



**BALLANTYNE**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**THE LORD'S DAY**

March 8, 2026

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

*Pslam 29*

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name.

**All: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.**

Leader: The voice of the LORD is powerful and full of majesty.

**All: The LORD sits enthroned as king forever.**

Leader: May the LORD give strength to his people!

**All: May the LORD bless his people with peace!**

# Come, Thou Almighty King

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*May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. 2 Cor. 13:14*

1. Come, thou Al - might - y King, help us thy name to sing,  
 2. Come, thou In - car - nate Word, gird on thy might - y sword,  
 3. Come, Ho - ly Com - fort - er, thy sa - cred wit - ness bear  
 4. To the great One in Three e - ter - nal prais - es be,

help us to praise. Fa - ther, all glo - ri - ous, o'er all vic -  
 our prayer at - tend. Come, and thy peo - ple bless, and give thy  
 in this glad hour. Thou who al - might - y art, now rule in  
 hence ev - er - more. His sov - ereign maj - es - ty may we in

to - ri - ous, come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.  
 Word suc - cess: Spir - it of ho - li - ness, on us de - scend.  
 ev - ery heart, and ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.  
 glo - ry see, and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

## 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

Leader: Most holy and merciful God, you have searched us, and you know us; you are acquainted with all our ways.

**All: We confess our sinfulness before you, and seek your forgiveness.**

Leader: We have failed in our duty; we have forgotten our high calling; we have fallen into many temptations.

**All: We have dishonored your name; we have injured our neighbors; we have hurt our own souls.**

Leader: Give us, we pray, the spirit of true repentance, that we may turn from our sins and forsake them with our whole heart;

**All: And in your great love, have mercy on us; for the sake of your dear Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen**

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Isaiah 53:6,12*

We all, like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all... He bore the sin of many, and makes intercession for the transgressors.

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

*Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me (v. 1)*

*Trinity Hymnal No. 500*

*Rock of Ages, cleft for me  
let me hide myself in thee;  
let the water and the blood,  
from thy riven side which flowed,  
be of sin the double cure,  
cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.*

## GOSPEL LESSON

John 14:15-31, ESV page 901

**THE CONFESSION OF FAITH – The Nicene Creed**

*Trinity Hymnal p. 846*

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 ANTHEM**

**29**  
Psalm 29

**You Sons of the Gods**

*And I heard a voice from heaven, like the voice of many waters,  
and like the voice of loud thunder. — Revelation 14:2*

1. <sup>1</sup> You sons of the gods, give the LORD as His right,  
2. <sup>3</sup> The LORD's voice is o - ver the wa - ters a - broad;  
3. <sup>5</sup> The voice of the LORD splits the ce - dars in two;

As - cribe to the LORD both great glo - ry and might.  
And thun - der pro - ceeds from the glo - ri - ous God.  
The LORD shat - ters trees that in Leb - a - non grew.

<sup>2</sup> And un - to the LORD's name its glo - ry ac - cord;  
A - bove the great wa - ters the LORD from His height!  
<sup>6</sup> Then Leb - a - non's hills and Mount Si - ri - on reeled

In splen - dor of ho - li - ness, wor - ship the LORD.  
<sup>4</sup> The LORD's voice of splen - dor! The LORD's voice of might!  
When He made them skip like young calves in the field.

4. <sup>7</sup> The LORD's voice in flashes of lightning exclaims,  
The places it strikes all burst out into flames;  
<sup>8</sup> The voice of the LORD makes the wilderness quake;  
The LORD makes the desert of Kadesh to shake.
5. <sup>9</sup> The LORD's voice induces the deer to give birth,  
And strips bare the forests that cover the earth;  
But inside His temple all things will exclaim,  
And everything found there will "Glory!" proclaim
6. <sup>10</sup> The LORD ruled as King as the floodwaters raged,  
And still shall the LORD rule throughout every age.  
<sup>11</sup> The LORD will the strength of His people increase;  
The LORD gives His people the blessing of peace.

