



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

January 22, 2023

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 91

Leader: He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

All: I will say to the LORD, "My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

Leader: He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge.

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A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Ps. 46:1



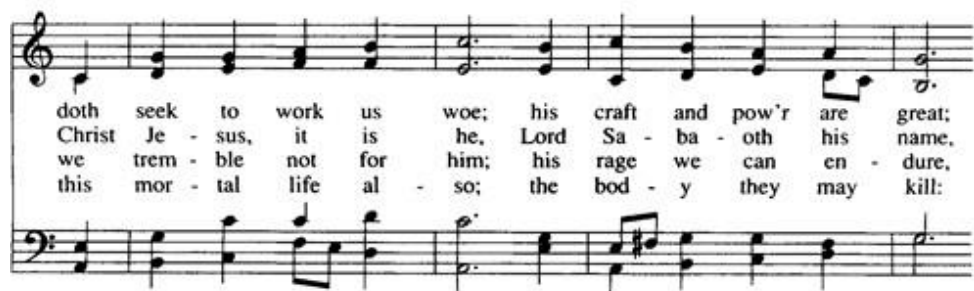
1. A might - y for - tress is our God, a bul - wark nev - er
 2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, our striv - ing would be
 3. And though this world, with dev - ils filled, should threat - en to un -
 4. That Word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, no thanks to them, a -




fail - ing; our help - er he a - mid the flood of
 los - ing; were not the right man on our side, the
 do us, we will not fear, for God hath willed his
 bid - eth; the Spir - it and the gifts are ours through



mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an - cient foe
 man of God's own choos - ing. Dost ask who that may be?
 truth to tri - umph through us. The prince of dark - ness grim,
 him who with us sid - eth. Let goods and kin - dred go,



doth seek to work us woe; his craft and pow'r are great;
 Christ Je - sus, it is he, Lord Sa - ba - oth his name,
 we trem - ble not for him; his rage we can en - dure,
 this mor - tal life al - so; the bod - y they may kill:



and armed with cru - el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.
 from age to age the same, and he must win the bat - tle.
 for lo! his doom is sure; one lit - tle word shall fell him.
 God's truth a - bid - eth still; his king - dom is for - ev - er.

* INVOCATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 13:31-35, ESV page 873

HYMN OF ADORATION

Trinity Hymnal No. 508

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Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? Rom. 8:35

Dm A⁷ Dm A Dm A⁷ Dm A

1. Je - sus, lov - er of my soul, let me to thy bo - som fly,
 2. Oth - er ref - uge have I none, hangs my help - less soul on thee;
 3. Thou, O Christ, art all I want; more than all in thee I find:
 4. Plen - teous grace with thee is found, grace to cov - er all my sin;

Dm A⁷ Dm A Dm C F C⁷ Dm A⁷ Dm

while the near - er wa - ters roll, while the tem - pest still is high:
 leave, ah! leave me not a - lone, still sup - port and com - fort me!
 raise the fall - en, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind.
 let the heal - ing streams a - bound; make and keep me pure with - in:

F B^b F B^b C⁷ F C⁷ F Dm A Dm C F E⁷ Am

hide me, O my Sav - ior, hide, till the storm of life is past;
 All my trust on thee is stayed, all my help from thee I bring;
 Just and ho - ly is thy name; I am all un - righ - teous - ness;
 thou of life the foun - tain art, free - ly let me take of thee;

B^b F Dm Gm A Dm A⁷ Dm 7

safe in - to the ha - ven guide, O re - ceive my soul at last!
 cov - er my de - fense - less head with the shad - ow of thy wing.
 false and full of sin I am, thou art full of truth and grace.
 spring thou up with - in my heart, rise to all e - ter - ni - ty.

CONFESSION OF FAITH: Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 7. What are the decrees of God?

A. 7. The decrees of God are his eternal purpose, according to the counsel of his will, whereby, for his own glory, he hath foreordained whatsoever comes to pass.

