

The First Baptist Church at Worship 2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST FATHER'S DAY

June 19, 2022 ~ 10:00 AM



THE PRELUDE

Gregory Land, Organist

Suite from "Water Music" G. F. Handel; setting by Carl McKinley

I. Allegro Vivace II. Air III. Hornpipe IV. Minuet V. Allegretto Giocoso

In Praise to the Lord

THE RINGING OF THE CHIMES

A three-fold ringing of three signifies the presence of the triune God: Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.

CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER

Rev. David Coggins

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." (*Luke 4:18-19*)

*OPENING HYMN

#273 In Christ There Is No East or West

This setting expands and enhances the thematic inclusiveness of an early 20th-century text by adapting the melody of a traditional spiritual to carry these words. This 1940 pairing marked the first use of African American musical material in a mainline North American hymnal.

Listening for the Word of God

NEW TESTAMENT EPISTLE LESSON: Galatians 3:27-29; 4:3-7

Nancy Kerr

As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise. So with us; while we were minors, we were enslaved to the elemental spirits of the world. But when the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

People: Thanks be to God!

*GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 8:26-33, 38-39

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord according to Luke.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ!

Charlene Bayless

Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me"--for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss. Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

Leader: For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us,

for the Word of God within us.

People: Thanks be to God!

*FELLOWSHIP HYMN

#449 Baptized in Water BUNESSAN

Each stanza of this compact and carefully constructed text about baptism begins with allusions to John 3:5 and Ephesians 1:13. The interplay of constant changing lines accentuates each added image. It is set here to a Gaelic tune first transcribed in the 19th Century.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Michael Wadham

(Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Message during the last stanza of the fellowship hymn. All kids 3 years and older are invited to go downstairs after the Children's Message for a "One Room Sunday School" class.)

CALL TO PRAYER (See pg. 6)

Be Still and Know

Be still and know that I am God. Be still and know that I am God.

Be still and know that I am God.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts & Debtors)

Rev. Coggins

SPECIAL MUSIC: Brad Kallenberg, Soloist and Jeanne Kallenberg, Piano Accompaniment

"The Call"

Text by George Herbert (1633); Music by Ralph Vaughan Williams

The medieval pastor, George Herbert wrote poems that touch the deepest parts of Christian theology. The love relationship between the singer/poet and their Lord is reflected in "The Call." Surprisingly, this call is not God's call to us, but the ecstatic call that bursts from the believer's heart.

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: (John 14:6)

Such a Way, as gives us breath: (Instead of getting winded, we are given breath for the race!)

Such a Truth, as ends all strife: (Philippians 2:10)

Such a Life, as killeth death. (Death itself will die! Revelation 20:14; Hebrews 7:16; 2:14)

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength:

Such a Light, as shows a feast: (Exodus 24:9-11 the point is to feast in the presence of God!)

Such a Feast, as mends in length: (The heavenly banquet never runs out!)

Such a Strength, as makes his guest. (Revelation 19:9; 22:17)

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart:

Such a Joy, as none can move:

move: (John 15:11)

Such a Love, as none can part: (Hebrews 13:5; Lamentations 3:22-23)

Such a Heart, as joys in love. (God's deepest joy is the love between us and Him!)

THE SERMON Rev. Coggins

"No Longer Slaves"

The Response of God's People

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

#634 We Walk by Faith FAITH'S JOURNEY

The opening line here is essentially a quotation of 2 Corinthians 5:7, but that affirmation is fleshed out by references to the appearance of the risen Christ to Thomas (John 20:19-29). The shape note tune, named for a stream in Fayette County, Pennsylvania, adds resolution to the words.

*BLESSING WITH DISMISSAL

Rev. Coggins

POSTLUDE Gregory Land

Suite from "Water Music" G. F. Handel; setting by Carl McKinley

VI. Allegro Maestoso with Trumpets and Horns

(*) You're invited to rise in body or in spirit!

Please drop your offering and yellow card in the basket as you leave.

Thank you!



The chancel flowers are given today in honor of Father's Day ~~ Happy Father's Day!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to our worship service! If you are visiting, we would love to get to know you. Please fill out a yellow card with your contact information and a pastor will be happy to get in touch with you. Anyone is welcome to use these cards to communicate with our office and share prayer requests or other information, too. We have baskets for our offering and communication cards at our entrances/exits.

COVID-19 Update: Healthy people may choose whether or not to wear a mask indoors. We continue to encourage regular handwashing, sanitizing & physical distancing. And we urge you to stay up to date with COVID-19 vaccines, get tested if you have COVID symptoms, and guarantine when necessary.

We continue to **livestream and video record** our Sunday worship service through our YouTube channel. This can be found at https://www.youtube.com/ and look for First Baptist Church Dayton Ohio, or check our website (https://www.fbcdayton.org/).

Live **Zoom gatherings** are usually held on the first Sunday of the month at 5:00PM unless otherwise announced. This is a time to connect with one another, pray, and have a lesson. Anyone is welcome to join us through any of these venues as we try to reach people in safe and meaningful ways.

