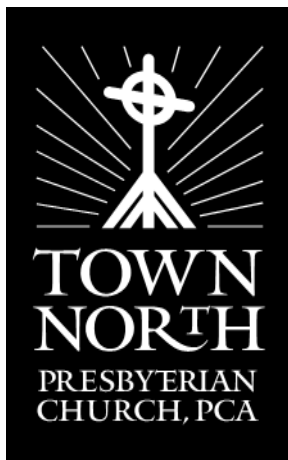


*Town North is a community of disciples
making disciples of Jesus.*



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

July 26, 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:



PRELUDE

Lynna Harbison

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

from Psalm 33

LEADER: Shout for joy in the LORD, O you righteous!
Praise befits the upright.

PEOPLE: **Sing to him a new song;
play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.**

LEADER: For the word of the LORD is upright,
and all his work is done in faithfulness.

PEOPLE: **By the word of the LORD the heavens were made,
and by the breath of his mouth all their host.**

LEADER: Let all the earth fear the LORD;
let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him!

ALL: **For he spoke, and it came to be;
he commanded, and it stood firm.**

* PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn 44 — How Great Thou Art



1. O Lord my God, when I in awe - some won - der
 2. When thro' the woods and for - est glades I wan - der
 3. And when I think that God, his Son not spar - ing,
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion



con - sid - er all the worlds thy hands have made,
 and hear the birds sing sweet - ly in the trees,
 sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
 and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!



I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing thun - der,
 when I look down from loft - y moun - tain gran - deur,
 that on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly bear - ing,
 Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o - ra - tion,



thy pow'r thro' - out the u - ni - verse dis - played.
 and hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze;
 he bled and died to take a - way my sin,
 and there pro - claim, my God, how great thou art.

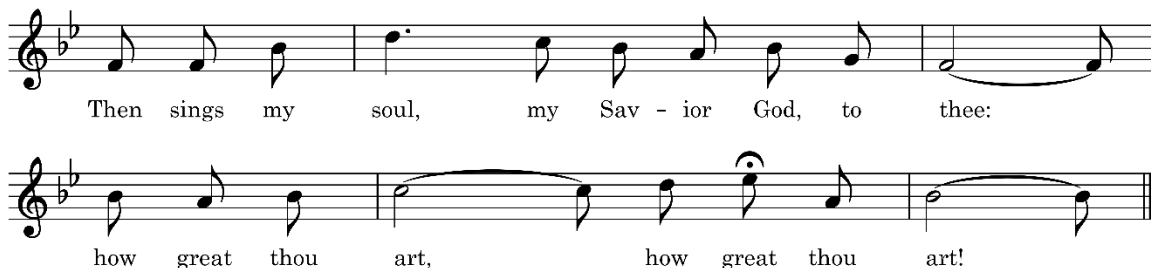
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Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to thee:



how great thou art, how great thou art!



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CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

from Exodus 20

LEADER:

And God spoke all these words, saying, “I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.”

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL: Heavenly Father, we thank you for the revelation of your law – a portrait of your righteousness and the perfect standard by which we are called to live. You have taught us what it means to love you, our God, and our neighbor as ourselves. Yet we confess that we have broken all your commandments, both by what we have done and by the things we have left undone. Please be merciful to us and forgive our many sins. Help us to delight in your law and to meditate on it day and night, so that we might walk in the light as you are light and be faithful witnesses for Christ. In his name we pray. 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