EVENING PRAYER

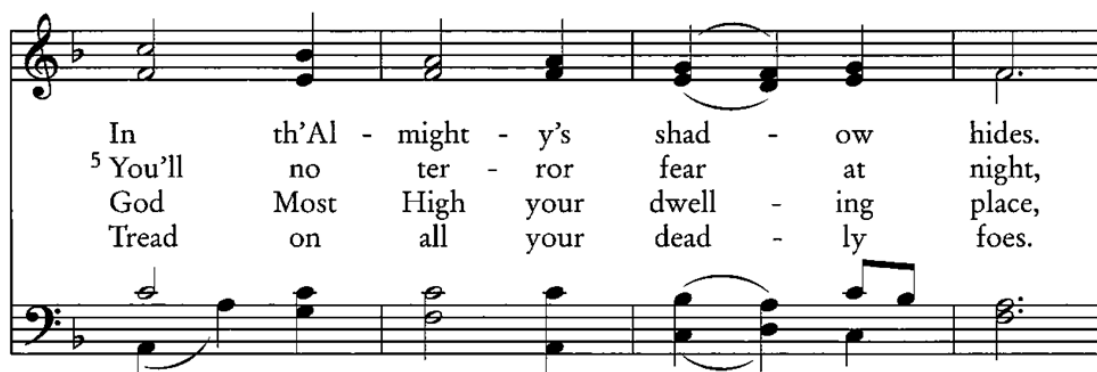
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Psalm 91

Who With God Most High Finds Shelter

*My prayer is...that You protect them from the evil one.**—John 17:15*


1. ¹ Who with God Most High finds shel - ter;
 2. God's truth is your shield and buck - ler.
 3. ⁹ Since you made my LORD your ref - uge,
 4. ¹³ You will tram - ple snakes and li - ons,



In th'Al - might - y's shad - ow hides.
⁵ You'll no ter - ror fear at night,
 God Most High your dwell - ing place,
 Tread on all your dead - ly foes.



² To the LORD I'll say, "My Ref - uge."
 Nor by day the ar - row fly - ing,
¹⁰ Noth - ing e - vil will be - fall you;
¹⁴ For his love to Me I'll save him,



In my God my trust a - bides.
⁶ Nor dis - ease that stalks at night,
 In your tent no scourge you'll face.
 Keep him, for My name he knows.

³ From the trap - per's snare He'll save you,
 Nor the dead - ly plague at noon - day.
¹¹ He will an - gels charge to keep you,
¹⁵ When he calls Me I will an - swer,

From the dead - ly pes - ti - lence;
⁷ At your side ten thou - sand fall;
 Guard you well in all your ways.
 Save and hon - or him will I.

⁴ Cov - er you with out - spread pin - ions,
⁸ You will on - ly see this judg - ment
¹² In their hands they will up - hold you
¹⁶ I will show him My sal - va - tion,

Make His wings your con - fi - dence.
 Which re - wards the wick - ed all.
 Lest your foot a stone should graze.
 With long life will sat - is - fy.

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

Dr. Mantle Nance

Ruth 2, ESV page 222

“Refuge Under His Wings”

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

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The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Gal. 2:20

1. 'Tis so sweet to trust in Je - sus, just to take him at his word;
 2. O how sweet to trust in Je - sus, just to trust his cleans - ing blood;
 3. Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Je - sus, just from sin and self to cease;
 4. I'm so glad I learned to trust thee, pre - cious Je - sus, Sav - ior, Friend;

just to rest up - on his prom - ise; just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."
 just in sim - ple faith to plunge me 'neath the heal - ing, cleans - ing flood!
 just from Je - sus sim - ply tak - ing life and rest, and joy and peace.
 and I know that thou art with me, wilt be with me to the end.

REFRAIN

Je - sus, Je - sus, how I trust him! How I've proved him o'er and o'er!

Je - sus, Je - sus, pre - cious Je - sus! O for grace to trust him more!

* 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

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 is going through the book of Proverbs to learn from the practical insights of biblical wisdom and preparing 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

Jan. 26 Women's Bible Study will resume on Thursdays at 7 p.m. This spring, we are studying Revelation using Tim Chester's book *Revelation for You*. If you would like a copy of the book, please contact Phoebe:

Phoebe@ballantynepres.com

Feb. 6 Young Adults meet at Kennedy's, 7 p.m.

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

9/30/22	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$245,378	\$254,247	(\$8,869)
Expenses	\$257,686	\$254,247	(\$3,439)
Net Income/(Deficit)	(\$12,308)	\$0	(\$12,308)

SESSION

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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
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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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