

UNIVERSITY  
BAPTIST  
CHURCH

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"But when the people of Israel cried out to the LORD, the LORD raised up a deliverer for the people of Israel."

Judges 3:9

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Preacher | Trey Richardson

Service Leader | Brad Wheeler

## Welcome

UBC exists because God, in his infinite love, sent his Son Jesus Christ to live and die in the place of sinners. On the third day Jesus rose bodily from the grave, once and for all victorious over sin and death. Now, through Jesus Christ and by the power of the Holy Spirit, God is reconciling this broken world to himself. We gather in that great hope. We pray it's your hope as well, and that you're encouraged during your time with us.

## Note on Children

It's a joy to have your children join us during the worship gathering! At ConnectingPoint in the foyer, we provide activity bags and a "sermon notes for kids" coloring sheet to encourage their engagement during the gathering. If they do get restless however, we have televisions throughout the foyer and in the nursing mother's room (located on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor of the Main Hall), which carry a live stream of the service. Finally, we also offer classes during the main gathering for all nursery through preschool-aged children. For these classes, you can check your child in at the first floor Randall Hall doors near the front entrance fountain. If you need help locating any of these things, don't hesitate to ask someone around you. Our members love opportunities to welcome you and orient you to our church!

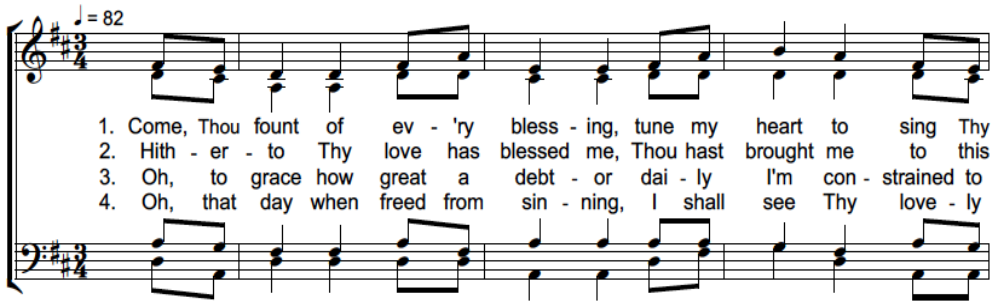
## Church Membership

For those interested in membership at UBC, we regularly offer a Discovery Class. In this class, you'll learn what the Bible says about church membership, what we believe as a church, and how we seek to live out the commands of God's Word. Our next Discovery Class will be held on Sunday, February 23rd, at 12:15pm following the morning service in the Chapel. Please sign up by scanning the QR code on page 16, or by visiting our website at ([www.ubcfayetteville.org/connect-with-ubc/discovery-class](http://www.ubcfayetteville.org/connect-with-ubc/discovery-class)).

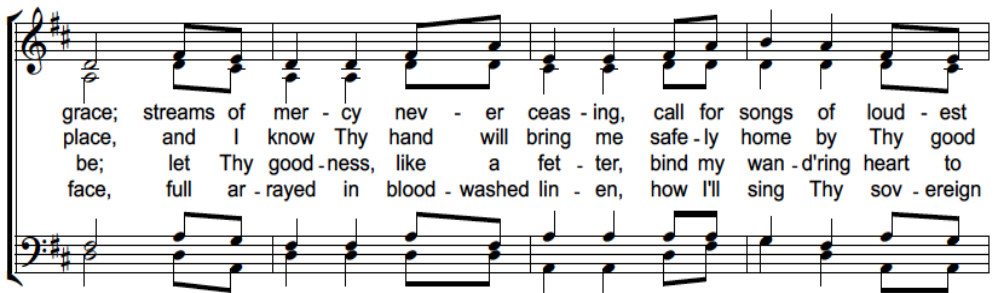
# "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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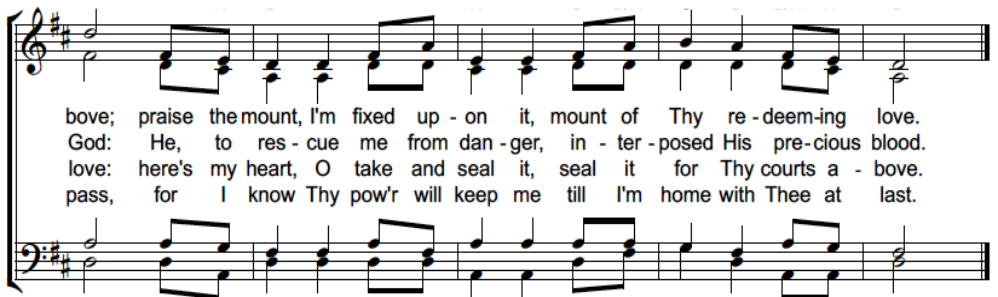
1. Come, Thou fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing Thy  
2. Hith - er - to Thy love has blessed me, Thou hast brought me to this  
3. Oh, to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to  
4. Oh, that day when freed from sin - ning, I shall see Thy love - ly



