



Praise the LORD!
Praise the LORD from the heavens;
Praise Him in the heights!
Praise Him, all His angels;
Praise Him, all His hosts!
Praise Him, sun and moon,
Praise Him, all you shining stars!
Praise Him, you highest heavens,
and you waters above the heavens!

Psalm 148:1-4

PRAISE

Sing a Song:

Praise

Welcome to the
North Benton Presbyterian Church

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September 13, 2026

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*“Since 1818, A church where everyone is someone
and Jesus Christ is Lord!”*

North Benton Presbyterian Church

September 13, 2026 AD Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

“Speak to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.”

-Ephesians 5: 19-20



PRELUDE

CHURCH LIFE

GREETINGS AND WELCOME

CALL TO JOIN IN WORSHIP (inspired by Psalm 150)

Pastor: Praise the Lord! Praise God in the sanctuary; praise God in His mighty heavens!

People: **We come with joy to praise the Lord!**

Pastor: Praise God for mighty deeds and for greatness beyond measure.

People: **We remember God’s works and lift our thanks!**

Pastor: Praise God with trumpet and song, with strings and cymbals, with every gift we bring.

People: **We offer our voices, our hearts, and our lives in praise!**

Pastor: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

All: **Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!**

INVOCATION

+PRAISE SONGS

“Let’s Just Praise the Lord”

“Thou Art Worthy”

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (Sunday School to Follow)

“Known”

Please Pray For:

Sermon Notes:

This Week

Caring, Sharing, Praying

Sun
9/13 **Coffee & Pastry
Grandparent's Day**
9:30 Worship Service
(Youth Sunday School
after children's message)
10:45 Searcher's Class
10:45 Deacon's Mtg

Sun
9/20 **Back to Church Sunday
With luncheon
Teacher Appreciation
Day**
9:30 Worship Service
(Youth Sunday School
after children's message)
10:45 Searcher's Class

Nursing Home:

Dan Rowe
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Continued Prayer for:

Denton Herron,
James Hilles,
Stan & Sandy Jozwiakowski,
Maeo Bates,
Carol Schiffler,
Chris & Alicia Gamble

***Contact the office to add or
remove a name***



We are taking donations of candy
for the annual "Trunk or Treat"
event. Please leave your
donations in the narthex.

Deacon Greeters -----	Jodi Weibush
-----	Sherry Kelly
Keyboard -----	Marilyn Smith
Praise Songs -----	Sylvia Hammond
Sound System -----	Josiah Gaines
Acolyte -----	Addie Pierce

CALL TO CONFESSION

Pastor: Psalm 150 calls all that has breath to praise the Lord—in the sanctuary, under the heavens, with every instrument, every movement, and every voice. Yet we confess that our praise is often partial, distracted, or silent. We withhold our breath from worship, our hands from service, and our hearts from gratitude. Trusting in the mercy of the God Whose greatness surpasses all things, let us confess our sin in silence.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor: Hear the good news: the God who summons all creation to praise is also the God whose mercy restores our song. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, renewed, and given breath again for praise, service, and joy. Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

All: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

+GLORIA PATRI

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS, TITHES, & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY SCRIPTURE

Pastor: "Master," he said, "you entrusted me with five talents. See, I have gained five more." -Matthew 5: 20

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE and LORD'S PRAYER

+Hymn #342 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing!”

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

All: Holy God, let everything that has breath praise You. As we open your Word, tune our hearts to the music of Your Spirit. Awaken us to Your mighty acts, and draw us into the greatness of Your love. Open our ears to hear, our minds to understand, and our hearts to respond with joy and obedience. Let everything within us praise you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURE “Psalm 149: 1-6a and 150: 1-6”

SERMON “Sing a Song: Praise!”

+HYMN #337 (verses 1-3)
“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #337 (verse 4)
“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

POSTLUDE

NEXT WEEK’S SERMON:

“Faith That Sees the Invisible” based on Hebrews 11: 1-3.

+ *Indicates congregation is invited to stand*

Praise Songs

“Let’s Just Praise the Lord”

(Chorus)

Let’s just praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let’s just lift our hearts to heaven and praise the Lord;
Let’s just praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let’s just lift our heart to heaven and praise the Lord!

O we thank You for Your kindness,
we thank You for Your love,

We have been in heavenly places, felt blessings from above;
We’ve been sharing all the good things, the family can afford,
Let’s just turn our praise toward heaven and praise the Lord.

(Chorus)

Just the precious name of Jesus is worthy of our praise,
Let us bow our knees before Him, our hands to heaven raise;
When He comes in clouds of glory, with Him to ever reign,
Let’s just lift our happy voices, and praise His name.

(Chorus)

“Thou Art Worthy”

Thou art worthy, Thou art worthy, Thou art worthy, O Lord,
To receive glory, glory and honor, Glory and honor and pow’r

For Thou hast created, hast all things created;
Thou has created all things. And for Thy pleasure
they are created;

For Thou art worthy, O Lord.
For Thou art worthy, O Lord.