

BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

October 6, 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

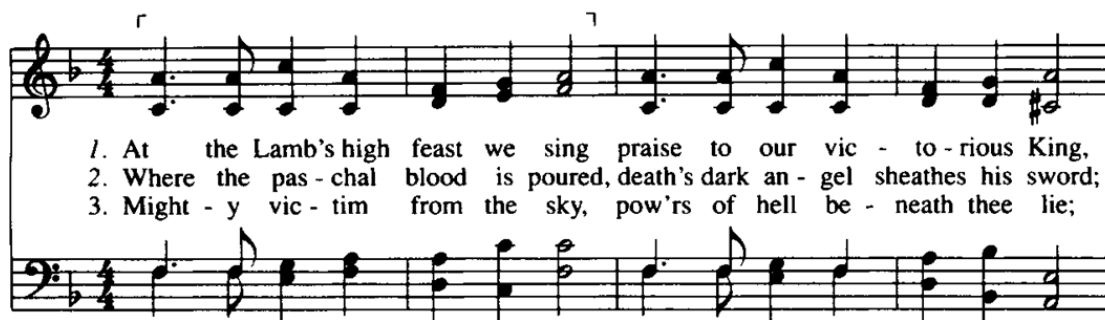
Psalm 116

Leader: What shall I render to the LORD for all his benefits to me?

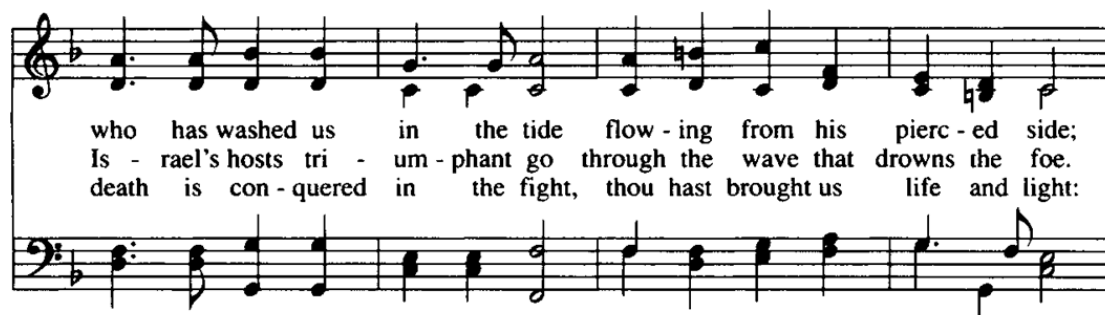
All: I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the LORD. I will pay my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people. In the house of the LORD, I will praise the LORD!

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

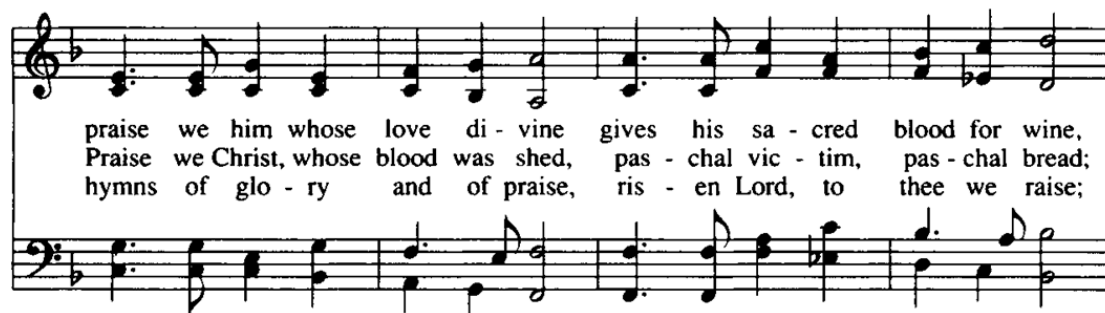
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Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed. 1 Cor. 5:7


