



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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FOR THE SAKE OF
MY SERVANT DAVID
FIRST & SECOND KINGS

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 continue our sermon series through the *Old Testament* books of 1 and 2 Kings, *For the Sake of My Servant David*, with a message from 2 Kings, chapter 19, *They Were Not gods, but the Work of Men's Hands*. There, we'll be encouraged to see the beauty of God's revelation of Himself in Christ to help galvanize us as we share the gospel with our neighbors and the nations.

SERVICE ORDER



MAY 24, 2026

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

- Call to Worship** — Micah Valdez, Worship Leader
Psalms 33:6-12
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** — Worship Team + Congregation
Come Praise and Glorify + Here I Am to Worship
- Welcome + Announcements** — Perry Schaefer, NP Elder
- ▲ **Congregational Singing** — Worship Team + Congregation
All Sufficient Merit
- Scripture Reading + Prayer** — James Van New Kirk
Genesis 1
- Offertory** — Worship Team + Congregation
My Worth Is Not in What I Own
- Today's Message** — Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor
They Were Not gods, but the Work of Men's Hands - 2 Kings 19:18
- ▲ **Closing Song** — Worship Team + Congregation
Jesus at the Center
- Benediction** — Micah Valdez, Worship Leader
1 Timothy 1:17

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., Youth Room Upstairs
NP KIDS' 1st Service Program, Birth-6th Grade, (Dismissed from service during Announcements)
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 the Truth, *A Study of Romans*, (Sunday School Class), 10:45 a.m., Heritage Hall
- Monday** — **Church Office Closed in Observance of Memorial Day**
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) - *Off for the Summer*
- Tuesday** — Women of the Word (Women's Bible Study and Small Groups) - *Off for the Summer*
JH & SH Youth Group, 6:45 p.m.—9:00 p.m., Upstairs, Youth Room
- Wednesday** — Men of the Word (Men's Bible Study and Small Groups) - *Off for the Summer*
Women of the Word (Women's Bible Study and Small Groups) - *Off for the Summer*
- 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 *



VBS is coming to Northpoint over the week of **July 6-10**, and we can't pull it off without the help of our church family!

We need volunteers (7th grade to adult) to make an eternal impact on the kids who attend. This year, signing up is a two-step process: **1. Sign up! 2. Complete a background check.**

Here are the details:

1. To sign up, visit northpointcorona.org/ministries/npkids/ or scan the top QR code to fill out our online registration form:



2. New this year (and from now on), per the State of California, we are required to conduct **Live Scan background checks-including fingerprinting** for all volunteers (VBS or otherwise) over the age of 18 who work with minors. So, if you want to serve at VBS 2026, in addition to signing up, you must complete the background check process by **June 28**.

To facilitate the fingerprinting, we'll have a mobile Live Scan service here at NP on Sunday, **May 31**, and Sunday, **June 28**. If you can't make it on either of those days, you can get your fingerprints done at Rivera Live Scan in Corona.

In addition to fingerprinting, the background check includes the completion of two simple forms. You can get that done (and review all the background check details) by visiting northpointcorona.org/northpoint-fingerprinting/ or by scanning the bottom QR code:



If your student is graduating from high school or college, we want to include them in a **special congratulatory announcement in June**. Please be sure to email Bob Brown at bbrown@northpointcorona.org with your graduate's name and the diploma/degree earned.

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

LOVING GOD • LOVING ONE ANOTHER • REACHING HIS WORLD



They Were Not gods, but the Work of Men's Hands

2 Kings 19:18

Dr. Tony Chute, Lead Pastor

Overview: King Hezekiah's confidence in the Lord to deliver Judah from the overwhelmingly powerful forces of Assyria is based on the fact that the gods of the Assyrians, in whom they trust, do not exist. Hezekiah rightly recognizes that there is one God, Yahweh, who created heaven and earth, and has covenanted with the people of Israel. He, therefore, concludes that the gods of other nations and lands are merely the works of men's hands, idols made of wood and stone. Given this conclusion, Hezekiah does not erase the need for God to act in history on behalf of His people; instead, Hezekiah pleads that God will insert Himself into history in order to demonstrate that He alone is the living God who calls all people from all nations to know and worship Him. Hezekiah's prayer from millennia ago is instructive to us today because the God to whom he prayed is not the work of men's hands, but rather is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

01. As Christians who worship the One true God, we confess that the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ is the maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

02. As human beings made in the image of God, we conclude that every person is born with intrinsic value before God and has a longing to know the One true God.

03. As followers of Jesus, the Son of God, we commit to making Him known to people of all nations and lands by sharing the gospel with all people everywhere.

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION & DISCOVERY

1. How did Hezekiah's understanding of God differ from that of the Assyrians and other nations at the time? What accounts for Israel's monotheism? In other words, what led them to conclude that there is only one God? Discuss the following: "God created us—our ideas of God do not create Him."

2. Since there is only one God, how does the Bible account for the variety of religions in the world? Does the Bible assume that all religions are the same in terms of their validity and ability to confer salvation? How does the Bible's presentation of God as the only God and Christ as the only Savior affect the way you view other religions? What false religions are dependent upon Christianity for their origins?

3. How often do you come into contact with people of different religions? What impact does place of birth or cultural upbringing have on a person's choice of religion? Are you able to say with Hezekiah that any god outside of the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ is the product of human speculation rather than Divine revelation?

4. Some might say that Hezekiah's understanding of God was also a product of his culture; some might also say that you are a Christian simply because you were born into a Christian culture. What would you say to such a person about the truth of Christianity apart from your culture and upbringing? How would you defend the veracity of Christianity over all other religions?

5. In what ways can we make Christ known to our friends, neighbors, and co-workers? How can we show respect for them as humans made in the image of God while still calling them to repentance from sin and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ? In what ways can Northpoint reach our community and the nations with the gospel message?

For Further Reading: Daniel Strange, *Their Rock is Not Like Our Rock: A Theology of Religions* (Zondervan, 2015)