



Welcome

Welcome to Community North Baptist Church! We want you to feel welcome and loved here! Too often, Christians have been known more for what they're against than what they are for. We want you to know that we're FOR YOU because God is FOR YOU. Wherever you may be in your faith journey, we want to come alongside you and encourage you, and positively impact the world together.



Sunday, April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Easter

About Today's Service

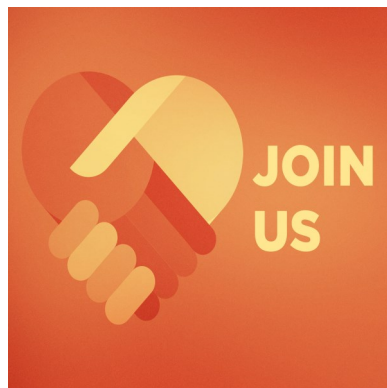
This past Tuesday night, we had a difficult, challenging, and possibly frustrating conversation about the power of one. Today, we will unpack that more specifically for our church and us as individuals in our unique setting. Who or what is a one? What does it mean for us to have a one? How would having a one impact our individual lives and our church? And what if we don't have a one? We'll wrestle with these questions and more.

About the Art: Anonymous. Jesus as shepherd with the lost sheep, from **Art in the Christian Tradition**, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN.



Connect With Us

Choosing a church home is a big deal. It's where you hear the teachings that help shape the way you live, where you develop lifelong friendships, and maybe raise your children. Whether you're new to Community North or you've been here for a while, we would love to help you get connected. To connect, please use the QR code below, text "Connect" to (972) 542-0261, or fill out the enclosed Welcome Card. Plus, if this is your first time to do one of these steps, we'd like to give a donation to a local charity or mission. Once you register, we'll connect with you to see which ministry you would like to support. Thank you for helping us be FOR McKinney!



How to Become a Member

If you would like to join Community North, you can join at the end of a worship service by speaking with the person waiting at the front of the Sanctuary during the response time. The church accepts new members by Transfer of Letter from another Baptist Church, by Statement of Faith, and by Profession of Faith. If you have questions about joining the church, please contact the church office.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:45 a.m.

The people of Community North gather this morning to worship God. In order for this service to be focused upon that purpose, please silence all electronic devices.

Goodness of God

Welcome
Tim Culberson

The Wonderful Cross

How Deep The Father's Love for Us

Prayer of Stewardship/Offering
Once Again

Message

The Power of One

Luke 15:1-7

Kevin Roe

Song of Response
Reckless Love

Closing Prayer

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00 a.m.

Kevin Roe, Senior Pastor
Tim Thurston, Minister of Music
BJ Harman, Piano | Betty Rutledge, Organ

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Welcome and Ministries of the Church Family		Kevin Roe
Preparation for Worship	<i>I Love to Tell the Story</i> Betty Rutledge, Organ	Fischer
+*Hymn	<i>Across the Lands</i>	Townend

You're the Word of God, the Father from before the world began;
Every star and every planet has been fashioned by Your hand.
All creation holds together by the power of Your voice.
Let the skies declare Your glory; let the land and sea rejoice.

*You're the author of creation, You're the Lord of everyone,
And Your cry of love rings out across the lands.*

Yet, You left the gaze of angels, came to seek and save the lost,
And exchanged the joy of heaven for the anguish of a cross.
With a prayer You fed the hungry, with a word You calmed the sea;
Yet, how silently You suffered that the guilty may go free.

With a shout You rose victorious, wrestling victory from the grave,
And ascended into heaven, leading captives in Your way.
Now You stand before the Father interceding for Your own.
From each tribe and tongue and nation You are leading sinners home.

*Morning Prayer

The Old Testament Reading—Psalm 32:1-11

The New Testament Reading—2 Corinthians 5:16-21

+*Hymn 11	<i>The Love of God</i>	Lehman/Nehorai
*Prayer of Stewardship		Joyce Gorman

*Congregants who are able are invited to stand.

+Hymnals are located in the rack beneath each seat in the sanctuary.

Musical Offering

Give Me Jesus
Sanctuary Choir

Traditional Spiritual/
arr. Courtney

In the morning when I rise, give me Jesus. Dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus.
When I am alone, give me Jesus. And when I come to die, give me Jesus.
You may have all this world, give me Jesus. You may have all this world, give me Jesus.