grace; streams of mer - cy nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est  
place, and I know Thy hand will bring me safe - ly home by Thy good  
be; let Thy good - ness, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to  
face, full ar - rayed in blood - washed lin - en, how I'll sing Thy sov - ereign



praise. Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a -  
grace. Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of  
Thee. Prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I  
grace. Come, my Lord, no long - er tar - ry, bring Thy prom - is - es to



bove; praise the mount, I'm fixed up - on it, mount of Thy re - deem - ing love.  
God: He, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.  
love: here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts a - bove.  
pass, for I know Thy pow'r will keep me till I'm home with Thee at last.

## Call to Worship | Psalm 145:8-9

*All Scripture readings are taken from the English Standard Version.*

<sup>8</sup>The LORD is gracious and merciful,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

<sup>9</sup>The LORD is good to all,  
and his mercy is over all that he has made.

## Baptismal Testimonies

Hudson and Emmaline Roark

## Baptismal Vows & Response

### Baptismal Candidates:

Do you make profession of repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ?

*I do.*

Do you promise, by God's grace, to follow Him forever in the fellowship of His church?

*I do.*

### Members of UBC:

Do you promise, by God's grace, to welcome, love, and pray for Hudson and Emmaline and so fulfill the promises set forth in our church covenant?

*We do.*

# "All I Have Is Christ"

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1. I once was lost in dark - est night, yet thought I knew the way. The sin that  
2. But as I ran my hell-bound race, in - dif - ferent to the cost, You looked up -  
3. Now Lord I would be Yours a - lone, and live so all might see the strength to



prom - ised joy and life had led me to the grave. I had no hope that You would  
on my help - less state and led me to the cross. And I be-held God's love dis-  
fol - low Your com - mands could nev - er come from me. O Fath - er, use my ran - somed



own a reb - el to Your will. And if You had not loved me first, I would re-  
played, You suf - fered in my place. You bore the wrath re - served for me, now all I  
life in an - y way You choose, and let my song for - ev - er be my on - ly



fuse You still. Hal - le - lu - jah! All I  
know is grace. You. All I  
boast is You.



have is Christ. Hal - le - lu - jah! Je - sus is my life.



# "We Look to You"

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Deliver us from evil, Lord  
We sojourn in a broken world  
Though evil hands give rise to war  
Remind us this is not our home  
We look to You, we look to You  
Sovereign King of all the earth  
We look to You, we look to You  
In Your strength we will endure  
In Your strength we will endure

Deliver us from evil, Lord  
Our hearts so quickly run astray  
Temptation crouching at the door  
To turn us from the narrow way  
We look to You, we look to You  
Christ the conquering Son of God  
We look to You, we look to You  
Lord complete what You've begun  
Lord complete what You've begun

Deliver us from evil, Lord  
The devil's seeking to devour  
With trembling hearts we hear his roar  
But Your strong arm will crush his pow'r  
We look to You, we look to You  
Come and end his earthly reign!  
We look to You, we look to You  
Lord deliver us we pray!

We look to You, we look to You  
You will come again to reign!  
We look to You, we look to You  
All the earth will bow in praise!

## Scripture Reading | 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

*All Scripture readings are taken from the English Standard Version.*

<sup>18</sup>For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. <sup>19</sup>For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart."

<sup>20</sup>Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? <sup>21</sup>For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. <sup>22</sup>For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, <sup>23</sup>but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, <sup>24</sup>but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. <sup>25</sup>For the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men.

<sup>26</sup>For consider your calling, brothers: not many of you were wise according to worldly standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. <sup>27</sup>But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; <sup>28</sup>God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are, <sup>29</sup>so that no human being might boast in the presence of God. <sup>30</sup>And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption, <sup>31</sup>so that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

## Prayer of Confession

*Acknowledging our sins against God*

## Assurance of Pardon | Ephesians 1:7

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In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace.



