Worship as a family

Mother's Room: Care for your baby and still connect to the gathering via livestream – follow signs north of auditorium.

Children (infant-grade 6): Kids Connect is available at 9:15 and 11 a.m. – check-in inside east doors or upstairs from foyer. Kids also welcome in large gatherings.

Students (grades 6-12): Sola gathers on Wednesdays – middle school from 6-7:45 p.m. and high school from 7:30-9 p.m.

Worship through prayer

Saturday evening: 7-7:30 p.m., meet at main office to start.

24-7 prayer room: *Now available!* Stop by the Caring Center (8th & Jeffers) anytime to engage the prayer stations there. Entry code is 0633 (north entrance).

This week: Pray for the Lord's leading for our Missions Team as they meet. Ask God to deepen relationships in our Royal Family KIDS Mentoring Club, as we seek to care for "the least of these."

Worship in song

- I Believe Phil Wickham
- In Christ Alone Passion (Kristian Stanfill)
- How Deep the Father's Love for Us Austin Stone Worship
- Firm Foundation (He Won't) Cody Carnes

Worship by giving

Sunday: Use wooden boxes by auditorium doors.

Online: npberean.org/give

Text: Text any amount to 84321.

The Latest

Lunch with Leaders – Sun. 2/25, 12:151:30 p.m., The Commons: Newer to Berean?
Come meet some of our leaders and enjoy a meal together after the Sunday morning gatherings.
We'll also take a short welcome tour and share a bit about the heartbeat of our church. To RSVP, write Lunch with Leaders on your ConnectCard or visit npberean.org/LwL.

You were made to live in community! If you're not yet in a Grow Group, now is a great time to give it a try! Visit npberean.org/growgroups for info and resources. Go to npberean.org/gg to view current groups, filter the list, and find one that works for you, then email the leader or request to join. Questions? Contact Andrew Walker (npberean.org/email-us).

Office info

Hours this week: Mon.-Thu. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. (closed Tue. 1:30-2:30 p.m. for staff meeting)

Contact us: npberean@npberean.org, 308-532-7448, npberean.org



BEREAN CHURCH

Leading people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

2.11.24

Welcome!

We'd love to connect and be a spiritual resource for you! Please fill out a ConnectCard (in seat pocket or npberean.org/cc) – if you're new, bring it to the information center for a welcome gift.

New here?

Sunday large gatherings: 8, 9:15, & 11 a.m.;

6 p.m.; npberean.org/live

Bibles: Available at information center.

Sound levels: Assisted listening devices and earplugs available at tech booth in auditorium.

Go paperless

Interactive bulletin: npberean.org/sunday

PDF: npberean.org/sundayprint

Romans 1:18-32 ESV

¹⁸ For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. 19 For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them. ²⁰ For his invisible attributes, namely, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse. 21 For although they knew God, they did not honor him as God or give thanks to him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened. ²² Claiming to be wise, they became fools, 23 and exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images resembling mortal man and birds and animals and creeping things.

²⁴Therefore God gave them up in the lusts of their hearts to impurity, to the dishonoring of their bodies among themselves, ²⁵ because they exchanged the truth about God for a lie and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever! Amen.

²⁶ For this reason God gave them up to dishonorable passions. For their women exchanged natural relations for those that are contrary to nature; ²⁷ and the men likewise gave up natural relations with women and were consumed with passion for one another, men committing shameless acts with men and receiving in themselves the due penalty for their error.

²⁸ And since they did not see fit to acknowledge God, God gave them up to a debased mind to do what ought not to be done.
²⁹ They were filled with all manner of unrighteousness, evil, covetousness, malice. They are full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, maliciousness. They are gossips, ³⁰ slanderers, haters of God, insolent, haughty, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient to parents, ³¹ foolish, faithless, heartless, ruthless.
³² Though they know God's righteous decree that those who practice such things deserve to die, they not only do them but give approval to those who practice them.

Are You Exchanging?

Gospel Foundations · John Stone

God's is (Rom. 1:18)
because His is (Rom. 1:19-21, Ps. 19:1-2)
But humans (Rom. 1:22-23)
so God them
(Rom. 1:24-32, Eph. 4:19, 2 Cor. 5:21, 1 Thess. 1:9-10)

Beyond Sunday

Growing with Jesus isn't just for Sundays. Make it an <u>everyday</u>, <u>everywhere</u>, <u>with everyone</u> mission by going "beyond Sunday"!

Engage in these resources on your own and with your Grow Group*:

Think it out

- What has been your understanding of God's wrath? Video: npberean.org/bevond21
- Watch this video: npberean.org/beyond22. How does cosmic grandeur make God evident to all?

Talk it out

- · What can cloud a right view of God's wrath?
- Consider this C.S. Lewis quote: <u>npberean.org/beyond23</u>. Why do we exchange "infinite joy" for lesser things? How are we too "easily pleased?"

Live it out

- Write down at least one way you have exchanged truth for lies. Pray daily, for God's help to choose truth instead.
- Listen to "Firm Foundation" daily. Each time ask, "Am I living out this truth today?" npberean.org/beyond24.

*Connecting in community with other believers is crucial for spiritual growth. Explore group options at npberean.org/gg or contact Andrew (andrewwalker@npberean.org, 308-532-7448).