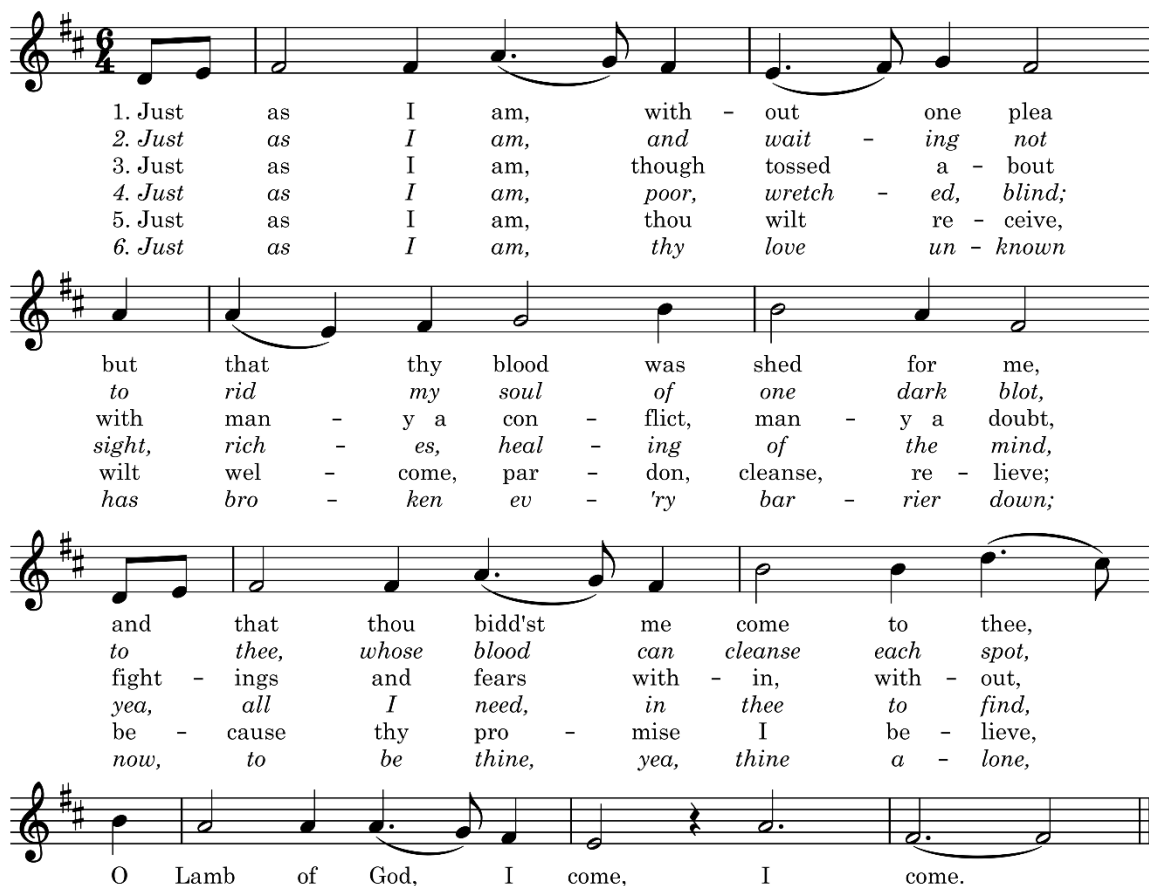
Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

Romans 3:21-25a

LEADER: But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it—the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith.

* SONG OF RESPONSE

Hymn 501 — Just As I Am, without One Plea



1. Just as I am, with - out one plea
 2. *Just* as *I* am, and wait - ing not
 3. Just as I am, though tossed a - bout
 4. *Just* as *I* am, poor, wretch - ed, blind;
 5. Just as I am, thou wilt re - ceive,
 6. *Just* as *I* am, thy love un - known

but that thy blood was shed for me,
 to rid my soul of one dark blot,
 with man - y a con - flict, man - y a doubt,
 sight, rich - es, heal - ing of the mind,
 wilt wel - come, par - don, cleanse, re - lieve;
 has bro - ken ev - 'ry bar - rier down;

and that thou bidd'st me come to thee,
 to thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,
 fight - ings and fears with - in, with - out,
 yea, all I need, in thee to find,
 be - cause thy pro - mise I be - lieve,
 now, to be thine, yea, thine a - lone,

O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

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PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Joel Aguilar, 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 eter - 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 - poses 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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Psalm 19

The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.

² Day to day pours out speech,
and night to night reveals knowledge.

³ There is no speech, nor are there words,
whose voice is not heard.

⁴ Their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.

In them he has set a tent for the sun,

⁵ which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his chamber,
and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy.

⁶ Its rising is from the end of the heavens,
and its circuit to the end of them,
and there is nothing hidden from its heat.

⁷ The law of the LORD is perfect,
reviving the soul;

the testimony of the LORD is sure,
making wise the simple;

⁸ the precepts of the LORD are right,
rejoicing the heart;

the commandment of the LORD is pure,
enlightening the eyes;

⁹ the fear of the LORD is clean,
enduring forever;

the rules of the LORD are true,
and righteous altogether.

¹⁰ More to be desired are they than gold,
even much fine gold;

sweeter also than honey
and drippings of the honeycomb.

