



NORTHPOINT
CHURCH

IN-PERSON + STREAMING AT NORTHPOINT

Two Sunday services: **in-person**, inside the Worship Center and **live-streaming** on Facebook and YouTube **at 9:00 a.m.**, and **in-person**, inside the Worship Center at **10:45 a.m.**

PRAYER AFTER THE SERVICE

- Need to speak or pray with someone after the service? Pastor Tony and our Prayer Team Members will be down in front of the stage to visit with you right after we are dismissed.
- You can also fill out a **Response Card** or **Care Card** at the Information Center in the Foyer. You will be contacted as soon as possible this week.

PRAYER REQUESTS AT NORTHPOINT

- **General Prayer Requests** ——— | prayer@northpointcorona.org — for requests that will be emailed to the congregation's Prayer Chain
- **Confidential Prayer Requests** ——— | confidentialprayer@northpointcorona.org — for private requests that will be directed to the Leadership Team
- **Need Prayer Today?** ——— | You can pray with someone at the end of this service — prayer team members will be waiting in front of the stage

LEADERSHIP AT NORTHPOINT

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Studies in Genesis 12-50

*Go to the Land
I Will Show You*

WELCOME!

We're honored you've decided to spend the morning with us. Please know that we're here to assist you in any way we can with your quest to grow closer to God. Below, you'll find what we'll be doing during today's service. On the right panel, you can get an idea of what happens around Northpoint each week and things we're looking forward to.

WHAT TO EXPECT THIS MORNING

Today, we'll start by reading a short passage from the Bible to focus our attention on God. We'll sing songs of praise to Him. We'll pray to Him. We'll again read from the Bible. We'll hear a message from God to us from the Bible. Then, we'll sing a closing song.

TODAY'S FOCUS

This morning, we'll continue our sermon series in Genesis, *Go to the Land I Will Show You*. There, we'll see that Jacob is reminded not to be afraid even as he faces difficult transitions late in life. God is faithful.

SERVICE ORDER



JULY 17, 2022

▲ = When we're **standing** (as you are able)

- Prelude** (*Everlasting God*) ————— Worship Band
Call to Worship ————— Tri Nguyen, Worship Leader
Revelation 7:15-17
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
Spring Up, O Well + Roman's Road
- VBS Recap** ————— Terilyn Brown, Director of Children's Ministries
- Welcome + Announcements** ————— Tyler Van Horssen, Director of Student Ministries
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
Our God
- Scripture Reading & Prayer** ————— Edison Kang, NP KIDS' Ministry
Psalms 145
- Special Music** ————— Worship Team
Love God
- Today's Message** ————— Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor
Do Not Be Afraid – Genesis 46-47
From the series through Genesis: *Go to the Land I Will Show You*
- ▲ **Closing Song** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)
- Benediction** ————— Tri Nguyen, Worship Leader
Philippians 4:7
- Postlude** (*Goodness of God*) ————— Worship Band

WHAT TO DO NOW?

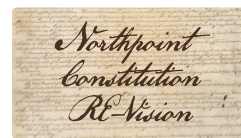
We believe our greatest need is to be connected to God and to His family, the church. Start that by filling out a **Response Card** at the **Information Center** in the Foyer, or by talking to us down front after the service. Want more? Connect through **weekly small groups**, **serving others**, **Sunday school**, and our quarterly **Pizza with the Pastor** gatherings and **membership classes**. Visit northpointcorona.org/media/get-connected/ for more.

