



FIRST SCOTS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Of Beaufort

— PCA —

THE LORD'S DAY

June 28, 2026

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

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Prayer of Preparation: “Christian Calling” from the *Valley of Vision* (modernized)

O Lord God,

Your first call comes through Your Word: “Come to Me. Return to Me.”

Your second call comes when You open our eyes to see that this invitation is meant for us personally. You help us see not only the truth of Your command, but also its sweetness.

We see Your great love for sinners, that You invite us to come despite all our sin and unworthiness.

We see the purpose of Your call, that we might enjoy fellowship with You.

We see the promise of the gospel, that salvation is entirely of grace.

Therefore, Lord, I need not search for signs that I am elect or wonder whether I am loved.

If I turn to You, You have promised to receive me.

Christ has promised fellowship to all who come to Him, and Your Spirit is given to all who trust in Him, putting sin to death, assuring us of Your favor, and giving us strength to persevere.

It delights You to help those who seek Your grace and come to You for mercy.

When my heart is cold because of sin, burdened by sorrow, clouded by darkness, or troubled by fear, only Your free grace can help me. Grant me true humility and a deep sense of my need for You.

Forgive me for neglecting to come to You daily. Cleanse me from the subtle pride that finds satisfaction in religious duties themselves rather than in You. Keep me from trusting in my own efforts, understanding, or devotion.

Grant that every trial You send would accomplish Your good purpose in me. Let every hardship be measured by Your wisdom and shaped by Your love to humble me, refine me, and make me more like Christ.

May I never focus only on the rod of discipline and forget the hand that holds it.

And may I never forget that the greatest blow fell upon Christ in my place, so that through His suffering I might be drawn near to You.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

JUNE 28, 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 service, please feel free to use the Worshippers in Training (WIT) room or the nursery.

WELCOME

Rev. Alex Mark
Senior Pastor

CALL TO WORSHIP: PSALM 104:31-34

[31]May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in his works,
[32]who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they
smoke! [33]I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while
I have being. [34]May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the LORD.

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:**

O Worship the King

Trinity Hymnal #2

OLD TESTAMENT READING/CALL TO CONFESSION: DEUTERONOMY 7:6-11

[6]"For you are a people holy to the LORD your God. The LORD your God has chosen
you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the
face of the earth. [7]It was not because you were more in number than any other
people that the LORD set his love on you and chose you, for you were the fewest of all
peoples, [8]but it is because the LORD loves you and is keeping the oath that he swore
to your fathers, that the LORD has brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed
you from the house of slavery, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt. [9]Know
therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and
steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand
generations, [10]and repays to their face those who hate him, by destroying them. He
will not be slack with one who hates him. He will repay him to his face. [11]You shall
therefore be careful to do the commandment and the statutes and the rules that I
command you today."

MORNING SERMON TEXT

[6]“I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. [7]Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. [8]For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. [9]I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. [10]All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them.”—John 17:6-10

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES

I. THE GIFT OF A PEOPLE

II. THE GLORY OF THE SON

MORNING SERMON OUTLINE & NOTES (CONT'D)

III. THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING

June 28, 2026

Hymn Sing

Rev. Alex Mark
Senior Pastor

Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1-3

[1]Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! [2]Serve the LORD with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing! [3]Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who
made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

**Opening Hymn:*

God, in the Gospel of His Son

Trinity Hymnal #141

Scripture Reading:

Acts 9: 32-43

Evening Prayer

Scripture Reading & Sermon: "ONCE HIDDEN, NOW REVEALED"

Rev. Michael Bauer

Ephesians 3:1-6

**Closing Hymn*

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

Trinity Hymnal #128

**Benediction*

**Congregation Standing*

EPHESIANS 3:1-6

[1]For this reason I, Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus on behalf of you Gentiles—[2]assuming that you have heard of the stewardship of God’s grace that was given to me for you, [3]how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I have written briefly. [4]When you read this, you can perceive my insight into the mystery of Christ, [5]which was not made known to the sons of men in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit. [6]This mystery is that the Gentiles are fellow heirs, members of the same body, and partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel.

EVENING SERMON NOTES

EVENING SERMON NOTES (CONT'D)
