

BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

August 4, 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

Psalm 146

Leader: Praise the LORD!

All: Praise the LORD, O my soul!

Leader: The LORD sets the prisoners free.

All: The LORD opens the eyes of the blind.

Leader: The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down.

All: Praise the LORD!

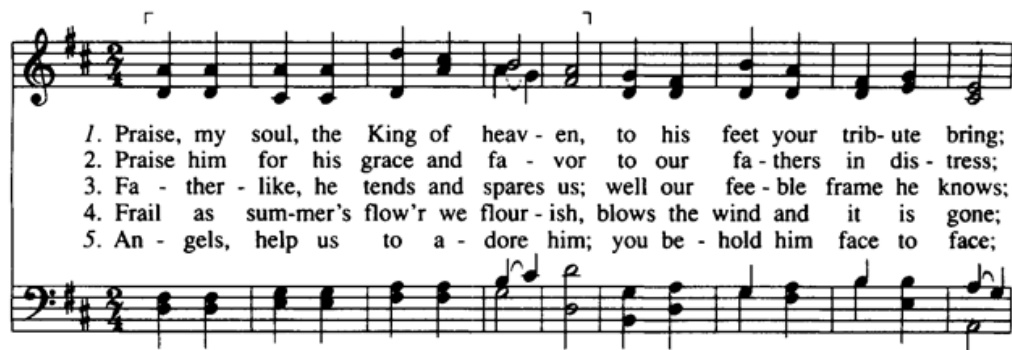
* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal

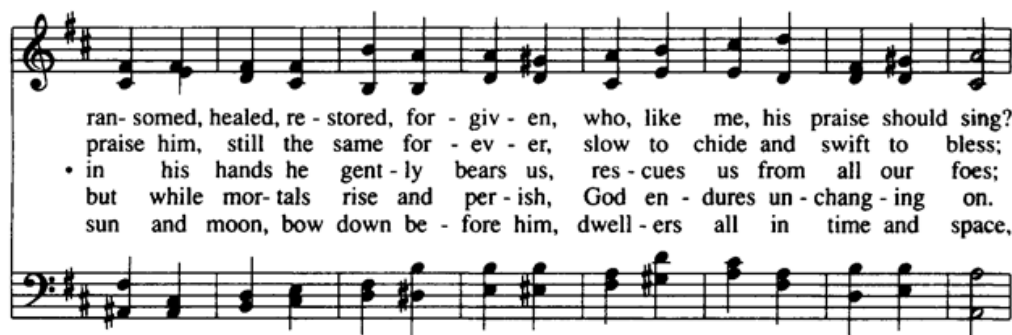
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

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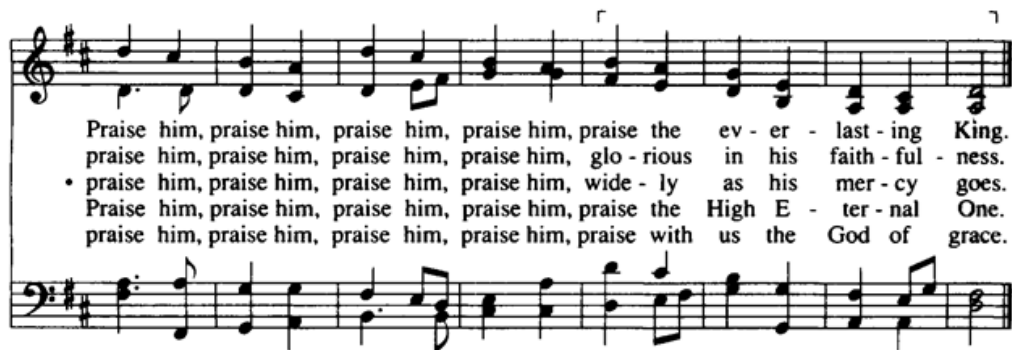
*Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the LORD,
O my soul. Ps. 103:22*



1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en, to his feet your trib - ute bring;
2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor to our fa - thers in dis - tress;
3. Fa - ther - like, he tends and spares us; well our fee - ble frame he knows;
4. Frail as sum - mer's flow'r we flour - ish, blows the wind and it is gone;
5. An - gels, help us to a - dore him; you be - hold him face to face;



ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en, who, like me, his praise should sing?
praise him, still the same for - ev - er, slow to chide and swift to bless;
• in his hands he gent - ly bears us, res - cues us from all our foes;
but while mor - tals rise and per - ish, God en - dures un - chang - ing on.
sun and moon, bow down be - fore him, dwell - ers all in time and space,



Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.
• praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, wide - ly as his mer - cy goes.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the High E - ter - nal One.
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.

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 Daniel 9:4-19

Leader: O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps his covenant of love with all who love him and obey his commands, we have sinned and done wrong.

All: We have been wicked and have rebelled; we have turned away from your commands and laws.

