

The First Baptist Church at Worship

22<sup>ND</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

Recognition of Veterans

November 10, 2019

10:00 AM

The Gathering

The congregation is invited to meditate and contemplate during the Prelude.

THE PRELUDE R. Alan Kimbrough, Organist

From Mass for the Parishes ..... François Couperin

In Praise to the Lord

ACOLYTES BRING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE SANCTUARY TO LIGHT THE CANDLES

THE RINGING OF THE CHIMES

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

CHORAL INTROIT God Himself Is With Us Eugene Butler

God himself is with us; Let us now adore him, Come with awe before him. Hear, O Lord, the praises that your church now raises, as we bow before you.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. David Coggins

\*PROCESSIONAL 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.

\*OPENING PRAYER Rev. Coggins

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #705 Glory Be to the Father GLORIA PATRI (Greatorex)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

\*WELCOME & PASSING THE PEACE Rev. Dr. Kent Berghuis

(Please register your attendance by filling out a yellow card from the pew rack and placing it in the offering bag later in the service.)

We are invited to greet our nearest neighbors, extend our hand, and greet one another in the name of Christ.

(Please be seated.)

BLESSING OF NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES Rev. Berghuis

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP Donna Curry

LITANY FOR VETERAN'S DAY (SEE INSERT) Rev. Coggins

Reading & Proclaiming God's Word

PSALTER LESSON Jeanne Kallenberg

Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless you, and praise your name forever and ever. Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable. One generation shall laud your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts. On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate. The LORD is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings. The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfills the desire of all who fear him; he also hears their cry, and saves them. The LORD watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy. My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and all flesh will bless his holy name forever and ever.

Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church. People: Thanks be to God!

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Jeanne Kallenberg

Job 19:23-27a: "O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another."

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\*GOSPEL LESSON Rev. Dr. Berghuis

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord according to Luke. People: Praise be to you, O Christ.

Luke 20:27-38: Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her." Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are

given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

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 #298 God Is Here! ABBOT'S LEIGH

The name of the Rev. F. Pratt Green is one of the best known of the contemporary school of hymn writers in the British Isles. His name and writings appear in practically every new hymnal and supplement wherever English is spoken and sung. And now they are appearing in American hymnals, poetry magazines, and anthologies. Mr. Green was born in Liverpool, England in 1903. Ordained in the British Methodist ministry, he has been pastor and district superintendent in Brighton and York, and now served in Norwich. There he continued to write new hymns "that fill the gap between the hymns of the first part of this century and the 'far-out' compositions that have crowded into some churches in the last decade or more."

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Ray Landis

(Following the message, children in preK-5 grades will be led downstairs for Sunday School. PreK-1 graders will be in Rm. #4. Grades 2-5 will be in Rm. #3B. Parents are asked to pick up their children after worship.)

CALL TO PRAYER #394 (vs. 1) Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts QUEBEC

Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts, Thou fount of life, Thou light of all, from the best bliss that earth imparts, we turn unfilled to hear Thy call.

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts & Debtors) Rev. Coggins

CHORAL ANTHEM Chancel Choir

Seek the Lord ..... Glenn Jones

Seek the Lord; He's a mighty good Lord; my loving Lord; Let Him be your Lord; the savior Lord. You had better seek Him while He may be found, call on Him while He's near. You got a soul that needs to be saved. Come to Jesus today. I heard the voice of Jesus say come unto me and rest, lay down thy weary one lay down, thy head upon my breast. I came to Jesus as I was, weary and worn and sad, I found in him a resting place and he has made me glad. Let the wicked forsake his ways and the unrighteous man his thoughts, seek the Lord, come to Jesus today, come to Jesus now.

THE SERMON Rev. Dr. Berghuis

"God of the Living"

# The Response of God's People

THE OFFERTORY Chancel Choir

A Thankful Heart ..... John Purifoy

*Lord, giver of gifts, accept our humble prayer, for treasures unseen, for your blessing everywhere, for friendship, for hope, for the glory of each new day, help us be mindful we pray. A thankful heart, a heart full of praise to You; A thankful heart, a heart full of gratitude. We worship you in reverence for who You are that we might live each day with a thankful heart. To taste and to see, to touch your beauty. For gifts of the heart, for peace and for family. For seasons of skies, for the secrets within the soul, help us to learn and to know. Grant us the eyes that we look to you with thankfulness for all you do.*

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE #706 Praise God, ...  
OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>, alt.

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him, above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER Jeanne Kallenberg

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP Rev. Dr. Berghuis

(Persons wishing to make known a decision to follow Christ as Lord or to join First Baptist Church are invited to come forward while the organist plays the first verse of the recessional hymn. You may join First Baptist Church by transfer of letter, statement of faith, or baptism. The pastor will greet you as you come forward this morning.)

ACOLYTES ENTER ON LAST VERSE OF HYMN

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #315 Sing Praise to God...  
MIT FREUDEN ZART

Deuteronomy 32:3 was the basis for this hymn of praise, "For I will proclaim the name of the Lord; ascribe greatness to our God!" Using a variety of metaphors for God and for His works, this text overflows with proclamations of God's loving care for His people.

