



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 will see how the Lord continued to work after Jacob's passing to bring salvation to a needy world.

SERVICE ORDER



JULY 24, 2022

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

- Prelude** (From Everlasting (Psalm 90)) ————— Worship Band
Call to Worship ————— Micah Valdez, Worship Leader
Psalm 93:1-5
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
My Soul Will Wait (Psalm 62) + Goodness of God
- Welcome + Announcements** ————— Perry Schaefer, NP Elder
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
How Great Is Our God + In Christ Alone
- Scripture Reading & Prayer** ————— Mark Blincoe, NP Growth Groups
Ephesians 1
- Special Music** ————— Worship Team
No One Ever Cared for Me Like Jesus
- Today's Message** ————— Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor
The Scepter Shall Not Depart From Judah – Genesis 48-49
From the series through Genesis: *Go to the Land I Will Show You*
- ▲ **Closing Song** ————— Worship Team + Congregation
Behold Our God
- Benediction** ————— Micah Valdez, Worship Leader
Isaiah 40:28-31
- Postlude** (King of Kings) ————— Worship Band

WHAT TO DO NOW?

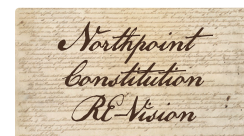
We believe our greatest need is to be connected to God and to His family, the church. Start that by filling out a **Response Card** at the **Information Center** in the Foyer, or by talking to us down front after the service. Want more? Connect through **weekly small groups**, **serving others**, **Sunday 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 Hot Summer Nights, 7:00 p.m., Off Campus
Constitution Revision Committee Forum, 7:00 p.m., Worship Center Music Room
- Thursday** ————— Junior High Hot Summer Nights, 6:30 p.m., Off Campus
- NEXT Sunday** ————— Congregational Meeting, 4:00 p.m., Worship Center
All-church Picnic, After the Congregation Meeting, Heritage Patio

* 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 one more **forum** to discuss the final drafts of the revised Northpoint Constitution and Bylaws **THIS Tuesday, July 26**, at 7:00 p.m., in the Worship Center Music Room. All are welcome!



Our next **Congregational Meeting** happens **NEXT 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 **NEXT 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 side dishes and desserts to share. Help us determine how much meat to cook by filling out the insert included in today's program. Also, don't forget to sign up to bring side dishes and desserts on our Perfect Potluck page at northpointcorona.org/this-week/, by visiting the Information Center in the Foyer, or by scanning the QR Code:



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.

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

LOVING GOD • LOVING ONE ANOTHER • REACHING HIS WORLD



The Scepter Shall Not Depart From Judah

Genesis 48-49

Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor

Overview: The final days of Jacob's life are an act of worship where he pronounces blessings on his sons and predicts the future for their posterity. He first encounters the sons of Joseph, whom he receives and blesses as though they were his own children. He pronounces a special blessing on Ephraim, the younger of Joseph's sons, which is consistent with previous examples of the younger taking precedence over the older. He then offers a prophetic word for each of his sons and their descendants, which is based partly on their past actions and provides insight into their character and habits. Of all the sons, Judah is singled out as the tribe through which the Messiah will come. This prophecy provides thrust to the narrative beyond Genesis as the Lord continues to work through human history to provide salvation and blessings forevermore.

01. God's adoptive blessings are a gift, not of merit; therefore, let us come humbly to Him and receive His mercy.

02. God's protective blessings are based on His character, not our circumstances; therefore, let us trust the Lord in difficult times.

03. God's temporal blessings can be forfeited for a time or missed altogether; therefore, let us live in such a way as to please the Lord.

04. God's eternal blessings cannot be exhausted in this lifetime; therefore, let us look forward to the kingdom that is still to come.

Go to the Land I Will Show You

1. What details of his life does Jacob share with Joseph in Genesis 48:1-7? What does he reflect upon in his final days? If you knew your time on earth was coming to a close, what personal memories or remembrances of God's faithfulness would you share with your loved ones?

2. What standing did Ephraim and Manasseh have in Jacob's family according to Genesis 48:8? How does this act of grace point to our standing in God's family because of the work of Christ? If we are adopted as God's children, is there anything we lack? See Romans 8:15-16; Galatians 4:1-7.

3. What does Jacob predict about the future of each of his sons in Genesis 49? In what way can it be said that Reuben got what he deserved? In what way can it be said that Judah did not get what he deserved? How does the prophecy about Simeon and Levi differ with regard to their eventual outcomes?

4. What is meant by the phrase, "the scepter shall not depart from Judah" (verse 10)? How does this prophecy turn our eyes to Jesus instead of Judah? What other prophecies of the coming Messiah are found in Genesis? How does the Old Testament as a whole point to Jesus?

5. How does the prophecy about Joseph in Genesis 49:22-26 help us to focus on the faithfulness of God in difficult times? What names of God are encouraging to you in this section?

For Further Reading: Edmund Clowney, *The Unfolding Mystery: Discovering Christ in the Old Testament* (P&R Publishing; first edition, 1988; second edition, 2013).

Go to the Land I Will Show You

**MY SOUL WILL WAIT (PSALM 62)***Verse 1*

When the enemy surrounds
And my heart grows faint within
When the darkness overwhelms
And my fears are pressing in
I will trust in You O Lord
In the silence I will wait
I will stand upon Your Word

Chorus

You're my solid rock and my salvation
My steadfast hope that won't be shaken
My soul will wait, my soul will wait for You

Verse 2

You're my stronghold and my shield
In the midst of every threat
Though the wicked never yield
They will vanish like a breath
Yes I know the outcome's sure
Satan's evil plans will fail
In Your power I'm secure

Chorus 2

You're my solid rock and my salvation
My steadfast hope that won't be shaken
My soul will wait my soul will wait for You
You're my comfort when I feel forsaken
My refuge and my sure foundation
My soul will wait, my soul will wait for You

Verse 3

This is love I can't explain
This is mercy unreserved
Through Your sacrifice so great
I have peace that's undeserved
For the battle has been won
And I fear no shame or loss
Now the sting of death is gone

Chorus 2

You're my solid rock and my salvation
My steadfast hope that won't be shaken
My soul will wait my soul will wait for You
You're my comfort when I feel forsaken
My refuge and my sure foundation
My soul will wait, my soul will wait for You

Tag

Pouring out our hearts before You
We will trust in You
Perfect Savior strong Defender
We will trust in You

GOODNESS OF GOD

Verse 1

I love You, Lord
Oh Your mercy never fails me
All my days
I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

Chorus

All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God

Verse 2

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In darkest night
You are close like no other
I've known You as a father
I've known You as a friend
I have lived in the goodness of God

Chorus

All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God

Bridge

Your goodness is running after
It's running after me
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me
With my life laid down
I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me

Chorus

All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so so good
With every breath that I am able
I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God
(repeat)

Tag

I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God
I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD

Verse 1

The splendor of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
And trembles at His voice

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God

Verse 2

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End

The Godhead three in one
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God

Bridge

Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God
(repeat)

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God
(repeat)

IN CHRIST ALONE

Verse 1

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm

What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

Verse 2

In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

Verse 3

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

Verse 4

No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Tag

Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

BEHOLD OUR GOD

Verse 1

Who has held the oceans in His hands
Who has numbered every grain of sand
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Verse 2

Who has given counsel to the Lord
Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One who knows all things
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

Chorus

Behold our God seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him

Verse 3

Who has felt the nails upon His hands
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign

Chorus

Behold our God seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him

Bridge

You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)

Chorus

Behold our God seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him

Tag

Let Your glory fill the earth
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