

northside church

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It is not the strength of your faith but the object of your faith that actually saves you. Strong faith in a weak branch is fatally inferior to weak faith in a strong branch.

- Timothy Keller, The Reason for God: Belief in an Age of Skepticism

God gathers us together for worship

Psalm 146:1-2, 7b-8, 10

Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD, O my soul!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live;

I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

People: The LORD sets the prisoners free;

the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.

The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;

the LORD loves the righteous.

Leader: The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the Lord!

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

Worship in Song

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"

"Mighty To Save"

"You Deserve It"

Passing of the Peace

Community Life

Update and prayer: Corinne Tucker

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 35

Reader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God!**

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Offering & Worship in Song

"10,000 Reasons"

God feeds us with His Word

Sermon

46 And they came to Jericho. And as he was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. 47 And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" 48 And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" 49 And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you." 50 And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. 51 And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight." 52 And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way.

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

People: Praise be to God!

Mark 10:46-52

Isaiah 40:8

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

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"

"Joy"

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Benediction

About Us

Northside Church of Richmond is a church of the James River Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America (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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