



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PALM SUNDAY

March 24, 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

INSTRUMENTAL INTROIT

* RESPONSIVE 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!

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal No. 235

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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!

Theodulph of Orleans, ca. 820
Tr. by John Mason Neale, 1854; alt.

ST. THEODULPH 7.6.7.6.D.
Melchior Teschner, ca. 1615

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

From John Knox's Liturgy of 1560

Leader: Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from you, if you dealt with us as we deserve.

All: We have sinned against you, O Lord, and we have offended you. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge you to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you.

Leader: And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age.

All: By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our life, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by you.

Leader: Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON*1 John 2:1*

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG*O Jesus, We Adore Thee (v. 1)**Trinity Hymnal No. 255*

*O Jesus, we adore thee, upon the cross, our King!
We bow our hearts before Thee, thy gracious name we sing,
That name hath brought salvation, that name in life our stay,
Our peace, our consolation, when life shall fade away.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 118:19-29; Isaiah 52:13-53:12, ESV page 511 & 613

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**

CHORAL ANTHEM

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna!

Lloyd Larson

Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna! Blessed is the King!

Hosanna, hosanna! Come, rejoice and sing!

(Congregation & Choir)

***Hosanna, loud hosanna, the little children sang:
through pillared court and temple the lovely anthem rang.
To Jesus who had blessed them close folded to his breast,
The children sang their praises, the simplest and the best.***

***“Hosanna in the highest!” That ancient song we sing,
For Christ is our Redeemer, the Lord of heav’n our King.
O may we ever praise him with heart and life and voice,
And in his blessed presence eternally rejoice!***

(Children & Choir)

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Hosanna, hosanna! Come, rejoice and sing! Hosanna!

* HYMN OF PREPARATION

Trinity Hymnal No. 246

Man of Sorrows! What a Name

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*He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows, and familiar with suffering.
Is. 53:3*

1. Man of Sor - rows! what a name for the Son of God, who came
2. Bear - ing shame and scoff - ing rude, in my place con - demned he stood,
3. Guilt - y, vile, and help - less, we; spot - less Lamb of God was he;
4. Lift - ed up was he to die, “It is fin - ished!” was his cry;
5. When he comes, our glo - rious King, all his ran - somed home to bring,

ru - ined sin - ners to re - claim: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
sealed my par - don with his blood: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
• full a - tone - ment! can it be? Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
now in heav’n ex - alt - ed high: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
then a - new this song we’ll sing: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

Dr. Mantle Nance

Mark 11:1-11, ESV page 847

“The Crowd’s Expectations, The Father’s Will”

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE**

Trinity Hymnal No. 237

Ride On, Ride On in Majesty! (to the tune of New Winchester)

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Hark all the tribes hosanna cry;
O Savior meek, pursue Your road
with palms and scattered garments strowed.*

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die.
O Christ, Your triumphs now begin
o'er captive death and conquered sin.*

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
The winged squadrons of the sky
look down with sad and wond'ring eyes
to see th'approaching Sacrifice.*

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Your last and fiercest strife is nigh.
The Father on His sapphire throne
expects His own anointed Son.*

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die,
bow Your meek head to mortal pain,
then take, O God, Your pow'r and reign.*

*** 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*

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.

9:30 a.m. Palm Sunday Potluck Breakfast; No Sunday School

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

THIS WEEK

Tuesday Night 6:30 p.m. YOUNG ADULTS meet at Kennedy's

Our Young Adults group meets on the second and fourth Tuesday each month from 6:30-8:30pm. In our study, we are using a discussion guide based on the *Jesus Story Book Bible*. Please come for a meal followed by a time of Bible study and prayer. If you have any questions, please contact Sam Bullard sbullard2@carolina.rr.com

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

Our new series is in the book of Philippians, examining how God's grace informs the way Christians approach friendship. Please join us on Wednesdays at 6:30pm for snacks and a lesson. Contact Austin Cassel for more information or to be added to the weekly email: acassel340@gmail.com

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

Phoebe Pritchett continues our weekly study on Revelation.

Friday Morning 6:45 a.m. MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - In Person

Mark Seeley leads the discussion on Ephesians

UPCOMING EVENTS

Palm Sunday Pot Providence Breakfast

Please plan to join us at 9:30 a.m. today for a “Pot Providence” (Potluck) breakfast. Bring a breakfast food item to share. Please contact Joann Nabb with questions Joann.Nabb@protonmail.com

Easter Lilies

We will have Easter lilies for the sanctuary on Easter Sunday morning, March 31st. If you would like to purchase one or more in honor of or in memory of a loved one, please fill out a form located on the hallway table outside the sanctuary doors, and enclose \$10 payment per lily. Place orders in the designated basket in the front office or email admin@ballantynepres.com. Please make checks payable to “BPC” and note “Easter Lily” on the memo line. The lilies will be available to take home after morning worship. Thank you for placing your order on or before Wednesday, March 27th.

“Night for Life” dinner

You are invited to the Queen City PRC “Night for Life” dinner on Tuesday, April 9th, at the Crown Ballroom in Uptown. This is a wonderful opportunity to hear about the lives being saved through this amazing ministry. Award-winning musical artist and speaker, Mark Schultz, will be the special guest! Register at: https://secure.fundeasy.com/ministrysync/event/home.php?e=26802&blm_aid=238226 Select BPC, and 'Sally Nance' as your table host. Email questions to thenanceclan@yahoo.com. We hope you can join us for a wonderful evening of celebrating life!

SAVE THE DATES

- Mar. 26** Young Adults meet at Kennedy’s, 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 29** **Good Friday Worship Service 6:30 p.m.**
- Mar. 31** ***NEW*** Pavilion Worship with Mr. Kenneth Jackson, 10 a.m.
- Mar. 31** **Easter Sunday BPC Worship Service, 11 a.m.**
- Mar. 31** **Easter Evening Worship at Brightmore 6 p.m.**
- Apr. 7** ***NEW*** Sunday School guest speaker, Pastor Jude from Haiti; Special Offering
- Apr. 9** Queen City PRC "Night for Life" dinner at Crown Ballroom uptown
- Sept 13-14** ***NEW*** Fall Men's Retreat at Bonclarken

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

Dr. Mantle Nance	Senior Minister	980-329-8458
Mr. Tim Ball	Missions	803-323-9031
Mr. Kenneth Jackson	Personnel, Discipleship	704-604-0331
Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

DIACONATE

Mr. Sam Bullard	Mercy	704-451-1569
Mr. Rob Kelley	Clerk, Building & Grounds	704-907-5474
Mr. Alex Moore	Deacon	828-289-2460
Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

STAFF

Mr. Austin Cassel	Intern	717-557-4418
Miss Aimee Jobe	Pianist	803-389-5395
Dr. Catharine Jackson	Music Coordinator	704-604-0330
Mrs. Christie Kelley	Administration	704-953-1951
Mr. Levi Martin	Intern	540-986-5185
Mr. Jordan Perkins	Intern	970-893-0909
Miss Phoebe Pritchett	Women's Ministry	770-823-2508
Rev. Chuck Sammons	Intern	432-559-8470
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 & Laura Cochran	World Witness	England
Josh & Abigail Duemler	University Reformed Church	Lansing, MI
Drew & Lauren Goodman	World Witness	Sully, Wales
Josh & Ashley Grimm	RUF - Queens	Charlotte, NC
John & Judy Lehner	Serge for Spain	Charlotte, NC
PAK7		Pakistan
*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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