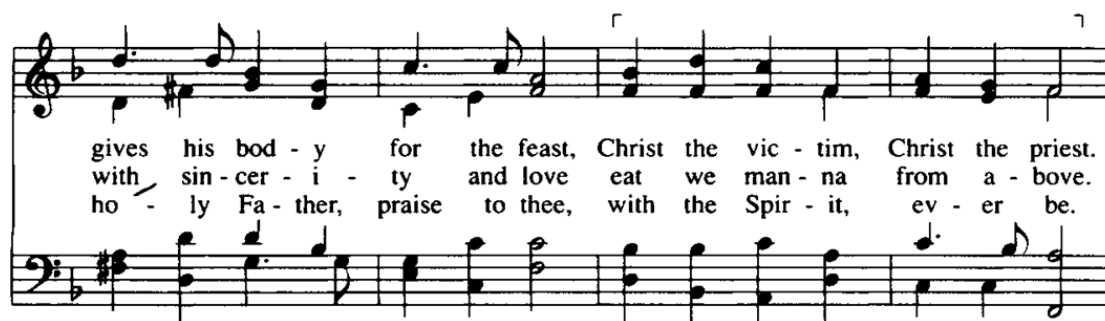
1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing praise to our vic - to - rious King,
 2. Where the pas - chal blood is poured, death's dark an - gel sheathes his sword;
 3. Might - y vic - tim from the sky, pow'rs of hell be - neath thee lie;



who has washed us in the tide flow - ing from his pierc - ed side;
 Is - rael's hosts tri - um - phant go through the wave that drowns the foe.
 death is con - quered in the fight, thou hast brought us life and light:



praise we him whose love di - vine gives his sa - cred blood for wine,
 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, pas - chal vic - tim, pas - chal bread;
 hymns of glo - ry and of praise, ris - en Lord, to thee we raise;



gives his bod - y for the feast, Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest.
 with sin - cer - i - ty and love eat we man - na from a - bove.
 ho - ly Fa - ther, praise to thee, with the Spir - it, ev - er be.

Latin hymn, 6th cent.
 Tr. by Robert Campbell, 1849; alt.

ST. GEORGE'S, WINDSOR 7.7.7.7.D.
 George J. Elvey, 1859

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

Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face (v. 5)

Trinity Hymnal No. 378

*Mine is the sin, but thine the righteousness.
mine is the guilt, but thine the cleansing blood;
here is my robe, my refuge, and my peace,
thy blood, thy righteousness, O Lord my God.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 56, ESV page 476

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 OFFERTORY

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Come unto Me, Ye Weary

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.
Matt. 11:28

1. "Come un - to me, ye wea - ry, and I will give you rest."
2. "Come un - to me, dear chil - dren, and I will give you light."
3. "Come un - to me, ye faint - ing, and I will give you life."
4. "And who - so - ev - er com - eth I will not cast him out."

O bless - ed voice of Je - sus which comes to hearts op - pressed!
O lov - ing voice of Je - sus which comes to cheer the night!
O peace - ful voice of Je - sus which comes to end our strife!
O pa - tient love of Je - sus which drives a - way our doubt;

It tells of ben - e - dic - tion, of par - don, grace, and peace,
Our hearts were filled with sad - ness, and we had lost our way;
The foe is stern and ea - ger, the fight is fierce and long;
which calls us, ver - y sin - ners, un - wor - thy though we be

of joy that hath no end - ing, of love which can - not cease.
but morn - ing brings us glad - ness, and songs the break of day.
but thou hast made us might - y, and strong - er than the strong.
of love so free and bound - less, to come, dear Lord, to thee!

Luke 20:19-26, ESV page 879

"Render to Caesar, Render to God"

* COMMUNION HYMN

Trinity Hymnal No. 646

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Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.

