

The First Baptist Church at Worship
11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
August 21, 2022 ~ 10:00 AM



In Preparation for Worship

THE PRELUDE

Gregory Land, Organist
Charis Weible, Mezzo-Soprano

Three Pieces for Organ Sir William Walton
March Elegy Scherzetto

(Note: The music of these three pieces comes from the
film score to "Richard III," 1963.)

Adagio in G minor Giazotto - Albinoni

It Is Well Kristene DiMarco

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. Dr. Kent Berghuis

*OPENING HYMN

#282 *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*
AUSTRIAN HYMN

The opening line of this hymn quotes Psalm 87:3 "Glorious things of you are spoken, O city of God." The theme of these stanzas is the universal church, and its story. The text begins with a vision of the new city of God in the first two stanzas, and then looks back to the early journey of the Israelites, with references in the third stanza to cloud, fire, and manna. We are reminded through this of the long history God has with His people, and of the wonderful future awaiting those who are, through grace, members of God's family.

A MOMENT FOR BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS

Christopher Mackey

Listening for the Word of God

PSALTER LESSON: Psalm 71:1-6

Rev. Alan Carroll

In you, O LORD, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame. In your righteousness deliver me and rescue me; incline your ear to me and save me. Be to me a rock of refuge, a strong fortress, to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress. Rescue me, O my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the grasp of the unjust and cruel. For you, O Lord, are my hope, my trust, O LORD, from my youth. Upon you I have leaned from my birth; it was you who took me from my mother's womb. My praise is continually of you.

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

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord according to Luke.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ!

Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

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

#41 *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy*
WELLESLEY

Drawing inspiration from the hymns of John Newton, William Cowper and the Wesleys during his Anglican youth, Frederick Faber, the composer of this hymn recognized that Roman Catholics lacked a tradition of more recent metrical hymnody in English. He took it upon himself to remedy this. By the time he died, he had contributed 150 hymns, all composed after his conversion to Roman Catholicism.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. David Coggins

(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)*

Surely the Presence of the Lord

**Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place,
I can feel his mighty power and his grace.
I can hear the brush of angel's wings, I see glory on each face;
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.**

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

Rev. Jason Alspaugh

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

Charis Weible, Mezzo-Soprano

"I Will Rescue You" Lauren Daigle

*You are not hidden
There's never been a moment you were forgotten
You are not hopeless though you have been broken, your innocence stolen
I hear you whisper underneath your breath
I hear your SOS, your SOS.
I will send out an army to find you
In the middle of the darkest night, it's true, I will rescue you.
There is no distance that cannot be covered over and over
You're not defenseless, I'll be your shelter; I'll be your armor
I hear you whisper underneath your breath
I hear your SOS, your SOS
I will never stop marching to reach you in the middle of the hardest fight,
It's true, I will rescue you.
I hear you whisper underneath your breath
I hear you whisper, you have nothing left.*

THE SERMON

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

"Woman, You Are Free!"

The Response of God's People

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

#319 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*
LOBE DEN HERREN

The last psalm in the Bible, Psalm 150, ends with this invitation: "Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Praise the LORD." German composer Joachim Neander gave us words to do just that when he wrote his most well-known hymn, "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty." Hymnologist John Julian declares this to be "a magnificent hymn of praise to God, perhaps the finest production of its author, and of the first rank in its class." And indeed, this is a hymn that has stood the test of time (over 300 years) to remain one of the most beloved praise hymns in the Church. As we sing these words, we join with the voices, in many languages, of millions who have gone before us, and those across the globe, to sing these great words of thanksgiving and honor to the God who created us, protects us, and befriends us.

*BLESSING WITH DISMISSAL

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

POSTLUDE

Gregory Land

Crown Imperial Sir William Walton

A Coronation March (1937)

"In beautie burying the crone imperiale" (William Dunbar, 1465-1520)

(* 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 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: Montgomery County remains in the CDC's "High" COVID-19 Community Level, where they recommend masking indoors. So we also recommend that you wear masks indoors at church at this time for worship and other activities in keeping with that guidance. For more information see www.cdc.gov. 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 quarantine 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 (<http://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.)

