



Mint Hill Presbyterian Church

"...that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ."

- 1 Peter 4:11

Preparing our hearts for worship...

"Living in a way that ... is 'worthy' of the gospel means being willing to take the slave's role of kneeling before others and washing their dirty feet, with our hands full of love."

~ Sinclair Ferguson

March 29, 2026

Sunday Morning Worship
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Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

All Glory, Laud and Honor

(Chorus)

All glory, laud and honor to Thee, Redeemer, King. To whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.

Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son, who in the Lord's name comest, the King and Blessed One

The company of angels are praising Thee on high, and mortal men and all things created make reply. (chorus)

To Thee before Thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise; to Thee now high exalted, our melody we raise. (chorus)

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jeff Morrison

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 118:26-29

Rev. Pedro Pollorena

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD!

**We bless you from the house of the LORD. The LORD is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us.
Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar! You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;
you are my God; I will extol you. Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever!**

Invocation

***Opening Song of Praise**

Jerusalem

See Him in Jerusalem walking where the crowds are. Once these streets had sung to Him, now they cry for murder
Such a frail and lonely Man holding up the heavy cross. See Him walking in Jerusalem—on the road to save us

See Him there upon the hill, hear the scorn and laughter. Silent as a lamb He waits, praying to the Father
See the King who made the sun, and the moon and shining stars let the soldiers hold and nail Him down, so that He could save them

See Him there upon the cross, now no longer breathing. Dust that formed the watching crowds takes the blood of Jesus
Feel the earth is shaking now, see the veil is split in two, and He stood before the wrath of God, shielding sinners with His blood

See the empty tomb today, death could not contain Him. Once the Servant of the world, now in vict'ry reigning
Lift your voices to the One who is seated on the throne. See Him in the New Jerusalem—praise the One who saved us!
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***Confession of Sin**

Donn DeHart

**Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong.
We have lived for ourselves and turned from our neighbors. We have refused to bear the troubles of others. We have
ignored the pain of the world, and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. O God, in your great mercy forgive
our sin and free us from selfishness, that we may choose your will and obey your commandments, through Jesus Christ
our Savior. Amen.**

Scriptural Assurance of Pardon

Acts 13:38-39

“Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, and by
him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.”

***Gloria Patri**

Henry Greatorex

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

** Please stand if you are able.*

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Worship Through Giving

Offertory

Come O Sinner

(We invite you to sing along and worship with us!)

Come, O sinner, come and see Christ the Lord upon a tree.
See the crown of thorns adorn the King, who labors to breathe in agony.
Come, O sinner, come and see what our God became to set us free.

Come, O sinner, come and mourn for He calls your sin His own
Do you feel the weight of justice served? He suffers the wrath that you deserve.
Come, O sinner, come and mourn for He bears the curse for all you've done.

(Chorus)

Oh the wonder of this awesome scene where our Savior bleeds.
Oh the power of the love of God—come and stand in awe.

Come, O sinner come rejoice, mercy fills this place of scorn.
For He dies to save His enemies, that all who draw near may know His peace.
Come, O sinner come rejoice, through the death of Christ death is destroyed. (chorus)

***Doxology**

**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.**

Pastoral Prayer

Steve Smith

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.**

New Testament Scripture

Luke 19:41-44

Rev. Jeff Morrison

Proclamation of the Word

"The Tears of Jesus"

Rev. Jeff Morrison

***Song of Response**

The King of Glory (Psalm 24)

The King of Glory reigns over all the world. His mighty hand sustains the heavens and the earth.
Who may come to Him, and seek His holy face?

He calls the pure in heart, all whose hands are clean. And those who love His name above all other things
Humbly I will bow, and Jesus' Name confess

(Chorus)

He reigns, He reigns—Jesus the Lord! He reigns, He reigns—forevermore!

Swing wide you ancient gates, let the King come in. His glory never fades, our hearts delight in Him
Every knee will bow—every tongue confess (chorus x 2)

***Benediction**

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If you would like to know Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, we invite you to speak to the pastor or one of our elders after the worship service. If you are in need of prayer, please don't hesitate to speak with the pastor. We are happy to pray with you.

Announcements

Welcome to Mint Hill Presbyterian! As our guest, if you have any needs or questions, please feel free to ask, and we will be happy to help. We also invite you to fill out a guest card in the lobby and give it to one of the greeters at the back or drop it in the offering plate.

This morning Pastor Jeff brings us the Proclamation of the Word from 1 Timothy 2:8-15. We look forward to the word the Lord has given him!

Sunday School: The Adult Sunday School Class (led by Pastor Jeff and Pastor Pedro) is studying the book of Judges. We start at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome!

Please see Cathy Morrison if you would be willing to serve as a backup with the children on Sunday mornings. Your help is greatly appreciated!

The WOC will host a Pysanky Workshop (Ukrainian Egg Decoration for Beginners), on Tuesday, Marth 31 at the church from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. All ages are invited to participate (children must be accompanied by an adult). Mark your calendars and come learn how to do this beautiful craft!

This is Holy Week. On Thursday, April 2, at 7:00 p.m., we will worship with a Maundy Thursday service when we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Then, we will gather to worship on Easter morning, April 5, beginning with the Sunrise Service outside at the cross at 7 a.m. (weather permitting), followed by the Easter Breakfast at 7:45. Then our Celebration of the Resurrection service will begin at 9 a.m. (No Sunday School that day.)

The WOC Bible Study group meets on Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. We will not meet this week. We are studying the book of Mark led by Dr. Michael Kruger via video. All ladies are welcome, and we encourage you to come!

The Men's Breakfast group will not meet on April 4 as it is Holy Week. The next Men's Breakfast will be on **Saturday, May 2, at 8:00 a.m.** All the men of the church are welcome! Come and be fed on the Word and a great breakfast!

Our next Meal and Movie will be Saturday, April 11 at 6:00 p.m. The menu is TBA. We have begun a new series of *Drive Thru History*®, entitled: "*The Ends of the Earth*," about how Christianity spread throughout the world. Hope to see you there!

A reminder that Pastor Jeff is available on Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. If you need to see him, please let him know so he can schedule a time to meet with you. His phone number is 704-804-1921.

*Mint Hill Presbyterian Church exists to glorify God
by seeking the lost, making disciples,
and worshipping the Savior.*

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