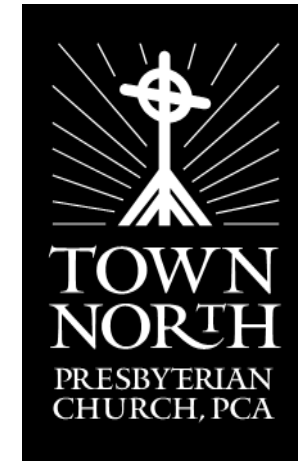


*Town North is a community of disciples
making disciples of Jesus.*



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

June 28, 2026

WELCOME TO TOWN NORTH!

Welcome to Town North Presbyterian Church. Whether you are a believer of many years, returning to church after a period of absence or exploring the Christian faith for the first time, we gladly welcome you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

If you have any questions about Town North, the Christian faith or today's service, please approach one of our Pastors or Elders (listed on the back of the worship guide) who would love to meet with you.

CONNECT WITH US

If you are visiting Town North, please sign, pass & return the black attendance pad at the end of the aisle, indicating your attendance with us this morning.

CHILDREN

We take great joy in inviting children of all ages to join in our worship service alongside their parents. However, if you need to take a short break, feel free to use our cry room located in the back of the sanctuary or to step out into the narthex.

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.

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

Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor

Psalm 66:1-4, 8-9

LEADER: Shout for joy to God, all the earth;
sing the glory of his name;
give to him glorious praise!

PEOPLE: **Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!
So great is your power that your enemies come
cringing to you.**

LEADER: All the earth worships you
and sings praises to you;
they sing praises to your name."

ALL: **Bless our God, O peoples;
let the sound of his praise be heard,
who has kept our soul among the living
and has not let our feet slip.**

* PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn 55—To God Be the Glory

1. To God be the glo - ry, great things he has done! So loved he the
 2. O per - fect re - demp-tion, the pur-chase of blood! To ev - 'ry be -
 3. Great things he has taught us, great things he has done, and great our re -

world that he gave us his Son, who yield - ed his life an a - tone-ment for
 - liev - er the prom-ise of God; the vil - est of - fend - er who tru - ly be -
 - joic - ing through Je - sus the Son; but pur - er and high - er and great - er will

sin, and o - pened the life - gate that we may go in.
 - lieves, that mo - ment from Je - sus for - give - ness re - ceives.
 be our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.

REFRAIN

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the
 Lord, let the peo - ple re - joice! O come to the Fa - ther thro' Je - sus the
 Son, and give him the glo - ry, great things he has done!

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CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor

Colossians 3:1-3

LEADER: If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL: Heavenly Father, you are gracious and merciful towards your people. You have made it possible for us to be raised with Christ in new life and united to Him forever. Yet, we so often take that for granted and instead look to the things of this world to find hope, comfort, and security. Help us to seek the things that are above, namely, a relationship with the Triune God and shape us into a people that love the things you love and hate the things you hate. We ask this all in the name of Christ Jesus. 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

Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor

1 Peter 1:3-5

LEADER: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

* SONG OF RESPONSE

Psalm 23 (I Will Trust in You Alone)

1. The Lord's my Shep - herd, I'll not want.
2. He guides my ways in right - eous - ness,
3. And though I walk the dark - est path,
He makes me lie in pas - tures green.
and He a - noints my head with oil;
I will not fear the e - vil one;
He leads me by the still, still wa - ters,
And my cup, it o - ver - flows with joy,
For You are with me, and Your rod and staff
His good - ness re - stores my soul.
I feast on His pure de - lights.
are the com - fort I need to know.

CHORUS

MEN
And I will trust in You a - lone, and I will trust in You a - lone;
WOMEN
I will trust, I will trust in You. I will trust, I will trust in You.

For Your end - lessmer - cy fol - lows me, Your good - ness will lead me home.
End - lessmer - cy fol - lows me, Your good - ness will lead me home.

