

THE LORD'S DAY

Worship

June 9, 2019



NORTH MACON
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Please be sure to turn off all cellular devices during the worship service.
Also, please do not bring food or drink into the sanctuary.

*Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD! Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation!
Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song!
Psalm 95:1-2*

Preclude

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Hunter Stevenson

Introit

Call to Worship

Psalm 95:1-7

Pastor: Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD! Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation!

People: Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song!

Pastor: For the LORD is the great God, the great King above all gods.

People: In his hand are depths of the earth, and the mountain peaks belong to him. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

Pastor: Come, let us bow down in worship! Let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

People: For he is our God and we are the people of his pasture, the flock under his care.

*Praise Hymn

101 - *Come Thou Almighty King*

* those who are able please stand

Pastor: Christian, what do you believe?

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all ages,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God;
begotten, not made; of the same essence as the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation, He came down from heaven;
He became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary,
and was made human.

He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried;
the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures.

He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead.
His kingdom will never end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life.
He proceeds from the Father and the Son,
and with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified;
He spoke through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look forward to the resurrection of the dead,
and to life in the world to come. Amen.

The Nicene Creed is a statement of the orthodox faith of the early Christian church in opposition to certain heresies, especially Arianism, which taught that neither Jesus nor the Holy Spirit were divine. In its present form this creed goes back partially to the Council of Nicea (A.D. 325) with additions by the Council of Constantinople (A.D. 381). It was accepted in its present form at the Council of Chalcedon in 451.

May the Peoples Praise You

Getty, Townend, Cash, and Zimmer



- 1. [You have called us out of dark - est night, in - to Your glo - rious
May our ev - 'ry breath re - tell the grace that broke in - to our
- 2. [All the earth is Yours and all with - in, each harv - est is your
May the seeds of mer - cy grow in us for those who have not
- 3. This our ho - ly priv - 'lege to de - clare Your prais - es and Your



[light, that we may sing the won - ders of the ris - en Christ.
strife with bound - less love and deep - est joy, with end - less life.
[own, and from Your hand we give to You, to make Christ known.
heard, may songs of praise build lives of grace to spread Your Word.
Name to ev - 'ry na - tion, tribe, and tongue Your church pro - claim.



Chorus May the peo - ples praise You, let the na - tions be_ glad!



All Your bless - ing comes that we may praise, may praise the Name of Je - sus.
after v. 3 to Bridge



Bridge Ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord Al - might - y. Wor - thy, wor - thy



is the Lamb who was slain. Ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord Al - might - y.



All cre - a - tion praise Your glo - ri - ous Name. May the

to Chorus

Keep me safe, O God, for in you I take refuge. I said to the LORD, "You are my Lord; apart from you I have no good thing." As for the saints who are in the land, they are the glorious ones in whom is all my delight. The sorrows of those will increase who run after other gods. I will not pour out their libations of blood or take up their names on my lips. LORD, you have assigned me my portion and my cup; you have made my lot secure. The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance. I will praise the LORD, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. I have set the LORD always before me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest secure, because you will not abandon me to the grave, nor will you let your Holy One see decay. You have made known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Rev. Josh Garrett

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory

O Breath Of Life

O Breath of life, come sweeping through us, revive your church with life and pow'r;

O Breath of Life, come, cleanse, renew us, and fit your church to meet this hour.

*O Wind of God, come bend us, break us, till humbly we confess our need;
then in your tenderness remake us, revive, restore, for this we plead.*

*O Breath of love, come breathe within us, renewing thought and will and heart;
come, Love of Christ, afresh to win us, revive your church in ev'ry part.*

*Revive us, Lord! Is zeal abating while harvest fields are vast and white?
Revive us, Lord, the world is waiting, equip your church to spread the light.*

Scripture Reading

Joel 2:1-14, 28-32

*Hymn of Preparation

Speak, O Lord
(see insert)

Prayer for Our Covenant Children

Rev. Hunter Stevenson

Sermon *The Outpouring of the Holy Spirit*
Acts 2:13-41

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*Hymn of Response

Spirit of God
(see insert)

*Benediction

Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

*Doxology

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Postlude

Visitors: Welcome! Please feel free to speak with one of the pastors or elders after the service. They will be glad to answer any questions you may have and would enjoy meeting you.

• The Preached Word •

Title: *The Outpouring of the Holy Spirit*

Acts 2:13-41

Pastor: Rev. Hunter Stevenson

pg. 883 in your pew bible

Our Priorities:

1. A progressive commitment to *Christ*: Worshipers
2. A progressive commitment to *Christ's Body*: Servants
3. A progressive commitment to *Christ's Work in the World*: Ambassadors

Our Members:

Jon, Laura, Brandon & Natalie Paxton
Seth, Amy, Henry, Lewis & Caroline Peed
Silas, Jill, Si, Bo & Hank Peed
Charlie & Kathy Pye

Our Ministries:

Children's Ministry; Children's Ministry Committee; Bill Barnes & Duncan Cantrell; teachers and helpers. Pray that our children would grow in the grace and knowledge of Christ.

Our staff, elders and deacons would be filled with the Holy Spirit.

Pray for our Missionary of the Month, Dal & Beth Stanton who are church planters in Sofia, Bulgaria. Pray for Bulgarian leaders in training. Pray for their growth in knowledge of Christ's love and in solid, biblical theology. Pray for their wives and children.

Pray also that God would raise up 1% of our congregation to be missionaries. "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field" (Matt. 9:37).

