



FIRST SCOTS  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Of Beaufort*

— PCA —

**THE LORD'S DAY**

**June 14, 2026**

**Sunday School: 9:30AM (all ages)**

**Morning Worship Service: 10:40AM**

**Evening Worship Service: 5PM**

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# Prayer of Preparation: “Longings for God”

From *The Valley of Vision*

MY LORD,

I can only tell You what You already know: I desire nothing more than You.

I long for holiness, for a heart that is fully yielded to Your will, and for deeper communion with You.

These desires are gifts from Your hand, and only You can satisfy them.

My soul longs for fellowship with You and for victory over the sin that still remains within me, especially the sin of spiritual pride.

How precious it is to have a tender conscience and a clear understanding of what true godliness and holiness really are.

What a blessing it is to become more like You—to reflect, in some small measure, the character of the God who made me.

Lord, make me more like Yourself. Expand my heart to receive more of Your holiness, and teach me to live more fully for Your glory.

Guard me from becoming too satisfied with my spiritual experiences.

When I have enjoyed sweet seasons of fellowship with You, remind me how much more there is to know of Your beauty and how far I still have to grow in grace.

Draw me nearer to Yourself.

Teach me to love You more deeply, to seek You more earnestly, to pray more fervently, and to hunger for the day when I will finally be set free from this body of sin.

My heart is so prone to wander, and my soul grieves whenever it loses sight of Christ, the One it loves.

Surround my life with Your steadfast love.

Keep my desires fixed on You.

Make me humble, content with Your providence, and surrendered to Your will.

Help me to gaze more steadily upon You, so that I may be better prepared both to serve You faithfully and to suffer for You patiently.

Amen.

# THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

## JUNE 14, 2026

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

**WELCOME**

Rev. Alex Mark  
Senior Pastor

### **CALL TO WORSHIP: PSALM 27:4, 7-8**

[4]One thing have I asked of the LORD, that I will seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple. [7]Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me! [8]You have said, "Seek my face." My heart says to you, "Your face, LORD, do I seek."

### **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:**      Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul      Trinity Hymnal #57

### **OLD TESTAMENT READING/CALL TO CONFESSION: PSALM 1**

[1]Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; [2]but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night. [3]He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers. [4]The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. [5]Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; [6]for the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON: HEBREWS 10:19-22**

[19]Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, [20]by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, [21]and since we have a great high priest over the house of God,



# MORNING SERMON TEXT

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[1]When Jesus had spoken these words, he lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, “Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, [2]since you have given him authority over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. [3]And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. [4]I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do. [5]And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed.”—John 17:1-5

## MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

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### **I. OUR LORD’S PRIVATE LIFE**

### **II. OUR LORD’S PRAYER LIFE**

# MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

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## III. OUR LORD'S PATTERN FOR HIS DISCIPLES

# THE LORD'S DAY EVENING

## June 14, 2026

*Hymn Sing*

Rev. Alex Mark  
Senior Pastor

*Call to Worship*

Psalm 45:1-9

[1]My heart overflows with a pleasing theme; I address my verses to the king; my tongue is like the pen of a ready scribe. [2]You are the most handsome of the sons of men; grace is poured upon your lips; therefore God has blessed you forever. [3]Gird your sword on your thigh, O mighty one, in your splendor and majesty! [4]In your majesty ride out victoriously for the cause of truth and meekness and righteousness; let your right hand teach you awesome deeds! [5]Your arrows are sharp in the heart of the king's enemies; the peoples fall under you. [6]Your throne, O God, is forever and ever. The scepter of your kingdom is a scepter of uprightness; [7]you have loved righteousness and hated wickedness. Therefore God, your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness beyond your companions; [8]your robes are all fragrant with myrrh and aloes and cassia. From ivory palaces stringed instruments make you glad; [9]daughters of kings are among your ladies of honor; at your right hand stands the queen in gold of Ophir.

*\*Opening Hymn:*

Not What My Hands Have Done

Trinity Hymnal #461

*Scripture Reading:*

Acts 9:1-22

*Evening Prayer*

*Scripture Reading & Sermon:*

“THE GLORY IS NOT GONE;  
THE BEST IS YET TO COME”  
Malachi 2:17 – 3:5

Rev. Tom Brown  
Assistant Pastor

*\*Closing Hymn:*

Jesus Shall Reign

Trinity Hymnal #441

*\*Benediction*

# MALACHI 2:17 – 3:5

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[17] You have wearied the LORD with your words. But you say, “How have we wearied him?” By saying, “Everyone who does evil in the sight of the LORD, and he delights in them.” Or by asking, “Where is the God of justice?”

[1] “Behold, I send my messenger, and he will prepare the way before me. And the Lord whom you seek will suddenly come to his temple; and the messenger of the covenant in whom you delight, behold, he is coming, says the LORD of hosts. [2] But who can endure the day of his coming, and who can stand when he appears? For he is like a refiner’s fire and like fullers’ soap. [3] He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver, and he will purify the sons of Levi and refine them like gold and silver, and they will bring offerings in righteousness to the LORD. [4] Then the offering of Judah and Jerusalem will be pleasing to the LORD as in the days of old and as in former years. [5] Then I will draw near to you for judgment. I will be a swift witness against the sorcerers, against the adulterers, against those who swear falsely, against those who oppress the hired worker in his wages, the widow and the fatherless, against those who thrust aside the sojourner, and do not fear me, says the LORD of hosts.”

## EVENING SERMON NOTES

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# EVENING SERMON NOTES (CONT'D)

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