



Mint Hill Presbyterian Church

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

- 1 Peter 4:11

Preparing our hearts for worship...

"It is better to have God approve, than the world applaud."

~ Thomas Watson

July 19, 2026

Sunday Morning Worship

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Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of His glory and grace.

Turn your eyes to the hillside where justice and mercy embrace—there the Son of God gave His life for us and our measureless debt was erased.

(Chorus)

Jesus, to You we lift our eyes—Jesus, our glory and our prize. We adore You, behold You, our Savior ever true
Oh Jesus, we turn our eyes to You.

Turn your eyes to the morning and see Christ the lion awake. What a glorious dawn, fear of death is gone for we carry His life in our veins.

Turn your eyes to the heavens, our King will return for His own. Every knee will bow, every tongue will shout all glory to Jesus alone (chorus)

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jeff Morrison

*Call to Worship

Hebrews 12:28-29

Rev. Pedro Polloreña

“Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.”

Invocation

*Opening Song of Praise

Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me. I was lost but He brought in, oh His love for me, oh His love for me

(Chorus 1)

Who the Son sets free oh is free indeed, I'm a child of God, yes I am!

Free at last, He has ransomed me, His grace runs deep. While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me, yes He died for me

(Chorus 2)

Who the Son sets free oh is free indeed, I'm a child of God, yes I am! In my Father's house there's a place for me, I'm a child of God, yes I am!

(Bridge)

I am chosen, not forsaken, I am who You say I am You are for me, not against me, I am who You say I am (chorus 2)

*Confession of Sin

Psalms 51:1-12

Donn DeHart

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me. Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice. Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

*Gloria Patri

Henry Greator

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

***Prayer of Dedication for Tithes and Offerings**

Rev. Jeff Morrison

Offertory

Run to Jesus

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

Has your grief brought you low, has your faith lost its hold? Your Deliverer knows what your need is
He endured every test, He has felt your distress. As you weep He has wept—run to Jesus!

Is your shame all you see, are your sins dark and deep? Your High Priest lives to plead your forgiveness
What you owed He has paid, what was dead He has raised. All your guilt for His grace—Run to Jesus!

(Chorus 1)

He will lift your head, He will be your rest. What you owed He has paid, what was dead He has raised
All your guilt for His grace—run to Jesus!

Though the journey is long, though the night tarries on. Your Redeemer is strong in your weakness
He will carry you through, He is faithful and true. He will make all things new—run to Jesus!

(Chorus 2)

He will lift your head, He will be your rest—He will lift your head, He will be your rest
He will carry you through, He is faithful and true—He will make all things new—run to Jesus!

***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

1 Peter 1:10-16

Rev. Pedro Pollorena

Proclamation of the Word

"Saved to be Holy"

Rev. Pedro Pollorena

***Song of Response**

The Lord is My Salvation

The grace of God has reached for me and pulled me from the raging sea.
And I am safe on this solid ground—the Lord is my salvation
I will not fear when darkness falls His strength will help me scale these walls
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun—the Lord is my salvation.

(Chorus)

Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love. My debt is paid and the vict'ry won The Lord is my salvation

My hope is hidden in the Lord—He flows each promise of His Word
When winter fades I know spring will come—the Lord is my salvation.

In times of waiting, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak
I know His grace will renew these days—the Lord is my salvation.
And when I reach my final day, He will not leave me in the grave
But I will rise, He will call me home—the Lord is my salvation. (Chorus)

***Benediction**

**** Please stand if you are able.***

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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 Pedro brings us the Proclamation of the Word from 1 Peter 1:10-16. 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 are now on break for the summer and will resume in September. 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 Bible Study group is now on break for the summer. We will resume in September and continue with the book of Mark. All ladies are welcome!

SAVE THE DATE! The WOC quarterly Lake Meeting will be held on Saturday, July 25, at the Bigham/Porter Lake House at Lake Tilery. The congregation is invited! More details will be forthcoming.

The Men's Breakfast is now on break for the summer. They will meet again in September. All men are welcome!

Our Meal and Movie night is now on break for the summer. Our next date will be September 12.

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 worshiping the Savior.*

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