



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Celebrating 25 years
2000 - 2025

THE LORD'S DAY

July 13, 2025

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

How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds (v. 3-4)

Trinity Hymnal No. 647

*Dear Name! the rock on which I build, my shield and hiding place,
My never-failing treas'ry filled with boundless stores of grace.*

*Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend, my Prophet, Priest, and King,
My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, accept the praise I bring.*

* RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Jude 1

Leader: Dear Christian, you are called, beloved in God the Father and kept for
Jesus Christ!

All: With thanksgiving for his grace, let us worship our Triune God!

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal No. 660

660

O God beyond All Praising

I will praise you, O LORD, with all my heart. Ps. 138:1

Unison

1. O God be - yond all prais - ing, we wor - ship you to - day
2. Then hear, O gra - cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we bring.

and sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re - pay;
that we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. The first system has two verses of lyrics. The second system continues the melody with additional lyrics. The word 'Unison' is written above the first staff of the first system. The score is in a key with two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics are written below the staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across measures.

for we can on - ly won - der at ev - ery gift you send,
and wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or ill,

at bless - ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end;
we'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still:

we lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word,
to mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways.

we hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord.
and make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.

Michael Perry, 1982

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From Gustav Holst, *The Planets*, 1918

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

John Knox's 1560 Liturgy

Leader: Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins.

All: We have sinned against you, O Lord, and do not deserve your mercy.

Leader: And yet you are a gracious God, a loving and kind Father, to all who come to you in faith.

All: For the sake of your Son, our Savior, show to us your mercy. Forgive us all our sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:11-12

As high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

Bless the Lord, My Soul (v. 1)

ARP Psalter No. 103B

Bless the Lord, my soul, My whole heart, Ever bless His holy name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, Forget not All his blessings to proclaim.

He forgives all your transgressions, Your diseases all He heals.

He redeems you from destruction, And with you He kindly deals.

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 6:1-6, ESV page 841

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

INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY

* HYMN OF PREPARATION

Trinity Hymnal

God, in the Gospel of His Son

141

The task of testifying to the gospel of God's grace. Acts 20:24

1. God, in the gos - pel of his Son, makes his e -
2. Here sin - ners of a hum - ble frame may taste his
3. The pris - 'ner here may break his chains; the wea - ry
4. Here faith re - veals to mor - tal eyes a bright - er
5. O grant us grace, al - might - y Lord, to read and

ter - nal coun - sels known; where love in all its
grace, and learn his name; may read, in char - ac -
• rest from all his pains; the cap - tive feel his
world be - yond the skies; here shines the light which
mark your ho - ly Word; its truths with meek - ness

glo - ry shines, and truth is drawn in fair - est lines.
ters of blood, the wis - dom, pow'r, and grace of God.
• bond - age cease; the mourn - er find the way of peace.
guides our way from earth to realms of end - less day.
to re - ceive, and by its ho - ly pre - cepts live.

Jude 1-2, ESV page 1028

"Beloved by the Father, Kept for Jesus"

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal No. 131

Children of the Heavenly Father

131

As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him. Ps. 103:13

1. Chil - dren of the heav'n - ly Fa - ther safe - ly
 2. God his own doth tend and nour - ish, in his
 3. Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er from the
 4. Praise the Lord in joy - ful num - bers, your Pro -

in his bo - som gath - er; nest - ling bird nor star in
 ho - ly courts they flour - ish; from all e - vil things he
 Lord his chil - dren sev - er; un - to them his grace he
 tec - tor nev - er slum - bers; at the will of your De -

heav - en such a ref - uge e'er was giv - en.
 spares them, in his might - y arms he bears them.
 show - eth, and their sor - rows all he know - eth.
 fend - er ev - 'ry foe - man must sur - ren - der.

5. Though he giveth or he taketh,
 God his children ne'er forsaketh;
 his the loving purpose solely
 to preserve them pure and holy.

6. More secure is no one ever
 than the loved ones of the Savior;
 not yon star on high abiding
 nor the bird in home-nest hiding.

*** 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

9:30 a.m. Adult Choir rehearsal -contact Dr. Catie Jackson for more information about choir.

10:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School (combined) – Kenneth Jackson is leading a time of preparation for worship that includes a **Hymn Preview**, in the sanctuary

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

THIS WEEK

Wednesday Night 6:15 p.m. PRAYER MEETING

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

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

We are studying a series on WHO IS GOD!? Contacts are Gavin Miller gav4gospel@outlook.com Ethan Wilson emtrwilson@gmail.com

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

July 20 Austin and Riley Cassel visit, with update on their ministry (AM)

July 22 ****NEW**** New Song from Geneva College concert, 7:00 PM

July 22 Young Adults meet at 6:30 p.m.

July 30 No Wednesday Meetings, Shepherding groups meet individually

Aug. 3 Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

Aug. 10 Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

Sept. 7 Children's Sunday School and SS Nursery will resume

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

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MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
Juan & Kelsey Rodriguez	RUF - UNCC	Charlotte, NC
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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. 4 th 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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