



**NORTHSIDE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

"That I may know Christ and the power of His resurrection."
Philippians 3:10

***March 8th, 2026
11:00 a.m.***

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Morning Worship
March 8th, 2026

Welcome and Announcements

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

***Call to Worship** (from Psalm 95) - Third Sunday in Lent

Leader: O come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

All: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Leader: For the LORD is a great God and a great King above all gods.

All: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also.

Leader: The sea is his, for he made it, and the dry land, which his hands have formed.

All: O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

Leader: For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. O that today you would listen to his voice!

All: Do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness, when your ancestors tested me and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work.

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Opening Hymn** *Come Thou Almighty King!* #101

Scripture Readings

First Reading Psalm 77:4-15 (Pew Bible p. 488)

Second Reading Romans 8:18-24 (Pew Bible p. 944)

Corporate Confession

Gracious Father in heaven,

Sin showed me a garden, but sold me a graveyard. Sin whispered an invitation, but now mocks my compromise. Sin offered freedom, but

ensnared me. Sin promised satisfaction, but left me hungrier and thirstier. Sin promised to fill me, but emptied me.

Help me believe the truth that only in You is there true peace and wholeness. For your word says, "You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore." In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 103:10-12

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

***Hymn**

Speak O Lord! – Sing Hymnal

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1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
To receive the food of Your holy Word
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us
All Your purposes for Your glory!
2. Teach us, Lord, full obedience,
Holy reverence, true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes,
In the radiance of Your purity
Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see,
Your majestic love and authority
Words of pow'r that can never fail
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.
3. Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
That will echo down through eternity
And by grace, we'll stand on Your promises

And by faith, we'll walk as You walk with us
Speak, O Lord, 'til Your church is built
And the earth is filled with Your glory!

Pastoral Prayer

Jerry & Joan Wilson
New Path 10/10
Rohan & Rebecca Crown/URAmazing Kids in Canada

***Hymn** *Relentless Love*

1. Relentless love embraced my soul in ages past—
Love undeserved, unknown, yet deep and vast.
God set His love on me—on me, in spite of me!
Salvation's work is His from first to last.

Refrain:

Unbounded love, unfailing love,
Love raised upon a tree;
Unending love, prevailing love—
My Savior's sovereign love for me.

2. Relentless love pursued my heart, though I would hide—
Was unreturned, yet undeterred by pride.
Till by a grace unsought, my rebel soul was caught—
Redeemed by love that would not be denied. [Refrain]

3. Relentless love preserves my life from unbelief—
Sustains me through my sin, my doubt, my grief.
Since Christ has done it all, though feeble, I'll not fall,
His wounded hands hold me, the sinners' chief. [Refrain]

4. Relentless love transforms my soul and its delights—
Exceeds the fleeting joys which once sufficed.
Held by His love for me—a hold which sets me free!—
I have my heart's desire, and that is Christ. [Refrain]

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: The Journey of Believing!
Text: Mark 8:22-26
Sermon Notes:

Pastor Tim Weldon
(Pew Bible pp. 843)

OUR RESPONSE

***Closing Hymn** *Take My Life and Let it Be!* #585

*Benediction

***Congregation Standing**
Our worship music is led by Christian Roberson.
Sunday sermons are available on the Northside YouTube channel.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS



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Scan the QR Code or use the link below to keep updated on events, ministries,
and more. <https://open.churchtrac.com?code=57ZFR7>

Office Hours – Monday & Wednesday – 9:30-11:30 am.

Missions Focus/Conference – March! – We will take time this year in March
(instead of August) to focus directly on the call to missions. We will have guests

and missionaries come to share all that God is doing here locally and around the world. Missions conference will be held on Saturday, March 21st & Sunday, March 22nd at Northside. Join us for a brunch on 3/21 at 10:00 am.

No Fellowship Meal for April – April 5th is Easter Sunday and the monthly fellowship meal will be postponed. We encourage you to spend time with family and one another on that Sunday.

Men's Study – A 7 week study on Wednesdays at the Roberson's home, on Ferguson's book "By Grace Alone". Cost of the book is \$15 and please talk to Christian if you would like to attend.

Women's Wednesday Evening Bible Study – Join with women who meet on Wednesdays, at 6:30 pm at the Bane's home, for a study on the book of Acts. It is a time of getting in the Word, fellowship, and more.

Women's Devotional Group – A bi-monthly devotion and prayer time for women takes place on certain Fridays of each month at Northside. The next gathering will be Friday, March 20th, at 10:00 am. Contact Joan Wilson with questions.

Small Group Fellowship, Meal, & Study – A Small Group with a meal, some fellowship, and a study is taking place at the Weldon's home twice a month (284 Finch Landing Rd, Winder). Come join us as we look at the topic of Faith: What are you Hoping For? (Hebrews 11). The next meeting is Saturday, March 28th. It will start at 5:00 pm and go to 7:00 pm.

Financial Update: January – February 2026

Budget:	\$28,000
Giving:	\$22,633
Expenditures:	\$17,560

Ushers

Today: Jerry Wilson & Mike Chub

March 15th: Ronne Haag & Ben Hardgrove

Nursery Attendants

Today: Cindy Perry & William Roberson

March 15th: Meredith Bilow & Daniel Weldon

OUR VISION

To make kingdom-minded disciples in Winder, the Georgia Foothills, and to the ends of the Earth through the power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

OUR VALUES
WORSHIP, DISCIPLESHIP, COMMUNITY, WITNESS

ELDERS

Teaching

Tim Weldon:

Ruling

Lee Bane:

Christian Roberson:

DEACONS

Bob Perry:

Jerry Wilson:

Ronne Haag:

CHURCH PIANIST

Leann Roberson



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