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GOOD SHEPHERD ANGLICAN
CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA
SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

welcome!

Good morning and welcome to Good Shepherd Anglican. We are delighted you have joined us today!

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CHILDREN

Childcare is available for children aged 2 and under in the Nursery, located in the classroom on the right upon entering the lobby.

Children aged 3 through 5th grade will be dismissed to Children's Chapel at the beginning of worship service and will return prior to communion.

PASTORAL CARE & PRAYER

The church is open during the week on Tuesday and Thursday from 10am to 2pm. All are welcome to come in if you desire a quiet place for prayer and meditation or to meet with one of our clergy for counsel. If these times are not convenient for your schedule, you may also make an appointment to meet with one of our clergy by calling the church office or contacting them directly via the Good Shepherd website.

Prayer cards are available in the Sanctuary or the Prayer Room and on our website. You may place your prayer card in the offering basket or in the secure box located in the Prayer Room. All prayer requests will be attended to confidentially by our intercessory prayer team. It is our privilege to support you with prayer and we encourage you to connect with us in this way especially.

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Office Hours Tuesday and Thursday 10 am – 2 pm

Beginning in October, Thursdays at 1:30 pm there will be intercessory prayer in the Sanctuary. Anyone is welcome to join.

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PRELUDE

“Behold Our God”

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<p>VERSE 1 Who has held the oceans in His hands Who has numbered every grain of sand Kings and nations tremble at His voice All creation rises to rejoice</p>	<p>CHORUS Behold our God seated on His throne Come let us adore Him Behold our King nothing can compare Come let us adore Him</p>
<p>BRIDGE You will reign forever! (Let Your glory fill the earth)</p>	

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ,
People **And He will reign forever and ever.**

Celebrant Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns.
People **Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him the glory!** (*Revelation 11:15, 19:6-7*)

Celebrant Blessed be God: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be His kingdom, now and forever.**

Let us pray together.

Almighty God, to You all hearts are open, all desires know, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You, and worthily magnify Your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRIES

THE DISMISSAL OF THE CHILDREN

SONGS OF PRAISE

“All I Have Is Christ”

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<p>VERSE 1 I once was lost in darkest night Yet thought I knew the way The sin that promised joy and life Had led me to the grave I had no hope that You would own A rebel to Your will And if You had not loved me first I would refuse You still</p>	<p>VERSE 2 But as I ran my hell-bound race Indifferent to the cost You looked upon my helpless state And led me to the cross And I beheld God's love displayed You suffered in my place You bore the wrath reserved for me Now all I know is grace</p>
<p>CHORUS Hallelujah all I have is Christ Hallelujah Jesus is my life</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Now Lord I would be Yours alone And live so all might see The strength to follow Your commands Could never come from me O Father use my ransomed life In any way You choose And let my song forever be My only boast is You</p>

“Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me”

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<p>VERSE 1 What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer There is no more for heaven now to give He is my joy my righteousness and freedom My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace To this I hold my hope is only Jesus For my life is wholly bound to his Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine Yet not I but through Christ in me</p>	<p>VERSE 2 The night is dark but I am not forsaken For by my side the Saviour he will stay I labour on in weakness and rejoicing For in my need his power is displayed To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me Through the deepest valley he will lead Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome Yet not I but through Christ in me</p>
<p>VERSE 3 No fate I dread I know I am forgiven The future sure the price it has been paid For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon And he was raised to overthrow the grave To this I hold my sin has been defeated Jesus now and ever is my plea Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free Yet not I but through Christ in me</p>	<p>VERSE 4 With every breath I long to follow Jesus For he has said that he will bring me home And day by day I know he will renew me Until I stand with joy before the throne To this I hold my hope is only Jesus All the glory evermore to him When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me</p>

Let us pray together.

O Lord our God, our gracious Heavenly Father, grant us the grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to love You all the days of our lives, and to heed the call to follow Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Please be seated.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Psalm 23 (KJV).

Reader The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

***People* He maketh me to lie down in the green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.**

Reader He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

***People* Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and they staff they comfort me.**

Reader Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

***People* Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

Reader The Word of the Lord.

***People* Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Hebrews 2:5-10.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

***People* Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

“Forever”

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BRIDGE

We sing hallelujah, we sing hallelujah

We sing hallelujah, the Lamb has overcome

We sing hallelujah, we sing hallelujah

We sing hallelujah, the Lamb has overcome

THE HOLY GOSPEL

The Gospel reading today is from Luke 22:39-46.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

***People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

***Together* And Lord we pray that Your Word would always be on our minds, upon our lips, and deep within our hearts.**

THE GOSPEL READING

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be seated.

