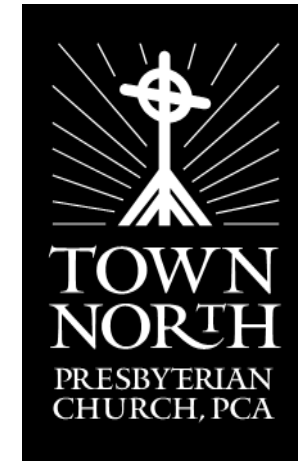


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making disciples of Jesus.*



The Week's Order of
WORSHIP
for
THE LORD'S DAY

April 19, 2026

WELCOME TO TOWN NORTH!

We are thankful that the Lord brought you to worship with us today! We know that there are no accidents, and God brought you here to enjoy him in worship this morning.

CHILDREN

Here at Town North, we take great joy in inviting children of all ages to join in our worship service alongside their parents. Crying and noisy children are welcome!

Feel free to use our cry room located in the back of the sanctuary or step out into the narthex if you need to take a short break.

Children's Activity Clipboards are available in the narthex for coloring or taking notes during the worship service. Please return the clipboard and crayons to the shelf after the service.

Nursery is available for children up to 3 years old on the first floor in the Christian Education Building.

CONNECT WITH US

Please sign, pass, & return the black attendance pad at the end of the aisle, indicating your attendance with us this morning.

OFFERINGS

Giving is an act of worship. We return a portion of what we have to our Heavenly Father to demonstrate we are not our own, but belong, body and soul, to Him. (1 Corinthians 6:19-20)

Please deposit your offerings in the designated boxes in the Narthex or online through the PCA Foundation using this QR code:



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PRELUDE

Lynna Harbison

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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* CALL TO WORSHIP

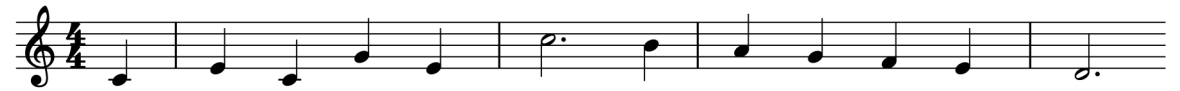
Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Psalm 99:1-5


LEADER: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble!
 PEOPLE: **He sits enthroned upon the cherubim,
 let the earth quake!**
 LEADER: The LORD is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.
 PEOPLE: **Let them praise your great and awesome name!
 Holy is he!**
 LEADER: The King in his might loves justice,
 You have established equity;
 you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.
 ALL: **Exalt the LORD our God; worship at his footstool!
 Holy is he!**

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn 310—Rejoice, the Lord is King




1. Re - joice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King a - dore!
 2. Je - sus the Sav - ior reigns, the God of truth and love;
 3. His king - dom can - not fail, he rules o'er earth and heav'n;
 4. He sits at God's right hand till all his foes sub - mit,
 5. Re - joice in glo - rious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come,



Re - joice, give thanks, and sing, and tri - umph ev - er - more.
 when he had purged our stains, he took his seat a - bove.
 the keys of death and hell are to our Je - sus giv'n.
 and bow to his com - mand, and fall be - neath his feet.
 and take his ser - vants up to their e - ter - nal home.

REFRAIN



Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!

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* PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

1 Corinthians 10:1-12

LEADER: “For I do not want you to be unaware, brothers, that our fathers were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual Rock that followed them, and the Rock was Christ. Nevertheless, with most of them God was not pleased, for they were overthrown in the wilderness. Now these things took place as examples for us, that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not be idolaters as some of them were; as it is written, “The people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play.” We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did and were destroyed by serpents, nor grumble, as some of them did and were destroyed by the Destroyer. Now these things happened to them as an example, but they were written down for our instruction, on whom the end of the ages has come. Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall.”