John 15:11

Capo 1: ♯ (D) (Bm) (Em) (A) (D) ♯ (Em) (A) (D) (G) (A)

1. Je - sus, thou joy of lov - ing hearts, thou fount of life, thou light of men,
 2. Thy truth un - changed hath ev - er stood; thou sav - est those that on thee call;
 3. We taste thee, O thou liv - ing bread, and long to feast up - on thee still;
 4. Our rest - less spir - its yearn for thee, wher - e'er our change - ful lot is cast;
 5. O Je - sus, ev - er with us stay, make all our mo - ments calm and bright;

(E⁷) (A) ♯ (D) (D⁷) (Gmaj⁷) (D/A) (A) (D) ♯

from the best bliss that earth im - parts we turn un - filled to thee a - gain.
 to them that seek thee thou art good, to them that find thee all in all.
 • we drink of thee, the foun - tain - head, and thirst our souls from thee to fill.
 glad when thy gra - cious smile we see, blest when our faith can hold thee fast.
 chase the dark night of sin a - way, shed o'er the world thy ho - ly light.

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.

Take My Life, and Let It Be

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Just as you used to offer the parts of your body in slavery to impurity ... so now offer them in slavery to righteousness. Rom. 6:19

1. Take my life, and let it be con - se - crat - ed,
 2. Take my hands, and let them move at the im - pulse
 3. Take my voice, and let me sing, al - ways, on - ly,
 4. Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would

Lord, to thee. Take my mo - ments and my days; let them
 of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and
 for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with
 I with - hold. Take my in - tel - lect, and use ev - 'ry

flow in cease - less praise, let them flow in cease - less praise.
 beau - ti - ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
 mes - sag - es from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.
 pow'r as thou shalt choose, ev - 'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.

5. Take my will, and make it thine;
 it shall be no longer mine.
 Take my heart, it is thine own;
 it shall be thy royal throne,
 it shall be thy royal throne.

6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
 at thy feet its treasure-store.
 Take my self, and I will be
 ever, only, all for thee,
 ever, only, all for thee.

*** 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

10:00 a.m. Pavilion Worship with Mr. Jim Boyer

10:00 a.m. Sunday School for ages 3 to adult, nursery available

Adult Sunday School – Austin Cassel is leading the adult Sunday School class entitled "You're Only Human" by Dr. Kelly Kapic.

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 6:15 p.m. PRAYER MEETING

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

Wednesday Night 6:15 p.m. YOUTH GROUP at BPC

We are studying the book of Mark this Fall following the theme of the arrival of Israel's long-anticipated King. Contact is Austin Cassel acassel340@gmail.com

Wednesday Night 7:10 p.m. WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

We are working our way through the book of Matthew using J. C. Ryle's Expository Thoughts on Matthew. The book will be provided by BPC. Zoom link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85138983358>

If you have any questions regarding Ladies' Bible Study contact Beth Smith or Gayle Hinkelman.

Friday Morning 6:30 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

- Oct. 8** Young Adults meet at Kennedy's, 6:30 p.m.
- Oct. 11** **RSVP to 864-233-5226 ASAP** World Witness Fellowship Dinner
at Sonesta Charlotte Executive Park
- Oct. 19** Youth Saturday - Photo Scavenger Hunt, 1 p.m.
- Oct. 20** Rehearsals begin for Lessons & Carols, 4 p.m. weekly
- Oct. 26** BPC Fall Festival 5-7:30 p.m. – Chili Cookoff, Pie Contest, Games
- Nov. 2** First Presbyterial Women's annual meeting at Linden ARP in Gastonia
- Nov. 3** Outreach Sunday Evening Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion
- Nov. 3** Daylight Savings Time ends
- Dec. 15** A Festival of Lessons & Carols, 6 p.m.

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

Dr. Mantle Nance	Senior Minister	980-329-8458
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Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

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Mr. Rob Kelley	Clerk, Building & Grounds	704-907-5474
Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

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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	
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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