

# Weekly Calendar

## Monday

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM – Prayer

Zoom: ID- 87334145891 PW- 871257

## Tuesday

10:00 AM – Women's Bible Study

Zoom: ID- 88626438528 PW- 2021

7:00 PM – Deacon Meeting

## Wednesday

7:30 PM – Choir Rehearsal

## Sunday

9:00 AM – Adult Education

10:00 AM – Sunday Service

To join our weekly Connections email, scan the QR below or email [Church@northcreekpres.org](mailto:Church@northcreekpres.org)



**GIVING UPDATE**— Through January 2026

YTD Expected: \$63,900

YTD Actual: \$52,215

YTD Per Capita: \$200



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# Welcome to North Creek!

We're so grateful you are worshiping with us today! Our mission at NCPC is to Grow Deep in the Life of Jesus, Extend God's Love, and Share Christ's Hope. Join us!

**Need Help?** The Deacons provide assistance to the sick, needy, and homebound. Send an email to the Active Care Coordinator, Jill Johnson, at [jilljohnson12@comcast.net](mailto:jilljohnson12@comcast.net)

**Prayer Chain:** To join in praying for the needs of our church family, sign up to receive the prayer chain. To submit a prayer request, email [Prayer@northcreekpres.org](mailto:Prayer@northcreekpres.org)

### Church Staff:

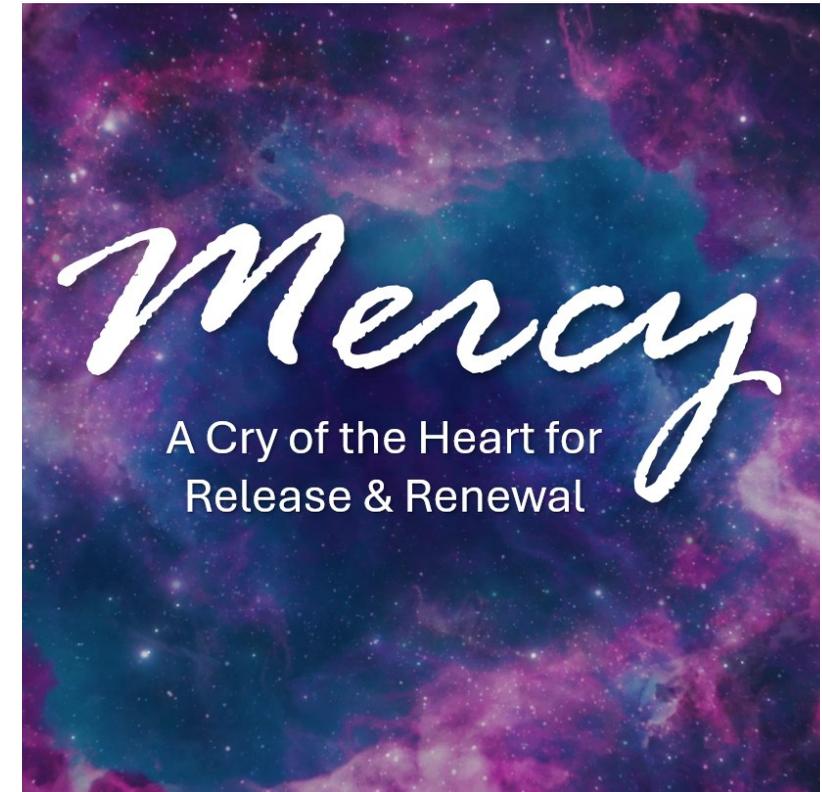
Kurt Helmcke, Pastor  
Brian Armes, Worship and Music Director  
Isaiah Esterline, Family Ministry Assistant  
James Kwon, Facility Maintenance Coordinator  
Johnson Pham, Custodian  
Kate West, Media Supervisor  
Kerstell Peña, Administrative Manager  
Kristi Wiant, Accompanist  
Pasha Jurgensen, Bookkeeper

## Our Mission

We are cultivating a thriving community of faithful Christ-followers who:

- Grow deep spiritual roots in a **life**-giving relationship with Jesus
- Extend God's **love** by serving others with Christlike compassion
- Share Christ's **hope** by making Him known near and far