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RECEIVING NEW MEMBERS

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Lynn Jackson
David & Dana Weeden

Membership Vows:

1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

David Schlimme, Elder

* PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Psalm 119 (Blessed are Those of Blameless Ways)

1. Bless - ed are those of blame - less ways,
 2. They keep them - selves from do - ing wrong
 3. O that my ways were stead - fast, Lord,
 4. I'll praise you with an up - right heart,

Who live ac - cor - ding to God's word
 By walk - ing in his per - fect ways.
 In ma - king your de - crees my aim!
 As your just laws are learned by me.

Bless - ed are those who keep his laws,
 You have es - tab - lished laws for us
 So, when I think on your com - mands,
 All your de - crees I will o - bey;

Who with their whole heart seek the Lord.
 That are to be o - beyed al - ways.
 I would not feel dis - grace or shame.
 Do not for - sake me ut - ter - ly.

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* SCRIPTURE READING

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Matthew 25:14-30

“For it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted to them his property. ¹⁵ To one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away.

¹⁶ He who had received the five talents went at once and traded with them, and he made five talents more. ¹⁷ So also he who had the two talents made two talents more. ¹⁸ But he who had received the one talent went and dug in the ground and hid his master’s money. ¹⁹ Now after a long time the master of those servants came and settled accounts with them. ²⁰ And he who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five talents more, saying, ‘Master, you delivered to me five talents; here, I have made five talents more.’ ²¹ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master.’ ²² And he also who had the two talents came forward, saying, ‘Master, you delivered to me two talents; here, I have made two talents more.’ ²³ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master.’ ²⁴ He also who had received the one talent came forward, saying, ‘Master, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you scattered no seed, ²⁵ so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here, you have what is yours.’

²⁶ But his master answered him, ‘You wicked and slothful servant! You knew that I reap where I have not sown and gather where I scattered no seed? ²⁷ Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and at my coming I should have received what was my own with interest. ²⁸ So take the talent from him and give it to him who has the ten talents. ²⁹ For to everyone who has will more be given, and he will have an abundance. But from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. ³⁰ And cast the worthless servant into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’

LEADER: This is the Word of the LORD.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

APPLYING GOD’S WORD

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

“Maximizing and multiplying - the outworking of a genuine faith”

Matthew 25:14-30

* PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR COMMUNION

Hymn 252—When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross
 2. For - bid it Lord, that I should boast,
 3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet,
 4. Were the whole realm of na - ture mine,
 on which the Prince of glo - ry died,
 save in the death of Christ my God:
 sor - row and love flow min - gled down:
 that were a pres - ent far too small;
 my rich - est gain I count but loss,
 all the vain things that charm me most,
 did e'er such love and sor - row meet,
 love so a - maz - ing, so di - vine,
 and pour con - tempt on all my pride.
 I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
 or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
 de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

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THE LORD'S SUPPER

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Grape juice is in the purple cups in the center of the tray. Wine is in the clear cups around the outside of the tray. The matzo bread is gluten free.

Please hold the elements until everyone is served. Please dispose of the used cups after the service.

COLLECTION OF ALMS

These alms will be placed in our Mercy Fund which is used to help those in need, both in our congregation and our community. If giving with a check, please write "Mercy Fund" on the memo line.

* RESPONDING IN SONG

Hymn 642—Be Thou My Vision

1. Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
 2. Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;
 3. Be thou my bat - tle shield, sword for my fight;
 4. Rich - es I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise,
 5. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,
 naught be all else to me, save that thou art—
 I ev - er with thee and thou with me Lord;
 be thou my dig - ni - ty, thou my de - light;
 thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways:
 may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
 thou my best thought by day or by night,
 thou my great Fa - ther, I thy true son;
 thou my soul's shel - ter, thou my high tow'r;
 thou and thou on - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,
 wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
 thou in me dwell - ing, and I with thee one.
 raise thou me heav'n - ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.
 High King of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
 still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

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* BENEDICTION

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

1 Corinthians 15:58

PASTOR: Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable,
always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in
the Lord your labor is not in vain.

POSTLUDE

Lynna Harbison

Next Week:

PREACHER: Andrew Cies, Associate Pastor