ACOLYTES EXTINGUISH THE LIGHT AND LEAD THE PASTORS OUT,  
SYMBOLICALLY CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

\*BLESSING WITH DISMISSAL Rev. Dr. Berghuis

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION #523 God Be with You  
William G. Tomer

*God be with you till we meet again! By His counsels guide, uphold you, with His sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again!*

\*POSTLUDE R. Alan Kimbrough

Chaconne ..... Louis Couperin

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

## 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.)

Sharon Appelt	Florida Dixon	Ron Petry
Kenneth Barger	Herbert Downs	Ron Pipenger
Rebecca Bauer	Jim Earnest	Susan Reichard
Marlen Berghuis	Lavanda Ferguson	Judy See
Jessica Blair	Ken Gordon	Ed Soloski
Don Brown	Bev Harrell	Emily Taylor
Jessica Brown	Linda Haskin	Torrey Thrash
Robert Brown	Barbara Jett	Jim & Anne Veghte
Lynn Chadbourne	Lenore Kimbrough	Sara Vice
Sydney Chadbourne	Anna Frances Lasley	Peggie Worthey
Tami Malone Charles	Vincent Liss	
Andy Collier	Tim Meador	<b>Military Duty:</b>
Hannah Craig	Arthur Merkle	Sebastian Ewald
Marilyn Craig	Mary Ann Paloncy	Brittany Kalbfleisch
Pamela Cress	Rose Peacock	Andy Wilson

Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)

## Week of November 10 – 17

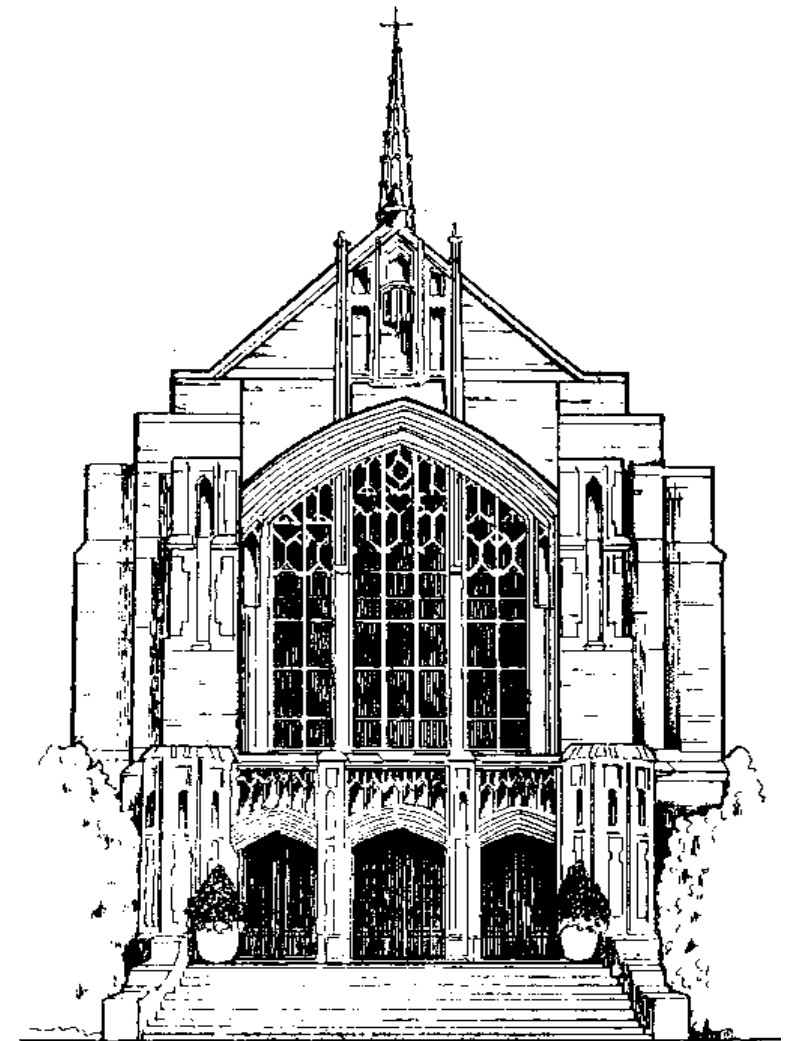
Sun. 10	9:00a	..... FUMC Worship (Dining Room)
	10:00a	..... Worship Service
	11:15a	..... Coffee Fellowship
	11:30a	..... Sunday School Classes / Activities
Wed. 13	6:00p	..... All Boards Dinner (Deacons Host)
	7:00p	..... Board Meetings
Thu. 14	5:30p	..... CityHeart Fundraiser (CEC)
	7:30a	..... Building Bridges Bible Study (Ghostlight)
	7:00p	..... Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sun. 17	9:00a	..... FUMC Worship (Dining Room)
	10:00a	..... Worship Service
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## November Donation Item for Homefull

This month's donation item for Homefull is **toilet paper**. Please bring to church and place in the designated bin in Fellowship Hall. Thank you for your continuing support of the drive to provide items needed by those individuals and families moving from the street and shelters into permanent housing.



# First Baptist Church of Dayton 22<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST RECOGNITION OF VETERANS NOVEMBER 10, 2019



## 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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