

Third Sunday after Pentecost

We rise when we rise
TOGETHER

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

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WE GATHER

PRELUDE

Scott Ayers

WELCOME

Rev. Chesna Barcroft

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

Leader: Christ is with us;

People: Christ is in our midst.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: Listen! Listen for the voice of God, naming us all: Holy. Beloved. Cherished. Valued.

Many: We believe you delight in us!

One: Make us people who recognize and proclaim your beauty and goodness
in unexpected places.

Many: Surprise us. Challenge us. Transform us.

One: We trust in you, Holy One, to reveal to us the sacredness of every life,
of every way of being, of every physical manifestation of your Spirit.

All: May it be so!

***OPENING HYMN** — *We Walk in Love*, by Deanna Witkowski (vv. 1-3)

We walk in love, united in purpose.

We join our hands and lift up one voice.

*We speak the truth with strength and compassion,
resounding with hope, with courage and joy.*

We cry for peace and rights for all people.

We welcome friends from far and near.

*We fight for those whose voices are silenced,
resisting in faith until all are free.*

We dream a world of justice and kindness.

We build a bridge, creating new paths.

We march with joy as all walk together.

Embracing each one, we boldly stand.



Please register your attendance here:

Connect to NCC Guest Wi-Fi with password: **BeOurGuest!**

* Please rise, in body or in spirit.

JUNE 14, 2026 • 10:30 AM

WE RESPOND

MORNING PRAYER

Rev. Chesna Barcroft

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Dawn Ziesmer

PASSING THE PEACE

Rev. Virzola Law–Allen

As part of our Table-centered spirituality, the “peace of Christ” is offered as a sign of our reconciliation to God and neighbor. It is a visible symbol of our being “a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world,” preparing us to “welcome all to the Lord’s Table as God has welcomed us.”

COMMUNION HYMN — #423 *Become to Us the Living Bread* (vv. 1-3)

GELOBT SEI GOTT

*Become to us the living bread by which
the Christian life is fed, renewed, and greatly comforted,*

Refrain: *Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

*Become the never-failing wine, the spring of joy
that shall incline our hearts to bear the covenant sign,* Refrain

*May Christians all with one accord unite around
the sacred board, to praise your holy name, O Lord,* Refrain

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Rev. Virzola Law-Allen

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

Ike Rahn & Katie Hussey

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.**

Leader: The Body of Christ was given for us.

People: Amen

Leader: The Blood of Christ was poured out for us.

People: Amen

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP — INTINCTION

We believe in “open communion” as a church, which means that we do not require you to be a member of Northway in order to participate in the service of the Lord’s Supper. Remember what God has done for you in Christ and respond by faith.

You don’t have to have it all figured out or recite a creed;
it is not a requirement of the head, but an invitation addressed to your heart.

Committed to our value of an Open Table—inviting all to the table where our diversity finds unity in Christ.

MOMENT FOR MISSION — D.A.I.

Walker Moore

OFFERTORY — *Let There Be Peace on Earth* (Sy Miller & Jill Jackson)

Robert Lathan

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Virzola Law–Allen

Following the Prayer of Dedication during the worship service, children (preschool - K) will be escorted to the nursery, and children (1st - 3rd grade) will be escorted to F-102. After the service, your children will be waiting for you in the hall outside of the Sanctuary.

WE PROCLAIM

SCRIPTURE — Ecclesiastes 4:9–10

Janet Cooley

Leader: For the Word of God in Scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
and for the Word of God within us:

People: Thanks be to God!

WORD IN SONG — *All Are Welcome* (Marty Haugen)

Summer Choir

THE MORNING MESSAGE — We Rise When We Rise Together

Rev. Dr. LaMarco Cable

WE GO FORTH

INVITATION

Rev. Virzola Law-Allen

*INVITATION HYMN — #494 *They'll Know We Are Christians* (vv. 1-4)

ST. BRENDAN'S

*We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,
we are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:*

Refrain: *And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.*

*We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand,
we will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand,
and together we'll spread the news that God is in our land: Refrain*

*We will work with each other, we will work side by side,
we will work with each other, we will work side by side,
and we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride: Refrain*

*All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God's only Son,
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one: Refrain*

BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. LaMarco Cable

POSTLUDE

Scott Ayers

Following the worship service, an Elder will remain at the front of the sanctuary to speak or pray with congregants.

Volunteers Needed for VBS

Mon, June 29 - Thurs, July 2



REGISTER HERE, to volunteer for Vacation Bible School!

Help us, make a joyful noise!



Wanted for VBS:

RECYCLING COLLECTION:

- toilet paper tubes
- paper towel tubes
- plastic containers (coolwhip, dips, sour cream sizes for example)
- empty facial tissue boxes

DROP OFF AT THE CHURCH OFFICE



Summer Choir

Sundays - June 14, 21, 28

Meet at 10:00 am in the Choir Loft to sing in the 10:30 am service.

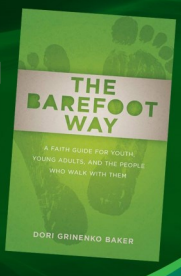
No robes. No Wednesday rehearsals. Sing 1 Sunday, 2 Sundays, or all 3!



SUMMER INTERGENERATIONAL FORUM

Sundays in June
9:00 am in F-101

Sharing stories of personal encounters with the Holy.



A LOOK AHEAD...		
06/15 Tai Chi	10:30 AM	F-101
06/16 Mobile Food Pantry	11:30 AM	North Parking Lot
06/19 Observance of Juneteenth holiday		Church campus closed
06/20 Seeds of Faith Garden Work Day	9:00 AM	Greater Garth AMEC
06/21 Summer Intergenerational Forum	9:00 AM	F-101
06/21 Transformations—New Book Study	9:00 AM	Conference Room
06/21 Worship Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary & Online
06/21 Worship Rocks	10:50 AM	F-102
06/23 Memorial Service - Gail Henry	10:30 AM	Fellowship Hall
06/24-26 VBS Volunteer Work Days		
06/27 Solomon's Porch (Men's Group)	7:30 AM	Music Suite
06/27 Diaper Distribution	10:00 AM	Circle Drive
06/28 Youth After-Church Group	11:45 AM	Youth Hall
06/29-07/02 Vacation Bible School		at Northway
07/03 Observance of Fourth of July holiday		Church campus closed
07/12-07/18 Youth Mission Trip		San Diego, CA

NORTHWAY WORSHIP LEADERS:

Rev. Virzola Law-Allen—Senior Minister
 Rev. Chesna Barcroft—Minister to Children, Youth, and Families
 Leanne Seabright—Director of Music and Worship
 Scott Ayers—Organist and Collaborative Pianist
 Linda Sanchez—Student Minister
 Dawn Ziesmer—Children's Ministry Coordinator
 Noelle Rivera—Youth Ministry Coordinator
 Neil Moseley—Director of Community Engagement
 Donna Schmidt—Children's Music Director

GIVING OPTIONS:

Online giving is available at northwaychristian.org or by texting NORTHWAY to 73256.

Gifts may also be mailed to the church office at 7202 W. Northwest Hwy., Dallas, TX 75225

WELCOME!

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Northway's mission is to share Christ with those seeking meaning and purpose. That's why, in addition to worship, we also provide ways for you to discover the God we know in Jesus Christ, to connect with one another, and serve others from our front doorsteps to the ends of the earth.

We want to help you take the next step in your own search for: a church home...deeper engagement with scripture... meaningful relationships...purpose in your life. To learn more about our beliefs, history, staff, and opportunities, please visit the Welcome Center, located at the main entrance.