Colossians 3:15, ESV page 984

“Let The Peace of Christ Rule in Your Hearts”

\* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal No. 703

703

Loved with Everlasting Love

*I am convinced that neither death nor life ... nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God. Rom. 8:38, 39*

1. Loved with ev - er - last - ing love, drawn by grace that love to know,  
 2. Heav'n a - bove is deep - er blue, earth a - round is sweet - er green,  
 3. Taste the good - ness of the Lord: wel - comed home to his em - brace,  
 4. His for - ev - er, on - ly his— who the Lord and me shall part?

Spir - it sent from Christ a - bove, thou dost wit - ness it is so.  
 that which glows in ev - ery hue Christ - less eyes have nev - er seen.  
 all his love as blood out - poured seals the par - don of his grace.  
 Ah, with what a rest of bliss Christ can fill the lov - ing heart.

O this full and pre - cious peace from his pres - ence all di - vine;  
 Birds in song his glo - ries show, flow'rs with rich - er beau - ties shine  
 Can I doubt his love for me, when I trace that love's de - sign?  
 Heav'n and earth may fade and flee, first - born light in gloom de - cline,

in a love that can - not cease, I am his and he is mine; mine.  
 since I know, as now I know, I am his and he is mine; mine.  
 By the cross of Cal - va - ry I am his and he is mine. mine.  
 but while God and I shall be, I am his and he is mine; mine.

**\* 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*

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*\* Congregation Standing*

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**TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Offering plates are passed during morning worship. Additional ways to give are:

**ONLINE:** <http://www.ballantynepres.com/giving/>

**or MAIL:** Please mail checks (no cash) to: “Ballantyne Presbyterian Church”  
9925 Providence Rd West, Charlotte, NC 28277

**THIS SUNDAY**

**No Choir rehearsal** – will resume on March 22

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

**Adult Sunday School** for ages 3 to adult, nursery available

Adult Sunday School is studying The Heidelberg Catechism followed  
by a **Hymn Preview**, in the sanctuary

**6:00 p.m. Evening Worship**

**THIS WEEK**

**Tuesday Night 6:30 p.m. DINNER & DISCIPLESHIP meet at Kennedy’s**

Adults of all ages are cordially invited to grow with us! Enjoy dinner, fellowship  
and prayer support. Our discussion is based on the book *CrossTalk* by Dr. Michael  
Emlet. Questions? Please ask Sam Bullard 704-451-1569

[sbullard2@carolina.rr.com](mailto:sbullard2@carolina.rr.com)

**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

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### **Thursday Night 6:30-8:00 p.m. WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Join us for weekly study and prayer, with a potluck meal the first Thursday of each month. We are currently studying the book of *Ecclesiastes*. For questions, contact Meg Tremper, [megatthemoment@gmail.com](mailto:megatthemoment@gmail.com)

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

We are studying a Biblical survey of the Person and *The Work of Holy Spirit* in Scripture. Contact Willie Mangum with questions.

### **Friday Mornings 10:00 a.m. LADIES' BIBLE STUDY**

Meeting monthly on the second Friday at the church. Nancy Seeley is leading us through Tim Keller's study "Gospel & the World." Contact Nancy [nlseeley@comporium.net](mailto:nlseeley@comporium.net) with any questions.

### **SAVE THE DATES**

**Mar. 8** Daylight Savings Time begins

**Mar. 10** Dinner & Discipleship at Kennedy's, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

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

**Mar. 15** \*NEW\* Potluck Breakfast send-off for Lauren Hinkelman; No Sunday School

**Mar. 22** Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

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

**Mar. 29** \*NEW\* Palm Sunday Breakfast

**Apr. 3** Good Friday Worship Service 6:30 p.m.

**Apr. 5** Easter Sunday

**Apr. 5** Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

**Apr. 25** \*NEW\* Church Clean-up day

### **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

## SESSION

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## MISSIONARIES AND SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

Scott & Victoria Andes	RUF International - USC	Columbia, SC
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Justin & M. Westmoreland	Trinity Presbyterian Ch.	Norman, OK

*\*Missionary of the Month*

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