The First Baptist Church at Worship Fourth Sunday After Pentecost Fathers Day

June 20, 2021 10:00 AM

THE PRELUDE

Gregory Land, Organist

The Good Shepherd Gilbert M. Martin Organ Meditations on Psalm 23

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"
"The Lord's My Shepherd, All My Need"
"He Leadeth Me"
"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"

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. Dr. Kent Berghuis

*OPENING HYMN

#14 Eternal Father, Strong to Save

The first three stanzas of this hymn appeal to the Trinity with Scripture passages where each person controlled the sea, imploring "O hear us when we cry to Thee for those in peril on the sea." The first stanza refers to God's discourse with Job, in which the Lord asks, "Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb, when I ... said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?" The second stanza refers to two occasions when Jesus calmed the raging sea: when He walked on the water and when He slept through a storm until His terrified disciples woke Him. The third stanza alludes to Creation, when "The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters." The final stanza summarizes the hymn and promises continued praise "from land and sea."

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Ted Greenwood, Mission Board Chair

Listening for the Word of God

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Linda Ginter Brown

<u>1 Samuel 17:32-49:</u> David said to Saul, "Let no one's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine." Saul said to David, "You are not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him; for you are just a boy, and he has been a warrior from his youth." But David said to Saul, "Your servant used to keep sheep for his father; and whenever a lion or a bear came, and took a lamb from the flock, I went after it and struck it down, rescuing the lamb from its mouth; and if it turned against me, I would catch it by the jaw, strike it down, and kill it. Your servant has killed both lions and bears; and this uncircumcised Philistine shall be like one of them, since he has defied the armies of the living God."

David said, "The LORD, who saved me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, will save me from the hand of this Philistine." So Saul said to David, "Go, and may the LORD be with you!" Saul clothed David with his armor; he put a bronze helmet on his head and clothed him with a coat of mail. David strapped Saul's sword over the armor, and he tried in vain to walk, for he was not used to them. Then David said to Saul, "I cannot walk with these; for I am not used to them." So David removed them. Then he took his staff in his hand, and chose five smooth stones from the wadi, and put them in his shepherd's bag, in the pouch; his sling was in his hand, and he drew near to the Philistine. The Philistine came on and drew near to David, with his shield-bearer in front of him. When the Philistine looked and saw David, he disdained him, for he was only a youth, ruddy and handsome in appearance. The Philistine said to David, "Am I a dog, that you come to me with sticks?" And the Philistine cursed David by his gods. The Philistine said to David, "Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the field." But David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with sword and spear and javelin; but I come to you in the name of the LORD of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. This very day the LORD will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head; and I will give the dead bodies of the Philistine army this very day to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the earth, so that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, and that all this assembly may know that the LORD does not save by sword and spear; for the battle is the Lord's and he will give you into our hand." When the Philistine drew nearer to meet David, David ran quickly toward the battle line to meet the Philistine. David put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, slung it, and struck the Philistine on his forehead; the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell face down on the ground.

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

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Jason Alspaugh

(Children preK-5 are invited to come forward for the Children's Message. After the message they may go downstairs for a one-room Sunday School class. Parents are asked to pick up their child(ren) downstairs in Room 4 following the service.)

CALL TO PRAYER

#385 Hear Our Prayer, O Lord WHELPTON

Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord; Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace.

MOMENT OF REMEMBRANCE

Rev. David Coggins

Peggie J. Worthey

February 24, 1935 - June 8, 2021

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

Rev. Coggins

SPECIAL MUSIC

William Henry Caldwell

He's Got the Whole World In His Hands arr. Moses Hogan

He's got the whole world in HIs hands. He's got all the power in His hands. He's got you and me brother in His hands, He's got you and me sister, in His hands. He's got the little baby in His hands. He's got the whole world in His hands. He's got mother and father in His hands, He's got the stars and the moon right in His hands, He's got everybody in His hands, He's got the whole world in His hands.

THE SERMON

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

"Slaying Giants"

The Response of God's People

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

#573 It Is Well with My Soul VILLE DU HAVRE

This text is a remarkable expression of faith born of grief. The author and active Presbyterian layman who had just lost four daughters in a tragic shipwreck, wrote it while sailing to Paris to meet his wife, who had survived. The tune was named for the ship that sank.

BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

POSTLUDE

Gregory Land

 $Toccata\ on\ "Amazing\ Grace"\ J.\ Christopher\ Pardini$

(*) 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!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to our in-person worship! 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.

Please Note! If you've been vaccinated, wearing a mask is optional. Since children have not yet been able to get vaccinated Pastor Jason and Barbara Bogan intend to continue wearing masks along with them during their times together. We still encourage using hand sanitizer, and remaining socially distanced from those outside your family group when entering, seated and exiting. If a restroom visit is required, please use the downstairs rooms.