Ammon Family	Jim Earnest	Bill Salyers
Elizabeth Ard	Neil Earnest	Judy See
Paige Bartlett	Tim Earnest	Judy Smith
Berghuis Family	Lavanda Ferguson	Chas Snyder
Jessica Blair	Bev & Bill Harrell	Anita Suro
Don Brown	Linda Haskins	Kaye Suryk
Melinda Brown	Barbara Jett	Emily Taylor
Gerald Busch	Anna Frances Lasley	
Mary Anne Chadbourne	Gene & Mary K Lee	Military Duty:
Tami Malone Charles	Tom McKenzie	Sebastian Ewald
Pamela Cress	Arthur Merkle	Sunny Ewald
Davis Family	John & Shirley Nash	Brittany Kalbfleisch
Dilworth Family	Mary Ann Paloncy	Will Radachi
Florida Dixon	Rose Peacock	Andy Wilson
Domesick Family	Reichard Family	
Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)		

Week of August 21 – 28

Sun. 21	10:00a	Worship Service
	11:15a	Coffee Fellowship – Big Brothers Big Sisters
Tue. 23	6:00p	FBC Softball Game (Rotary Park)
Sun. 28	10:00a	Worship Service
	11:15a	Coffee Fellowship – Artists' Reception



Welcome to Our Guest Musician

Today we welcome Charis Weible, mezzo-soprano, as our guest musician. Charis is a teacher at Chaminade Julianne Catholic High School, where she works closely with the Performing Arts Department on a variety of projects. She is also the interim costume designer at the University of Dayton. Charis got her degree in theatre from Wright State University, where she studied both voice and costuming. Charis has been on staff at Grace United Methodist Church as the Worship Arts Director for two years, but has been a lifelong church singer and performer, along with her dad, who is a worship leader and pastor in the greater Cincinnati area. In her free time, Charis loves using her voice, walking with her dog and friends, and spending time with other creatives.

**Big Brothers Big Sisters
During Coffee Fellowship**

Thirty-one young people in our community are looking for a positive adult role model. During today's Coffee Fellowship, join Christopher Mackey from Big Brothers Big Sisters to learn how you can empower a young person through mentorship. Want to learn more now? Go to www.bbbsmiamivalley.org/.

Attention All Singers

Do you love to sing? Do you live in the downtown community or nearby? Are you or someone you know looking for an opportunity to participate in music making of the highest caliber in one of the most historic churches in the Miami Valley with the finest organ in the world? If you answered YES to any of these questions, the First Baptist Church of Dayton Chancel Choir wants YOU! The Chancel Choir is now scheduling auditions for the 2022-2023 seasons. Auditions are by appointment only and all voice types are welcome. Rehearsals are Thursday nights at 7 p.m. beginning September 8th. To schedule an audition/interview for the upcoming season, please contact the main office at First Baptist Church (937-222-4691 or email fbc@fbccdayton.org) before the season begins. You may also visit us at www.fbccdayton.org. Dr. William Henry Caldwell is music director.

**“Women Strong” Art Exhibit
August - September 2022
First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall**

**There will be an ARTISTS’ RECEPTION held during coffee fellowship on
Sunday, Aug. 28 @ 11:15-12:30**

Come and meet the artists! This group of artists has spent special times getting to know each other, visiting each other's homes and sharing food on a monthly basis for the last six months. They have become a strong support for each other's work and life. Audrey Davis and Janet Lasley convened the group, believing that this cross-cultural art/friendship experiences can work for the women of our communities. We are thankful for each and every one involved!

*Yvette Walker Dalton, Audrey Davis, Cydnie King, Lois Fortson Kirk,
Janet Lasley, Erin Smith-Glenn, Nasrin Majidi, Marsha Monroe Pippenger,
Frances Turner, Yufeng Wang*

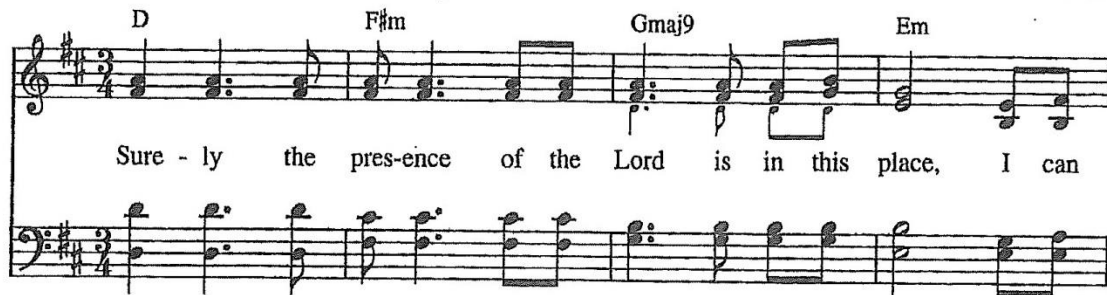
**Homecoming Sunday
September 11, 2022**

