

Northbrook Covenant Church

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Monday– Friday

9 am—2 pm

Thank you to those serving in our worship.

Officiant: José González

Preacher: Francisco & Stephanie Ramos

Scripture Reader: David McKee

Pianist: Vera Vasilenko

Worship Team: Rachel Johnson

Greeter: Beth Olson

Usher: Bob Olson

A/V Slides: Selma Bucher

*We exist to glorify God
-Father, Son and Holy Spirit -
-By becoming mature disciples of
Jesus Christ
-And inviting others to join us.*



Northbrook Covenant Church
July 26, 2026

Celebration of Worship

Sermon Notes

Gathering Song

“Let the Nations be Glad”

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Adapted from Psalm 105

O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually.

O give thanks to the LORD, let us call on his name!

Let us worship our God today!

Opening Worship

HYMN SING

Passing of the Peace *L: The Peace of Christ be with you!*

C: And also with you!

Prayer

Mutual Blessing* *L: The Lord be with you! C: And also with you!*

Sermon Francisco & Stephanie Ramos

Colossians 1:1-14

“All Around the World the Gospel is Growing”

Sending Song

“Let the Words of the Lord”

CHW #674

Benediction

*Following the blessing, children aged preschool through 5th grade are invited to Sunday School.

Hymn Sing Coming Up: Want to hear your favorite hymn being sung during worship? Come ready during the following Sundays: Today **July 26**, and August 30. On these Sundays, we will open it up to the congregation to select 3-4 hymns we will sing during worship. Come ready to tell us which hymn to sing!

Camps are now in session. Please avoid entering the building during business hours if you are able. If you need to enter the building, please be in touch with the office beforehand. Thank you for helping us be a safe and welcoming place for these community camps.

Attention Viewers of 1904...

If you watch our service on channel 1904 at Covenant Living, we want to hear from you! Please call the office at 847-272-8270 or email us at northbrook.covenant@gmail.com and let us know you're watching. And thank you for worshipping with us!

Venezuela Earthquakes - A series of powerful earthquakes has devastated communities across Venezuela leaving families displaced, injured, and in urgent need of support. Covenant World Relief and Development is responding alongside trusted local partners to provide emergency assistance. You can give directly to CWRD on their page at covchurch.org or write a check to NECC with Earthquake in the memo line and place it in the offering box or use the giving page on our website northbrookcovenant.org and select Venezuela Earthquake Relief in the drop down menu. Thank you for your support for those in need. Deadline for donations is today.

Francisco & Stephanie Ramos, missionaries to France, are visiting our congregation today, **July 26th** and will give us an update on Francisco's retirement and Stephanie's continued ministry. Please join us in wishing them God's blessings on their retirement and future endeavors.

NORTHBROOK NEWS July 26, 2026		
THIS WEEK		
Today July 26	9:45 am 10:30 am	Congregational Prayer Time Worship—Ramos' Visit Greeter: Beth Olson Usher: Bob Olson Reader: David McKee A/V Slides: Selma Bucher Counters: Dwight Johnson & Charlie Poterek Sunday School Volunteers: Rachel Johnson, TBD Ramos' Missionary visit & reception
Next Sun Aug 2	9:45 am 10:30 am	Congregational Prayer Time Worship Greeter: Kristin Gonzalez Usher: Laurie Johnson Reader: Raun Gallegos A/V Slides: Sarah Saisi Counters: Dwight Johnson & Kris Gallegos Sunday School Volunteers: Rachel Johnson, TBD
LOOKING AHEAD		
Aug 12	9:30 am	Women Ministries Coffee
Aug 16	11:45 am	Fellowship Meal

Back to School-CCO We have purchased back to school items for Cornerstone. This year there are approximately 130 kids who need supplies. We are purchasing quite a few different items so we are asking for financial donations. The cost of what we are supplying is about \$5 per student. There is a School Bus display on the Welcome Center to drop in your donations. Checks should be made out to Women Ministries with BTS in memo line. Thank you for your support of this ministry.