



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

August 25, 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

ARP Psalter No. 32A

What Blessedness (v. 1)

*What blessedness belongs to him who has forgiven been,
For whom transgressions have been cleared, and covered is his sin.
Blessed is the one for whom the Lord counts no iniquity,
And in whose spirit is no taint of insincerity.*

* RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Amos 5:4, Hebrews 13:14

Leader: Thus says the Lord, Seek me and live.

All: For here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city that is to come.

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The Day of Resurrection!

Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. Matt. 28:9

1. The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;
2. Our hearts be pure from e - vil, that we may see a - right
3. Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, let earth her song be - gin;

the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.
the Lord in rays e - ter - nal of res - ur - rec - tion light;
let the round world keep tri - umph, and all that is there - in;

From death to life e - ter - nal, from this world to the sky,
and lis - tening to his ac - cents, may hear, so calm and plain,
in - vis - i - ble and vis - i - ble, their notes let all things blend,

our Christ hath brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.
his own "All hail!" and hear - ing, may raise the vic - tor strain.
for Christ the Lord hath ris - en, our joy that hath no end.

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

Adapted from Theodore Beza, 1561

Leader: Lord God, Father, Eternal and Almighty, we confess before your holy majesty, that we are poor sinners, born in corruption, inclined to evil, incapable of ourselves to do good.

All: We transgress every day, and in many ways, your holy commandments and are therefore worthy of your judgment and condemnation.

Leader: But, Lord, truly grieved by our sins, we turn humbly to your grace, and beg you to relieve our misery.

All: Have pity on us, most glorious God, Father of mercy, and pardon our offences for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Colossians 1:13-14

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

What Blessedness

32A

David also describes the blessedness of the man to whom God imputes righteousness apart from works. — Romans 4:6

Psalm 32:1-7

2. ³I lan-guished, si-lent in my guilt; My days were filled with groans.
3. Then You re-leased me from my sin, And took its guilt a-way.

⁴On me Your hand pressed day and night, And heat dried up my bones.
⁶And there-fore while You may be found, Let all the god-ly pray.

⁵My sin I then con-fessed to You, Not hid-ing guilt-i-ness;
They'll not be harmed by ris-ing floods. ⁷In You I hide in peace;

I said, "I will be-fore the LORD Trans-gres-sions now con-fess."
You keep me safe, sur-round-ing me With songs of my re-lease.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

John 20:24–29, ESV page 907

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH: Westminster Larger Catechism

52. Q. How was Christ exalted in his resurrection?

52. A. Christ was exalted in his resurrection, in that not having seen corruption in death (of which it was not possible for him to be held), and having the very same body in which he suffered, with the essential properties thereof, (but without mortality, and other common infirmities belonging to this life), really united to his soul, he rose again from the dead the third day by his own power; whereby he declared himself to be the Son of God, to have satisfied divine justice, to have vanquished death, and him that had the power of it, and to be Lord of quick and dead: all which he did as a public person, the head of his Church, for their justification, quickening in grace, support against enemies, and to assure them of their resurrection from the dead at the last day.

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

Lord, Have Mercy

J.S. Bach, arr. H. Hopson

*Lord, have mercy; O Lord have mercy,
Wash me through and through from all my sin.
Lord, blot out all my guilt and shame. Hear my prayer.
My transgressions bear upon me. O Lord, hear my prayer.*

*Lord, make me pure in heart, inspire my thoughts to know your truth.
O cast me not away, O Lord. Your Holy Spirit guard my soul.
Lord, restore the joy, restore the joy of your salvation.
Renew my spirit, Lord.
Hear my prayer, O hear my prayer, O Lord.*

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You Formed My Mind within the Womb

Psalms 139:13-18

*If anyone loves God, he is known by Him.
—1 Corinthians 8:3*

7. ¹³ You formed my mind with - in the womb,
8. My soul knows well that this is true!
9. ¹⁶ You on my un - born self did gaze,
10. ¹⁷ How pre - cious, God, Your thoughts for me;

15 My in - ward parts as on a loom.
My bones were not con - cealed from You—
While in Your book were set my days—
How vast in their to - tal - i - ty!

14 I'm made with awe - in - spir - ing skill—
They se - cret - ly be - fore my birth,
Days all in - scribed and formed as done,
18 Their sum - ex - ceeds the grains of sand;

Your won - drous work! I praise You still!
Were craft - ed in the depths of earth.
Al - though as yet there was not one.
I wake— and still I'm in Your hand.

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal No. 276

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Up from the Grave He Arose

An angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. Matt. 28:2

Capo 1: (A) (D/A) (A) (E) (E⁷) (D/A) (A)

1. Low in the grave he lay— Je - sus, my Sav - ior,
 2. Vain - ly they watch his bed— Je - sus, my Sav - ior;
 3. Death can - not keep his prey— Je - sus, my Sav - ior;

(D) (A) (F#m) (E/B) (B⁷) (E)

wait - ing the com - ing day— Je - sus, my Lord.
 vain - ly they seal the dead— Je - sus, my Lord.
 he tore the bars a - way— Je - sus, my Lord.

REFRAIN
 (A) *Faster*

Up from the grave he a - rose, He a - rose!

(D) (A)

with a might - y tri - umph o'er his foes. He a - rose!

He a - rose a vic - tor from the dark do - main, and he
 lives for - ev - er with his saints to reign. He a - rose!
 He a - rose!
 He a - rose! Hal - le - lu - jah! Christ a - rose!

Chords: (E), (E⁷), (F#m), (D), (A), (D), (B), (E), (F#m), (E), (A), (D), (A/E), rit., (E⁷), (A) 7

Robert Lowry, 1874

CHRIST AROSE 11.10.ref.
 Robert Lowry, 1874

*** 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

10:00 a.m. Adult Choir rehearsal -contact Dr. Catie Jackson for more information about choir.

12:15 p.m. Youth Meeting for students and parents

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

THIS WEEK

No Wednesday Meetings

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

We are studying Christian community and fellowship using the book *Life Together*, by Dietrich Bonhoeffer as our guide.

SAVE THE DATES

Aug. 25 Youth - after the Sunday morning worship service there will be a brief meeting about the '24-'25 Youth program for parents and students.

Aug. 26 Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser for CLC Haiti in Ohio - Contact Dennis Kachmarsky

Aug. 28 No Wednesday Meetings; Shepherding groups will meet

Sept. 1 Outreach Sunday Evening Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

Sept. 4 Youth - Wednesday Night Fall Kickoff

Sept. 8 Sunday School and Hymn Preview resumes

Sept 13-14 Fall Men's Retreat at Bonclarken – Please register using this link <http://tinyurl.com/BPCMensRetreat24> and contact Payne Dinsbeer spdinsbeer@icloud.com with questions.

Oct. 11 World Witness Fellowship Dinner at Sonesta Charlotte Executive Park. More details to follow!

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

6/30/2024	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$164,106	\$182,862	(\$18,756)
Expenses	\$180,982	\$182,862	\$1,880
Net Income/(Deficit)	(\$16,876)	\$0	(\$16,876)

SESSION

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Josh & Abigail Duemler	University Reformed Church	Lansing, MI
Drew & Lauren Goodman	World Witness	
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PAK7		Pakistan
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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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