

Welcome to
Northbrook Presbyterian Church

November 22, 2020

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Hymn of Praise 37 - *Let All Things Now Living*

1 Let all things now living
a song of thanksgiving
to God our Creator triumphantly raise;
who fashioned and made us,
protected and stayed us,
by guiding us on to the end of our days.
God's banners are o'er us;
pure light goes before us,
a pillar of fire shining forth in the night:
till shadows have vanished,
all fearfulness banished,
as forward we travel from light into light.

2 By law God enforces,
the stars in their courses,
the sun in its orbit obediently shine;
the hills and the mountains,
the rivers and fountains,
the depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.
We too should be voicing
our love and rejoicing;
with glad adoration, a song let us raise,
till all things now living
unite in thanksgiving:
to God in the highest, hosanna and praise!

Confession & Pardon

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our failure to be what you created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Passing the Peace 729 - *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian*

*1 Lord, I want to be a Christian
in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be a Christian
in my heart.*

*In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be a Christian
in my heart.*

*2 Lord, I want to be more loving
in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more loving
in my heart.*

*In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more loving
in my heart.*

*3 Lord, I want to be more holy
in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more holy
in my heart.*

*In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more holy
in my heart.*

*4 Lord, I want to be like Jesus
in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be like Jesus
in my heart.*

*In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be like Jesus
in my heart.*

Sermon - *What We Do While We Wait*
Matthew 25:31-46

Music for Reflection

Prayers of the People and 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.

Sending Hymn - *Jesus, Be With Us*

(Refrain) Jesus, be with us. Help us each day to follow the gospel and live as we pray. Send us your Spirit and show us your way. Jesus, be with us today.

1 Where there is hunger and thirst in the land, shatter the systems of greed. Jesus, be with us; make use of our hands. Lift up your people in need.

Refrain

2 Where there is hatred because of our skin, break down the walls of our fear. Jesus, be with us to save us from sin. In your great love, draw us near.

Refrain

3 Where there are valleys of bones, dry as dust, build up the body of Christ. Jesus, be with us, and help us to trust. Teach us a new way of life.

Refrain

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Announcements

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with many gifts, including our time, our possessions, and our very lives. Use us, and the contributions we make, in feeding the world with your love; through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Charge & Benediction

Sending Music

Leading You in Worship Today

Pastor: Rev. Ben Larson-Wolbrink

Liturgist: Claire LaSota

Live Musicians: Dan Gross & Pete Zajicek

Pre-recorded Vocalists: Doug Joppie and Angel Gippert

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Office Hours

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Fridays: 9:00—Noon

Please call to make an appointment or let us know you are coming and we will gladly welcome you.

Masks are required and social distancing guidelines will be followed.

Worship

Join us at 10:15 a.m. on Sundays to watch our pre-recorded service
on Northbrook's YouTube Channel: [NorthbrookPresCh](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC...)

The service will also be available for viewing anytime after 10:15 a.m. on YouTube
or on the church website: www.northbrookpc.org