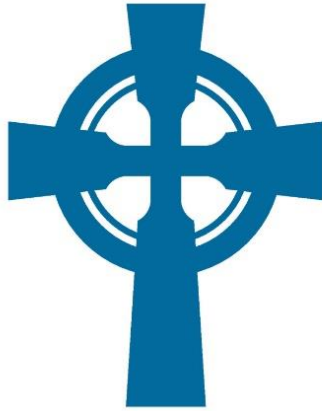




BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

August 16, 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

CHORAL INTROIT

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

Trad. American Melody

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore;

Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, grace, and pow'r.

* RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 29:10,2

Leader: The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king forever.

All: Therefore let us ascribe to the Lord the glory due His name; let us worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.

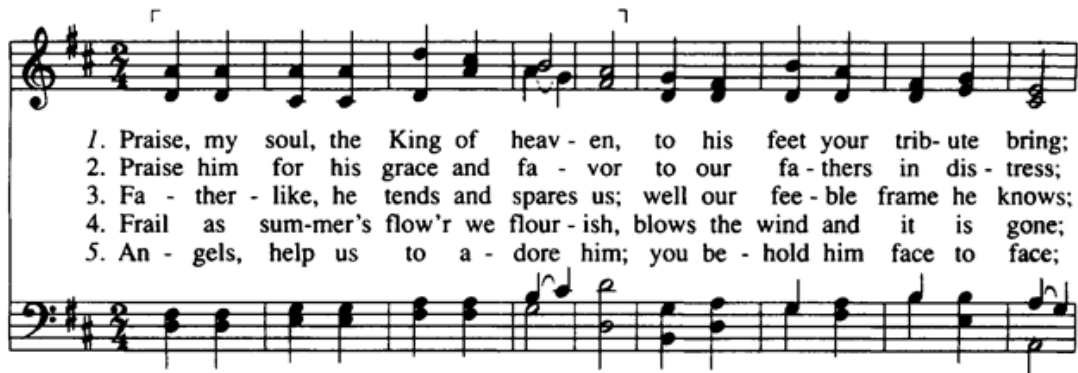
* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal

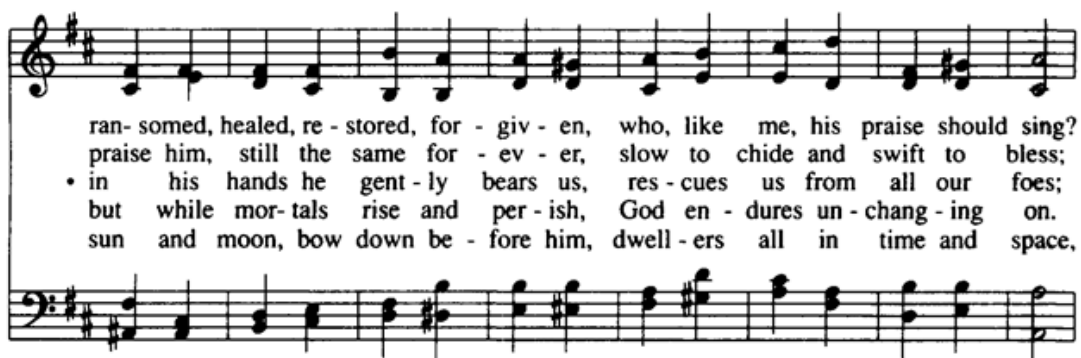
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

