



Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 19, 2026

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Order of Worship

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To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Reflections

Radical obedience to Christ is not easy... It's not comfort, not health, not wealth, and not prosperity in this world. Radical obedience to Christ risks losing all these things. But in the end, such risk finds its reward in Christ. And he is more than enough for us.

-David Platt

This day, my God, I hate sin not because it damns me, but because it has done Thee wrong. To have grieved my God is the worst grief to me.

-Charles Spurgeon

Sin is looking to something else besides God for your salvation. It is putting yourself in the place of God, becoming your own savior and lord, as it were.

-Tim Keller

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship

_____ TIME OF PRAISE _____

Call to Worship*

Revelation 4

Leader: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,
who was, and is, and is to come!

**All: You are worthy, our Lord and God,
to receive glory and honor and power,
for you created all things,
and by your will they were created
and have their being. Hallelujah! Amen!**

**Please stand if you are able.*

As a courtesy, please set all communication devices to silent. Thank you.

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Hymn of Adoration*

Trinity Hymnal #345 (1,2,4)

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Prayer of Adoration

Apostles' Creed

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

And I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

And 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.

Songs of Praise*

*Come Praise and Glorify
His Glory and My Good*

Confession of Sin

Gracious and loving God, because of the sacrificial death of your Son, Jesus Christ, you have granted eternal life and forgiveness of sins to all who embrace Him by faith. Because of His resurrection we have hope for the future and find courage for today. Forgive us for living diminished lives - lives shaped by yesterday's regrets and tomorrow's fears. Send us your Spirit to help us so that we may live out our days in joyful obedience to Jesus, our Savior and Friend.

Private Confession and Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

Lamentations 3:22-24

Because of the LORD's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. I say to myself, "The LORD is my portion; therefore I will wait for him."

Hymn of Assurance*

Trinity Hymnal #308 (1,2,4)

Jesus Paid It All

The Prayers of the People *(concluded with 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 and ever. Amen.

_____ TIME OF COMMITMENT _____

Tithes and Offerings

Luke 6:38

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Choral Anthem

Harris, Sadler, Sibelius, arr. Fettke, Grassi

Lord Most High

Dismissal of Children for Children's Church

*Children ages 4 years through 2nd grade are invited to attend Children's Church in Room 103.
If you and your child have not yet received matching security tags, please accompany them to the table in the lobby for check-in.*

5 But a man named Ananias, with his wife Sapphira, sold a piece of property, ² and with his wife's knowledge he kept back for himself some of the proceeds and brought only a part of it and laid it at the apostles' feet. ³ But Peter said, "Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit and to keep back for yourself part of the proceeds of the land? ⁴ While it remained unsold, did it not remain your own? And after it was sold, was it not at your disposal? Why is it that you have contrived this deed in your heart? You have not lied to man but to God." ⁵ When Ananias heard these words, he fell down and breathed his last. And great fear came upon all who heard of it. ⁶ The young men rose and wrapped him up and carried him out and buried him.

⁷ After an interval of about three hours his wife came in, not knowing what had happened. ⁸ And Peter said to her, "Tell me whether you sold the land for so much." And she said, "Yes, for so much." ⁹ But Peter said to her, "How is it that you have agreed together to test the Spirit of the Lord? Behold, the feet of those who have buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out." ¹⁰ Immediately she fell down at his feet and breathed her last. When the young men came in they found her dead, and they carried her out and buried her beside her husband. ¹¹ And great fear came upon the whole church and upon all who heard of these things.

¹² Now many signs and wonders were regularly done among the people by the hands of the apostles. And they were all together in Solomon's Portico. ¹³ None of the rest dared join them, but the people held them in high esteem. ¹⁴ And more than ever believers were added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women, ¹⁵ so that they even carried out the sick into the streets and laid them on cots and mats, that as Peter came by at least his shadow might fall on some of them. ¹⁶ The people also gathered from the towns around Jerusalem, bringing the sick and those afflicted with unclean spirits, and they were all healed.

¹⁷ But the high priest rose up, and all who were with him (that is, the party of the Sadducees), and filled with jealousy ¹⁸ they arrested the apostles and put them in the public prison. ¹⁹ But during the night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said, ²⁰ "Go and stand in the temple and speak to the people all the words of this Life." ²¹ And when they heard this, they entered the temple at daybreak and began to teach.

Now when the high priest came, and those who were with him, they called together the council, all the senate of the people of Israel, and sent to the prison to have them brought. ²² But when the officers came, they did not find them in the prison, so they returned and reported, ²³ "We found the prison securely locked and the guards standing at the doors, but when we opened them we found no one inside." ²⁴ Now when the captain of the temple and the chief priests heard these words, they were greatly perplexed about them, wondering what this would come to. ²⁵ And someone came and told them, "Look! The men whom you put in prison are standing in the temple and teaching the people." ²⁶ Then the captain with the officers went and brought them, but not by force, for they were afraid of being stoned by the people.

²⁷ And when they had brought them, they set them before the council. And the high priest questioned them, ²⁸ saying, “We strictly charged you not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and you intend to bring this man’s blood upon us.” ²⁹ But Peter and the apostles answered, “We must obey God rather than men. ³⁰ The God of our fathers raised Jesus, whom you killed by hanging him on a tree. ³¹ God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior, to give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. ³² And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit, whom God has given to those who obey him.”

