

The First Baptist Church at Worship
6th Sunday After Pentecost

July 21, 2019

10:00 AM

The Gathering

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

THE PRELUDE Gregory Land, Organist

Images for Piano Claude Debussy
Arabesque
Clair de Lune
The Sunken Cathedral

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.

*CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. David Coggins

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #58 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*
ST. DENIO

This hymn was originally published under this Scripture: "Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honor and glory for ever and ever." After paraphrasing this verse in the first stanza, the author goes on to elaborate on the themes of light, immortality, and glory in the following stanzas.

*OPENING PRAYER Rev. Coggins

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE (SEE INSERT) *We Are Standing...*
Davis

**We are standing on Holy Ground,
and I know that there are angels all around;
Let us praise Jesus now.
We are standing in His presence on Holy Ground.**

*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 this morning.)

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

(Please be seated.)

Reading & Proclaiming God's Word

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Linda Ginter-Brown

Genesis 18:1-10a: The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on--since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son."

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

People: Thanks be to God!

PSALTER LESSON

Linda Ginter-Brown

Psalm 15: O LORD, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill? Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart; who do not slander with their tongue, and do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors; in whose eyes the wicked are despised, but who honor those who fear the LORD; who stand by their oath even to their hurt; who do not lend money at interest, and do not take a bribe against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be moved.

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

People: Thanks be to God!

*THE GOSPEL LESSON

Rev. Jason Alspaugh

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

Luke 10:38-42: Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

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!

*THE FELLOWSHIP HYMN

#246 *The Church's One Foundation*
AURELIA

In the mid-nineteenth century, Bishop John William Colenso of Natal raised a ruckus in the Catholic Church when he challenged the historicity and authority of many of the Old Testament books. Bishop Gray of Capetown wrote a stirring response of defense, which, in 1866, inspired Samuel Stone, to write this beloved hymn, basing his text on Article 9 of the Apostle's Creed: "The Holy Catholic (Universal) Church; the Communion of Saints; He is the Head of this Body." Now an affirmation of Christ as the foundation of our faith, we sing this hymn with those who have gone before us and with Christians around the world, declaring that beyond any theological differences, cultural divides, and variances in practice, we are all part of the same body, the body of Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Alspaugh

(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

#413 v.1 *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*
REST

**Dear Lord and Savior of humankind,
forgive our foolish ways; reclothe us in our rightful mind;
in purer lives Thy service find, in deeper reverence, praise.**

PASTORAL PRAYER and

Rev. Coggins

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts & Debtors)

ANTHEM

Parris Hobbs, Soloist

Take My Life and Let It Be Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

THE SERMON

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

"Divine Hospitality"

The Response of God's People

THE OFFERTORY

Parris Hobbs, Soloist

We Are Called David Haas

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

#667 v.3 *As Saints of Old...*
FOREST GREEN

**In gratitude and humble trust we bring our best today,
to serve Your cause, to share Your love and show to all Your way.
O God, who gave Yourself to us in Jesus Christ Your Son,
teach us to give ourselves each day until life's work is done.**

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

Linda Ginter-Brown

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

(Persons wishing 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

#248 *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*
EDEN CHURCH

When it comes to translating hymns written originally in Latin or Greek, John Mason Neale, sometimes called the "prince of translators," has no peer. The son of an Anglican clergyman, Neale intended to follow the same path. Hymn scholar Leon Litvack notes, "Neale entered Cambridge as an Evangelical, but emerged an Anglo-Catholic." Fascinated by the tracts of the Oxford Movement, he became intensely interested in the medieval church. The result was an interest in a "high church" in contrast to an "evangelical" perspective that influenced developments in liturgy and architecture as well as hymn singing.

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

*BLESSING WITH DISMISSAL

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION

#520 v. 1 *The Spirit Sends Us...*
AZMON

**The Spirit sends us forth to serve;
we go in Jesus' name
to bring glad tidings to the poor,
God's favor to proclaim.**

*POSTLUDE

Gregory Land

Variations on "Pisgah" Dale Wood



Starts Tomorrow!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019

July 22-26, 2019 | 9:30AM – Noon
For Grades PreK – 5th

Registration materials are available online and on a table in Fellowship Hall. If you have questions, please speak with Pastor Jason Alspaugh (jalspaugh@fbcdayton.org).

Neighbors Lunch

Monday, July 22 @ 11:30-12:30

The Mission Board will be hosting the Neighbors Lunch to be held tomorrow, July 22 from 11:30-12:30. The main offering is pulled pork sandwiches. We need help with side dishes and desserts, as well as serving and clean-up. Please check the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board located in the hallway of the first floor. Thank you for your support!