Our Church Family:

Expecting: Kristen Hearn, Jessica Adams, Lindsay Garrett, Dawn Hannah & Heather Austin

Newborns: Rachel Grace Wohlrabe & Tristan Daniels

Caring for Loved Ones: Becky Gorman (Randy); Steve Smith (dad); Amelia Smith (mom); Howard Gordon (mom); Melanie Grier (mom); Mary Jane Leggett (daughter-in-law); Margaret Rogers (dad); Charlie Parrish (mom)

Recovering: Brenda Crutchfield (pneumonia); Kathy Combs (surgery); John LaPish (eye); Jerry Willis (cancer); Bobby Freeman (surgery); Peggy Timberlake (chemo)

Bereaved: Grant & Carter Shelton (dad); Linda Scott (Richard); Martha Roddenberry (dad); Diane McCallum (Jimmy); Amy Self (dad); Cal Garetson (dad); Becky Harman (sister); Lonnie Dye (sister); Pearson Kelly (mom); David Roddenberry (mom); Al & Margaret Rogers (son-in-law)

• Service Schedule •

Nursery Workers

June 9 - Rhett & Joyce Farmer

June 16 - Rick Funk and James
Drummond

Children's Church

June 9 – Shane & Amy Self

June 16 – Bill Barnes & Duncan Cantrell

Grecters

June - Jim & Melanie Grier

July - Jerry & Cheryl Willis

Soundboard Operator

June - Jim Grier

Communion Preparation

June - Neal & Willa Ham

July - Charles & Patricia Hughes

Usher Team

June - Matt Cathey
Frank Fleming
Joe Timberlake
Joseph Egloff
Paul Johnson
Skip Yetter

Communion Elders

July- Matt Shepley
Kevin Watson
Jason Churchwell
Jeff Thompson
Frank Fleming
Charles Baker
Paul McCommon

Prayer Team

June 9 - Paul McCommon, Charles Baker

June 16 - John McSween, Howard Reed

• Financial Update •

As of May 31, 2019

General Operations

2019 Receipts: \$ 435,274

2019 Expenses: \$ 411,189

Faith Promise for Missions

Needed Jan - June: \$ 22,175

Collected Jan - May: \$ 35,903

To support our 15 missionaries
for the first half of 2019

• Discipleship Opportunities •

Sunday School - Summer Quarter (June - August)

For the last 8 years, NMPC has read a book together during the summer, allowing us to stay on the “same page” with each other as folks travel for vacation. This summer we will be reading *The Holiness of God* by RC Sproul and discussing the book in Sunday School.

Ages 20’s – 30’s: Room 142 (behind the sanctuary on the left)
Ages 40’s – 50’s: Room 127 (last classroom on the right of CE wing)
Ages 60 and up: Fellowship Hall
Women’s Class: New Conference Room
Men’s Class: Old Conference Room

Summer Fellowships

Dinner begins a 6:00 PM (\$5.00/adult/teen, \$2.00/child, family maximum \$15.00). At 6:45 PM we will sing together and have a lesson. This summer we will study “Stories from the Life of David” from 1 Samuel. Here is the teaching schedule:

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| May 29 | Meet the Interns | July 3 | No Meeting |
| June 5 | 1 Samuel 15 | July 10 | 1 Samuel 24 |
| June 12 | Mission Teams Report | July 17 | 1 Samuel 25 |
| June 19 | 1 Samuel 16 | July 24 | SweatFest Report |
| June 26 | 1 Samuel 17 | July 31 | 1 Samuel 26 |

The menu for Wednesday is a full salad bar, fried chicken, homemade vegetables & desserts.

Small Groups

All of our Small Groups take a break during the summer. They will resume in August.

• Activities this Week •

Sunday - 9:30 AM - Sunday School

10:45 AM - Worship

Monday - Thursday - 9:00 AM VBS

Wednesday - 6:00 PM - Dinner

6:45 PM - Mission Teams
Report

• Announcements •

VBS 2019 - If you are willing to help set up the Fellowship Hall for VBS (stacking chairs, putting up tables, etc.), please meet in the Fellowship Hall after worship today.

Monday Morning Prayer - We will not gather for prayer tomorrow morning because it will be “all hands on deck” for the first day of VBS! However, if you have a prayer request, please let Hunter or Josh know so that we can pray for you this week.

Summer Fellowship - This Wednesday evening our Mission Teams (Costa Rica & Yakama) will report about their trips. Dinner will be served at 6:00 PM, the reports will begin at 6:45, and our meeting will conclude at 7:30. Come join us!!



NORTH MACON

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Mission

To glorify and enjoy God, love and equip His people for the work of His ministry, and make disciples of all nations.

Session

Class of 2019
Paul McCommon*
Rob Morton*
Howard Reed*

Class of 2020
Ed Grimsley
Kevin Watson*

Class of 2021
Cleve Cunningham
Neal Ham
Dan Strawn*
Jeff Thompson*

Diaconate

Class of 2019
Bert Barnes*
Jack Pyles*

Class of 2020
Matt Monsted*
Silas Peed
Wes Seay

Class of 2021
Dwayne Benson
Matt Cathey*
Patrick Hoyer
Brandon Youmans

**the officer has completed a 3 year term and has agreed to serve another term.*

Staff

Every Member, *Ministers*
Hunter Stevenson, *Senior Pastor*
Josh Garrett, *Associate Pastor*
Mark Ballard, *Youth Director*
Iris Archer, *Women's Director & Christian Counselor*

Bill Barnes, *Children's Director & Operations Manager*
Kathy Pye, *Administrative Assistant*
Monni Parrish, *Bookkeeper & Pianist*
Debbie McCommon, *North Macon Preschool Director*

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