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

TOWN NORTH
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PCA

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

November 8, 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 or use this QR code:

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:

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PRELUDE *Lynna Harbison*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor*

* CALL TO WORSHIP *Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor*

Psalm 150

LEADER: Praise the LORD!
Praise God in his sanctuary;
Praise him in his mighty heavens!

PEOPLE: Praise him for his mighty deeds;
Praise him according to his excellent greatness!
Praise him with trumpet sound;
Praise him with lute and harp!

LEADER: Praise him with tambourine and dance;
Praise him with strings and pipe!

PEOPLE: Praise him with sounding cymbals;
Praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

ALL: Let everything that has breath praise the LORD!
Praise the LORD!

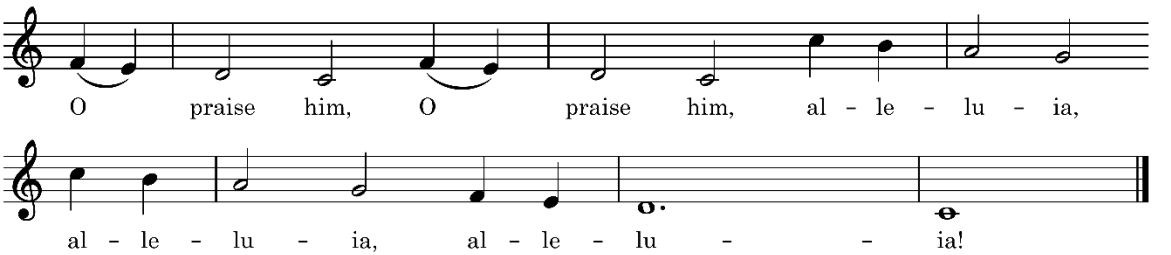
* PRAYER OF INVOCATION *Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor*

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn 115—All Creatures of Our God and King



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CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN *Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor*

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

LEADER: Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL: **Heavenly Father, we come to You with broken and contrite hearts.**
We confess to You that we love ourselves more than we love You and others.
We put our own self-interests front and center instead of looking toward the interests of others.
We confess that we need You to cleanse us from the inside out and guide us in new and loving ways.
Help us, gracious and Heavenly Father.
In Jesus' beautiful and wonderful name,
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*

John 3:16

LEADER: For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

* SONG OF RESPONSE

Psalm 32 (Blessed is the One Whose Sin is Covered)

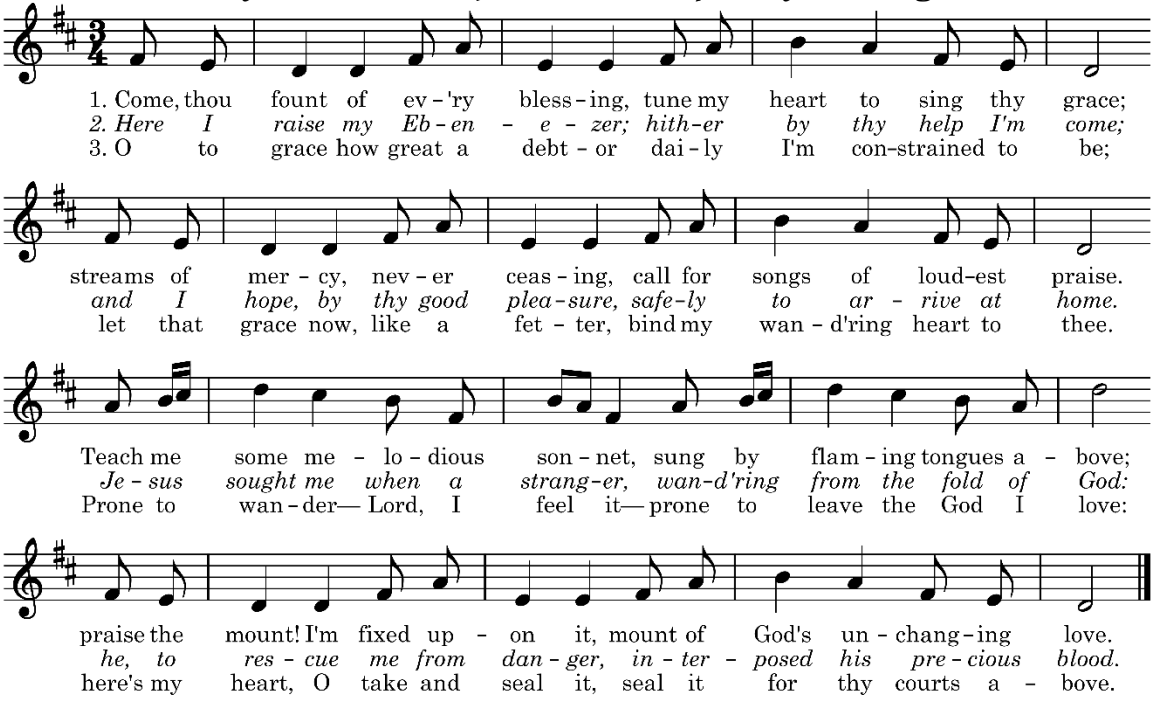


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PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE *Bill Bridgeforth, Elder*

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Hymn 457—Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing



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* SCRIPTURE READING *Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor*

John 15:10-17

If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I
have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. **11** These things I
have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

12 "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have
loved you. **13** Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life
for his friends. **14** You are my friends if you do what I command you. **15** No
longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is
doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I
have made known to you. **16** You did not choose me, but I chose you and
appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should
abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you.
17 These things I command you, so that you will love one another.

LEADER: This is the Word of the LORD.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

APPLYING GOD'S WORD *Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor*

"What is Love?"
John 15:10-17

* PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR COMMUNION

Hymn 460—Amazing Grace!



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THE LORD'S SUPPER *Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor*

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 in the narthex after the service.

* RESPONDING IN SONG

Jude Doxology



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* BENEDICTION *Graham Clark, Assistant Pastor*

Ephesians 3:17-19

PASTOR: (May) Christ dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

POSTLUDE *Lynna Harbison*

Next Week:

PREACHER: Paul Gibson, Senior Pastor