*The Doxology

Ken/Genevan Psalter, 1551 Edition

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him, above Ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

Children who are 3-years old through 5th grade are dismissed
for Children's Church during the Doxology.

Message

The Power of One
Luke 15:1-7

Kevin Roe

+*Hymn of Response

Let Your Heart Be Broken

Leech/Mountain

Let your heart be broken for a world in need—
Feed the mouths that hunger, soothe the wounds that bleed,
Give the cup of water and the loaf of bread—
Be the hands of Jesus, serving in his stead.

Here on earth applying principals of love—
Visible expression God still rules above,
Living illustration of the Living Word
To the minds of all who've never seen and heard.

Add to your believing deeds that prove it true—
Knowing Christ as Savior, make Him Master, too:
Follow in His footsteps, go where He has trod,
In the world's great trouble risk yourself for God.

Let your heart be tender and your vision clear—
See mankind as God sees, serve Him far and near;
Let your heart be broken by another's pain,
Share your rich resources—give and give again.

If you would like to join Community North or make another public decision or receive prayer, please make your way to the front of the Sanctuary during the singing of this hymn and speak with the minister waiting there.

*The Benediction

*Postlude

Share His Love
Betty Rutledge, Organ

Kevin Roe

Reynolds

Morning Message

The Power of One

Luke 15:1-7

Rev. Kevin Roe, Senior Pastor



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Ministries of the Church Family

Quarterly Church Business Conference—

The quarterly business conference will take place following the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

Prayer Requests—To submit prayer requests, please email prayer@communitynorthbc.org, or you can call the church office, and we will make sure it is added to our list. Also, we'd love to add you to our prayer ministry. If you'd like to know more, please contact Joyce Gorman.

Announcements—If your ministry team or class has announcements you would like to have included in the Worship Guide or other church communications, please turn those into Pam by noon on Wednesday. You can send them by email to secretary@communitynorthbc.org.

Sanctuary Flowers—If you, or your family, would like to sponsor sanctuary flowers for the altar in honor or memory of someone, please let someone on the floral ministry or Pam in the church office know and they will coordinate the date.

Mark Your Calendar

Vacation Bible School—VBS will take place July 25-28.

How to Give

Your gifts are changing lives inside and outside our walls. Below are several methods you can use to contribute financially. Thanks for your generosity.

ONLINE. Set up a recurring or one-time gift charged to your debit or credit card or as an ACH from your checking account. Get started at communitynorthbc.org/give.

AUTOMATIC BANK PAY. Visit your bank's website and set up Community North as a payee. The bank will send the church a check.

MAIL. Send your check to Pam Wood's attention at Community North.

TEXT. Text GIVE and a dollar amount (ex: GIVE 50) to (972) 542-0261.

DONATE STOCKS. Contact Pam to learn how to donate appreciated stocks.

FROM YOUR IRA. For those over 70½ years old, tax-free IRA gifts offer a financial benefit and may reduce future tax burdens.



Scan this QR Code with your smartphone camera to make an electronic contribution.

At Community North, your gifts to the General Fund support the basic mission, ministry, and operations of the church.

This Week at Community North

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: 1 Chronicles 7-10

- Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary) 8:45 a.m.
- Prayer Group (Library) 9:00 a.m.
- Bible Study for All Ages 9:45 a.m.
- Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)..... 11:00 am.
- Quarterly Church Business Conference 12:00 p.m.
- Bible Study (El Buen Fundamento) 11:30 a.m.
- Morning Worship (El Buen Fundamento)..... 12:30 p.m.

Monday, April 29, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: Psalm 102-104

Tuesday, April 30, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: 2 Samuel 5; 1 Chronicles 11-12

- Loving Hands 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, May 1, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: Psalm 133

- Bible Study (Parlor) 6:00 p.m.
- Children's Music and Missions (105)..... 6:00 p.m.
- Students and Young Adults (Café)..... 6:00 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir (Sanctuary) 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 2, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: Psalms 106-107

- Community Bible Study 10:15 a.m.
- Mid-Week Worship (El Buen Fundamento) 7:00 p.m.

Friday, May 3, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: 1 Chronicles 13-16

Saturday, May 4, 2024

Daily Bible Reading: Psalms 1-2, 15, 22-24, 47, 68

**Deacon of the Week
Week of April 28—May 4**

Joyce Gorman
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See an Usher or
Greeter



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