SERMON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader As we come together as a family in Christ, we pray for all people in every land and nation who are suffering from war, injustice, famine, and disease. We pray for the weak vulnerable, and scared. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, comfort them.

People **Hear the cry of their hearts.**

Reader We remember in prayer the leaders of nations; and in particular, leaders of our country, state, and local community. We pray for all in public service, remembering those who risk their lives for our safety. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, protect them and keep them safe.

People **Grant them wisdom that we may live in peace.**

Reader We pray blessing and protection on your Church here and abroad; for all Christians, pastors, and missionaries who faithfully bear witness to Your Name. Continue to bless us at Good Shepherd. Empower our bishops, vestry, staff, search team, and the ministries You've entrusted to each one of us. And today, we pray special blessing on our new pastor and his family, whoever that might be. Keep them healthy and well. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, be present in Your Church.

People **Protect us, guide us, and empower us for Your service.**

Reader Heavenly Father, You know the burdens of our heart, and we give them to You. We pray for our sick and those we love who are suffering in heart, body, and soul. We lift them now to You by name... *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, grant them Your mercy.

People **Open our hearts to receive Your healing and love.**

Celebrant Remaining in prayer, let us now come before the Lord and confess our sins, lifting our hearts to Him in humility and repentance.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep, we have followed to much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against Your holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But You, O Lord, have mercy upon us, spare us who confess our faults, restore us who are penitent, according to Your promises declare to us in Christ Jesus our Lord; and grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your Holy Name. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Almighty God, whose steadfast love is as great as the heavens are high above the earth, remove our sins from us, as far as the east is from the west, strengthen our life in His kingdom, and keep us upright by the grace of the Holy Spirit to the last day; through Jesus Christ our Lord, our merciful High Priest. Amen.

Please stand.

THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

***Together* “Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.” (Ephesians 4:32)**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

***People* And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *(modified from the Anglican Church of Nigeria)*

Together **Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendor, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is Yours. All things come from You, and of Your own do we give you.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right; it is our duty and joy at all times and in all places to give you thanks and praise, Holy Father, heavenly King, Almighty and eternal God through Jesus Christ Your only Son our Lord.

Together **For He is Your living Word; through Him You have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in Your own image. Through Him You have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving Him to be born as man and to die upon the cross.**

You raised Him from the dead and exalted Him to Your right hand on high; through Him You have sent upon us Your holy and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for Your own possession. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim Your great and glorious name, forever praising You and saying.

THE SANCTUS

“Holy Holy Holy Lord”

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VERSE 1 Holy Holy Holy Lord God of pow'r and might Heaven and earth are filled With Your glory	CHORUS Hosanna Hosanna in the highest Hosanna Hosanna in the highest
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THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through Your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and as we follow His example and obey His command, grant that by the power of Your Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine may be to us His Body and Blood; Who in the same night that He was betrayed, took bread and gave thanks; He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me,"

In the same way, after supper, He took the cup and gave You thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

***Together* Christ has died, Christ is risen; Christ will come again!**

Accept through Him, our great High Priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise: and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of Your divine Majesty, renew us by Your Spirit, inspire us with Your love, and unite us in the body of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

***Together* Through Him, and with Him, by the power of the Holy Spirit with all who stand before You in earth and heaven, we worship You, Father Almighty, in songs of everlasting praise. Blessing and honor and glory and power be Yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

THE FRACTION

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

***People* Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Please be seated.

All baptized Christians of any age are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. In addition to individual cups, the Common Cup is now available for receiving communion by drinking or by intinction (dipping). There are also gluten-free wafers available, and the acolyte will offer grape juice. If you are not a baptized Christian, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest.

The Prayer Team is available to you in the back of the church.

COMMUNION HYMN

“Rock of Ages”

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VERSE 1 Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee; Let the water and the blood From Thy wounded side which flowed, Be of sin the double cure; Save from wrath and make me pure.	VERSE 2 Not the labors of my hands Can fulfill Thy law's demands; Could my zeal no respite know, Could my tears forever flow, All for sin could not atone; Thou must save, and Thou alone.
VERSE 3 Nothing in my hand I bring, Simply to the cross I cling; Naked, come to Thee for dress; Helpless, look to Thee for grace; Foul, I to the fountain fly; Wash me, Savior, or I die.	BRIDGE Jesus, holy, pure, and lovely King of mercy Jesus, holy, pure, and lovely King of mercy
VERSE 4 While I draw this fleeting breath, When mine eyes shall close in death, When I soar to world unknown,	See Thee on Thy judgement throne, Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee.

Please stand and sing.

“Doxology”

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VERSE 1 Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost.