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL: **Our Father, we confess that we are just as rebellious as the Israelites of old. Having been liberated from our former bondage, we too have often turned back to our old ways – breaking your commandments and putting Christ to the test. Please grant us the grace of true repentance, forgive our sins and cleanse us from every evil deed. For we ask it in Christ’s name, Amen.**

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

In these moments, we individually come to God in prayer, silently confessing personal sins so that we may take hold of the forgiveness won for us by Christ, our Redeemer.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Psalms 32:1-7

LEADER: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,” and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. Therefore let everyone who is godly offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found; surely in the rush of great waters, they shall not reach him. You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

* SONG OF RESPONSE

Throw Wide the Gates of Righteousness (Psalm 118)

1. Throw wide the gates of right - eous - ness;
 2. You an - swered me, I will give thanks;
 3. The Lord him - self has done all this;
 4. Save us, O Lord, we hum - bly pray;
 5. You are my God, I'll give you thanks;

I'll en - ter and give thanks to God.
Sal - va - tion comes from a - lone.
 It is a mar - vel in our sight.
O Lord, we pray, grant us suc - cess.
 You are my God, I'll give you praise.

This is the gate of God, through which
The stone the build - ers had re - fused
 This is the day the Lord has made;
He's blessed who comes in God's great name;
 O thank the Lord, for he is good;

The right - eous come be - fore the Lord.
Has now be - come the cor - ner - stone.
 In it let us take great de - light!
You from the Lord's house we will bless.
 His stead - fast love en - dures al - ways.

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PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

David Hitt, Elder

* PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Speak, O Lord

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to you, to re - ceive the food of your
 2. Teach us Lord, full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu -
 3. Speak, O Lord and re - new our minds; help us grasp the heights of your

ho - ly Word. Take your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and
mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes in the
 plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time, that will

fash - ion us in your like - ness; that the
ra - di - ence of your pur - i - ty. Cause our
 ech - o down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by

light of Christ might be seen to - day in our
faith to rise, cause our eyes to see Your ma -
 grace we'll stand on your prom - is - es; And by

acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and ful -
jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty. Words of pow'r that can
 faith we'll walk as you walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till your

fill in us all your pur - pos - es for your glo - ry.
ne - ver fail; let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief
 church is built, and the earth is filled with your glo - ry.

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* RESPONDING IN SONG

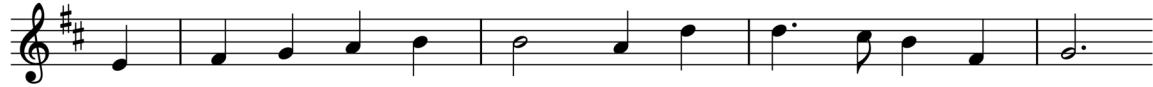
Hymn 347—The Church's One Foundation



1. The church-'s one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;
 2. *E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, yet one o'er all the earth,*
 3. Though with a scorn - ful won - der men see her sore op - pressed,
 4. *The church shall nev - er per - ish! Her dear Lord to de - fend,*
 6. Yet she on earth hath un - ion with God the Three in One,



she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the Word:
her char - ter of sal - va - tion one Lord, one faith, one birth;
 by schis - ms rent a - sun - der, by her - e - sies dis - tressed,
to guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish, is with her to the end;
 and mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion with those whose rest is won:



from heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;
one ho - ly name she bless - es, par - takes one ho - ly food,
 yet saints their watch are keep - ing, their cry goes up, "How long?"
though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,
 O hap - py ones and ho - ly! Lord, give us grace that we,



with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.
and to one hope she press - es, with ev - 'ry grace en - dued.
 And soon the night of weep - ing shall be the morn of song.
a - gainst a foe or trai - tor she ev - er shall pre - vail.
 like them, the meek and low - ly, on high may dwell with thee.

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* BENEDICTION

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

1 Timothy 1:17

PASTOR:

To the King of ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

POSTLUDE

Lynna Harbison

Next Week:

PREACHER: *Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor*
