

Welcome

We are an inclusive, inquiring and involved church seeking to be a part of God's loving transformation of the world by sharing hope, showing grace and serving our neighbors near and far.

Core Practices

INCLUSIVE

As an inclusive church, we are welcoming to all. We embrace God's beautiful diversity in all its forms, including race and ethnicity, sexual orientation, and gender identity.

INQUIRING

As an inquiring church, we love to ask questions. We respect the faith journey of all people and encourage exploration. We value studying the Bible, but not just the Bible. We dig deep and challenge ourselves with ideas new and old.

INVOLVED

We seek to be a part of God's great work in the world by serving others. We look for ways to address hunger and housing issues. But we are also passionate in caring for the environment, advocating for immigrants and refugees, and seeking justice for the marginalized.

New Member Welcome

As members of Northside Drive Baptist Church, we welcome you as you join us in this adventure of faith and faithful community. We offer you our love, our history, and our hope. We value your story of faith and invite you to serve with us as stewards of God's grace.

Connect

We want to hear from you! How can we pray for you and connect you with meaningful ministry opportunities? Scan the QR code and complete a connect card.



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The Pocket Pinnacle

Our weekly newsletter is called *The Pinnacle*. Sign up and read more at northsidedrive.org/the-pinnacle.



Summer Kick-Off Lunch | Today 12:30 PM

Join the Hospitality Ministry Team in the Pavilion after the Church in Conference today, for a Summer Kick-Off lunch. We will have fried chicken, salad, fruit, chips, and dessert. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for kids under age 10 with a \$20 family maximum.

Hospitality Ministry Team

Touching Taliaferro With Love | June 7-10

It's Taliaferro Time! For twenty years, volunteers from NDBC have partnered with the community and other friends to provide summer camp for the children of Taliaferro County. Through Bible stories, crafts, board games, music, and recreation, we share God's love and our love with the children in this rural county.

The Missions Team is collecting school supplies. Items requested are wide-ruled notebook paper (packs of 100-200 sheets), yellow #2 pencils, and 12 count packs of colored pencils. Please bring donations by May 31.

Thank you for your prayers and support.

Missions Team

Upcoming Events | northsidedrive.org/events

Church in Conference | Today | 12:15 PM | Chapel

Lunch in the Pavilion | Today | 12:30 PM | Pavilion

Trey Clegg Singers Concert | Today | 4:00 PM | Sanctuary

Pastor Scott's Office Hours | June 1 | 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM | NDBC Office

Wednesday Bible Study | June 3 | 10:30 AM | Room 202/Hybrid

Holy Happy Hour | June 3 | 5:00 - 7:00 PM | Round Trip Brewing

Touching Taliaferro County with Love | June 7-10

Habitat for Humanity: Summer Interfaith Build | June 13 | 7:30 AM



Northside Drive Baptist Church

The Worship of God
Trinity Sunday

May 31, 2026 | 11:00 AM

The Preparation for Worship

"In the aftermath of a Constantinian Christendom, local communities of faith bear the burden of demonstrating that they are communities formed in the character and way of Jesus."

- **Graham B. Walker, Jr.**, *"Anamnesis and Anastasis: A Global Reflection in the Way of James Wm. McClendon, Jr."*

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The Worship of God

* Please stand as you are able.
The congregation speaks the text in **bold** type.

The Approach

“Be still and know that I am God.”

PRELUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! | NICAEA

Holy God, We Praise Your Name | Michael Burkhardt

GATHERING | Scott Hovey

***CALL TO WORSHIP** | Karen Massey

We come together for the worship of God.

**Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of God’s glory.**

The Hebrew scriptures remind us
that our lives come as a gift from God.

**Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of God’s glory.**

The Christian scriptures remind us
that God was in Christ reconciling the world to God.

**Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of God’s glory.**

***HYMN OF PRAISE 353**

For the Beauty of the Earth | DIX

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

The Bible speaks of the Holy Spirit who comes upon and abides
among God’s people.

**We confess our sins and ask God to forgive us when we mistreat
God’s world and one another.**

***ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**

Sisters and Brothers, God has forgiven us. God loves us because it is
the nature of God to do so.

**Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of God’s
glory.**

***PASSING THE PEACE**

***GLORIA PATRI 805 | GREATOREX**

**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.**

The Word

“Blessed are they that hear the word of the Lord.”

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: GENESIS 1:1-2:4A

Karen Massey | Old Testament p. 1

MORNING PRAYER & 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 trespasses, as we forgive those
who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but
deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the
glory, forever. Amen.**

EPISTLE LESSON: 2 CORINTHIANS 13:11-13

Karen Massey | New Testament p. 186

***HYMN OF PREPARATION 369**

Lord of All Hopefulness | SLANE

***GOSPEL LESSON: MATTHEW 28:16-20**

Karen Massey | New Testament p. 34

SERMON | *Creating Communities of Conviction*

Scott Hovey

The Response

“Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only.”

**DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE & INVITATION TO
DISCIPLESHIP**

***HYMN OF DEDICATION 227**

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me | TOPLADY

**CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH & INVITATION TO
STEWARDSHIP**

OFFERING

*Please place offering in plate or text NDBCGIVE to
“73256” followed by the amount.
You can also give online by scanning the QR code below.*



MUSICAL OFFERING

I Believe | Mark A. Mitchell

Sanctuary Choir

Joel Stouffer, Piano

***DOXOLOGY 808** | OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures
here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** | Scott Hovey

The Commission

“... and I will be with you always.”

***HYMN OF WITNESS 366**

God, Who Made the Earth and Heaven | AR HYD Y NOS

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Great Day | American Spiritual

Karen Massey, Worship Leader

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the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, and the Association of Welcoming and
Affirming Baptists.

