



FIRST SCOTS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Of Beaufort

— PCA —

THE LORD'S DAY

February 22, 2026

Sunday School: 9:30AM (all ages)
Morning Worship Service: 10:40AM
Evening Worship Service: 5PM

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Prayer of Preparation: “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

Trinity Hymnal #184

The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am his,
and he is mine forever.

Where streams of living water flow,
my ransomed soul he leadeth;
and where the verdant pastures grow,
with food celestial feedeth.

Perverse and foolish, oft I strayed,
but yet in love he sought me;
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home, rejoicing, brought me.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill,
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.

Thou spreadst a table in my sight;
thy unction grace bestoweth;
and oh, what transport of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth!

And so through all the length of days,
thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
within thy house forever.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

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Parents, we are delighted for your little ones to join us in worship! If they need to stretch their legs or lungs during the service, please feel free to use the Worshippers in Training (WIT) room or the nursery.

WELCOME

Rev. Tom Brown
Assistant Pastor

CALL TO WORSHIP: PSALM 95:6-7

[6]Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!
[7]For he is God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

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. Amen.

***OPENING HYMN:**

How Firm a Foundation

Trinity Hymnal #94

OLD TESTAMENT READING/CALL TO CONFESSION: PSALM 23:1-5

[1]The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. [2]He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. [3]He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. [4]Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. [5]You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: PSALM 23:6

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM, QUESTION #57

Question 57: Which is the fourth commandment?

Answer: The fourth commandment is: *Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Six days shall you labor, and do all your work: but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God: in it you shall not do any work, not you, your son, your daughter, your manservant, your maidservant, your cattle, or the stranger that is within your gates: For in six days the LORD made heaven and*

MORNING SERMON TEXT

[1]So I exhort the elders among you, as a fellow elder and a witness of the sufferings of Christ, as well as a partaker in the glory that is going to be revealed: [2]shepherd the flock of God that is among you, exercising oversight, not under compulsion, but willingly, as God would have you; not for shameful gain, but eagerly; [3]not domineering over those in your charge, but being examples to the flock. [4]And when the chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the unfading crown of glory. [5]Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.”—I Peter 5:1-5

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

I. THE NATURE OF SHEPHERD LEADERSHIP

II. THE PURPOSE OF SHEPHERD LEADERSHIP

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

III. THE CALL TO FOLLOW SHEPHERD LEADERSHIP

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING

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Hymn Sing

Rev. Alex Mark
Senior Pastor

Call to Worship

Psalm 46:8-11

[8]Come, behold the works of the LORD, how he has brought desolations on the earth. [9]He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the chariots with fire. [10]"Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!" [11]The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Selah

**Opening Hymn:*

O Worship the King

Trinity Hymnal #2

Scripture Reading:

Acts 2:42-47

Evening Prayer

Scripture Reading & Sermon: "SATAN'S PLAYBOOK"
Genesis 3:1-7

Rev. Alex Mark

**Closing Hymn*

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Trinity Hymnal #92

**Benediction*

**Congregation Standing*

GENESIS 3:1-7

[1]Now the serpent was more crafty than any other beast of the field that the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, “Did God actually say, ‘You shall not eat of any tree in the garden?’” [2]And the woman said to the serpent, “We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden, [3]but God said, ‘You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die.’” [4]But the serpent said to the woman, “You will not surely die. [5]For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.” [6]So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate. [7]Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked. And they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loincloths.

EVENING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

I. DECEPTION

II. DOUBT

III. DISTORTION OF SCRIPTURE

EVENING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

IV. DOWNPLAY SIN'S CONSEQUENCES

V. DENY OUR PRIVILEGES

VI. DISORDERED DESIRES

VII. DAMAGE & DESTRUCTION