³³ When they heard this, they were enraged and wanted to kill them. ³⁴ But a Pharisee in the council named Gamaliel, a teacher of the law held in honor by all the people, stood up and gave orders to put the men outside for a little while. ³⁵ And he said to them, “Men of Israel, take care what you are about to do with these men. ³⁶ For before these days Theudas rose up, claiming to be somebody, and a number of men, about four hundred, joined him. He was killed, and all who followed him were dispersed and came to nothing. ³⁷ After him Judas the Galilean rose up in the days of the census and drew away some of the people after him. He too perished, and all who followed him were scattered. ³⁸ So in the present case I tell you, keep away from these men and let them alone, for if this plan or this undertaking is of man, it will fail; ³⁹ but if it is of God, you will not be able to overthrow them. You might even be found opposing God!” So they took his advice, ⁴⁰ and when they had called in the apostles, they beat them and charged them not to speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. ⁴¹ Then they left the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer dishonor for the name. ⁴² And every day, in the temple and from house to house, they did not cease teaching and preaching that the Christ is Jesus.

Sermon

Pastor Curtis Shields

The Choice

Song of Response*

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Benediction*

**The benediction is much more than a wish or even a prayer. It is a renewed ordination of the people of God to their service to each other, to their community and the world. God declares his own favor toward his people.*

NOTES

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Welcome! We're glad you are here with us today.
To find out more about our upcoming events, visit bapc.org/announcements

Today	Monthly Prayer Group	6pm
7/22	Choir Rehearsal	7pm
7/25	Men's Breakfast	8am
7/26	Grace of God (Morada)	1:30pm

Please note that the youth groups will not meet on Wednesdays for the month of July. Youth group will resume on August 5, 2026.



Prayer Small Group
Tonight, 6pm

Pray for those in your life, our community, and around the world who do not know Christ yet! This small group will meet in the Adult Sunday School room; childcare will be available in the nursery,



Men's Breakfast
Saturday, 8am

Join the men of BAPC for a hot breakfast, coffee, a devotional on Hebrews, and discussion! This group meets in the Adult Sunday School room.



Missionary Visit
Sunday, August 2, 9am

Join us in the gym during the Sunday School hour to hear from Molly Basse, a former BAPC member and current RUF International staff member, as she shares how God is reaching international students for Christ at the University of Texas in Austin.

Then join us after worship for a fellowship lunch! If you're able to bring chips, a veggie tray, or fruit to share, please sign up at the table in the lobby.



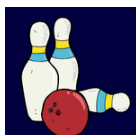
Youth Group Fall Kickoff
Wednesday, August 5th, 7pm

Both of our Youth Groups will be taking a short summer break during the month of July. Join us for our Popsicles, Prayer, and Promotion event on August 5th at 7pm!



Sunday School Break
August 9, 16, 23, 30

We'll be taking a summer Sunday School break for 4 weeks in August. While there will be no coffee and donuts at 10am, we warmly invite you to worship with us each week at 10:30am! Sunday School will resume for all ages on September 6th and children will promote to their new grade-level classrooms.



Men's Bowling Night
Friday, August 14th, 6:30-9pm

Enjoy an evening of bowling, pizza, and great fellowship with the men of BAPC at Main Event in Webster! The cost is \$20 per person; please register at bapc.org/announcements. Come unwind, share a few laughs, and spend time building friendships with other men in the church.

VOLUNTEER ROTATION

Elder of the Day

Today: Curtis Briggs
Next Week: Tim Bonvillian

Deacon of the Day

Today: Daniel Henderson-Ede
Next Week: Ethan Stahl

Nursery (9am)

Today: Sarah Lindblom
Next Week: Courtney Owens

Communion Preparation

August: Lindblom Family
September: Romero Family

Greeters

Today: D. Gilbert + L. Hilmers
Next Week: Gilbert Family

Infant Nursery (10:30am)

Today: TBD
Next Week: TBD

Coffee & Donuts

Today: Clay McCarty
Next Week: Ethan Stahl

Children's Church

Today: Gilbert Family
Next Week: TBD

Toddler Nursery (10:30am)

Today: Porter Family
Next Week: Reyes Family

GIVING UPDATE

Fiscal Year July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027

Monthly Giving

July Giving Goal:	\$51,538
July Actual Giving:	\$39,323
Amount Under:	(\$12,216)



Annual Giving

Annual Budget Goal:	\$670,000
Received to Date:	\$39,323
Remaining to Annual Goal:	\$630,677



At current giving rates, forecasted full-year giving is approximately \$620,224.

Giving an offering is one way for members and friends of BAPC to support the church's mission and ministry. If you are our guest today, please do not feel under any obligation to give.

Online

*Please visit
bapc.org/give*

Cash or Check

*Lobby box or mailed
to the church office*

Text Message

*Text "Give" to
833-921-6502*

MISSIONS UPDATE



Molly (Farrell) Basse serves with Reformed University Fellowship- International at UT Austin. RUF-I seeks to help international students find community and connection in the United States and, from that relationship, share the Gospel with students from all nations. She requests prayer for the students she will have the opportunity to know and serve this year, that God would raise up local volunteers with a heart for international students, and that the Lord would meet her funding needs for this year.

Adults

Minor Prophets, Room 88

9th - 12th Grade

1 & 2 Peter, Youth Room

5th - 8th Grade

John, Room 91

3rd - 4th Grade

God's Growing Church, Room 104

1st - 2nd Grade

Serving God, Room 102

PreK - Kindergarten

Jesus Storybook Bible, Room 107

Nursery

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

Infant Nursery, Room 109

**Children in PreK-2nd grade begin the Sunday School hour in Room 105 with a time of singing and musical instruction from our Choir Director, Kathy Wright.*

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