



FIRST SCOTS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Of Beaufort
— PCA —

THE LORD'S DAY

August 9, 2026

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

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Prayer of Preparation: “Sincerity”

From *The Valley of Vision*

ELECTOR OF SAINTS,

Blessed is the man who thou
choosest and callest to thyself.

With thee is mercy, redemption,
assurance, forgiveness;
Thou hast lifted me, a prisoner,
out of the pit of sin
and pronounced my discharge,
not only in the courts of heaven,
but in the dock of conscience;
hast justified me by faith,
given me peace with thee,
made me to enjoy glorious liberty as
thy child.

Save me from the false hope of the
hypocrite:
May I never suppose I am in Christ
unless I am a new creature,
never think I am born of the Spirit
unless I mind the things of the
Spirit,
never rest satisfied with professions
of belief
and outward forms and services,
while my heart is not right with
thee.

May I judge my sincerity in religion
by my fear to offend thee,
my concern to know thy will,
my willingness to deny myself.

May nothing render me forgetful of thy
glory,
or turn me aside from thy
commands,
or shake my confidence in thy
promises,
or offend thy children.

Let not my temporal occupations injure
my spiritual concerns,
or the cares of life make me neglect
the one thing needful.

May I not be inattentive to the design
of thy dealings with me,
or insensible under thy rebukes,
or immobile at thy calls.

May I learn the holy art of abiding in
thee,
of being in the world and not
of it,
of making everything not
only consistent with but
conducive to my religion.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

AUGUST 9, 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. Tom Brown
Assistant Pastor

CALL TO WORSHIP: I JOHN 5:20

And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us understanding, so that we may know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. He is the true God and eternal life.

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:** Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Trinity Hymnal #53

OLD TESTAMENT READING/CALL TO CONFESSION: PSALM 37

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: PSALM 37:39-40

[39]The salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; he is their stronghold in the time of trouble. [40]The LORD helps them and delivers them; he delivers them from the wicked and saves them, because they take refuge in him.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM, QUESTIONS #67 & #68

Question 67: Which is the sixth commandment?

Answer: The sixth commandment is, *Thou shalt not kill.*

Question 68: What is required in the sixth commandment?

Answer: The sixth commandment requireth all lawful endeavors to preserve our own life, and the life of others.

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

OFFERING:

***HYMN OF APPROACH:** Thou Who Wast Rich beyond All Splendor Trinity Hymnal #230

SERMON: “THE ROOT & FRUIT OF CHRISTIAN SALVATION” Rev. Tom Brown
Titus 3:3-8

***HYMN OF THANKSGIVING:** How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds Trinity Hymnal
#647

*BENEDICTION

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:** Be Thou My Vision, #642, Stanza 4

*Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, thou mine inheritance, now and always:
thou and thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.*

**Congregation Standing*

MORNING SERMON TEXT

[3]For we ourselves were once foolish, disobedient, led astray, slaves to various passions and pleasures, passing our days in malice and envy, hated by others and hating one another. [4]But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, [5]he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, [6]whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, [7]so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life. [8]The saying is trustworthy, and I want you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to devote themselves to good works. These things are excellent and profitable for people.—Titus 3:3-8

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

I. THE MEANS OF CHRISTIAN SALVATION (v. 3:3-7)

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

II. THE FRUIT OF CHRISTIAN SALVATION (v. 3:8)

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING

August 9, 2026

Hymn Sing

Rev. Alex Mark
Senior Pastor

Call to Worship

Ezekiel 1:26-28

[26]And above the expanse over their heads was the likeness of a throne, in appearance like sapphire; and seated above the likeness of a throne was a likeness with a human appearance. [27]And upward from what had the appearance of his waist I saw as it were gleaming metal, like the appearance of fire enclosed all around. And downward from what had the appearance of his waist I saw as it were the appearance of fire, and there was brightness around him. [28]Like the appearance of the bow that is in the cloud on the day of rain, so was the appearance of the brightness all around. Such was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the LORD. And when I saw it, I fell on my face, and I heard the voice of one speaking.

**Opening Hymn:*

O God beyond All Praising

Trinity Hymnal #660

Scripture Reading:

Acts 13:1-12

Evening Prayer

Scripture Reading & Sermon: "THE DISTINCTION BETWEEN
THE RIGHTEOUS & THE WICKED"
MALACHI 3:13-4:3

Rev. Tom Brown
Assistant Pastor

**Closing Hymn:*

Arise, O God

Trinity Hymnal #442

**Benediction*

**Congregation Standing*

MALACHI 3:13-4:3

[13]“Your words have been hard against me, says the LORD. But you say, ‘How have we spoken against you?’ [14]You have said, ‘It is vain to serve God. What is the profit of our keeping his charge or of walking as in mourning before the LORD of hosts? [15]And now we call the arrogant blessed. Evil doers not only prosper but they put God to the test and they escape.’”

[16]Then those who feared the LORD spoke with one another. The LORD paid attention and heard them, and a book of remembrance was written before him of those who feared the LORD and esteemed his name. [17]“They shall be mine, says the LORD of hosts, in the day when I make up my treasured possession, and I will spare them as a man spares his son who serves him. [18]Then once more you shall see the distinction between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who does not serve him. [4:1]For behold, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evil doers will be stubble. The day that is coming shall set them ablaze, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. [2]But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall. [3]And you shall tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet, on the day when I act, says the LORD of hosts.”

EVENING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

I. THE RESPONSE OF THE WICKED (v. 3:13-15)

EVENING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

II. THE RESPONSE OF THE RIGHTEOUS (v. 3:16-17)

III. THE COMING DAY OF DESTRUCTION (v. 3:18-4:3)