



NORTHMINSTER

Presbyterian Church

...making disciples, growing in faith together and serving others in Christ

May 31, 2026

Trinity Sunday

10:30AM

Chimes

Welcome

Prelude

Aria
Frank Ellis, trumpet

adapted from Gottfried Heinrich Stölzel

Opening Prayer

Scripture – Psalm 117

Sermon – God the Father

Hymn No. 1 (standing)

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

Call to Confession

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Remembering our Baptisms

Scripture – Psalm 130

Sermon – God the Son

Response No. 581 (seated) *Glory Be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost*

**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.**

Affirmation of Faith – The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is,
seen and unseen.

[women] **We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

[men] **For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Passing the Peace

Announcements and Invitations

Gathering of our Offerings

Offertory Music

Holy is the Lord

Franz Schubert

Doxology No. 606

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

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.

Prayers of Intercession, 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.

Hymn No. 280 (seated)

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

Scripture – Psalm 133

Sermon – God the Holy Spirit

Hymn No. 8 (standing)

Eternal Father, Strong to Save

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

The Strong Name of the Trinity

Irish Melody, arr. Charles Villiers Stanford;
harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams

Congregational Meeting



Information & Announcements

Welcome Friends and Guests!

Whether you are sharing in the worship of God with us for the first time, visiting with family or friends, or returning for a visit to your home church, we welcome you today in the name of Jesus. Please share some contact information in the red book located in the pew so we can follow up with you and make a place for you in our weekly fellowship.

Welcome, Mark Montgomery!

We are so pleased to have Mark Montgomery serving in ministry among us until mid-June as our seminary pastoral intern. He will be practicing ministry in every area of our life together as a congregation. Reach out to Mark for the same pastoral reasons you might reach out to Ralph, and also feel free to take him to lunch, have him over for dinner, or invite him to join you in your own church work. (706) 587-3987 or mrmont@bellsouth.net

Prayer Concerns

If you have a need or a request for prayer, please contact the church office.

Current Member Concerns: Jane Prentice; Evelyn Clark; Rex & Nita Tidwell; Joan Walker; Mary Alice Wilson; Annette Hutto; the family of Sarah Morrow - *Current Friends and Family Concerns:* Margaret Yawn; Donna Carole Kitchens; Karen Kuebel (Betty Lamb's niece, sodium deficiency); Christopher Oxford (Isabel Davis's grandson); Rhonda Weaver; Kimberly Lewis (Frenchie Bowen's niece); Louise Sallstrom; Kyra Osmus; Lucile Hawkins; Barbara Barczak (Bernadette Preyna's sister); Barbara Hayes (Bernadette Preyna's friend, cardiac issues); Melissa & Chad Bamsey and daughter, Emma (Gregg & Julie Reed's granddaughter who has been diagnosed with cancer & her parents) – *Military Personnel Prayer List:* Austin Riley (David & Liz Riley's son); Joshua Sulkers (Sharon Sulkers' son); James Watwood; Carter Eddlemon (Doug & Carol Holt's grandson); James Barefoot, Austin Jones, and James Hawkins (family friends of Jennifer Whitehead)

Sanctuary Flowers

Today's flowers have been given to the glory of God by Nita Mitchell in loving memory of her husband, Louis Mitchell.

If you would like to contribute to the weekly flower arrangements, whether in celebration of a special event or in memory of a loved one, please sign up on the board in the foyer. Arrangements are \$65 (payable to Northminster) and can be taken home with you or gifted to one of our homebound or sick members.

Choir Rehearsal Schedules

A *HUGE THANK YOU* to our handbell and vocal choirs for such beautiful music these past nine months! Both choirs are on break from rehearsals until August 19th. Choir members will continue leading hymns in worship on Sunday mornings through the month of June. If you would like to join us in the loft at 10:15AM before worship, we'd love to have you there!

Fellowship Lunch – June 7th

Our 5th Sunday lunch falls in the very busy month of May, so we will instead hold this lunch Sunday, June 7th. Mark's time with us will be winding down so this lunch will be to celebrate him. Our own David Kenney, Sr. will be leading us in a hymn sing at the lunch. ***The church will be providing fried chicken and dessert and ask attendees to bring a side dish to share.*** Please let us know on your blue response sheet if you plan to attend and are able to bring a side dish.

Family Summer Nights at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

Our sister church, St. Andrews (at 501 Bass Rd.), invites you to participate in their alternative intergenerational Bible school program June 8, 9, and 10 from 5:30-7:15pm. Don't miss out on this family fun summer night experience filled with singing, story telling, food and crafts for all ages.

July 22nd Braves Game!

While our friends, pastor Pedro and his family, visit with us this summer, we're planning a trip to see the Atlanta Braves vs. San Diego Padres the evening of July 22nd. The game begins at 7:15. Ticket prices have yet to be determined, but will likely reside around \$40 per person. We will be taking the church bus to the game so you will not need to pay for parking unless you choose to drive separately. Please sign up on your blue response sheet so we can get a head count of those planning to go.

NORTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Our calling at Northminster is to make disciples, to grow in faith together, and to serve others in Christ.

CONGREGATION: Ministers of the Good News; SESSION of Ruling Elders: Scott Emener; Amy Maley; Nita McCord;

Brad Miles; Renae Preyna; Gregg Reed; Jeanne Roddenberry; Amanda Smith; Sharon Sulkers; Natalie Vernon

RALPH HAWKINS, Pastor and Teaching Elder DAVID KENNEY, SR., Music Director PAUL EVANS, Parish Associate

MARK MONTGOMERY, Pastoral Intern SAM ALDERMAN, III, Clerk of Session JENNIFER WHITEHEAD, Ministry Assistant

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