



# New Braunfels

## ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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### **Service of Divine Worship**

The Lord's Day – February 21, 2021

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Sunday School: 9:00am

Morning Worship: 10:30am

Evening Worship: 5:00pm

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Members and Friends of South Austin Presbyterian Church

Website: [www.nbopc.org](http://www.nbopc.org)

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# *Morning Worship*

*Welcome and Announcements*

*Prelude*

- ▣ Apostolic Salutation and Call to Worship
- ▣ Gloria Patri
- ▣ Votum and Invocation
- ▣ Psalm- “All People that on Earth Do Dwell” #1
- Reading of the Law
- Prayer of Confession and Supplication
- Declaration of Pardon and Words of Assurance
- Psalm- “We Gather Together” #286
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture Reading: Ephesians 2: 1-3
- Sermon “Dead in Trespasses and Sins”  
*Rev. Carl Miller*
- Prayer of Intercession and Lord’s Prayer
- Collection for the Saints
- Doxology
- ▣ Confession of Faith – The Nicene Creed
- Lord’s Supper
- ▣ Hymn - “Immortal, Invisible” #35
- ▣ Benediction
- ▣ Parting Hymn – Psalm 117
- Postlude*

# *Evening Worship*

*Welcome and Announcements*

*Prelude*

- ▣ Salutation and Call to Worship
- ▣ Invocation
- ▣ Psalm - "Great is the Lord our God" 48A  
Confessing Our Faith - Heidelberg Catechism 3-5  
Pastoral Prayer

- ▣ Hymn - "How Firm a Foundation" #80

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon Text - 1 John 4:7-11

Sermon - "Knowing God Through Love"

*Rev. Carl Miller*

- ▣ Hymn - "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing" #400

- ▣ Benediction

*Postlude*

# *Liturgical Guide*

## **Doxology**

*(Hymnal: xvi)*

Praise God,  
from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him,  
all creatures here below

Praise Him above,  
ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son,  
and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## **Psalm 117**

*(Tune: Angels from the Realms of  
Glory)*

Praise the Lord God,  
all you nations

All you peoples, sing His praise

For His truth endures forever,  
and His steadfast love is great

He is faithful! He is faithful!

Hallelujah! Praise the Lord!

## ***Prayer of Confession and Supplication***

Almighty God and heavenly Father, we have broken your holy laws by our deeds and words, and by the sinful affections of our hearts. We confess before you our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness, and all our failures and shortcomings toward you and our neighbor. Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love. According to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin. And of your great goodness, grant that we may hereafter serve and please you, in newness of life, through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## ***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 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.

# Confession of Faith

## The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth,

of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,

begotten of his Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,

very God of very God,

begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;

by whom all things were made;

who for us and for our salvation

came down from heaven,

and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary,

and was made man;

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered and was buried;

and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father;

and he shall come again, with glory,

to judge both the living and the dead;

whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of Life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son;

who with the Father and the Son together is

worshiped and glorified;

who spoke by the prophets;

and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church;

we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;

and we look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life of the world to come. Amen

# Heidelberg Catechism

Q 3. How do you come to know your misery?

A. The law of God tells me.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Rom. 3:20; 7:7-25

Q 4. What does God's law require of us?

A. Christ teaches us this in summary in Matthew 22:37-40:

“You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.’<sup>1</sup> This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’<sup>2</sup> On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.”

<sup>1</sup> Deut. 6:5; <sup>2</sup> Lev. 19:18

Q 5. Can you live up to all this perfectly?

A. No.<sup>1</sup> I have a natural tendency to hate God and my neighbor.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Rom. 3:9-20, 23; 1 John 1:8, 10; <sup>2</sup> Gen. 6:5; Jer. 17:9; Rom. 7:23-24; 8:7; Eph. 2:1-3; Titus 3:3

# The 10 Commandments

1 And God spoke all these words, saying,

2 “I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

3 “You shall have no other gods before me.

4 “You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. 5 You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, 6 but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

7 “You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

8 “Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. 9 Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, 10 but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. 11 For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

12 “Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

13 “You shall not murder.

14 “You shall not commit adultery.

15 “You shall not steal.

16 “You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

17 “You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.

## *Announcements*

- ❖ **Wednesday Prayer Meeting (7:00pm)**: Video Option (from your computer, phone, or tablet): <https://zoom.us/j/548845541> Audio-only Option (from your phone, no computer needed): Dial 1-346-248-7799 and then enter 548845541# when prompted.
- ❖ **Learn to Sing**: Come Wednesdays at 6:15pm for a short class where we go over the hymns in the Trinity Hymnal each week. We will go over basic music notation, as well as eventually learning how to sing four part harmony so we can sing more effectively as a congregation. Caleb Maltby is teaching this class.
- ❖ **Fellowship Meal**- Mark your calendars! Our monthly Fellowship Meal will resume on 2/28. Please talk to Karen Maltby for food sign up.
- ❖ **Nursery**: If you need help with fussy or wiggly children (under the age of 3) during the sermon, please see Gloria Hoekstra.

## *Prayer Requests*

- ❖ Praise for the successful treatment of Maverick and his heart issues.
- ❖ Prayers for Luke and Cole Davis on their next steps.
- ❖ Prayers for safety and good health for Ann Hightower at her current care home.

## *Weekly Prayer Focuses*

- ❖ **NBOPC**: Davis Family
- ❖ **PSW**: Cornerstone OPC
- ❖ **OPC**: Committee on Coordination

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