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank You for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of Your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of Your Son, and heirs of Your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work You have given us to do, to love and serve You as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To Him, to You, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant All our problems,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All our difficulties,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All the devil's works,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All our hopes,
People We set on the risen Christ.

“To God Be The Glory”

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<p>VERSE 1 To God be the glory great things He has done So loved He the world that He gave us His Son Who yielded His life an atonement for sin And opened the life gate that all may go in</p>	<p>CHORUS Praise the Lord praise the Lord Let the earth hear His voice Praise the Lord praise the Lord Let the people rejoice O come to the Father through Jesus the Son And give Him the glory great things He has done</p>
<p>VERSE 2 O perfect redemption the purchase of blood To every believer the promise of God The vilest offender who truly believes That moment from Jesus a pardon receives</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Great things He has taught us Great things He has done And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son But purer and higher and greater will be Our wonder our transport when Jesus we see</p>

SENDING FORTH

Deacon Alleluia! Let us go forth to serve, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit!
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

MINISTRY TEAMS

Our desire is to see everyone at Good Shepherd participate in one of our Sunday morning ministry teams. Please send an e-mail to the team leader to learn how you can serve in this important capacity.

ACOLYTES: Bears **THE** processional cross, assisting at the Communion table, and serving juice to the congregation. Leader: Jen Snow (jensnow@goodshepherdanglican.org)

ALTAR: Cares for the altar, vestments, vessels, and altar linens. Leader: MJ Smith (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

AUDIO: Facilitates worship by providing audio support. Leader: Seth Wheeler (seth@residentialstructurespc.com)

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL: Provides the foundational knowledge of scripture for preschool and elementary age attendees. Leader: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

COUNTING: Handles the collection and offerings of the Church in accordance with sound accounting practices. Leader: Jen Snow (jensnow@goodshepherdanglican.org)

FLOWER GUILD: Provides fresh flowers to adorn the altar each week. Coordinates the memorial giving of flowers in honor of special occasions and loved ones. Leader: Earlene Steger (jpsincali@gmail.com).

GREETERS: Welcomes everyone as they arrive for worship service. Leader: Ray Fulton (ray.fulton@gmail.com)

HOSPITALITY: Offers refreshments prior to worship service. Contact: Andi Wheeler (andiseth@bellsouth.net)

INTERCESSORY TEAM: Offers prayer ministry during and after worship service to anyone who requests prayer. Leader: Stacy & Immanuel Comer (comersc112108@gmail.com)

READER: Facilitates worship by reading scripture, leading prayers, and serving wine. Contact: Joel McNelly (jmcnelly71@gmail.com)

MUSIC: Leads the congregation in praise and worship through song. *Leader: Seeking new leader*

NURSERY: Cares for children age 2 and under during worship service. Contact: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

USHERS: Welcomes and assists those who come to worship and provides a smooth operation during the service. Leader: Ray Fulton (ray.fulton@gmail.com)

VIDEO: Facilitates worship by providing video support for online participants. Contact: Patrick Nielsen (patrick.a.nielsen@gmail.com)

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JULY 2024 FINANCIAL UPDATE

July 2024	Income		Expenses	
	Month	YTD	JULY	YTD
Plan	\$40,226	\$40,226	\$49,828	\$49,828
Actual	\$34,366	\$34,366	\$30,032	\$30,032
Variance	-\$5,860	-\$5,860	\$19,796	\$19,796

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- **in person** at worship service
- through **your bank** using Zelle (send to Treasurer@goodshepherdanglican.org)
- **online** the at www.goodshepherdanglican.org
- on your **smartphone** using the Church Center App; just click this code with your camera



All offerings will go to the general Operating Fund unless designated otherwise. Please contact our Treasurer, Michael Reynolds, at Treasurer@goodshepherdanglican.org with any questions.

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

<p>CHURCH OVERSIGHT Most Rev. Steve Wood Archbishop and Diocesan Bishop Rt. Rev. Terrell Glenn NC Area Bishop</p>	<p>MINISTERS: ALL OF US AT GOOD SHEPHERD!</p> <p>CLERGY</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Rt. Rev. Thad Barnum</td> <td>Interim Team Leader</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Rev. Bill DeBardeleben</td> <td>Priest, Pastoral Care</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gina Roes</td> <td>Deacon, Pastoral Care</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jen Snow</td> <td>Deacon, Pastoral Care</td> </tr> </table>	Rt. Rev. Thad Barnum	Interim Team Leader	Rev. Bill DeBardeleben	Priest, Pastoral Care	Gina Roes	Deacon, Pastoral Care	Jen Snow	Deacon, Pastoral Care
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