## First Baptist Church at Worship

#### The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 21, 2019 Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning

## Gathering

**Gathering Song** 

Jesus, We Are Here

JESUS, TAWA PANO





- Patrick Matsikenyiri

Greeting and Call to Worship

Paul Sims

The world calls us in so many directions, and we become confused.

In this time of worship, Lord, reorient us.

Help us to get our bearings and find again our true direction.

We are called upon to do so many good things that we find it difficult to choose.

In this time of worship, Lord, help us to sort out

that which is a good thing from that which is the best thing.

We receive so many conflicting messages about who we are.

In this time of worship, Lord, remind us again that we are Your children: created in love, sustained by grace, gifted for service.

+Hymn 6

Creator God, Creating Still

ST. ANNE

+Prayer of Confession

Alice Tremaine

... all to the praise of Your glory. Amen.

+Act of Praise TO GOD BE THE GLORY

To God be the glory, great things he hath done; So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, Who yielded his life an atonement for sin, And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

> Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son, And give him the glory, great things he hath done.

> > - Fanny J. Crosby

## The Word

Children's Sermon Alice Tremaine

Psalm 15 setting by Hal Hopson



Lord, who may abide in Your temple? Who may dwell on Your holy hill?

Those who walk in righteousness; those who speak truth from their heart;

Those whose lips are free from malice; those who never wrong a friend;

Those who do not rejoice over another's misfortune; those who stand by an oath at any cost;

Those who are not bribed for the rights of the innocent; those who lend money to the poor without gain;

Those who despise corruption and evil; those who honor the faithful who love the Lord. **REFRAIN** 

A Reading from the Epistles: Colossians 1:15-28 Paul Sims & Alice Tremaine

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

A Reading from the Gospels: Luke 10:38-42

Jefferson Calico

The Gospel of our Lord

Thanks be to God

Lord, grant us grace to know the time of action or of prayer, Which hour to crowd with waiting work and which with You to share.

> We seek Your Word, as Mary sought; we wait in quietness, And yet we ask for strength to serve with Martha's faithfulness.

Your Word alone gives needed power to strengthen weary hands And helps us see in each new day the way of Your commands.

> But You have taught that love is feigned that fails a neighbor's need, That faith we claim is false until Your word becomes our deed.

We thank You, Lord, for quiet time to cast our care on You And for Your Word that follows us when work becomes our prayer.

- Herman Stumpfle, Jr.

Sermon

"Tell Her to Help Me!"

Jefferson Calico

## Responding

+Hymn 278

#### We Are Travelers on a Journey

**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.

+Offertory Prayer

J.P. Winchester

Loose change received in July will benefit Extreme Build, a ministry of CBF Kentucky.

Offertory Anthem

#### Come, Thou Fount

setting by James Cram

The Summer Choir

*Come, Thou fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;* 

Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise:

Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;

Praise the mount -I'm fixed upon it - mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come;

And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home:

Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;

He, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!

Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee:

Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;

Here's my heart, O take and seal it. Seal it for Thy courts above.

- Robert Robinson

#### 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 Paul Sims

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

+Hymn 267 Blest Be the Tie DENNIS

+Commission and Blessing Jefferson Calico, Paul Sims, & Alice Tremaine

Organ Postlude Fanfare by Jacques Lemmons

+all who are able may stand

> Gayle Majors, Organist Ann Hacker, Pianist Carolyn Garr, soloist

Sanctuary flowers are given in memory of
Carl and Evelyn Brasher
by
Kent, Donna, and family
Stan, Patti, and family