



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

February 18, 2024

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

The Glory of These Forty Days

Latin, 6th cent., arr., J.S. Bach

*The glory of these forty days we celebrate with songs of praise;
for Christ, through whom all things were made,
himself has fasted and has prayed.*

*O Father, Son, and Spirit blest,
to Thee be every prayer addressed;
who art in three-fold Name adored,
from age to age, the only Lord.*

* RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 103,136

Leader: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

All: His mercy endures forever.

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

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Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD. Ps. 95:1

1. Come, Chris - tians, join to sing Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
2. Come, lift your hearts on high, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
3. Praise yet our Christ a - gain, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

loud praise to Christ our King; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
let prais - es fill the sky; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
life shall not end the strain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

let all, with heart and voice, be - fore his throne re - joice;
 he is our Guide and Friend; to us he'll con - de - scend;
 on heav - en's bliss - ful shore, his good - ness we'll a - dore,

praise is his gra - cious choice. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 his love shall nev - er end. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 sing - ing for - ev - er - more, "Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!"

Christian H. Bateman, 1843

MADRID 6.6.6.6.D.
 Traditional Spanish melody
 Arr. by David Evans, 1927

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: Most holy and merciful God, you have searched us, and you know us; you are acquainted with all our ways.

All: We confess our sinfulness before you, and seek your forgiveness.

Leader: We have failed in our duty; we have forgotten our high calling; we have fallen into many temptations.

All: We have dishonored your name; we have injured our neighbors; we have hurt our own souls.

Leader: Give us, we pray, the spirit of true repentance, that we may turn from our sins and forsake them with our whole heart;

All: And in your great love, have mercy on us; for the sake of your dear Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 53:6,12

We all, like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all... He bore the sin of many, and makes intercession for the transgressors.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

Bless the Lord, My Soul (v. 1)

ARP Psalter No. 103B

*Bless the Lord, my soul.
My whole heart, Ever bless His holy name.
Bless the Lord, my soul.
Forget not All His blessings to proclaim.
He forgives all your transgressions, Your diseases all He heals.
He redeems you from destruction, And with you He kindly deals.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Zechariah 4:8-10a, ESV page 794

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. 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.*

THE PRAYER FOR CHURCH AND WORLD

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

INSTRUMENTAL ANTHEM

* HYMN OF PREPARATION

The Glory Of These Forty Days (Erhalt Uns Herr)

Words:
 Gregory the Great
 Translator:
 Maurice Frederick Bell

(as published by Westminster/John Knox Press in "The Presbyterian Hymnal")

Music Arranger:
 Johann Sebastian Bach

Em Am B B/A Em/G D[°]/F[♯] Em Am7 B Em D/F[♯] D G G/F[♯] Em Em/D

1. The glo - ry of these for - ty days We cel - e - brate with
 2. A - lone and fast - ing, Mo - ses saw The lov - ing God who
 3. So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, De - liv - ered from the
 4. Then grant that we like them be true, Con - sumed in fast and

Am/C G/B Am/C B Em Am G D/F[♯] G D7 G/D D7sus D G B/D[♯] Em F[♯]m7(♭5) Em/GB7

songs of praise; For Christ, by whom all things were made, Him - self has fast - ed
 gave the law; And to E - li - jah, fast - ing, came The steeds and char - i -
 li - on's might; And John, the Bride - groom's friend, be - came The her - ald of Mes -
 prayer with You; Our spir - its strength - en with Your grace, And give us joy to

C Am B7 Em

and has prayed.
 ots of flame.
 si - - - - ah's name.
 see Your face.

5. O Father, Son, and Spirit blest,
 to thee be every prayer addressed,
 who art in three-fold Name adored,
 from age to age, the only Lord.

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal

Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns

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They will bring all your brothers, from all the nations, to my holy mountain in Jerusalem. Is. 66:20

Chords: F C F G7 C 7 G Am G

1. Shout, for the bless - ed Je - sus reigns; through dis - tant
 2. He calls his cho - sen from a - far, they all at
 3. Gen - tiles and Jews his laws o - bey; na - tions re -
 4. O may his ho - ly church in - crease, his Word and
 5. Loud hal - le - lu - jahs to the Lamb, from all be -

Chords: C Dm C G D G

lands his tri - umphs spread; and sin - ners, freed from
 Zi - on's gates ar - rive; those who were dead in
 • mote their of - f'ings bring, and un - con - strained their
 Spir - it still pre - vail, while an - gels cel - e -
 low, and all a - bove! In loft - y songs ex -

Chords: C D G F G7 C Dm Em7 C G7 C 7

end - less pains, own him their Sav - ior and their Head.
 sin be - fore by sov - ereign grace are made a - live.
 • hom - age pay to their ex - alt - ed God and King.
 brate his praise, and saints his grow - ing glo - ries hail.
 alt his name, in songs as last - ing as his love.

*** 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

- 9:00 a.m. Adult Choir rehearsal** -contact Dr. Catie Jackson for more information about choir.
- 9:45 a.m. Hymn Preview** in the sanctuary
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School** for ages 3 to adult, nursery available
Adult Sunday School - Dr. Nance is teaching a lesson on Spiritual Formation through the Church Year, Part Two: The Cycle of Life (Lent, Easter, and Pentecost)
- 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship**

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 exploring a new study on Acts and Fellowship. Please join us on Wednesdays at 6:30pm for snacks and a lesson. Contact Jordan Perkins for more information or to be added to the weekly email:
jordanmperkins16@gmail.com

Thursday Evening 7 p.m. WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - In Person

Phoebe Pritchett continues our weekly study on Revelation.

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

Mark Seeley leads the discussion on Ephesians

SAVE THE DATES

Feb. 27 Young Adults meet at Kennedy's, 6:30 p.m.

Mar. 3 Evening Worship AT BRIGHTMORE, 6 p.m.

Mar. 29 Good Friday Worship Service 6:30 p.m.

Apr. 14 Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

| 12/31/2023 | Actual | Budget | Variance |
|----------------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Income/Gifts | \$340,991 | \$350,562 | (\$9,571) |
| Expenses | \$355,736 | \$350,562 | (\$5,174) |
| Net Income/(Deficit) | (\$14,745) | \$0 | (\$14,745) |

SESSION

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MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

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| Scott & Victoria Andes | RUF International - USC | Columbia, SC |
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| Michael and Laura Cochran | World Witness | England |
| Drew & Lauren Goodman | World Witness | Sully, Wales |
| Josh & Ashley Grimm | RUF - Queens | Charlotte, NC |
| John & Judy Lehner | Serge for Spain | Charlotte, NC |
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| Queen City Pregnancy Resource Ctr. | 1505 E. 4 th Street | 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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