



# northside church

OF RICHMOND

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My Lord's done just what He said, I know the Lord's laid His hands on me.  
He's healed the sick and raised the dead. I know the Lord's laid His hands on me.  
O I know the Lord, I know the Lord, I know the Lord's laid His hands on me!  
- African American spiritual, author unknown

## God gathers us together for worship

### Worship in Song

"Fights For Me"

Music and words: Jeremiah Hurst,  
Orlando Palmer  
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### Call to Worship

Leader: *The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?  
The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?*

*Psalm 27:1, 5-7, 13*

**People: *For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble;  
he will conceal me under the cover of his tent;  
he will lift me high upon a rock.***

Leader: *And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me,  
and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy;  
I will sing and make melody to the LORD.*

**People: *Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me!  
I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the LORD  
in the land of the living!***

### Worship in Song

"All Who Call"

Words and music: Josh Davis  
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This is a time to be honest with God about our sin and ask Him for forgiveness through Jesus.

## Confession and Assurance

Eternal and faithful God, our Creator and Redeemer,  
You love Your bride, the Church, and You have saved us by Your grace.  
You have clothed us in the righteousness of Your Son!  
Yet we confess that we daily attempt to hide from You.  
We have willfully sinned against You and our neighbor.  
Failing to see and trust You, we have forgotten You.  
Forgive and deliver us, good Lord.  
Renew Your people by Your grace, that our lives and lips might sing Your praise. Amen.

- silent confession -

*Romans 5:6*

*At just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly.*

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## Worship in Song

“It Is Well With My Soul”

Having been reconciled with God through Christ, we can share peace with one another and participate in His work.

## Passing of the Peace

## Community Life

Update and prayer: Missions team

## Scripture Reading

*Luke 7:11-17*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

## Offering, Worship in Song

“Healer”

Words and music:  
Mike Guglielmucci  
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# God feeds us with His Word

## Sermon

32 Now as Peter went here and there among them all, he came down also to the saints who lived at Lydda. 33 There he found a man named Aeneas, bedridden for eight years, who was paralyzed. 34 And Peter said to him, "Aeneas, Jesus Christ heals you; rise and make your bed." And immediately he rose. 35 And all the residents of Lydda and Sharon saw him, and they turned to the Lord. Acts 9:32-43

36 Now there was in Joppa a disciple named Tabitha, which, translated, means Dorcas. She was full of good works and acts of charity. 37 In those days she became ill and died, and when they had washed her, they laid her in an upper room. 38 Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, hearing that Peter was there, sent two men to him, urging him, "Please come to us without delay." 39 So Peter rose and went with them. And when he arrived, they took him to the upper room. All the widows stood beside him weeping and showing tunics and other garments that Dorcas made while she was with them. 40 But Peter put them all outside, and knelt down and prayed; and turning to the body he said, "Tabitha, arise." And she opened her eyes, and when she saw Peter she sat up. 41 And he gave her his hand and raised her up. Then, calling the saints and widows, he presented her alive. 42 And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. 43 And he stayed in Joppa for many days with one Simon, a tanner.

Leader: *The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.*

Isaiah 40:8

**People: Praise be to God!**

Today's sermon is given by Associate Pastor Joel Passmore.

1 Corinthians 11:23b-26

Gluten and nut-free wafers can be found in the wooden boxes.

At the front right of the room stands a person ready to pray with and for you.

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## The Lord's Supper

*The Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me."*

*In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.*

Leader: Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

**People: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

## Worship in Song

"Heal Us, Emmanuel"

"Victory In Jesus"

## Benediction

### About

Northside Church of Richmond is a church of the James River Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America ([www.pcanet.org](http://www.pcanet.org)), planted in Oct 2011.

### Worship Service

Held every Sunday at 4pm in the fellowship hall of Battery Park Christian Church, on the corner of Brook and Bellevue. Visitors are always welcome!

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