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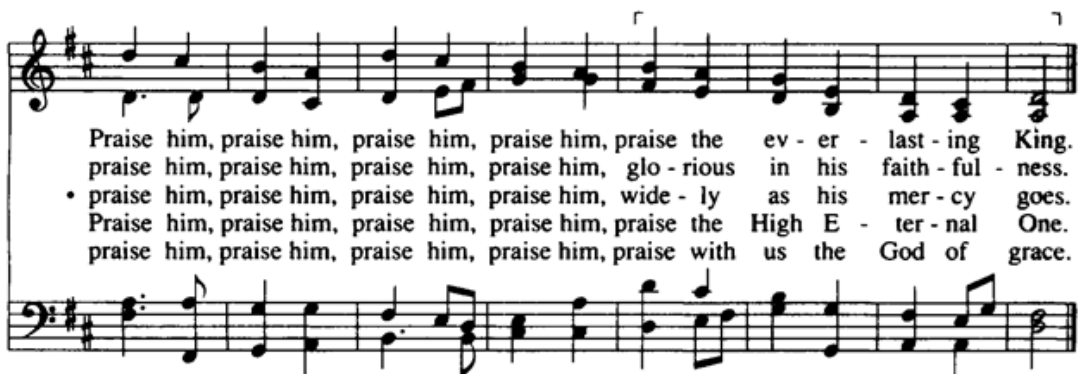
*Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the LORD,
O my soul. Ps. 103:22*



1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en, to his feet your trib - ute bring;
2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor to our fa - thers in dis - tress;
3. Fa - ther - like, he tends and spares us; well our fee - ble frame he knows;
4. Frail as sum - mer's flow'r we flour - ish, blows the wind and it is gone;
5. An - gels, help us to a - dore him; you be - hold him face to face;



ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en, who, like me, his praise should sing?
praise him, still the same for - ev - er, slow to chide and swift to bless;
• in his hands he gent - ly bears us, res - cues us from all our foes;
but while mor - tals rise and per - ish, God en - dures un - chang - ing on.
sun and moon, bow down be - fore him, dwell - ers all in time and space,



Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.
• praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, wide - ly as his mer - cy goes.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the High E - ter - nal One.
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.

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

The Scots Confession

Holy God, You created us in Your likeness, but through original sin, the image of God was utterly defaced in man, and we became by nature hostile to God, slaves to Satan, and servants to sin. And thus everlasting death has had, and shall have, power and dominion over all who have not been, are not, or shall not be born from above. This rebirth is wrought by the power of the Holy Ghost creating in the hearts of God's chosen ones an assured faith in the promise of God revealed to us in His Word; by this faith we grasp Christ Jesus with the graces and blessings promised in Him. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:10-12

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE IN SONG

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (v. 2)

Trinity Hymnal No. 679

*O how sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust his cleansing blood;
Just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood!
Jesus, Jesus, how I trust him! How I've proved him o'er and o'er!
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust him more!*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 35, ESV page 595

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Heidelberg Catechism

Q.1. What is your only comfort in life and in death?

A.1. That I am not my own, but belong body and soul, in life and in death to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

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

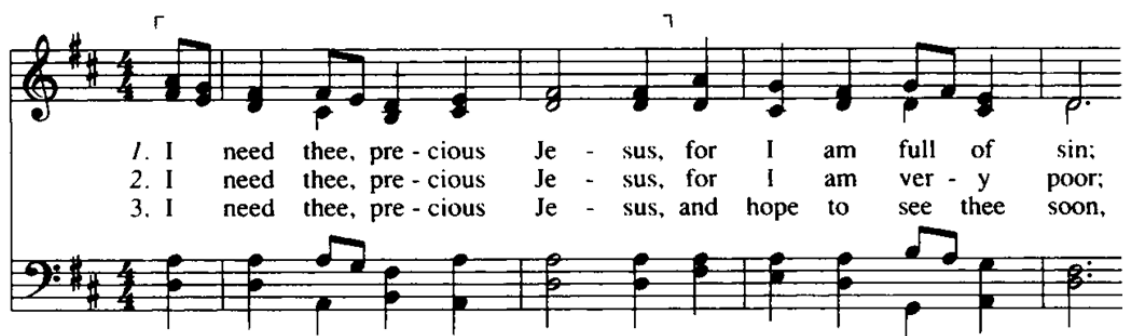
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INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY

