



**BALLANTYNE**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**THE LORD'S DAY**

January 19, 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**

*Psalm 34*

Leader: Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!

**All: Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!**

Leader: Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,

**All: For those who fear him have no lack!**

Leader: The young lions suffer want and hunger;

**All: But those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.**

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

NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 6:35-59, ESV page 892

HYMN OF ADORATION

*Trinity Hymnal*

Come, for the Feast Is Spread

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*Come to me. Matt. 11:28*

1. Come, for the feast is spread. hark to the call; come to the  
2. Come where the foun-tain flows, riv-er of life; heal-ing for  
3. Come to the throne of grace. bold-ly draw near: he who would

Liv-ing Bread, of-fered to all. Come to his house of wine,  
all thy woes, doubt-ing, and strife. Mil-lions have been sup-plied.  
win the race must tar-ry here. What-e'er thy want may be.

low on his breast re-cline, all that he has is thine; come, sin-ner, come.  
no one was e'er de-nied, come to the crim-son tide; come, sin-ner, come.  
here is the grace for thee. Je-sus thine on-ly plea; come, Chris-tian, come.

Henry Bunson, 1878

SOMETHING FOR JESUS 6 4 6 4 6 6 6 4  
Robert Lowry, 1871

CONFESSION OF FAITH: Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 86 What is faith in Jesus Christ?

A. 86 Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, whereby we receive and rest upon him alone for salvation, as he is offered to us in the gospel.

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My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

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

G C G C Am G D G

1. My faith has found a rest - ing place, from guilt my soul is freed;  
 2. E - nough for me that Je - sus saves, this ends my fear and doubt;  
 3. My heart is lean - ing on the Word, the writ - ten Word of God:  
 4. My great Phy - si - cian heals the sick, the lost he came to save;

C G C Am G D G

I trust the ev - er - liv - ing One, his wounds for me shall plead.  
 a sin - ful soul I come to him, he'll nev - er cast me out.  
 sal - va - tion by my Sav - ior's name, sal - va - tion thro' his blood.  
 for me his pre - cious blood he shed, for me his life he gave.

REFRAIN  
G D G C Am G D

I need no oth - er ar - gu - ment, I need no oth - er plea,

D7 G C G C Am G D G 7

it is e - nough that Je - sus died, and that he died for me.

THE PREACHED WORD OF GOD Dr. Mantle Nance

1 Kings 11, ESV page 291  
"Solomon Turns from the Lord"

\* COMMUNION HYMN

Trinity Hymnal No. 646

646 Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

*I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.*  
John 15:11

Capo 1: ♯ (D) (Bm) (Em) (A) (D) 7 (Em) (A) (D) (G) (A)

1. Je - sus, thou joy of lov - ing hearts, thou fount of life, thou light of men,  
 2. Thy truth un - changed hath ev - er stood; thou sav - est those that on thee call;  
 3. We taste thee, O thou liv - ing bread, and long to feast up - on thee still;  
 4. Our rest - less spir - its yearn for thee, wher - e'er our change - ful lot is cast;  
 5. O Je - sus, ev - er with us stay, make all our mo - ments calm and bright;

(E<sup>7</sup>) (A) ♯ (D) (D<sup>7</sup>) (Gmaj<sup>7</sup>) (D/A) (A) (D) 7

from the best bliss that earth im - parts we turn un - filled to thee a - gain.  
 to them that seek thee thou art good, to them that find thee all in all.  
 • we drink of thee, the foun - tain - head, and thirst our souls from thee to fill.  
 glad when thy gra - cious smile we see, blest when our faith can hold thee fast.  
 chase the dark night of sin a - way, shed o'er the world thy ho - ly light.

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.*

# Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!

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*A friend of ... "sinners." Matt. 11:19*

1. Je - sus! what a Friend for sin - ners! Je - sus! lov - er of my soul;  
 2. Je - sus! what a strength in weak - ness! Let me hide my - self in him;  
 3. Je - sus! what a help in sor - row! While the bil - lows o'er me roll,  
 4. Je - sus! what a guide and keep - er! While the tem - pest still is high,  
 5. Je - sus! I do now re - ceive him, more than all in him I find;

friends may fail me, foes as - sail me, he, my Sav - ior, makes me whole.  
 tempt - ed, tried, and some-times fail - ing, he, my strength, my vic - t'ry wins.  
 • e - ven when my heart is break - ing, he, my com - fort, helps my soul.  
 storms a - bout me, night o'er - takes me, he, my pi - lot, hears my cry.  
 he hath grant - ed me for - give - ness, I am his, and he is mine.

REFRAIN

Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior! Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Friend!

Sav - ing, help - ing, keep - ing, lov - ing, he is with me to the end.

## **\* BENEDICTION**

## **POSTLUDE**

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*\* 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 WEEK**

### **Wednesday Night 6:15 p.m. PRAYER MEETING**

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

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

We are studying the book of Mark this Fall following the theme of the arrival of Israel's long-anticipated King. Contact is Austin Cassel [acassel340@gmail.com](mailto:acassel340@gmail.com)

### **Wednesday Night 7:15 - 8:30 p.m. WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

We are doing a very informal study of the book of Matthew using a commentary by JC Ryle. If you have any questions, please speak to Gayle Hinkelman [gayle@heritage95.com](mailto:gayle@heritage95.com) or Beth Smith.

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

We are studying Christian community and fellowship using the book *Life Together*, by Dietrich Bonhoeffer as our guide.



## SAVE THE DATES

- Jan. 19** Sanctity of Human Life Sunday; Special offering for QCPRC
- Jan. 28** Young Adults meet at Kennedy's, 6:30 p.m.
- Jan. 29** \*NEW\* No Wednesday Meetings; Shepherding Groups will meet individually
- Feb. 2** Outreach Sunday 6 p.m. Worship at Brightmore; 10am at Pavilion

## CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

9/30/2024	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$238,828	\$274,292	(\$35,464)
Expenses	\$269,550	\$274,292	\$4,742
Net Income/(Deficit)	(\$30,722)	\$0	(\$30,722)

**SESSION**

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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
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PAK7		Pakistan
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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*

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