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	Bill Earnest	Ron Pipenger
Glen Babb & Family	Jim Earnest	Susan Reichard
Kenneth Barger	Lavanda Ferguson	Nestor Suro Rogas
Marlen Berghuis	Bev Harrell	Judy See
Jessica Blair	Linda Haskin	Torrey Thrash
Don Brown	Hoffman Family	Ginger Tiffner & Family
Jessica Brown	Barbara Jett	Jim & Anne Veghte
Robert Brown	Anna Frances Lasley	Dr. James A. Williams
Lynn Chadbourne	Vincent Liss	Williams Family
Sydney Chadbourne	Tim Meador	Peggie Worthey
Tami Malone Charles	Arthur Merkle	Military Duty:
Andy Collier	Mary Ann Paloncy	Sebastian Ewald
Marilyn Craig	Rose Peacock	Brittany Kalbfleisch
Pamela Cress	Ron Petry	Jerry Nelson
Florida Dixon	Brad Pipenger	Andy Wilson

Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)



A SHOW BY TIA SEAY !!

Queen of Soul

The Music of Aretha Franklin

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 @ 7:30 PM

THE CARNEGIE

1028 SCOTT BLVD

COVINGTON KY 41011

www.thecarnegie.com for tickets



July Donation Item for Homefull

- TRASH BAGS -

Please bring to the church and place in the designated bin in Fellowship Hall. Thank you for your continuing support.

All Boards Schedule & Meal Assignments

(Dinner @ 6pm; Board Meetings @ 7pm)

July – No Dinner/No Meetings

Aug. 14 – Meetings @ 7pm (No Dinner)

Sep. 11 – ECG

Oct. 9 – Christian Ed

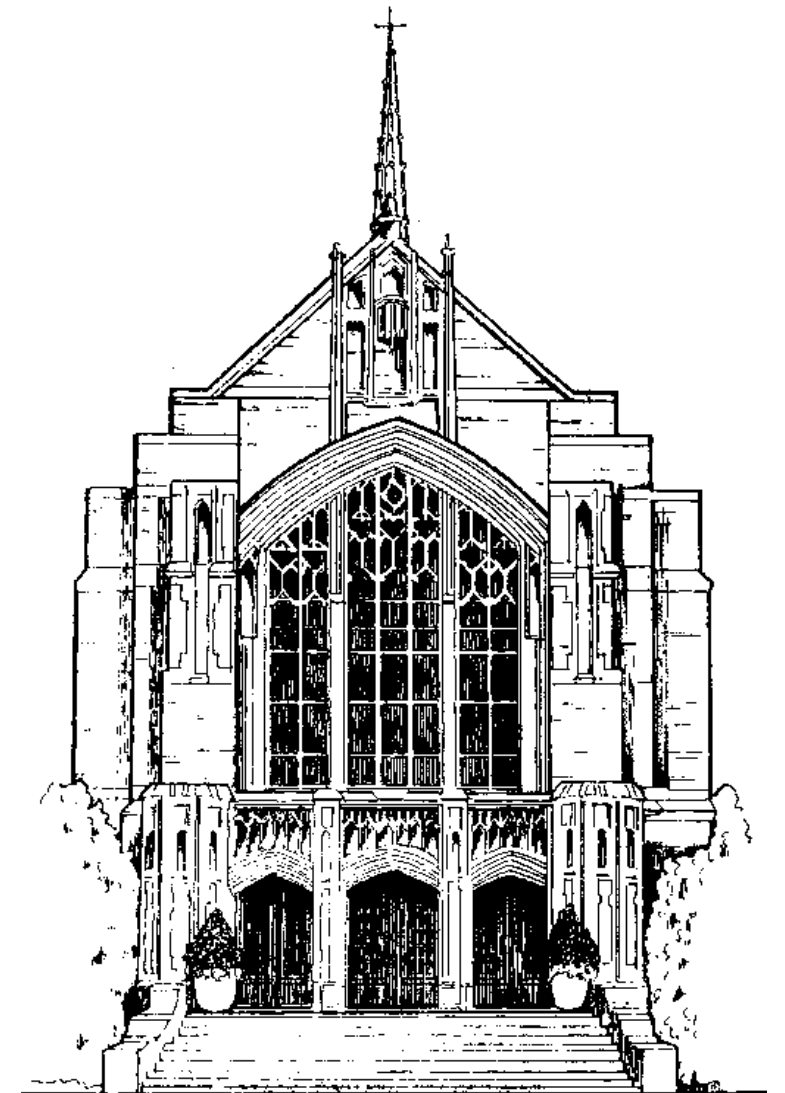
Nov. 13 – Deacons

Dec. 12 – Missions

First Baptist Church of Dayton

6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 21, 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.*

111 W. Monument Avenue

Dayton OH 45402

937-222-4691

fbc@fbcdayton.org | www.fbcdayton.org

Twitter: @FBCDaytonOH | Instagram: fbcdayton