

# First Baptist Church at Worship

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 7, 2016

Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning

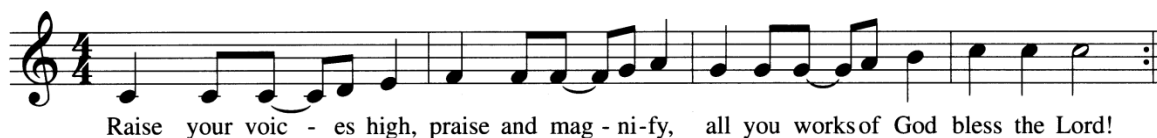
## *Assemble in God's Name*

Greeting

Austin Carty

Gathering Song

Jamaican folk song



*All you works of God, bless the Lord! All you angels, now bless the Lord;*

*Come, you heavens and powers that be, praise the Lord and his majesty: REFRAIN*

*Sing, you sun and you moon above, stars of heaven, now sing God's love;*

*Dew and showers, you winds that blow, heat and fire, and you ice and snow: REFRAIN*

*Hills and mountains, now sing God's worth, all you green things that grow on earth,*

*Seas and rivers, you springs and wells, beasts and cattle, you birds and whales: REFRAIN*

*Come, humanity, sing along, sing, you people of God, a song,*

*All God's servants, your Lord now bless, join you spirits and souls at rest: REFRAIN*

- Stephen Starke

Call to Worship

Alex Lockridge

*Men and women, old and young, together:*

*Praise God and exalt the Author of Life.*

***Praise God in the highest heavens.***

***Praise God, all dwellers on the earth.***

*God commanded, and we were created.*

*God sustains us and enables us to grow.*

***Praise God, all who seek to live in faithfulness.***

***Glorify God's name and join the loving community.***

*Know that we are chosen by God, holy and beloved.*

*We are called into one body, the church of Jesus Christ.*

***Let us draw close to God and to one another.***

***Let us join with all creation to worship God.***

+Hymn 335

*Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him*

HYFRYDOL

stanzas 1 and 2

+Prayer of the Day

Paul Sims

*... through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.*

+Act of Praise

HYFRYDOL

*Worship, honor, glory, blessing, Lord, we offer unto to Thee;  
Young and old, Thy praise expressing, in glad homage bend the knee.  
All the saints in heaven adore Thee. We would bow before Thy throne;  
As thine angels serve before Thee, so on earth Thy will be done. Amen.*

-Edward Osler

## *Proclaim God's Word*

First Lesson

Galatians 5:16-25

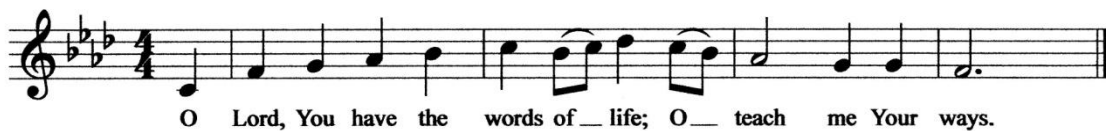
Austin Carty

*The word of the Lord*

***Thanks be to God***

Psalm 119:65-72

setting by Hal Hopson



*You have dealt well with your servant, O LORD, according to Your word.*

***Teach me good judgment and knowledge, for I believe in Your commandments.***

*Before I was humbled I went astray, but now I keep Your word.*

***You are good and do good; teach me Your statutes.***

*The arrogant smear me with lies, but with my whole heart I keep Your precepts.*

***Their hearts are fat and gross, but I delight in Your law.***

*It is good for me that I was humbled, so that I might learn Your statutes.*

***The law of Your mouth is better to me than thousands of gold and silver pieces.***

**REFRAIN**

Second Lesson

Colossians 3:12-17

Paul Sims

*The word of the Lord*

***Thanks be to God***

+Hymn 290

*Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace*

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Third Lesson

Luke 23:13-25

Alex Lockridge

*The Gospel of our Lord*

***Thanks be to God***

Sermon

“Caught Up in the Spirit”

Austin Carty

Prayer of Confession

Paul Sims

*Give us Your love and peace to guide us; for we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.*