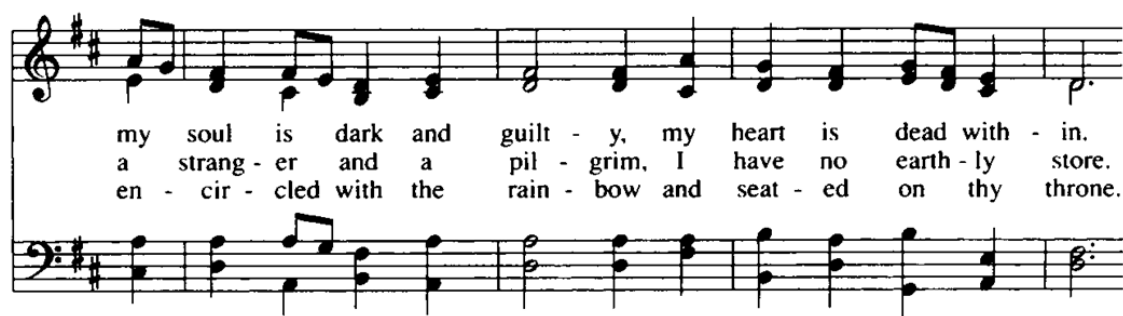
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I Need Thee, Precious Jesus

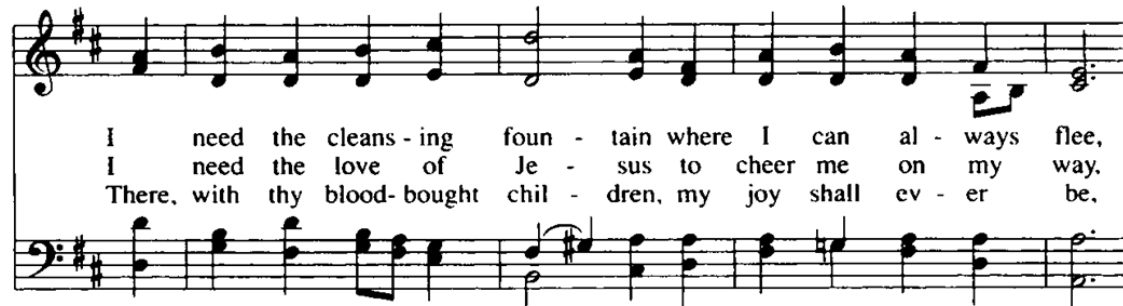
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. John 6:68



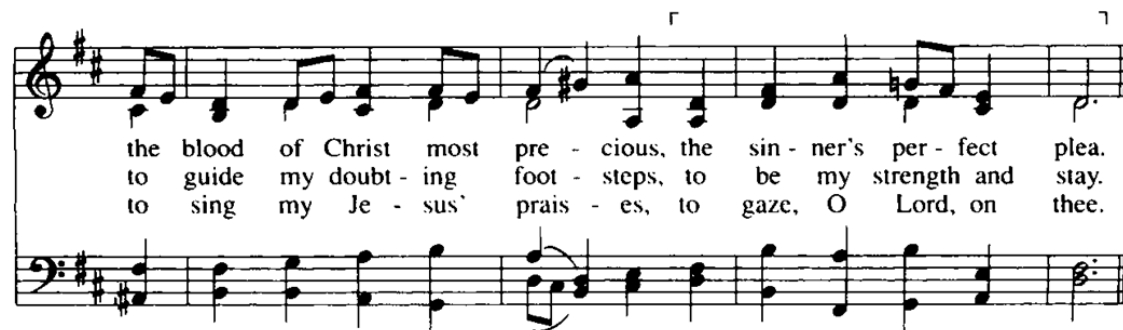
1. I need thee, pre-cious Je-sus, for I am full of sin;
 2. I need thee, pre-cious Je-sus, for I am ver-y poor;
 3. I need thee, pre-cious Je-sus, and hope to see thee soon,



my soul is dark and guilt-y, my heart is dead with-in.
 a strang-er and a pil-grim, I have no earth-ly store.
 en-cir-cled with the rain-bow and seat-ed on thy throne.



I need the cleans-ing foun-tain where I can al-ways flee,
 I need the love of Je-sus to cheer me on my way.
 There, with thy blood-bought chil-dren, my joy shall ev-er be,



the blood of Christ most pre-cious, the sin-ner's per-fect plea.
 to guide my doubt-ing foot-steps, to be my strength and stay.
 to sing my Je-sus' prais-es, to gaze, O Lord, on thee.

