

# First Baptist Church at Worship

June 23, 2019

Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning

The Second Sunday after Pentecost

## *Gathering*

Greeting

Austin Carty

Gathering Song

*He's Done So Much for Me*

setting by Nolan Williams, Jr.



*He washed my sins away;....*

*He walks and talks with me;....*

- Theodore Frye and Lillian Bowles

Call to Worship

Austin Carty

*Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous;*

*Give thanks to God's holy name!*

***I will extol You, my God and King;***

***I will bless Your name forever and ever.***

*Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;*

***God's greatness is unsearchable.***

- from Psalms 22 & 145

+Hymn 332

*O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

AZMON

stanzas 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6

+Prayer of the Day

Carolyn Garr

*...for all that You have done for us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

+Response

AZMON

*He speaks, and listening to his voice, new life the dead receive;  
The mournful, broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.*

- Charles Wesley

## *The Word*

Children's Sermon

Lindsay Lowe

+Psalm 22:19-28

ST. ANNE

*I come with praise before the Lord, release me from all strife;  
The poor will feast at tables full and find eternal life.  
The far-flung corners of the earth shall turn to God and sing;  
And nations of the world shall rise to hail the Lord as King.  
The mighty on their knees will bow; as mortals, they discern  
That, as from dust God gave them breath, to dust they shall return.  
Descendants of the coming years who walk the paths well-trod  
Will sing to children yet unborn the mighty acts of God.*

- Michael Morgan

A Reading from the Epistles: Galatians 3:23-29

Carolyn Garr

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith.

**But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian,  
for in Christ Jesus we are all children of God through faith.**

As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male or female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.

**And if we belong to Christ, then we are Abraham's offspring,  
heirs according to the promise.**

*The word of the Lord*

***Thanks be to God***

A Reading from the Gospels: Luke 8:26-39

Austin Carty

*The Gospel of our Lord*

***Thanks be to God***

Hymn 613

*I Love the Lord*

I LOVE THE LORD

stanza one; stanza two; stanza one

Sermon

“Then All the People Asked Jesus to Leave Them”

Austin Carty

## *Responding*

+Hymn

*Silence! Frenzied, Unclean Spirit*

BEACH SPRING

If you wish to present yourself for membership today, or if you have another decision to share, please come to the front of the sanctuary during the hymn and a minister will receive you. You are welcome here.

***“Silence! Frenzied, unclean spirit,” cried God’s healing, Holy One.***

***“Cease your ranting! Flesh can’t bear it. Flee as night before the sun.”***

***At Christ’s voice the demon trembled, from its victim madly rushed,***

***While the crowd that was assembled stood in wonder, stunned, and hushed.***

***Lord, the demons still are thriving in the gray cells of the mind:***

***Tyrant voices, shrill and driving, twisted thoughts that grip and bind,***

***Doubts that stir the heart to panic, fears distorting reason’s sight,***

***Guilt that makes our loving frantic, dreams that cloud the soul with fright.***

***Silence, Lord, the unclean spirit in our mind and in our heart.***

***Speak Your word that when we hear it all our demons shall depart.***

***Clear our thought and calm our feeling; still the fractured, warring soul.***

***By the power of Your healing make us faithful, true, and whole.***

- Thomas Troeger

+Offertory Prayer

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Offertory Anthem

*Hear My Words*

by Stephen Paulus

The Summer Choir

*Hear my words, O gracious Lord, to my thoughts attentive be;*

*Hear my cry, my King, my God, I will make my prayer to Thee.*

*With the morning light, O Lord, Thou shalt hear my voice arise;*

*And expectant, I will bring, prayer as morning sacrifice.*

*Thou art holy, O my God; Thou delightest not in sin;*

*Evil shall not dwell with Thee, nor the proud Thy favor win.*

- from Psalm 5

Prayers of the People

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## The Lord's Prayer

*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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

## +Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

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

## *Sending*

## +The Peace

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*The peace of the Lord be with you.  
And also with you.*

## +Hymn 625

*Standing on the Promises*

PROMISES

## +Commission and Blessing

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*Paul says the fruit of the Spirit is  
Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Generosity, Goodness,  
Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control. May we live by the Spirit.*

## Organ Postlude

*Festive Processional*

David Lasky

+all who are able may stand  
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Gayle Majors, Organist  
Ann Hacker, Pianist

*Sanctuary flowers are placed in honor of our parents and grandparents  
GLENN & FRANKIE SASSER  
for their anniversary on June 18th  
by  
Kim, Bob, Rachel, & Robbie Croley;  
Janne Beam  
Alexis, Cody, and Clara Katherine Jacobson  
Glenn II, Julie, Lily, & Luke Sasser*