**Save the Date: Open House
For Ed & Laura Rhodes and Bill & Giselle Bretz
Friday, Sep. 16 @ 6:30PM
Home of Nick & Anna Gough
(136 Strathmoor Crossing, Kettering 45429)
Bring an appetizer to share!**

CALL TO PRAYER

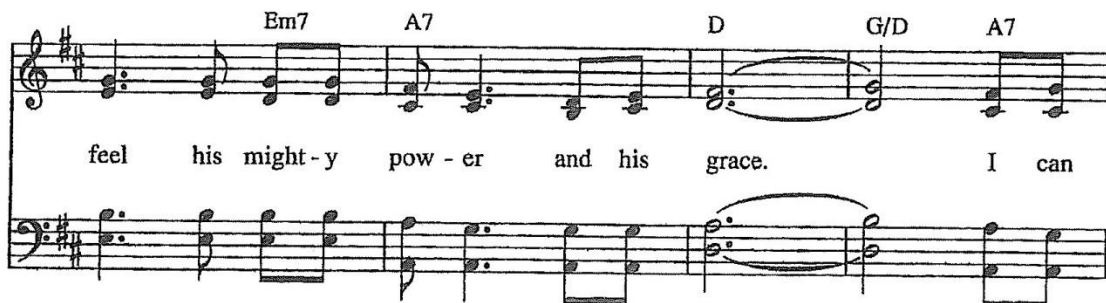
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D F#m Gmaj9 Em



Sure - ly the pres-ence of the Lord is in this place, I can

Em7 A7 D G/D A7



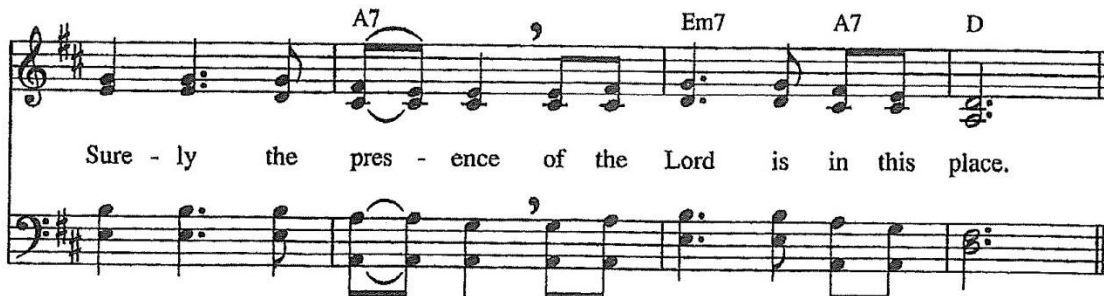
feel his might-y pow-er and his grace. I can

D F#m Gmaj9 Em



hear the brush of an-gel's wings, I see glo-ry on each face;

A7 Em7 A7 D



Sure - ly the pres - ence of the Lord is in this place.

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Exploring Worship

For Jr/Sr High Youth

Below are some questions to help you think about our time in worship today. You can use the order of worship to help you with your answers. For any questions *you* may have, be sure to write them down, and feel free to talk about them with Pastor Jason or one of your folks.

MUSIC

Was there a song or part of a song you connected with? If so, name it and try to explain why.

Write down any words or verses in any of the songs we sang that may have been confusing to you.

SCRIPTURE

Was there a passage of Scripture or a verse you connected with? If so, write it down and try to explain why.

Write down any questions you may have about any of the Scriptures we read today.

SERMON

What was the main passage of Scripture on which the sermon was based (book, chapter, verse)?

In your own words, what do you think this Scripture was about?

How did the sermon help you understand this Scripture? What did you learn?

Write down any words or phrases you didn't understand, and/or any questions you might have:

ART

(Feel free to use this space to doodle or draw as you listen, pray, feel inspired.)