# "Grace Greater Than All Our Sin"

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1. Mar - vel - ous grace of our lov - ing Lord, Grace that ex - ceeds our  
2. Dark is the stain that we can - not hide, What can a - vail to  
3. Mar - vel - ous, in - fi - nite, match - less grace, Free - ly be - stowed on

sin and our guilt, Yon - der on Cal - va - ry's mount out - poured,  
wash it a - way? Look! there is flow - ing a crim - son tide,  
all who be - lieve; All who are long - ing to see His face,

There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt. Grace, grace,  
Whit - er than snow you may be to - day. Mar - vel - ous grace,  
Will you this mo - ment His grace re - ceive?

God's grace, Grace that will par - don and cleanse with - in; Grace,  
in - fi - nite grace, Mar - vel - ous

grace, God's grace, Grace that is great - er than all our sin.  
grace, in - fi - nite grace,

## Pastoral Prayer

*Thanking God and bringing our requests to Him*

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# Sermon Notes



# Sermon Notes

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John 13:21-38 | "Friend to Foe" | Brad Wheeler

# "The Lord Is My Salvation"

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The grace of God has reached for me  
And pulled me from the raging sea  
And I am safe on this solid ground  
The Lord is my salvation

I will not fear when darkness falls  
His strength will help me scale these walls  
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun  
The Lord is my salvation

*Who is like the Lord our God?  
Strong to save, faithful in love  
My debt is paid and the vict'ry won  
The Lord is my salvation*

My hope is hidden in the Lord  
He flow'rs each promise of His Word  
When winter fades I know spring will come  
The Lord is my salvation

In times of waiting, times of need  
When I know loss, when I am weak  
I know His grace will renew these days  
The Lord is my salvation

## *Chorus*

And when I reach the final day  
He will not leave me in the grave  
But I will rise, He will call me home  
The Lord is my salvation

Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son  
Glory be to God the Spirit, The Lord is our salvation!

## Elders and Deacons

### Elders/Pastors

Wes Burgess  
Scott Bielinski  
Christian Dennett  
Mike G.  
John Henderson  
Sam Knecht  
Stephen Martin  
Dan Paul  
Nick Roark  
Brad Wheeler

### Deacons

Brett Arent (Children's Ministry)

### Deacons (Cont'd)

Hayden Beckwith (Parking)  
Alex Davis (Ordinances)  
Frank Hannon (Member Care: Hospitalizations)  
Chris Hsiao (Bookstall)  
Cory Meyer (Building & Grounds)  
Caleb Pond (Sound)  
Evan Smith (Greeting)  
Davey Stallings (Member Care)  
J.J. Tartaglia (Member Care: Benevolence)  
Jonathan VerHoeven (Safety)  
Tim Ward (Ushering)  
Danny Wright (Member Care)

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Women's Ministry Coordinator | Erika Dennett

Women's Counseling Coordinator | Anna Nunn

Youth Ministry | Brandon M., Kelsy Minga, Zach R.

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## Get Connected

Sunday Mornings

8:30am – 8:55am | Pre-Service Prayer Meeting | Chapel

9:00am – 10:15am | Equipping Classes & Sunday School

10:30am – 12:00pm | Worship Service | Main Hall

Wednesday Evenings

4:30pm – 5:30pm | Prayer Gathering | Chapel

6:00pm – 7:30pm | Youth Ministry (5<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade) | 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Fellowship Hall

7:00pm – 8:30pm | College Midweek | U of A BCM (944 W. Maple)

## News and Events

### **Youth-Parent Information Meeting | Today | 4pm | Legacy Room**

*If you have a child in grades 5-12, we invite you to join us for a meeting this afternoon that highlights our teaching series and key events in the life of our youth ministry.*

### **Women's Bible Studies**

*Ladies, join us for a Spring Bible Study! Tuesday morning Precept Studies are back, and our Nehemiah studies begin February 11th & 12th; choose Tuesday evenings or Wednesday mornings. Find more info and sign up on our website or scan the QR code below!*

### **Sunday Evening Service | Tonight | 5pm | Chapel**

*Join us tonight for our churchwide prayer gathering where we'll worship God together through praying, singing, and hearing a devotional sermon from Philippians 2:14-18 by Nathan Harris.*

### **Members' Meeting | Next Sunday | 1.26 | 5pm | Chapel**

*Members of UBC, please make plans to gather next Sunday night, January 26th, for our upcoming family meeting to hear updates on the life of the church and to vote on new member candidates.*

### **UBC High School DNow Weekend | 2.7-2.9**

*Disciple Now weekend is a time where our high school students can grow in the Word, serve others, and enjoy fellowship. This year's theme is "Following the Serpent Crusher." The deadline to sign up is Monday, February 3rd. Please register via the QR code below or visit our website at [ubcfayetteville.org](http://ubcfayetteville.org).*

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