



# northside church

## OF RICHMOND

***September 8, 2019***

There is hardship in everything except eating pancakes.  
- Charles H. Spurgeon

## God gathers us together for worship

### Call to Worship

Leader: *Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!  
Let your glory be over all the earth!  
I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples;  
I will sing praises to you among the nations.*

People: ***For your steadfast love is great to the heavens,  
your faithfulness to the clouds.***

Leader: *Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!  
Let your glory be over all the earth!*

*Psalms 57:5, 9-11*

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

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## Worship in Song

"Arise, Oh God"

"Made a Way"

"I Will Bless the Lord at All Times"

## Passing of the Peace

## Community Life

Abigail Schreiner, HopeTree Family Services

## Scripture Reading

*John 6:25-35*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

## Offering & Worship in Song

"The Anthem"

Today in Children's Worship, children 4 years old through 2nd grade will learn from the Jesus Storybook Bible: The story of the lost son, Luke 15.

# God feeds us with His Word

## Sermon

*After this Jesus revealed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias, and he revealed himself in this way. 2 Simon Peter, Thomas (called the Twin), Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples were together. 3 Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.*

*4 Just as day was breaking, Jesus stood on the shore; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. 5 Jesus said to them, "Children, do you have any fish?" They answered him, "No." 6 He said to them, "Cast the net on the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in, because of the quantity of fish. 7 That disciple whom Jesus loved therefore said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his outer garment, for he was stripped for work, and threw himself into the sea. 8 The other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, but about a hundred yards off.*

*9 When they got out on land, they saw a charcoal fire in place, with fish laid out on it, and bread. 10 Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." 11 So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, 153 of them. And although there were so many, the net was not torn. 12 Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord. 13 Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and so with the fish. 14 This was now the third time that Jesus was revealed to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.*

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

**People: Praise be to God!**

*John 21:1-14*

*Isaiah 40:8*

Today's sermon is given by  
Pastoral Resident Charles  
Lewis.

## 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

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"Oh the Blood of Jesus"

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"You Are Good"

## Benediction

### About Us

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.

Public worship service 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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