



**NORTHSIDE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

*"That I may know Christ and the power of His resurrection."*

Philippians 3:10

***August 25, 2024***

***11:00 a.m.***

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**Morning Worship  
August 25, 2024**

## Welcome and Announcements

### GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

#### \*Call to Worship (From Psalm 84)

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!

**All: My soul longs, indeed it faints, for the courts of the LORD. My heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.**

Leader: Even the sparrow finds a home and the swallow a nest for herself where she may lay her young at your altars, O LORD, my King and my God.

**All: Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise.**

#### \*Prayer of Invocation

**\*Opening Hymn**     *Jesus, What A Friend for Sinners!*     #498

#### Scripture Readings

First Reading     *Isaiah 44:6-8*     (Pew Bible p. 604)

Second Reading     *2 Peter 1:16-21*     (Pew Bible p. 1018)

#### Call to Confession

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. Romans 3:21-23

*Silent Confession*

#### Assurance of Pardon

Romans 3:24-25b

(We) 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. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins.

**\*Hymn**      *Love Divine, All loves Excelling*

#529

**Pastoral Prayer**

Pray for Jill Auld & Family, The Ministry Village/Scott Dakin

**\*Praise Song**      *Because He Lives*

1. God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus;  
He came to love, heal and forgive;  
He lived and died to buy my pardon,  
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives!

Chorus:

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,  
Because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living,  
Just because He lives!

2. How sweet to hold a newborn baby,  
And feel the pride and joy he gives;  
But greater still the calm assurance:  
This child can face uncertain days because He lives!  
[Chorus]

3. And then one day, I'll cross the river,  
I'll fight life's final war with pain;  
And then, as death gives way to victory,  
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!  
[Chorus]

**Offertory Prayer**

**Offering**

**\*Offertory Hymn**      *Doxology*

#731

*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.*

**GOD SPEAKS TO US**

Sermon: *Suffering for the Greatest Cause*  
Text: 2 Timothy 1:8-14

Pastor Tim Weldon  
(Pew Bible p. 995)

Sermon Outline:

1. Hardship Because of the Gospel

2. The Great Help

3. The Results of the Gospel

## **OUR RESPONSE**

**\*Closing Hymn**      *A Might Fortress Is Our God*      #92

**\*Benediction**

### **Congregation Standing**

Our worship music is led by Christian Roberson.  
Sunday sermons are available on the Northside YouTube channel.  
**CCLI # 2628439**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome Visitors.** We are grateful for your visit. Please complete a visitor card, located at the front door or in the pew. Use the card to indicate your presence with us and to make us aware of any concerns or prayer requests you may have. Once completed, please place the card in the offering plate or give it to an usher.

**Office Hours:** Tuesday and Wednesday – 10:00 am – 12:00 noon

### **Mission Focus/Faith Promise**

During the month of August and the first two Sundays in September, we have invited many of the missionaries that we support to speak and to share about how the Lord is growing his Kingdom locally and all across the world. September 8<sup>th</sup> will be our Faith Promise commitment Sunday.

### **Thursday, September 5—Men’s Study/Discipleship—7:00 p.m.**

Men, starting Thursday evening, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> we will begin our Bible study and discipleship time at the church. It will begin at 7:00 pm and be every Thursday evening. Please talk to Pastor Tim about the details.

### **Sunday, September 8—Faith Promise Commitments**

Please be in prayer concerning your commitment to the work of the local and worldwide missions Northside supports. Faith Promise cards indicating your pledge to missions for the 2024-2025 year will be received during the morning worship service. Blank cards are available in the foyer of the church.

### **Thursday, September 12—Men’s Fellowship—6:30 p.m.**

Men, join us on the 12<sup>th</sup> for a time food and good fellowship. Bring an item to share and a friend to join us! Please see Pastor Tim with any questions.

### **Ushers**

Today: Case and Jack

September 1: Bob and Logan

### **Nursery Attendants**

Today: Kelly and Logan

September 1: Michele and Jack

**Help[H]er Ministry**—Please contact by phone or through email Lucy or Opal to meet one on one.

## **MISSIONARIES**

Dan & Rebecca Gregoire, Slovakia  
Jeff & Caroline Thompson, RUF Int'l/UGA  
Jonathan & Beka, Refugee Ministry  
Noah & Karleigh Stephens, Thailand  
Luke & Leanne Turk, Central African Republic  
Andy & Bev Warren, Ethiopia  
Ben & Anna Coppedge, RUF/UGA  
Hatem & Lisa, Middle East  
Tim & Lois Hunter, Spoken Worldwide  
Brian & Megan Moore, Germany

## **Northside Calendar**

### **Sundays**

9:30 – 9:45 a.m. Coffee & Pastries Fellowship  
9:45 – 10:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:35 – 10:50 a.m. Corporate Prayer  
11:00 – 12:15 p.m. Corporate Worship  
6:30 p.m. Youth Group Meets

### **Mondays**

6:30-8:00 p.m. Trail Life & American Heritage Girls

### **Wednesdays**

6:45 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study  
(Home of Lucy Pelletier)

## **OUR VISION**

Northside is committed to developing lives that count for God through the power of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

## **OUR VALUES**

*WORSHIP:* Grow in our understanding, experience, and love of who God is.

*WITNESS:* Share the good news of who God is and what He has done with those God has placed in our sphere of influence.

## **ELDERS**

*Teaching*

Tim Weldon:

*Ruling*

Lee Bane:

Christian Roberson:

**DEACONS**

Bob Perry:  
Jerry Wilson:  
Ronne Haag:

**DEACON-EMERITUS**

Gary Munn

**CHURCH PIANIST**

Leann Roberson