Leader: Lord, you are righteous, but this day we are covered in shame. We have transgressed your law and turned away, refusing to obey you.

All: O Lord, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 43:1,25

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: 'Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine... I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins.'

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

Amazing Grace (v. 1)

Trinity Hymnal No. 460

Amazing grace! – how sweet the sound – that saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 42:1-9, ESV page 602

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. 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

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Just As I Am, without One Plea

Whoever comes to me I will never drive away. John 6:37



1. Just as I am, with - out one plea but that thy
 2. Just as I am, and wait - ing not to rid my
 3. Just as I am, though tossed a - bout with man - y a
 4. Just as I am, poor, wretch - ed, blind; sight, rich - es,

blood was shed for me, and that thou bidd'st me
 soul of one dark blot, to thee, whose blood can
 con - flict, man - y a doubt, fight - ings and fears with -
 heal - ing of the mind, yea, all I need, in

come to thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
 cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
 in, with - out, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
 thee to find, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

5. Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
 wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
 because thy promise I believe.
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

6. Just as I am, thy love unknown
 has broken ev'ry barrier down;
 now, to be thine, yea, thine alone,
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Charlotte Elliott, 1836

WOODWORTH L.M.
 William B. Bradbury, 1849

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

Dr. Mantle Nance

Luke 18:35-43, ESV page 878

“Jesus Heals a Blind Beggar”

343 The Communion Hymn

1. Be - hold the Lamb who bears our sins a - way Slain for us,
 2. The bod - y of our Sav - ior Je - sus Christ, Torn for you,
 3. The blood that clean - ses ev - ery stain of sin, Shed for you,
 4. And so with thank - ful - ness and faith we rise To re - spond,

and we re - mem - ber The prom - ise made that all who come in faith
 eat and re - mem - ber The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life
 drink and re - mem - ber He drained death's cup that all may en - ter in
 and to re - mem - ber Our call to fol - low in the steps of Christ

Find for - give - ness at the cross. So we share in this bread of life,
 Paid the price to make us one. So we share in this bread of life,
 To re - ceive the life of God. So we share in this bread of life,
 As His bod - y here on earth. As we share in His suf - fer - ing

And we drink of His sa - cri - fice As a sign
 And we drink of His sa - cri - fice As a sign
 And we drink of His sa - cri - fice As a sign
 We pro - claim Christ will come a - gain! And we'll join

of our bonds of peace A - round the ta - ble of the King.
 of our bonds of love A - round the ta - ble of the King.
 of our bonds of grace A - round the ta - ble of the King.
 in the feast of heav'n A - round the ta - ble of the King.

COMMUNION

When communion is observed, please note that the outer ring of the plate contains grape juice, and the inner rings contain wine. These elements commemorate the blood of Christ.

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal

Christ, of All My Hopes the Ground

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To me, to live is Christ and to die is gain. Phil. 1:21

1. Christ, of all my hopes the ground, Christ, the spring of
 2. Let your love my heart in - flame; keep your fear be -
 3. Foun - tain of o'er - flow - ing grace, free - ly from your
 4. Firm - ly trust - ing in your blood, noth - ing shall my
 5. Thus, O thus, an en - trance give to the land of

all my joy, still in you may I be found, still for
 fore my sight; be your praise my high - est aim; be your
 • ful - ness give; till I close my earth - ly race, may I
 heart con - found; safe - ly I shall pass the flood, safe - ly
 cloud - less sky; hav - ing known it "Christ to live," let me

you my pow'rs em - ploy, still for you my pow'rs em - ploy.
 smile my chief de - light, be your smile my chief de - light.
 • prove it "Christ to live," may I prove it "Christ to live."
 reach Im - man - uel's ground, safe - ly reach Im - man - uel's ground.
 know it "gain to die," let me know it "gain to die."

*** 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

OUTREACH SUNDAY

No Choir rehearsal this week. NEXT Sunday (8/11) we will be rehearsing at 9:30 am.-contact Dr. Catie Jackson for more information about choir.

10:00 a.m. Pavilion Worship with Mr. Rob Kelley

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship AT BRIGHTMORE

On Outreach Sundays, our regular 6:00 p.m. worship service is held at The Brightmore of South Charlotte (on the other side of the Fire Station). Please join us as we worship with our neighbors and share the Good News!

THIS WEEK

Wednesday Night 6:30 p.m. PRAYER MEETING

Dr. Nance leads with a devotional and then we will pray together.

Wednesday Night 6:30 p.m. YOUTH GROUP at BPC

Our current 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

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. 4 Outreach Sunday Evening Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

Aug. 11 Hymn Sing in the Sanctuary, 10:15 a.m.

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.

Sept. 15 Sunday School and Hymn Preview resumes

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

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

3/31/2024	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$102,558	\$91,431	\$11,127
Expenses	\$90,856	\$91,431	\$575
Net Income/(Deficit)	\$11,702	\$0	\$11,702

SESSION

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Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

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Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

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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	
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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