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD

Rev. Morrie Lawing

Acts 3:1-10, ESV page 911

"Walking and Leaping and Praising God!"

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal No. 455

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And Can It Be That I Should Gain

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Rom. 5:8



1. And can it be that I should gain an in - t'rest
2. 'Tis mys - t'ry all! Th'Im - mor - tal dies: who can ex -
3. He left his Fa - ther's throne a - bove (so free, so
4. Long my im - pris - oned spir - it lay fast bound in
5. No con - dem - na - tion now I dread; Je - sus, and

in the Sav - ior's blood? Died he for me, who caused his
plore his strange de - sign? In vain the first - born ser - aph
• in - fi - nite his grace!), hum - bled him - self (so great his
sin and na - ture's night; thine eye dif - fused a quick - 'ning
all in him, is mine! A - live in him, my liv - ing

pain? For me, who him to death pur - sued? A - maz - ing love!
tries to sound the depths of love di - vine. 'Tis mer - cy all!
• love!), and bled for all his cho - sen race. 'Tis mer - cy all,
ray; I woke, the dun - geon flamed with light; my chains fell off,
Head, and clothed in righ - teous - ness di - vine, bold I ap - proach

How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst
 Let earth adore, let an - gel minds in -
 • im - mense and free; for, O my God, it
 my heart was free; I rose, went forth, and
 th'e - ter - nal throne, and claim the crown, through

die for me? A - maz - ing love! How can it
 quire no more. A - maz - ing love! How
 • found out me. A - maz - ing love! How
 fol - lowed thee. A - maz - ing love! How
 Christ, my own.

be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
 can it be that thou, my God,

* 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 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

10:00 a.m. Adult Choir rehearsal -contact Dr. Catie Jackson for more information about choir.

No Sunday School through Sept. 6

Hymn Preview in the sanctuary

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

THIS WEEK

Wednesday Night PRAYER MEETING, YOUTH GROUP, and AWANA

Please join us at 6:15 p.m. as Dr. Nance leads Prayer Meeting with a devotion and then we pray together.

Youth Group and AWANA (Bible Memory Club, ages 3-16) also meet at 6:15.

Youth contact is Gavin Miller gav4gospel@outlook.com

AWANA contact is Sarah Johnson presbynurse@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.

SAVE THE DATES

Aug. 16 Pulpit guest Morrie Lawing with an Outreach North America update

Aug. 17 Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser for CLC Haiti in Ohio - Contact is Dennis Kachmarsky

Aug. 18 ****NEW**** Women's Salad Supper - Ladies are invited for swimming and a salad supper 4:30-7:00 at Kennedy's house.

Aug. 23 Deacons' Benevolence Fund Offering

Aug. 25 Dinner & Discipleship at Kennedy's, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Sept. 2 Wednesday night Dinners will resume

- Sept. 6** Sunday School will resume meeting at 10 a.m.
- Sept. 6** Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion
- Sept 11** ****NEW**** Ladies' Friday Morning Bible Study, 10 a.m. at the church
- Sept. 14** ****NEW**** Choir Fall Kick-off, 4 p.m.
- Sept 30** No Wednesday meetings (5th Weds); Shepherding groups will meet Individually

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

6/30/2026	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$184,208	\$178,685	\$5,523
Expenses	\$182,651	\$178,685	(\$3,966)
Net Income/(Deficit)	\$1,557	\$0	\$1,557

SESSION

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Mr. Dennis Kachmarsky	Clerk	704-996-9561
Mr. Mark Seeley	Elder Emeritus	

DIACONATE

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Mr. Jonathan Claxton		704-785-0854
Mr. Rob Kelley	Clerk & Grounds	704-907-5474
Mr. Paul Nabb		704-441-2569
Mr. Dan Tubaugh	Finance	704-989-7200

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Mr. Gavin Miller	Intern	919-906-2855
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Mr. Ethan Wilson	Intern	585-360-5752

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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	Germany
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,
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