

PENTECOST SUNDAY June 8, 2025 6:00 p.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.

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

- Leader: Since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.
- All: And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.



* **INVOCATION** (prayed in unison)

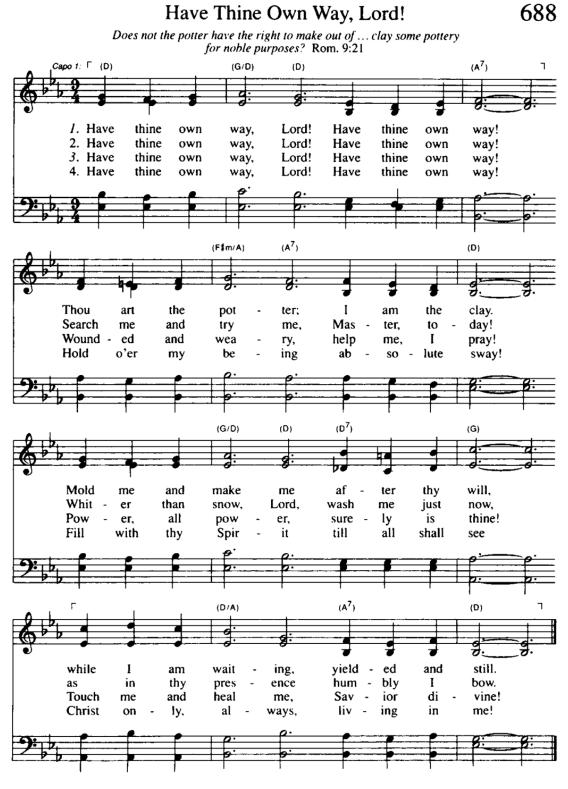
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people and kindle in us the fire of your love. Direct and rule our hearts in all things, empower us for witness and ministry, and increase in us your gifts and fruit, to the glory of God our Father; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!

NEW TESTAMENT READING

2 Timothy 1:3-7, ESV page 993

HYMN OF ADORATION

Trinity Hymnal



Adelaide A. Pollard, 1902

HOLY DESIRE 9.9.9.9. George C. Stebbins, 1907 CATECHISM: To Be a Christian

Q. 84. Who is the Holy Spirit?

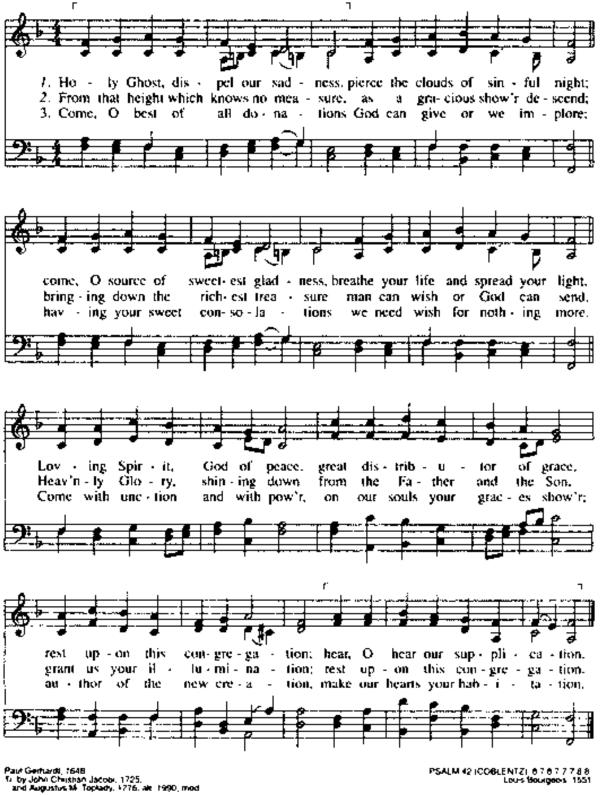
- A. 84. God the Holy Spirit is the third Person in the one Being of the Holy Trinity, coequal and coeternal with God the Father and God the Son, and equally worthy of our honor and worship.
- Q. 86. What are the particular ministries of the Holy Spirit?
- A. 86. The Holy Spirit imparts life to every living thing in creation, reveals God's Word to his people, and calls sinners to a new life of faith in the saving and life-giving work of Jesus. The Holy Spirit unites Christians to Jesus, indwells them, convicting them of sin, giving them spiritual gifts, and bearing spiritual fruit in their lives.
- Q. 87. How does the Holy Spirit strengthen you for life in Christ?
- A. 87. The Holy Spirit bears witness that I am a child of God, stirs my heart continually to worship and to pray, and inspires me to holiness and good works in Christ.
- Q. 89. What is the fruit of the Holy Spirit?
- A. 89. The fruit of the Holy Spirit is the very character of Jesus developing in us through the work of the Holy Spirit: "love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control."

EVENING PRAYER

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Holy Ghost, Dispel Our Sadness

The kingdom of God is ... righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. Rom, 14:17



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THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

2 Kings 2, ESV page 305

"Elisha Succeeds Elijah"

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal



Based on *Te Deum*, ca. 4th cent. Attr. to Ignace Franz, ca. 1774 Tr. by Clarence A. Walworth, 1853; alt. 1990, mod. GROSSER GOTT, WIR LOBEN DICH 7.8.7.8.7.7. Katholisches Gesangbuch, Vienna, ca. 1774

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

* Congregation Standing

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TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offering plate 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 WEEK

Tuesday Night 6:30 p.m. YOUNG ADULTS meet at BPC

Our Young Adults group 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 <u>sbullard2@carolina.rr.com</u>

Wednesday Night 6:15 p.m. PRAYER MEETING

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

No YOUTH GROUP on 6/11

Friday Morning 6:30 a.m. MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - In Person

We are studying *Becoming Men of Issachar*: Understanding and Applying a Biblical World View using the book Why Should I Believe by Dr. James N. Anderson, RTS Professor and former BPC member.

SAVE THE DATES

June 8 Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

June 10 Young Adults meet at BPC at 6:30 p.m.

June 10-12 ARP Synod meets at Bonclarken

June 11 *NEW* No Youth Group (Gavin will be at Synod)

July 6 Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

July 30 No Wednesday Meetings, Shepherding groups meet individually

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

3/31/2025	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$87,616	\$90,267	(\$2,651)
Expenses	\$95,394	\$90,267	(\$5,127)
Net Income/(Deficit)	(\$7,778)	\$ 0	(\$7,778)

Session

Dr. Mantle Nance	Senior Minister	980-329-8458
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Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	
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MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
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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
Lauren Hinkelman	World Witness	Columbia, SC
John & Judy Lehner	Serge for Spain	Charlotte, NC
PAK7		Pakistan
Queen City Pregnancy Resource Ctr.	1505 E. 4th Street	Charlotte, NC
Rob & Rachel Turner	Arsenal Hill Presbyterian	Columbia, SC
Michael & Lauren Wenzler	RUF National	
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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