# Give Thanks to God

+Hymn 466

Jesus, at Your Holy Table

BEACH SPRING

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Austin Carty and Alex Lockridge

*The Lord be with you.*

*And also with you.*

*Lift up your hearts.*

*We lift them to the Lord.*

*Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

*It is right to give thanks and praise.*

(the Great Prayer of Thanksgiving continues)

*... Clothe us with compassion, humility, patience, and love;*

*let Your Word fill our lives and Your peace rule our hearts;*

*and let all that we do be done in Jesus' name. Amen.*

Breaking the Bread

*Before the Cross of Jesus*

ST. CHRISTOPHER

*Before the cross of Jesus our lives are judged today;*

*The meaning of our eager strife is tested by his Way.*

*Across our restless living the light streams from his cross,*

*And by its clear, revealing beams we measure gain and loss.*

*The hopes that lead us onward, the fears that hold us back,*

*Our will to do great things for God, the courage that we lack,*

*The faith we keep in goodness, our love, as low or pure,*

*On all, the judgment of the cross falls steady, clear, and sure.*

*Yet humbly, in our striving, O God, we face its test;*

*We crave the power to do Your will with him who did it best;*

*On us let now the healing of his great Spirit fall,*

*And make us brave and full of joy to answer to his call.*

- Ferdinand Blanchard

Sharing the Cup

*Spirit, Open My Heart*

WILD MOUNTAIN THYME

The musical notation is written on three staves in a 3/4 time signature with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words connected by lines to indicate phrasing.

Spir - it, o - pen my heart \_\_\_\_\_ to the joy and pain of

liv - ing. \_\_\_\_\_ As you love may I love, \_\_\_\_\_ in re - ceiv - ing

and in giv - ing, \_\_\_\_\_ Spir - it, o - pen my heart. \_\_\_\_\_

+The Peace

Alex Lockridge

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

+Hymn 272

*They'll Know We Are Christians*

ST. BRENDAN'S

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

Mollie Daniel

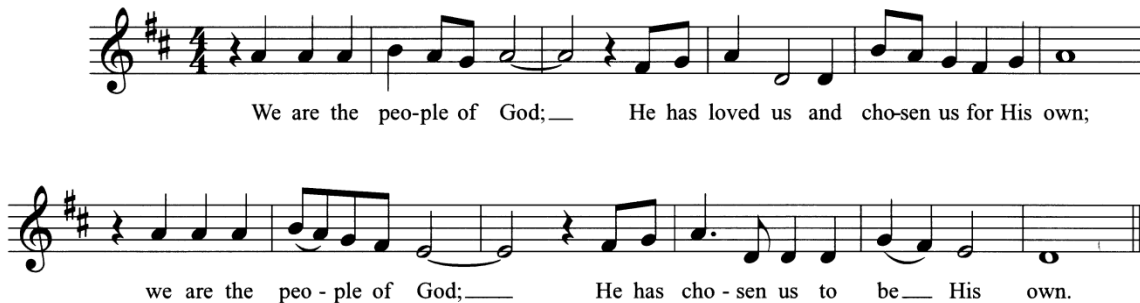
Loose change received in August will benefit the Corbin Community Backpack Program.

Offertory Anthem

*We Are the People of God*

by John Carter

The Summer Choir and the congregation



*Filled and clothed with his Spirit, forgiving as he forgave;*

*Bound and blessed by his perfect love, his everlasting love. REFRAIN*

*The peace of Christ is in us, for peace is our calling now.*

*Psalms and hymns and spiritual songs we offer him with joy. REFRAIN*

*All we do in word and deed, we do in his holy Name.*

*Giving thanks to God above, with glad and joyful hearts. REFRAIN*

- Mary Kay Beall

+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.*

*Go in God's Name*

+Commission and Blessing

Austin Carty

Organ Postlude

*Diverse in Culture, Nation, Race*

setting by John Wyatt Burson

*God, let us be a table spread with gifts of love and broken bread*

*Where all find welcome, grace attends, and enemies arise as friends.*

- Ruth Duck

+all who are able may stand

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Gayle Majors, Organist Donna Davis, Pianist

Zackery Morris, guest soloist