

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY	AM	PM
SUNDAY OCTOBER 5	8:30 – NEPC Corporate Prayer 9:30 – Worship Service followed by Coffee and Connection 11:00 – Discipleship Hour	4:30 – Kid’s Choir 5:00 – Next Gen Night 6:00 – Men’s Bible Study (Jones)

THIS WEEK		
MON, OCT 6	9:00 – Mother’s Morning Out	
TUES, OCT 7	6:30 – Men’s Bible Study (Henning) 7:30 – Men’s Bible Study (Kennedy)	12:00 – Endowment Lunch 6:30 – Men’s Bible Study (Turner)
WED, OCT 8	9:00 – Mother’s Morning Out	6:00 – Choir Rehearsal 7:30 – Music Teams Rehearsal
THURS, OCT 9	11:30 – Men’s Bible Study (Currey)	
FRI, OCT 10	9:00 – Mother’s Morning Out	
SAT, OCT 11	9:00am - 4:30pm – The Apprentice Approach	
SUNDAY OCTOBER 12	8:30 – NEPC Corporate Prayer 9:30 – Worship Service followed by Coffee and Connection 11:00 – Discipleship Hour	4:30 – Kid’s Choir 5:00 – Next Gen Night 6:00 – Men’s Bible Study (Jones)

LOOKING AHEAD		
OCTOBER 17	Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes due	
OCTOBER 26	Reformation Sunday Potluck Brunch	CHECK IN HERE 
	Trunk or Treat	
NOVEMBER 2	Quilt Sale	
NOVEMBER 21	Student Ministry Fall Retreat	

For a full list and to sign up for events, check the app or nepres.com!

NORTHEAST

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | PCA



October 5, 2025

Gathering | Growing | Going

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

OCTOBER 5, 2025

#Prelude: *“Prelude and Fugue in G Minor”*

J.S. Bach

Dr. Robert Jones, organist

#Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Josh Desch

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: *“The righteous flourish like the palm tree and grow like a cedar in Lebanon. They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God.*

People: *They still bear fruit in old age; they are ever full of sap and green,*

ALL: *to declare that the Lord is upright; he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him.”*
Psalm 92:12–15 (ESV)

ADORATION

#*Opening Hymn: *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”*

Hymn 26

***Apostles Creed**

Pastor Artis Love

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 (Spirit), born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; 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 (living) 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.

*holy catholic church: “The worldwide fellowship of believing people whose Head is Christ.”

CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE

Prayer of Confession / Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 103:8-12 (ESV)

RESPONSE

***Hymn:** *“Blessed Assurance”*

Hymn 345

***Hymn:** *“O How I Love Jesus”*

Hymn 529

***Doxology**

Hymn 625

Kids Church Dismissal

OFFERTORY

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Love

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.

Anthem: *“Draw Me Nearer, Blessed Lord”*

Arr. Susan Naylor Callaway

I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice, And it told of Thy love for me; But I long to rise in the arms of faith, And be closer drawn to Thee. *Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, To the cross where Thou hast died; Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, To Thy precious, bleeding side.* Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord, By the pow’r of Thy grace divine; Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, And my will be lost in Thine. There are depths of love that I cannot know Till I cross the narrow sea; There are heights of joy that I may not reach Till I rest in peace with Thee.

(C) 1992 Purifoy Publishing Company, a Division of The Lorenz Corp.

INSTRUCTION

Scripture:

Matthew 7:15–23 (ESV)

Message: *“Beware of False Prophets”*

Pastor Desch

1. Flashiness, Falsehood and Fireworks — What God Despises

2. Faithfulness and Fruit — What God Loves

CHARGE AND BLESSING

***Hymn:** *“Christ is Mine Forevermore”*

***Benediction**

Pastor Desch

***Postlude:** *“Gavotte”*

J.S. Bach

Dr. Robert Jones, organist

Ushers will seat you at these times.

* As the congregation stands, please feel free to remain seated as needed.