THIS WEEK AT NORTHPOINT *

- Today** ————— Preservice Prayer, 8:00 a.m., Worship Center Prayer Room
In-person Services at 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. & Live Streaming at 9:00 a.m. on Facebook/YouTube
Student Ministry (Senior & Junior High) Sunday Gathering, 9:00 a.m., Upstairs in the Youth Room
NP KIDS' Sunday School, Birth-6th Grade, 9:00 a.m. (*Dismissed from service during Announcements*)
New Evangelism and Discipleship Adult Sunday School Class, 9:00 a.m., Commons
Firmly Planted, Adult Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 9:00 a.m., Heritage Hall Overflow Room
Faith & Friendship, Seniors' Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 10:45 a.m., Commons
Living Truth, Adult Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 11:00 a.m., Heritage Hall
Revolve (Young Adults), 6:00 p.m., at the Hansons' Home, 1503 Parkridge Ave, Norco, 92860
- Monday** ————— Weekly Prayer Time (Men and Women), 6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m., Commons
- Tuesday** ————— Parents of Wanderers Class, 7:00 p.m., Commons
Senior High Youth Group, 7:00 p.m., Youth Room
- Thursday** ————— Junior High Youth Group, 6:30 p.m., Youth Room
Constitution Revision Committee Forum, 7:00 p.m., Worship Center Music Room

* For the latest each week, contact bbrown@northpointcorona.org to receive the NP All-Church email, **NP News**.

LOOKING AHEAD AT NORTHPOINT *



The **Constitution Revision Committee** and **Elders** will be holding **two forums** to discuss the final drafts of the revised Northpoint Constitution and Bylaws **THIS Thursday, July 21 and July 26**, at 7:00 p.m., in the Worship Center Music Room. All are welcome!



Our next **Congregational Meeting** is Sunday, **July 31**, at 4:00 p.m. Among other things, we'll review the NP budget, the financial report, and affirm new member candidates: Tara Garcia, Michael and Rebekah Montoya, Doug and Lorraine Mazza, and Lori and Chris Zuspan. Join us!



It's almost time for a **Northpoint All-Church Picnic!** The family fun takes place Sunday, **July 31**, immediately after our 4:00 p.m. Congregational Meeting. **As for food, an update:** We'll provide the meat and drinks, and you'll bring the rest to share. We've created a page at Perfect Potluck (visit northpointcorona.org/this-week/) to coordinate food for the picnic. Questions? Contact Michele Balga in the Church Office at 951.734.1335.



Have you checked it out? The **Northpoint Bookstall** is a place where we make good Christian books, recommended by our Leadership Team, available for purchase. We're always adding new books! Check 'em out.



Do you want to **listen to the songs Northpoint sings** at your leisure? If so, here's your chance. You can stream the songs we sing on **Spotify** and **Apple Music** by scanning one of the QR Codes at the left with your smart device. Try it!

* For all that's going on at NP, please visit northpointcorona.org/this-week/.

LOVING GOD • LOVING ONE ANOTHER • REACHING HIS WORLD

SERMON NOTES



JULY 17, 2022

Do Not Be Afraid

Genesis 46-47

Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor

Overview: The story of Joseph is part of a larger narrative about God's faithfulness to the patriarch Jacob, also known as Israel. Near the end of his life and in the midst of a devastating famine, Jacob is instructed to go to Egypt. Jacob is understandably concerned, but his fears are relieved as he stops at Beersheba to worship the Lord, who promises to be with him wherever he goes. God's faithfulness is evident already as Israel's family has grown to seventy persons, and it becomes more apparent as Joseph has prepared for his family to dwell in Goshen, where they will be able to live in peace. Even though Jacob describes the years of his life as "few and evil," and his family no longer resides in the promised land, God's provision is more than sufficient, and the future is far superior to what he could hope for in this lifetime.

01. God's people have no reason to fear because God is with us in every circumstance.

02. God's people have no reason to fear because God has proven Himself faithful over time.

03. God's people have no reason to fear because God distinguishes His people from the world.

04. God's people have no reason to fear because God promises a future of eternal blessing.

Go to the Land I Will Show You

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION & DISCOVERY

1. How old was Jacob when he was told to go to Egypt? What concerns would have crossed his mind as he contemplated moving from the Promised Land at that stage in life? How did the Lord alleviate these concerns? Are you concerned about changes at the stage of life you are in now?