MARCH 8, 2026



# Hope for Sinners

Psalm 41 & Romans 5



March 8, 2026 — Third Sunday of Lent

## ***Hope for Sinners***

Psalm 41 and Romans 5

### **Praise**

Call to Worship

Praise Songs & Hymns

All My Boast Is in Jesus (*Boswell, Fowler, Getty, Papa*)

Here Is Love, Vast as the Ocean

(*Rees, Edwards, Boswell, Getty, Lowry*)

Opening Prayer & Welcome

### **God's Word**

Choir Anthem

*Mercy Still (Wesley, Elsey; Sorenson, arr.)*

Children's Message

Call to Confession

Contemplative Prayer of Confession

*Jesus Prayer (Talbot)*

Assurance of Forgiveness

Scripture Reading

Psalm 41:1-9 and Romans 5:1-8

Message: "*Hope for Sinners*" — Pastor Kurt

### **Our Response**

Prayers of God's People

Tithes and Offerings

*And Can It Be? (Wesley, Forrest)*

Prayer of Dedication

Praise

*Friend of Sinners (Chisum, Godwin)*

*Jesus Loves Me (Warner, Bradbury)*

Benediction

Prayer Partners

Kay Bannister and Kathy Hulet

### **Music Team**

Vocals: Brian Armes, Callie Carmean, and Carol Jonas

Piano: Kristi Wiant

Guitar: Brian Armes and Emily Ward

Bass: Isaiah Esterline

Drums: Anna Eby

Violin: Rebecca Vu

Cello: Andreanna Kourouma

Worship Leader: Dave Phippen

## **WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY SERVICE!**

Hearing Assist Devices are available at the media desk in the back of the sanctuary.

You can give online by scanning the QR code, or place your offering in the plate during Tithes and Offering.



Join our guest Wi-Fi using the password: NCPCguest

## **Notes**

## **UPDATES AND WEEKLY EVENTS**

### ***SING! Hymnal Fundraising***

Help fill the NCPC pews with the new Hymnals. They can be pre-ordered for \$15 each. Donations in larger amounts are also be accepted. Opportunities to give a hymnal in honor or in memory of a loved one are also available. Scan the QR or see volunteers in hall way.



### **Be a Blessing to our Kids!**

Please consider volunteering in the Nursery and Sunday School at NCPC. Please email Craig Kastle at [craig.leslie.k@gmail.com](mailto:craig.leslie.k@gmail.com) to find out about volunteering.

### **Discipleship Formation:**

Join us next Sunday, March 15 at 9am in the Fellowship Hall for *Why Easter Matters*. We will study The Risk of Surrendering to God and Judas Iscariot. All the disciples struggled with viewing Jesus as a means to an end. Learn about Judas' struggle with his relationship with Jesus: servanthood vs leader. We will have time for discussion with coffee and treats.

### **Easter Plants — See Bulletin Insert**

Order your Easter plants in loving memory or in honor of a loved one using the bulletin insert or online at [northcreekpres.org/plants](http://northcreekpres.org/plants) by **March 22**. These plants will help decorate the sanctuary as we celebrate the joy and hope of Easter together as a church family. After the Easter service, you are welcome to take your plant home as a reminder of the life and resurrection we celebrate during this special season.

### **Fish Banks**

Pick up a fish bank in the Narthex today and fill it with your family during Lent, returning it on Palm Sunday March 29th. The money collected supports disaster assistance, hunger relief, and community development efforts. These banks are part of One Great Hour of Sharing, helping children, youth, and families share in God's mission around the world.

### **Bookkeeper Schedule**

Pasha Jurgensen is on leave March 6–25. During this time, Kris Green will assist remotely Monday–Wednesday afternoons, with support available March 9–11, 16–18, and 23–25. Please plan requests early in the week, as there will be no coverage Thursday–Sunday.

### **Get Your Act Together — Plan Ahead!**

The Finance Team and Joyful Life Ministry invite you to "Get Your Life Together," a six-week series beginning April 5 to help you plan confidently for the future. Join us Thursdays from 6:30–7:30 PM for helpful presentations on financial planning topics. Come learn practical steps for planning well for yourself and your loved ones. Register today online at [northcreekpres.org/ministries/joyful](http://northcreekpres.org/ministries/joyful)