

**BALLANTYNE**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**THE LORD'S DAY**

January 18, 2026

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

Romans 1

Leader: Let us worship God's Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead.

All: Let us sing praises to Jesus Christ our King!


## \* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal


### Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

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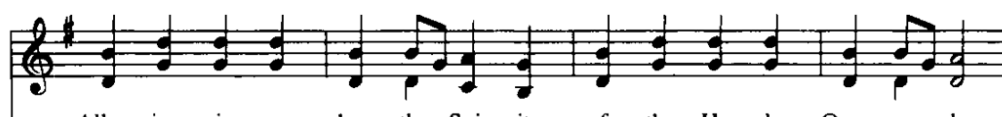
*I will rain down bread from heaven for you. Ex. 16:4*




1. Breth - ren, we have met to wor - ship and a - dore the Lord our God;  
 2. Breth - ren, see poor sin - ners round you slum - b'ring on the brink of woe;  
 3. Sis - ters, will you join and help us? Mo - ses' sis - ter aid - ed him;  
 4. Let us love our God su - preme-ly, let us love each oth - er too;



will you pray with all your pow - er, while we try to preach the Word?  
 death is com - ing, hell is mov - ing— can you bear to let them go?  
 will you help the trem - bling mourn - ers who are strug - gling hard with sin?  
 let us love and pray for sin - ners till our God makes all things new.



All is vain un - less the Spir - it of the Ho - ly One comes down;  
 See our fa - thers and our moth - ers and our chil - dren sink - ing down;  
 Tell them all a - bout the Sav - ior— tell them that he will be found;  
 Then he'll call us home to heav - en, at his ta - ble we'll sit down;



breth - ren, pray, and ho - ly man - na will be show - ered all a - round.  
 breth - ren, pray, and ho - ly man - na will be show - ered all a - round.  
 sis - ters, pray, and ho - ly man - na will be show - ered all a - round.  
 Christ will gird him - self and serve us with sweet man - na all a - round.

\* INVOCATION

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 2:13-15, ESV page 808

HYMN OF ADORATION

*Trinity Hymnal No. 598*

**598**

**Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah**

*He will be our guide even to the end. Ps. 48:14*

The musical score is written for a four-part setting (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system. The first system includes three numbered verses. The second system continues the lyrics. The third system includes a chorus. The fourth system concludes the hymn with a final line of lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and a more active treble line with various chords and melodic fragments.

1. Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this  
2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing  
3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y; hold me with thy  
stream doth flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me all my  
fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's De - struc - tion, land me safe on

pow'r - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, Bread of heav - en,  
jour - ney through; strong De - liv - 'rer, strong De - liv - 'rer,  
Ca - naan's side; songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.  
be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield.  
I will ev - er give to thee, I will ev - er give to thee.

## CATECHISM – To Be A Christian

Q. 14. What should you do as the sign of your repentance and faith?

A. 14. After receiving instruction in the faith, I should be baptized into the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, thus joining his Body, the Church. If I have already been baptized, I should confess my sins, seek the guidance of a minister, affirm the promises made at my Baptism, and take my place as a member of the Church.

## EVENING PRAYER

### PSALM OF PREPARATION

ARP Psalter

#### O Praise the LORD

*They received the word with great eagerness,  
examining the Scriptures daily. — Acts 17:11*

111A  
Psalm 111:1-5

1. <sup>1</sup> O praise the LORD! With all my heart Thanks  
2. <sup>2</sup> The works ac - com - plished by the LORD Are  
3. <sup>3</sup> His work is splen - did and dis - plays His

to the LORD I'll bring To - geth - er with the  
ver - y great in might; They're stud - ied close - ly  
glo - rious maj - es - ty; And His en - dur - ing

up - right ones, And in their gath - er - ing.  
by all those Who find in them de - light.  
righ - teous - ness For - ev - er - more will be.

4. <sup>4</sup>He made His wonders lasting signs  
Remembered endlessly;  
The LORD is most compassionate,  
And merciful is He.

5. <sup>5</sup>Those fearing Him He fills with food  
Provided by His hand.  
He keeps in mind His covenant,  
That it may ever stand.

**THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD**


2 Kings 11, ESV page 317

“Joash Anointed King of Judah”


Dr. Mantle Nance

## 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.

## 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*

### Rejoice, the Lord Is King

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*After he had provided purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven. Heb. 1:3*

1. Re - joice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King a - dore! Re -  
2. Je - sus the Sav - ior reigns, the God of truth and love; when  
3. His king - dom can - not fail, he rules o'er earth and heav'n; the  
4. He sits at God's right hand till all his foes sub - mit, and  
5. Re - joice in glo - rious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come, and

REFRAIN  
joice, give thanks, and sing, and tri - umph ev - er - more.  
he had purged our stains, he took his seat a - bove.  
• keys of death and hell are to our Je - sus giv'n. Lift up your  
bow to his com - mand, and fall be - neath his feet.  
take his ser - vants up to their e - ter - nal home.

heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!

## **\* 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**

### **Wednesday Night DINNER, PRAYER MEETING, & YOUTH GROUP**

Please join us for a provided meal 5:45-6:15 p.m. At 6:15, as Dr. Nance leads Prayer Meeting with a devotion and then we will pray together. Youth Group also meets at 6:15 and is studying a series on *Christian Practices/ Disciplines*. Youth Group contacts are Gavin Miller [gav4gospel@outlook.com](mailto:gav4gospel@outlook.com) Ethan Wilson [emtrwilson@gmail.com](mailto:emtrwilson@gmail.com)

### **Friday Morning 6:30-7:30 a.m. MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

We are studying a survey of the person and work of Holy Spirit in Scripture, and the History of Israel and the Church. Contact Willie Mangum with questions.

## **SAVE THE DATES**

**Jan. 18** Sanctity of Human Life Sunday, QCPRC guest and special offering

**Jan. 27** Dinner & Discipleship at Kennedy's, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

**Jan. 28** No Wednesday meetings, Shepherding groups will meet individually

**Feb. 1** Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

**Feb. 13** Ladies' Bible Study meets on the second Friday of each month at 10 a.m.

**Mar. 26** QC Pregnancy Resource Center - Night for Life



**CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE**

12/31/2025	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$382,800	\$361,067	\$21,733
Expenses	\$362,332	\$361,067	(\$1,265)
Net Income/(Deficit)	\$20,468	\$0	\$20,468

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Mr. Kenneth Jackson	Personnel, Discipleship	704-604-0331
Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

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Mr. Ethan Wilson	Intern	585-360-5752

**MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES**

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
Juan & Kelsey Rodriguez	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
Lauren Hinkelman	World Witness	Columbia, SC
John & Judy Lehner	Serge for Spain	Charlotte, NC
PAK7		Pakistan
Queen City Pregnancy Resource Ctr.	1505 E. 4 <sup>th</sup> 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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