



NORTHPOINT
CHURCH

IN-PERSON + STREAMING AT NORTHPOINT

Two Sunday services: **in-person**, inside the Worship Center and **live-streaming** on 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

CONNECT WITH US

• **Contact Our Leadership Team:** Do you need to contact one of our elders, pastors, directors, or support staff, or do you want to find out more about them? You can accomplish both by visiting northpointcorona.org/about/leadership-2, or by opening the camera on your phone to scan this QR code:



• **Find Out What's Happening at NP:** Just about every Thursday, we send out **NP News**, our all-church newsletter email. In it, there's typically a short note from Pastor Tony, a calendar of upcoming events, a preview of our next Sunday service order, and all you need to know about what's happening at Northpoint. Subscribe to **NP News** by opening the camera on your phone to scan this QR code:



• **Connect with Us on Social Media** through **Instagram** at [@northpointchurch_corona](https://www.instagram.com/northpointchurch_corona).

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EASTER SUNDAY

4.5.2026
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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 give to God's work with a money offering. (If you're visiting, please don't feel obligated to give.) 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 take a break from our sermon series through the *Old Testament* books of 1 and 2 Kings, *For the Sake of My Servant David*, for a special Resurrection message, *The Last Enemy to Be Destroyed Is Death*, from the New Testament book of 1 Corinthians. There, see that death may seem to have the upper hand now, but death itself will be destroyed when Christ returns to deliver the kingdom to God the Father.

SERVICE ORDER



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

Special Opening Song	Choir + Worship Team
<i>That's My King</i>	
Call to Worship	Steve Dahlgren, Worship Director
<i>Matthew 28:5-8</i>	
▲ Congregational Singing	Choir + Worship Team + Congregation
<i>How Great Is Our God</i>	
Welcome + Announcements	Dr. Taylor Mendoza, Associate Pastor
▲ Congregational Singing	Choir + Worship Team + Congregation
<i>Great Things + Who Else with He Arose + Christ the Lord Is Risen Today + What He's Done + Low in the Grave He Lay (He Arose)</i>	
Scripture Reading + Prayer	Staci Van New Kirk
<i>1 Corinthians 15:1-28</i>	
Offertory	Choir + Worship Team
<i>My Tribute + Bless His Holy Name</i>	
Today's Message	Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor
<i>The Last Enemy to Be Destroyed Is Death - 1 Corinthians 15:1-28</i>	
▲ Closing Song	Choir + Worship Team + Congregation
<i>Behold Our God</i>	
Benediction	Steve Dahlgren, Worship Director
<i>Hebrews 3:20-21</i>	

WHAT TO DO NOW? SCAN HERE!



We believe our greatest need is to be connected to God and to His family, the church. Connect with NP by scanning the QR code to fill out an online **Guest Card** or by talking to us down front after the service. Want more? Connect through **weekly small groups**, **Sunday school**, and our quarterly **Get to Know You Lunches** and **membership classes**.

THIS WEEK AT NORTHPOINT *

Today	In-person Services at 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. & Live Streaming at 9:00 a.m. on YouTube Student Ministry (Senior & Junior High) Sunday Gathering, 9:00 a.m. - Off Today NP KIDS' Sunday School, Birth-Kindergarten - (Kids 1st Grade and Above in Services Today) - See Below Firmly Planted, Adult Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 9:00 a.m. - Off Today Faith & Friendship, Seniors' Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 10:45 a.m. - Off Today Living Truth, Adult Discipleship Group (Sunday School Class), 11:00 a.m. - Off Today
Monday	Church Office Closed in Observance of Easter Weekly Prayer Time (Men and Women), 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m., Commons Men of the Word (Men's Bible Study and Small Groups), 7:00 p.m., Heritage Hall
Tuesday	Women of the Word (Women's Bible Study and Small Groups), 6:00 p.m., Heritage Hall Special Iron Sharpens Iron + Student Ministry Boys Gathering, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., Heritage Hall Special SM Small Group Hangout, 6:45 p.m.-9:00 p.m., Off Campus (Boys with Iron Sharpens Iron)
Wednesday	Men of the Word (Men's Bible Study and Small Groups), 6:30 a.m., Heritage Hall Women of the Word (Women's Bible Study and Small Groups), 9:00 a.m., Heritage Hall
Thursday	Revolve (Young Adults), 7:00 p.m., Upstairs, Youth Room

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

LOOKING AHEAD AT NORTHPOINT *



TODAY is a **Family Sunday**: students grades 1-12 are in services with their families; Sunday school is offered during both services for kids kindergarten and younger. Next Sunday, we're back to our typical service programs for kids and youth!



Would you prefer to view today's **worship song lyrics** on your phone rather than on the stage screens? If so, please scan the QR code to the right or visit www.northpointcorona.org/songlyrics.



Our biannual **Women's Retreat, Above All**, is coming! Over the weekend of **May 1-3, 2026**, at the Ayres Costa Mesa, our own Northpoint WOW teachers will be walking us through some of the names of God.



THIS Wednesday, April 8, is your last day to register! Get that done **TODAY** by visiting our table on the Plaza or scanning the QR code:



Love Life partners with thousands of believers from local churches and community leaders to prayer walk and worship outside local abortion centers. Join them **THIS Saturday, April 11**, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., at Low Park in Riverside (6927 Magnolia Ave, Riverside, 92506).

* For more ways to connect with the Northpoint family, see the back of this program.

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SERMON NOTES



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The Last Enemy to Be Destroyed Is Death

1 Corinthians 1:1-28

Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor

Overview: The Apostle Paul describes death as “the last enemy to be destroyed.” Death is an enemy because death is an intruder into God’s good world. It takes but does not give; tears down but does not rebuild; condemns but does not forgive; and if it could, death would keep even the Son of God in the grave. As deadly as death is, however, the Bible promises that death itself will die and be destroyed. This promise is not based on wishful thinking but on the reality of the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the grave as foretold in Scripture and proclaimed by eyewitnesses. Because Jesus rose from the grave, God gives what was taken away; restores what was torn down; and forgives what has been condemned. Death may seem to have the upper hand now, but death itself will be destroyed when Christ returns to deliver the kingdom to God the Father.

01. Death is your enemy; it is not your friend. It needs to be destroyed so you can live.

02. Jesus is not your enemy; He is your friend. He destroyed death so you can live.

RESURRECTION SUNDAY

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION & DISCOVERY

1. According to 1 Corinthians 15:3-5, what is the content of the gospel? Why did Christ die? What is the significance of His burial? When was He raised from the dead? Why is it important for us to be reminded of the gospel (verses 1-2)?

2. What evidence for the resurrection of Jesus does Paul provide in verses 5-8? How does the eyewitness testimony to the resurrection confirm that the gospel message is not based on myth or wishful thinking? How important is eyewitness testimony to you when deciding what to believe about a matter you yourself did not witness?

3. What further evidence does Paul provide for his encounter with Jesus in verses 8-11? How does the change in Paul’s life from a persecutor to a preacher add to the credibility of the resurrection? What changes have occurred in your life as a result of following Jesus?

4. According to verses 12-19, what are the consequences for us if Jesus has not been raised from the dead? Which of these consequences is most concerning to you? Since Christ has been raised, what benefits do we receive because Jesus has been raised from the dead?

5. In what way is the resurrection of Jesus a “firstfruits” of the resurrection for all who believe in Him? What events must follow before death itself is finally destroyed (verses 23-28)? Are you confident now, even though death seems to have the upper hand, that Jesus has conquered death and will destroy it?

For Further Reading: John Stott, *The Cross of Christ* (InterVarsity Press, 1986)

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