2. Note the list of Jacob's descendants in Genesis 46:8-27. How does the number correspond to the list of nations in Genesis 10? What does this indicate about God's faithfulness to make Abraham into a great nation (Genesis 12:1-3)? In what ways does God's past faithfulness help increase your faith today?

3. Why did Joseph arrange for his family to live in Goshen? What problems might they have faced with the Egyptians, given their background and occupation? How did their location further demonstrate God's blessing to His people (Genesis 47:11-12)? In what ways has the Lord blessed you recently?

4. Jacob describes his years as being "few and evil" (Genesis 47:9). What examples from his life demonstrate the truthfulness of this statement? What examples from his life challenge his statement? When thinking over your own life, are you more apt to focus on the difficulties you have faced or the blessings you have received?

5. What is Jacob's final request to Joseph as he nears the end of his life (Genesis 47:29-31)? What does this request reveal about Jacob and Joseph's understanding of God's continued faithfulness in the life to come? Do you think of heaven often enough to motivate you to trust God now?

For Further Reading: J. I. Packer, *Finishing Our Course with Joy: Guidance from God for Engaging with Our Aging* (Crossway, 2014)

Go to the Land I Will Show You

**SPRING UP, O WELL***Verse 1*

I've got a river of life flowing out of me
Makes the lame to walk and the blind to see
Opens prisons doors, set the captives free
I've got a river of life flowing out of me

Chorus

Spring up, O well
Within my soul
Spring up, O well
And make me whole
Spring up, O well
And give to me
That life abundantly

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ROMAN'S ROAD

Chorus

But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us
But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us

Verse 1

For all have sinned, yes all have sinned
And all fall short of the glory of God
And there is none, not even one
None righteous - no, not even one

Chorus

But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us
But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us

Verse 2

So faith comes from, hearing the Word
And hearing through, the Word of Christ
For the wages of sin is death
But the free gift of God - yes, is eternal life

Bridge

Oh the gift of God is eternal life
Eternal life through, Jesus Christ
It's not what we do, but what He has done
Eternal life through, God's only Son
God's only Son, Jesus His Son

Chorus

But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us
But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us

Verse 3

'Cause if you confess, confess with your mouth
That Jesus is Lord, and believe in your heart
That God raised Him up from the dead
You will be saved - yes, you will be saved

Hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah
Yes, you will be saved
Hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah
Yes, you will be saved

Bridge

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Eternal life through, God's only Son
God's only Son, Jesus His Son

Chorus

But God shows His love, His love for us
While we're still sinners, Christ died for us
But God shows His love, His love for us
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OUR GOD

Verse 1

Water You turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

Verse 2

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Chorus

Our God is greater
Our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer
Awesome in power our God, our God

Verse 2

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Chorus

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Bridge

And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
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Then what could stand against
What could stand against

Chorus

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WHOM SHALL I FEAR (GOD OF ANGEL ARMIES)

Verse 1

You hear me when I call
You are my morning song
Though darkness fills the night
It cannot hide the light
Whom shall I fear
You crush the enemy underneath my feet
You are my sword and shield
Though troubles linger still
Whom shall I fear

Chorus

I know Who goes before me
I know Who stands behind
The God of angel armies is always by my side
The One who reigns forever
He is a friend of mine
The God of angel armies is always by my side

Verse 2

My strength is in Your name
For You alone can save
You will deliver me
Yours is the victory
Whom shall I fear
Whom shall I fear

Chorus

I know Who goes before me
I know Who stands behind
The God of angel armies is always by my side
The One who reigns forever
He is a friend of mine
The God of angel armies is always by my side

Bridge

And nothing formed against me shall stand
You hold the whole world in Your hands
I'm holding on to Your promises
You are faithful
You are faithful
(repeat)

Chorus

I know Who goes before me
I know Who stands behind
The God of angel armies is always by my side
The One who reigns forever
He is a friend of mine
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