

# northside church

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The place where God has supremely destroyed all human arrogance and pretension is the cross.

-- D. A. Carson

# God gathers us together for worship

## **Call to Worship**

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens!

Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!

Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp!

Praise him with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe! Praise him with sounding cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

Let everything that has breath praise the LORD!

People: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

Leader: Praise the LORD!

Psalm 150

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"Every Praise"

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"Free Worshipper"

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"I Will Bless the Lord at All Times"

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**

Missions update: Chris Luhrman

# **Scripture Reading**

1 Corinthians 3:4-11

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

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## Offering & Worship in Song

"Awesome"

Today in Children's Worship, children 4 years old through 2nd grade will learn from the Jesus Storybook Bible: Introduction (Psalm 19 and Hebrews 1).

# **God feeds us with His Word**

#### Sermon

24 Now a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was an eloquent man, Acts 18:24-28 competent in the Scriptures. 25 He had been instructed in the way of the Lord. And being fervent in spirit, he spoke and taught accurately the things concerning Jesus, though he knew only the baptism of John. 26 He began to speak boldly in the synagogue, but when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him aside and explained to him the way of God more accurately. 27 And when he wished to cross to Achaia, the brothers encouraged him and wrote to the disciples to welcome him. When he arrived, he greatly helped those who through grace had believed, 28 for he powerfully refuted the *Jews in public, showing by the Scriptures that the Christ was Jesus.* 

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

People: Praise be to God!

Isaiah 40:8

Today's sermon is given by Senior Pastor Matt Lorish.

## **Altar Ministry of Prayer and Communion**

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

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

Prayer is taking place up front. If you have spiritual questions, if you're are looking for a church to join, if you prayed the prayer of belief earlier, or if you have some other need in your life to bring to God, please come up front to receive prayer from those wearing Prayer Team badges.

Communion is taking place in the back. All who have repented of their sins, put their faith in Jesus as Savior, and are members in good standing of a Bible-believing church are invited to participate. Please come back through the center aisle to any of the 3 communion stations and take a cup and a piece of bread. Gluten and nut-free wafers are in the wooden boxes. Please indicate whether you want juice or wine. An elder will speak words of encouragement and then everyone at the station will partake together. Children with you who are not yet taking communion will be prayed for during this time.

## **Worship in Song**

"Oh the Blood of Jesus"

"You Are Good"

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### **Benediction**

#### **About Us**

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Northside Church of Richmond was planted in October 2011, within the James River Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America (www.pcanet.org).

Public worship held on Sundays at 4pm in the fellowship hall of Battery Park Christian Church, on the corner of Brook and Bellevue. Visitors always welcome!

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