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/). We will hold our live Zoom Gathering Sunday evening at 5:00 PM. 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	e, please let us know.)
Ayers Family	Jim Earnest	Michelle Smith
Bartlett Family	Neil Earnest	Roger Stephens
Paige Bartlett	Lavanda Ferguson	Helen Sutton
Rebecca Bauer	Gottshall Family	Suro Family
Cody Berghuis	Ken Gordon	Kaye Suryk
Marlen Berghuis	Bev Harrell	Emily Taylor
Jessica Blair	Linda Haskins	Torrey Thrash
Marcie Bogan	Jett Family	Anne Veghte
Don Brown	Doris Landis	Sara Vice
Melinda Brown	Anna Frances Lasley	Waldrop Family
Robert Brown	Steve Liss	Zachery Williamson
Andrew Caldwell	Tim Meador	Worthey Family
Lynn Chadbourne	Arthur Merkle	Healthcare Workers
Tami Malone Charles	Mary Ann Paloncy	Police & Fire Fighters
June Collier	Susan Reichard	Military Duty:
Craig Family	Bill Salyers	Sebastian Ewald
Pamela Cress	Benji Sayre	Sunny Ewald
DeBold Family	Judy See	Brittany Kalbfleisch
Florida Dixon	Judy Smith	Andy Wilson

Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)

Week of June 20 - 27

Sun. 20	10:00a	Worship Service – Father's Day No Adult Sunday School
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Tue. 22	6:00p	FBC Softball Game @ Rotary Park Bvrck
Wed. 23	2:00p	Bible Study @ FBC
	6:30p	Executive Council Meeting @ FBC
Thu. 24	7:30a	Building Bridges Bible Study @ Goughs
Sun. 27	10:00a	Worship Service
	5:00p	Adult Sunday School on Zoom

June Offering: One Great Hour of Sharing

"Nobody hungry, nobody thirsty, shade from the sun, shelter from the wind, for the Compassionate One guides them, takes them to the best springs." -Isaiah 49:10

The One Great Hour of Sharing offering began 72 years ago and is still a tangible way American Baptists provide for the human needs of our world. When you give to One Great Hour of Sharing, you deploy resources to people in need all around the world. Through sustainable development projects, our partners provide life-giving water and other critical resources that help communities reinvent and reimagine what is possible. When water comes to a village, people are safer, healthier, and more free to pursue learning and growth opportunities. Let love flow, and share more than just water. Please give generously this month to the One Great Hour of Sharing offering. Special OGHS offering envelopes are available in the pew racks.

No Adult Sunday School Today **Enjoy Fathers Day!**

First Baptist Softball Games Tuesdays @ 6:00PM Rotary Park, Beavercreek

Vacation Bible School 2021

"God's Wonderful Creation" July 19-23 @ 9:30-Noon PreK – 5th Grade

This summer at VBS we'll be exploring passages of Scripture that speak of God's creation. Through music, stories, activities, art and more, we will learn about the goodness of God's creation and God's love and care for us; about how creation praises and honors God; and how we are a new creation in Christ.

If you would like to help out with VBS this year, we are looking for adults to serve as group leaders and to help out with snack preparation. You can also help us decorate our VBS spaces at First Baptist on Saturday, July 10th at 10am.

Registration materials are now available online at www.fbcdayton.org and on the table by the church office. We will be engaging in COVIDsafe practices (masking, hand-washing/disinfecting, physical distancing) throughout the week. And in order to prepare accordingly we have set a registration deadline of July 1st.

If you have questions and/or would like to help out please speak with Ray Landis (chair of Christian Education) or Pastor Jason Alspaugh (jalspaugh@fbcdayton.org).

Rebuilding Together Dayton Summer Volunteer Opportunities

Elderly homeowners often have trouble keeping up their yards and need assistance with jobs such as painting, pulling weeds, mowing and mulching flower beds. Serving in this way helps homeowners age in place safely! We are looking for volunteer groups to join us in serving Dayton homeowners this summer! If you have an interest in forming a group to join us, please email info@rtdayton for more information.

Building Bridges Bible Study Thursdays @ 7:30-8:30 AM

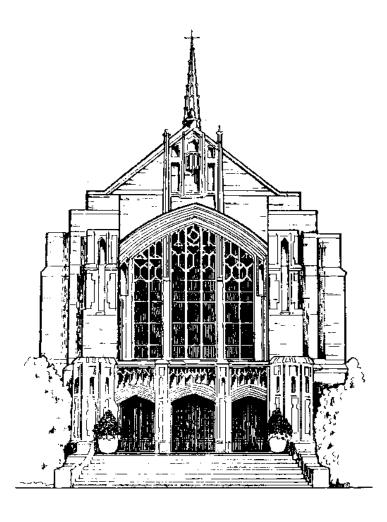
Our Thursday morning Bible study--"Building Bridges"--continues to meet outside (weather permitting) at the home of Nick & Anna Gough (NOTE: when necessary we meet online via Zoom). The Gough's home is located at 136 Strathmoor Crossing, Dayton 45429. If you have any questions or want to give us a heads up about joining with us, please email Pastor Jason (jalspaugh@fbcdayton.org). It's particularly helpful to know of your desire to join with us in the event we decide to meet via Zoom. All are welcome!

Happy Father's Day!

First Baptist Church of Dayton

FOUR TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST **FATHERS DAY**

JUNE 20, 2021



OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

To celebrate God's love as a community of believers in Jesus Christ through worship, education, fellowship, and outreach to others.

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