Prayer for the Armed Forces

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace, strengthen them in their trials and temptations, give them courage to face the perils which beset them, and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the People

(If you have someone you'd like to add or remove, please let us know.) Don Ammon Neil Earnest Bill Salyers Elizabeth Ard Judy See Tim Earnest Judy Smith Paige Bartlett Lavanda Ferguson Berghuis Family Bev & Bill Harrell Chas Snyder Jessica Blair Linda Haskins Anita Suro Don Brown Henry Family Kaye Suryk Melinda Brown Barbara Jett **Emily Taylor Busch Family** Anna Frances Lasley Tyler Family Chadbourne Family Gene & Mary K Lee Anne Veghte Tami Malone Charles Tim Meador Military Duty: June Collier Arthur Merkle Sebastian Ewald Pamela Cress John & Shirley Nash Sunny Ewald Dilworth Family Mary Ann Paloncy Brittany Kalbfleisch Florida Dixon Rose Peacock Will Radachi Jim Earnest Reichard Family Andy Wilson Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)

Week of June 19 - 26

Sun. 19		
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Mon. 20		Book Club Lunch Hour (Parlor)
	2:30p	Open Studio (Fireside Rm)
	5-8p	Spiritual Writing Workshop (BYO Food)
Tue. 21	10:00a	Sketch Group (Bring lawn chair)
	1:30p	Facebook Live Painting (Online)
	5:30p	Painting Class (Parlor)
	6:00p	FBC Softball Game (Rotary Park)
Wed. 22		. Writing Consultations (by Appt w/Jerome)
Thu. 23	6:00p	Choir Gathering (Caldwell home)
Sun. 26	10:00a	Worship Service
		Church Picnic @ Thomas Cloud Park

Children's Sunday School

All kids 3 years and older are invited to go downstairs after the Children's Message for a "One Room Sunday School" class.

Special Music for Summer Services

If you would like to provide Special Music for our worship services this summer while the choir is on break, please choose a date offered on the sign-up sheet located on the hallway bulletin board. *Thank you!*



FBC Softball Games

TUESDAYS @ 6:00PM ROTARY PARK BEAVERCREEK

Vacation Bible School July 25-29 / 9:30AM - Noon PreK - 5th Grade

Join us this summer for our Vacation Bible School—"Traveling with Paul"—as we retrace some of the steps of the Apostle Paul, learning about his mission to share the Gospel, the places he visited, the people he met along the way, and what it means for us today. Registration forms are available online at fbcdayton.org and on the table by the church office. If you have questions, please speak with CE Board member Janet Landis or CE Board chairperson Roy Vice.

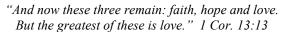
FBC Photo Directory

Thank you to all who have submitted photos for the creation of a new church directory. We continue to solicit photos, and in order to encourage greater participation we'd like to provide an opportunity for members/friends of First Baptist to have their directory photos taken by our own Camilla Black (at no cost). Please contact Roger Stephens if you want your photo included in the Photo Directory. He can be reached at 937-470-1972 or by email to rogerestephens@gmail.com

Collection of Reflections: Our Faith Journeys at Dayton First Baptist

A reminder from the Heritage Committee to submit your written reflections. If you would prefer to be interviewed, why not consider setting an appointment with Donna for after the service one Sunday. Interviews usually last 30-40 minutes and are recorded and then a transcript is made of the interview. You can contact Donna Curry directly at 937 470 5643 or donna.curry@wright.edu. If you phone and don't get an answer, please leave a voice mail.

AMERICAN BAPTIST JUNE OFFERING One Great Hour of Sharing





When you give to One Great Hour of Sharing, you deploy resources to people in need in over 80 countries around the world, and in our own communities. When disasters strike, *Love responds*. Not just for the immediate future, but for the long haul. When you give to One Great Hour of Sharing, you are working alongside families to restore not only structures, but hope. Your giving ensures that no matter how difficult the situation, *Love restores, Love rebuilds, Love remains*. Special offering envelopes are available in the pew racks.

RSVP TODAY FOR THE CHURCH PICNIC



Sunday, June 26 after Church Thomas Cloud Park – Shelter #4



This time of fun and fellowship will be held at Thomas Cloud Park (Shelter #4) in Huber Heights off of Brandt Pike on Sunday, June 26, beginning at 11:30AM. We are having a casual dress Sunday on the 26th so that we can leave for the picnic from the church. The Deacons will provide chicken, drinks and ice, as well as paper products and dinnerware. The congregation is asked to bring lawn chairs, side dishes and desserts to share (enough for 12 people): Last names A-M bring sides; N-Z bring desserts. If you wish you can bring your covered dishes to church that Sunday. You can refrigerate them if needed. If you need ice for your cooler, please check the upstairs ice maker. Shelter 4 is at top of hill with parking in close proximity—lots of shade, tennis court, basketball hoops, playground equipment, and restrooms nearby. Don't forget your lawn chairs/blankets and to RSVP by Monday, June 20th.

CALL TO PRAYER