¹¹ Moreover, by them is your servant warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.

¹² Who can discern his errors?

Declare me innocent from hidden faults.

¹³ Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins;
let them not have dominion over me!

Then I shall be blameless,
and innocent of great transgression.

¹⁴ Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight,
O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

LEADER: This is the Word of the LORD.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

APPLYING GOD'S WORD

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

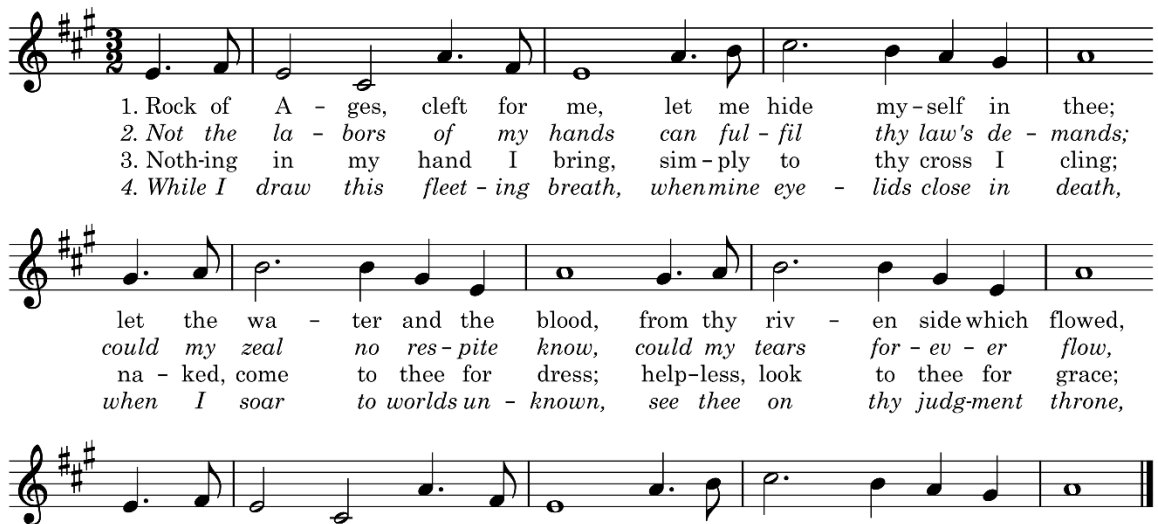
“The Revelation of God”

Psalm 19

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* PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR COMMUNION

Hymn 499 — Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me



1. Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee;
2. *Not the* la - bors of my hands can ful - fil thy law's de - mands;
3. Noth - ing in my hand I bring, sim - ply to thy cross I cling;
4. While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when mine eye - lids close in death,

let the wa - ter and the blood, from thy riv - en side which flowed,
could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,
na - ked, come to thee for dress; help - less, look to thee for grace;
when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,

be of sin the dou - ble cure, cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
all for sin could not a - tone; thou must save, and thou a - lone.
foul, I to the Foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

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THE LORD'S SUPPER

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

I Am Not My Own



1. The One who made the hea - vens made my heart and soul, be -
 2. My bo - dy is a tem - ple of the Li - ving God, I'll
 3. And if He has re - deemed me, I am not my own; the
 4. I am not my own, and now my heart is free; oh,



fore I drew a breath, I was loved and known.
 wor - ship in this house that His blood has bought.
 mea - sure of my worth is His love a - lone.
 Ma - ker, come and make what You will of me.



I am His cre - a - tion, the Ma - ker's mas - ter - piece and
 As I bear His im - age, oh may I not pro - fane the
 He de - clares my stan - ding and He de - clares my state. So
 There is noth - ing bro - ken that You can - not re - pair, so



all that He de - signs will be done in me.
 ho - li - ness I hold in this earth - ly frame.
 I will know my - self by the name He gave.
 Lord, I leave my life in Your lov - ing care.

CHORUS



I be - long to the Lord; oh, I am not my own. I be - long to the Lord; I am



not my own. I will hon - or Him, for this I know: I be -



long to the Lord; I am not my own.

* BENEDICTION

Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor

2 Corinthians 13:14

PASTOR: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

POSTLUDE

Lynna Harbison

Next Week:

TEXT: Mark 9:14-29

PREACHER: Andrew Cies, Associate Pastor
