



BALLANTYNE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Celebrating 25 years
2000 - 2025

THE LORD'S DAY

March 30, 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 20

Leader: I know that the LORD saves his anointed; he will answer him from his holy heaven with the saving might of his right hand.

All: Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Trinity Hymnal No. 64

God, the Lord, a King Remaineth

64

The LORD reigns, He is robed in majesty; the LORD is robed in majesty and is armed with strength. Ps. 93:1

Capo 1: (A) (A) (D) (A) (F#m) (E7) (A)

1. God, the Lord, a King re-main-eth, robed in his own glo-rious light;
 2. In her ev - er - last - ing sta - tion earth is poised, to swerve no more:
 3. Lord, the wa - ter - floods have lift - ed, o - cean floods have lift their roar;
 4. With all tones of wa - ters blend - ing, glo-rious is the break - ing deep;
 5. Lord, the words thy lips are tell - ing are the per - fect ver - i - ty:

(A) (F#m) (C#m) (F#m) (C#m) (F#m) (E) (B7) (E)

God hath robed him and he reign - eth; he hath gird - ed him with might.
 thou hast laid thy throne's foun - da - tion from all time where thought can soar.
 • now they pause where they have drift - ed, now they burst up - on the shore.
 glo - rious, beau - teous with - out end - ing, God who reigns on heav'n's high steep.
 of thine high e - ter - nal dwell - ing ho - li - ness shall in - mate be.

(E) (A7) (D) (Bm) (C#m) (Bm) (F#m) (E) (A) 7

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! God is King in depth and height.
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, thou art for - ev - er - more.
 • Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! For the o - cean's sound - ing store.
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Songs of o - cean nev - er sleep.
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Pure is all that lives with thee.

* INVOCATION

GOSPEL READING

Luke 9:46-50, ESV page 867

HYMN OF ADORATION

Trinity Hymnal No. 616

616

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

The eternal God is your refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms. Deut. 33:27

1. What a fel - low - ship, what a joy di - vine,
2. Oh, how sweet to walk in this pil - grim way,
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear,

lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;
lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;
lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms?

what a bless - ed - ness, what a peace is mine,
oh, how bright the path grows from day to day,
I have bless - ed peace with my Lord so near,

lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.
lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.
lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

REFRAIN

Lean - ing, lean - ing,
Lean - ing on Je - sus, lean - ing on Je - sus,

safe and se - cure from all a - larms;

lean - ing, lean - ing, lean - ing, lean - ing,
lean - ing on Je - sus, lean - ing on Je - sus,

lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

Elisha A. Hoffman, 1887

SHOWALTER 10.9.10.9.ref.
Anthony J. Showalter, 1887

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

Q. 94. What is baptism?

A. 94. Baptism is a sacrament, wherein the washing with water in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, doth signify and seal our ingrafting into Christ, and partaking of the benefits of the covenant of grace, and our engagement to be the Lord's.

EVENING PRAYER

Soldiers of Christ, Arise

575

Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God.

Eph. 6:10, 11

1. Sol - diers of Christ, a - rise, and put your ar - mor on,
 2. Stand then in his great might, with all his strength en - dued;
 3. To keep your ar - mor bright, at - tend with con - stant care;

strong in the strength which God sup - plies through his e - ter - nal Son.
 but take, to arm you for the fight, the pan - o - ply of God.
 still walk - ing in your Cap - tain's sight, and watch - ing un - to prayer.

Strong in the Lord of Hosts, and in his might - y pow'r,
 Leave no un - guard - ed place, no weak - ness of the soul;
 From strength to strength go on; wres - tle and fight and pray;

who in the strength of Je - sus trusts is more than con - quer - or.
 take ev - 'ry vir - tue, ev - 'ry grace, and for - ti - fy the w^hole.
 tread all the pow'rs of dark - ness down, and win the well - fought day.

1 Kings 20, ESV page 302
 "Ahab's Battles with Syria"

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Trinity Hymnal

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

679

The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Gal. 2:20

G C G D A⁷ D

1. 'Tis so sweet to trust in Je - sus, just to take him at his word;
 2. O how sweet to trust in Je - sus, just to trust his cleans - ing blood;
 3. Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Je - sus, just from sin and self to cease;
 4. I'm so glad I learned to trust thee, pre - cious Je - sus, Sav - ior, Friend;

G C G C G D G

just to rest up - on his prom - ise; just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."
 just in sim - ple faith to plunge me 'neath the heal - ing, cleans - ing flood!
 just from Je - sus sim - ply tak - ing life and rest, and joy and peace.
 and I know that thou art with me, wilt be with me to the end.

REFRAIN
 G D⁷ Em G D G D A⁷ D

Je - sus, Je - sus, how I trust him! How I've proved him o'er and o'er!

G C G C G D G 7

Je - sus, Je - sus, pre - cious Je - sus! O for grace to trust him more!

*** BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

** 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 devotion and then we will pray together.

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

We are studying a series on Christian apologetics. Contact is Austin Cassel 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 or Beth Smith.

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.

BPC GROUP FOR QCPRC HOPE CLASS

Cheryl Boyer is assembling a group from our church to serve a meal and give the devotional at a QCPRC Hope Class. Please contact Cheryl lyrehc@myferriswheel.com for more information.

EASTER LILIES

We will have Easter lilies in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday morning, April 20th. If you would like to purchase one or more in honor of, or in memory of a loved one, please find forms on the hall table by the sanctuary or e-mail christie@ballantynepres.com by **Tuesday, April 15th.**

COMMUNICANTS' CLASS

Dr. Nance will lead a Communicants' class April 6, 13, 27, and May 4 at the church from 5-5:45 p.m. Parents who would like their child(ren) to attend, or have questions contact Dr. Nance.

SAVE THE DATES

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

Apr. 8 Young Adults meet at Kennedy's, 6:30 p.m.

Apr. 13 Palm Sunday Potluck Breakfast, 9:30 a.m.

Apr. 13 Deacons' Benevolence Fund offering

Apr. 18 Good Friday Service, 6:30 p.m.

Apr. 20 Easter Sunday Services, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

12/31/2024	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income/Gifts	\$350,706	\$365,723	(\$15,017)
Expenses	\$362,503	\$365,723	\$3,220
Net Income/(Deficit)	(\$11,797)	\$0	(\$11,797)

SESSION

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Josh & Abigail Duemler	University Reformed Church	Lansing, MI
Drew & Lauren Goodman	World Witness	
Josh & Ashley Grimm	RUF - Queens	Charlotte, NC
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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