



HOLY TRINITY

Presbyterian Church

PNC Update 5/10/26

A time for every season! So well said last week in Karen Armstrong's Sunday message and the beautiful music from the choir complimented it. We didn't plan any of that; but God must have.

And in case you missed the announcement last week at church, we have a new pastor! Rev. Tobias Green.

Over the course of PNC's discernment, and even before, God was planting seeds, laying the foundation, leaving us nuggets to prayerfully consider. Every time we looked elsewhere, God nudged us back. He gave many of you in the congregation the words and prayers to share with us when we needed it most. Thank you for that!

Each of us on PNC had our own opinions, viewpoints and feelings but ultimately, we were one in the Spirit when it came to Pr. Tobias. We ALL felt this. And once that happened, we knew. We knew this is who God intended to have partner with HTPC to guide us to do His will (Thy will be done!). Though it was hard to contain our excitement, our joy, the peace that settled over us over the last couple of weeks, we had to do things in good order. So we asked for a called Session meeting which was held on Saturday, May 2, 2026. We went into detail about our decision, what led us to it, how we came to feel this way. We gave the Session a proposal that they wholeheartedly supported. Thank you to them.

Here we are then. Pr. Tobias and his family (wife Jasmine, daughters Karen and Denise) are joining us in worship today but Pr. Tobias already has hit the ground running, meeting with several groups and getting himself settled in the pastor's office.

Looking back, we now can see ALL the signs God sent. Nothing was coincidental. All in God's timing, all in God's plan for us. Thanks be to God! And certainly, a time for every season under heaven! Amen!

PS: HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!!!

MAY 10, 2026 ORDER OF WORSHIP

Please Stand As You Are Able

Prelude

Choral Introit

Oh How Glorious

✠ Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader: *This is the day the LORD has made,*

PEOPLE: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

Leader: *You are my God, and I will give You thanks;*

PEOPLE: **You are my God and I will exalt You!**

† **ALL:** **Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, His love endures forever!**

Opening Hymn

We Will Glorify

Songbook #55

We will glorify the King of kings, we will glorify the Lamb;
We will glorify the Lord of lords, Who is the great I AM.

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty, we will bow before His throne;
We will worship in righteousness, we will worship Him alone.

He is Lord of heaven, Lord of earth, He is Lord of all who live;
He is Lord above the universe, all praise to Him we give.

Hallelujah to the King of kings, hallelujah to the Lamb;
Hallelujah to the Lord of Lords, who is the great I AM.

Prayer of Confession

(silent, then together)

Merciful and loving God, as we consider this past week, it doesn't take long to remember where, and when, and how, we have fallen short. Most of all, we have failed to live up to our relationship with You, LORD. Forgive us. By Your grace, with the help of the Holy Spirit, renew us to be better children of our Heavenly Father. And just maybe, next Sunday at this time, our hearts will be a little less heavy, and a little more full. Through Your Son, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

Confession Response Come and Fill Our Hearts (*sing through twice*)

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Come and fill our hearts with Your peace. You alone, O Lord are holy.
Come and fill our hearts with Your peace. Alleluia!

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

† **Response: Gloria Patri** *Glory Be to the Father*

#581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, Amen.

Time with Children

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture *Exodus 20:1-17; 1 Corinthians 1:18-25*

Message *"What DOES God Want?"*

† **Passing the Peace of Christ**

Choral Anthem *My Shepherd Will Supply (arr. Thomson)*

Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed*

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I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only son, our Lord;
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Presentation of Our Offerings

Offertory

†Doxology

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Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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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.

Presentation of HTPW Lifetime Membership Award

† Closing Hymn

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Songbook #109

Make me a channel of Your peace. Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love.
Where there is injury, pardon, Lord. And where there's doubt, true faith in You.

Oh! Master, grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console,
To be understood as to understand, To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace. Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope;
Where there is darkness, only light, and where there's sadness, ever joy.

Oh! Master, grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console,
To be understood as to understand, To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
In giving to all that we receive, and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

† Charge & Benediction

† Choral Benediction

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

† Postlude



UPCOMING EVENTS

- May 10th** Mother's Day Breakfast (8AM)
- May 10th** Berean Bible Study (8:30AM)
- May 10th** Faith Alive Sunday School Class (9AM)
- May 10th** MOTHER'S DAY Worship Service (10AM)
- May 10th** HTPW Honorary Life Membership Award Presentation (during service: 10AM)
- May 10th** MOE Meeting (11:15AM)
- May 10th** Pet Food Collection
- May 12th** Bible Study (9:30AM)
- May 13th** Prayer Shawl (9:30AM)
- May 13th** Holly Days Market Crafters (1PM)
- May 14th** Choir Rehearsal (6:30PM)
- May 16th** Trailblazers Hiking Club (9AM @ Pearsall Park)
- May 17th** Berean Bible Study (8:30AM)
- May 17th** Faith Alive Class (9AM)
- May 17th** Worship Service (10AM)
- May 17th** Congregational Meeting (11AM)
- May 17th** Session Meeting (12:30PM)
- May 18th** Men's Lunch (12PM @ Camelia's)
- May 19th** Bible Study (9:30AM)
- May 19th** Caregiver's Meeting (1PM)
- May 20th** Prayer Shawl (9:30AM)
- May 20th** Finance Meeting (1:30PM)
- May 21st** Day School Advisory Board Meeting (10AM)
- May 21st** Stephen Ministry (10AM)
- May 21st** Choir Rehearsal (6:30PM)
- May 22nd** Day School Pre-K Graduation (9AM)
- May 23rd** Building & Grounds Workday (8AM)
- May 24th** Berean Bible Study (8:30AM)
- May 24th** Faith Alive Class (9AM)
- May 24th** PENTECOST Worship Service (10AM)
- May 25th** Day School & Office Closed

A Prayer for Mother's Day



Gracious and Loving God,

We thank you for the gift of mothers—biological, adoptive, foster, and those who serve as mother-figures. Thank you for their nurturing hearts, guiding hands, and unwavering love. We see Your own comforting and protecting grace reflected in their devotion to us.

We ask that you bless all mothers with strength, patience, and wisdom for each day. For those in the thick of raising children, grant them grace and moments of rest. For those with grown children, give them the ability to support and encourage with gentle wisdom.

Lord, we also lift up those who find this day difficult. Comfort those who grieve the loss of their mothers, and wrap your loving arms around those who have lost children. Pour out your peace upon those who long to be mothers, those who are estranged from their families, and those for whom motherhood has brought deep heartache. Remind them all of their sacred worth in Your eyes.

Help us to honor, love, and cherish the women who have shaped our lives. Guide us as a community to care for one another, just as you continually care for us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and brother, we pray.

Amen.