-618-6181
Mr. Tim Teague	Clerk	704-770-1421
Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

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Mr. Matt Spear	Treasurer	704-301-0524

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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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