

Order of Worship

Call to Worship

Ephesians 1:3-7

Elder: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places,

All: even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will,

Elder: to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved.

Prayer of Adoration

Before the Throne of God

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong and perfect plea
A great High Priest whose name is Love
Who ever lives and pleads for me

My name is graven on His hands
My name is written on His heart
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
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When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end of all my sin
Because the sinless Savior died
My sinful soul is counted free
For God the Just is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me
To look on Him and pardon me

Behold Him there the Risen Lamb
My perfect spotless Righteousness
The great unchangeable I Am
The King of Glory and of grace
 One with Himself I cannot die
 My soul is purchased by His blood
 My life is hid with Christ on high
 With Christ my Savior and my God
 With Christ my Savior and my God

Behold Our God

Who has held the oceans in His hands
Who has numbered every grain of sand

Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Chorus:

Behold our God seated on His throne, Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare, Come let us adore Him

Who has given counsel to the Lord
Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One who knows all things
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds (Chorus)

Who has felt the nails upon His hands
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign (Chorus 2x)

Confession of Faith

The Heidelberg Catechism

Q52. How does Christ's return "to judge the living and the dead" comfort you?

A. In all my distress and persecution I turn my eyes to the heavens and confidently await as judge the very One who has already stood trial in my place before God and so has removed the whole curse from me. All his enemies and mine he will condemn to everlasting punishment: but me and all his chosen ones he will take along with him into the joy and the glory of heaven.

Psalter

Psalms 2A

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 38:17-39:20

Confession of Sin

O Lord, the world is artful to entrap, approaches in fascinating guise, extends many a gilded bait, presents many a charming face. And I confess that I have fallen for them all. I mourn my numberless failures, my neglect of thy mercy, and my total disregard of thy rebukes. Let my faith scan every painted ornament, escape every bewitching snare, with a victory that overcomes all things. In my duties give me firmness, energy, zeal, devotion to thy will, courage in thy name. Let faith stride forth in giant power, keep me always clinging to thy cross, give me perpetual brokenness, and flood me every moment with descending grace. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Psalms 103:8-12

Prayer of Intercession

Sermon

The Final Judgment

Revelation 20:7-15

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Doxology

Hymn 691

It Is Well with My Soul

Sermon Notes:

The Final Judgment

Revelation 20:7-15

1. The reality of the final judgment. (*vv 7-11*)

2. The scope of the final judgment. (*vv 12-15*)

3. The escape of the final judgment. (*vv 12-15*)

Meditation:

To find acquittal from God on the last day there must be evidence flowing out of us that grace has flowed into us.

Kevin DeYoung

In His coming the “last day” to which the Old Testament looked forward arrived, but they have not yet run their course; the Christian church is still living in this eschaton. Jesus’ first coming inaugurated it; His second coming will consummate it. The coming of Jesus was, therefore, the beginning of the end.

R.T. France

The apostolic church thought more about the Second Coming of Jesus Christ than about death and heaven. The early Christians were looking, not for a cleft in the ground called a grave but for a cleavage in the sky called Glory.

Alexander MacLaren

Elders

Andy Raynor - Teaching Elder/Pastor
Danny Handley - Clerk of Session
Van Watts
Aaron Carter
Ken Dozier
Larry Canterbury

Ruling Elder Emeriti - Tom O'Brien, Bob Brown, Rusty Davenport

Calendar of Events

April 3 & 17 - Ladies Bible Study
April 10 & 24 - Men's Table Talk
March 24, April 7 & 21, May 5 - New Members Class
April 28 - *Raising Sexually Faith Kids*
April 21 - Offering for Melissa Weidemann
May 5 - Missions Offering for Summer Vietnam Trip

Deacons

Matt O'Brien
Ken Powell
Dennis Joyner
Eric LaRoche
Luke LaHay
Zach Presley
Robert Long

Prayer Requests:

Our Leaders and Military
Carol Watts
Pam Grawburg
Sue Ressler
Jackie Fisher

Enoch VanHook
Audrey Kraft
Joanne Rigsbee
Eddie Lee

Announcement:

On Mission:

RUF

Chuck & Lauren Askew - NC State
Skylar and Dori Adams - ECU

CRU - Campus Crusade

Jeffrey & Lindsey Rhea - ECU

Lummi Nation, Washington

Michael & Lindie Wadhams

Czech Republic

Pavel Bartos

Choices Women's Center of Wilson

Germany

Sam & Elizabeth Goodwin

South Asia

Calvin & Geeta Taylor

Harvest USA

John Freeman

Kenya

Elizabeth Raynor

Ministries of the
Presbyterian Church in America
&
Eastern Carolina Presbytery

March Giving	Monthly Expenses	Year to Date Giving	Year to Date Expenses
\$23,920.98	\$20,978.57	\$84,161.12	\$63,606.85

**Benevolence Offering Taken Every 2nd Sunday
**All of our communion bread is gluten free.*

meeting at: 4851 Bloomery Road

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PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH (P C A)

The LORD's Day
April 21, 2024

Sunday School 9:30am --- Worship 10:30am
4851 Bloomery Road, Wilson NC 27896

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