

WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST

We are so glad you decided to worship with us today. Please take a moment to fill out the Visitor's Card in the pew rack in front of you. You can place these in the offering plate during the offertory. Consider lingering after worship so that our members might have a chance to greet you. Our deacons will be in the Welcome Center after worship and would love to meet you.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP

The presence of children in worship is a gift to the Church. They are valuable members of our faith family and we welcome them into this house of worship. Our nursery is open during worship for infants and toddlers. The nursery is located out the doors to the left of the pulpit and down the hall. Our nursery workers will be happy to assist you. Extended Care is for children ages 3-4 and for 5-year-olds who have not entered kindergarten. These children will sit as a group with our Extended Care leaders on the first pew in the right section. All children through 5th grade are invited to the front of the Sanctuary to participate in our Children's Sermon. Our preschoolers will leave for Extended Care after this.

A WORD ABOUT FBC

First Baptist Memphis is a Midtown congregation that seeks to follow Christ by practicing hospitality, community, dialogue, and service.

- We value diversity in our membership and believe it enriches our journey and ministry.
- We strive to be a family of faith where all can belong.
- We value the voice of every child of God and strive to hear the voice of God in one another.
- What we do inside our walls prepares us to share God's love across the street and around the world.

The Radio Bible Class (10:30 am) and this service (11:00 am) are broadcast live on radio stations ESPN 680 AM, and ESPN 92.9 FM. Sermons are available online at www.fbcmemphis.org.

Announcements

Children's Valentine Art Fundraiser, Feb. 10

Love-themed art, made by our Children's Missions groups, will be available for sale in the Welcome Center following worship. Proceeds from the art sale will go to missions.

Children's Missions

Children's Missions meet the second and fourth Sundays of each month, from 4-5 pm.

Together Deadline

The Together Deadline for March is Wednesday, February 13. Please submit all articles and pictures to Bridget Ellis (bellis@fbcmemphis.org). Thank you.

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This Week at First Baptist

Sunday, February 10

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- 12:15 p.m. Children's Valentine Art Fundraiser, Wel. Ctr.
- 12:30 p.m. S. Africa Mission Team Mtg., Youth Area
- 4:00 p.m. Children's Missions
- 5:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study

Monday, February 11

- 7:30 a.m. FBDS Program

Tuesday, February 12

- 7:30 a.m. FBDS Program

Wednesday, February 13

- 7:30 a.m. FBDS Program
- 5:00 p.m. Fellowship Supper, Caritas
- 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Together Deadline

Thursday, February 14

- 7:30 a.m. FBDS Program
- 10:30 a.m. Adult Game Day, Parlor

Friday, February 15

- 7:30 a.m. FBDS Program

Volunteers

Extended Care

Next Sunday, February 17

Threes/Fours: Doug Blankenship
Rebecca Courtney

Floater: Glenna Ward

Welcome Desk at Worship

February 10: Mark Smith

Receptionists

Mon, Feb. 11: Trudy Hatton/
Volunteer Needed

Tues, Feb. 12: Betty Wilson/
Volunteer Needed

Wed, Feb. 13: Gayla Foscue/
Sammy Rich

Thurs, Feb. 14: Bill Wilson/
Volunteer Needed

FBC in Prayer

New Concerns

Valerie Brenner
Rob Bruno
Nancy Burch
Brant Butler
Margot Weslee Cronk
Dallas Foscue
Linda Haywood
Anson Purdy
Jean Rose Raney
Milton & Frances Ray



Miracle of the Fishes by Raphael

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany February 10, 2019

*Jesus, you have come to the lakeshore looking
for neither wealth nor wise ones;
You only asked me to follow humbly.*

—Tú Has Venido a la Orilla



Rev. Randy Hyde, D.Min.
Supply Pastor

David Dennis, D.M.A.
Music Ministry Interim

Holly Hatton
Interim Children & Youth
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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

GATHERING

The prelude provides an opportunity to prepare our hearts and minds to worship God by being still and quiet.

Prelude *Close to Thee* arr. Silas J. Vail
Julia Aguayo, *pianist*

Call to Worship *Psalms 138:1-2* Shawn Hawkins

* Hymn of Praise 14 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* LOBE DEN HERREN

* Invocation Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde

Greeting

One: The Lord be with you!

Many: **And also with you!**

CONFESSING/CARING

Prayer of Confession Mike Ward

All: *Almighty God, you poured your Spirit upon gathered disciples creating bold tongues, open ears, and a new community of faith. We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us. We do not listen for your words of grace, speak the good news of your love, or live as a people made one in Christ. Have mercy on us, O God. Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit, and fill us with a flaming desire to be your faithful people, doing your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.¹*

Assurance of Pardon

One: For as the heavens are high above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;
so as far as the east is from the west,
so far he removes our transgressions from us.²
Friends, believe the good news!

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

1 From the Book of Common Worship (Louisville: Westminster/John Knox Press, 1993).

2 Psalm 103:11-12

* The congregation will please stand, as you are able.

* Congregational Response 252

GLORIA PATRI

Gloria Patri
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.

Prayers of the People

Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde

* Hymn of Prayer 67 *Come, Ye Disconsolate* CONSOLATOR
(As we sing the last verse, the children are invited to the front for the Children's Sermon.)

Children's Sermon

Holly Hatton

GIVING

Offertory Prayer

Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde

Offertory *Lord, Here Am I* John Ness Beck
The Sanctuary Choir

* Congregational Response 253

OLD 100TH

Doxology
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.

PROCLAIMING

Gospel Reading *Luke 5:1-11* Emmaline Rogers

One: This is God's Word for us today.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

* Prayer of Preparation

Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde
and Congregation

Almighty God, to You all hearts are open, all desires known, and from You no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You, and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Message

Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde

Deep Water
Luke 5:1-11
(pages 890-891 in the pew Bible)

COMMUNION

Today we celebrate communion by coming to the Table. When we do this the body of the church acts together, moving as a community toward the table. When you approach the table take a piece of bread and eat it. Then take the cup and drink it. Communion servers may offer words of affirmation such as "The bread of life given for you" or "The cup of salvation." When receiving the elements you may remain silent or offer "Amen" or "Thanks be to God." The bread is gluten free. A deacon will bring communion to those who cannot come forward.

RESPONDING

* Hymn of Response 597 SALLY TOWNSEND

Here Am I, Send Me

* Benediction Rev. Dr. Randy Hyde

* Postlude *The Church's One Foundation* arr. Robert J. Hughes

Aaron Foster, *organist*

An offering will be received at the doors for our Benevolence Fund.

Today's worship participants are Shawn Hawkins, a member of Committees on Committee and a deacon, Emmaline Rogers, member of the Youth group, and Mike Ward a Preschool Sunday School teacher and a deacon.

Our offering bearers are assisted by Stanley Pace-Lyons.

THE CHRISTIAN YEAR

We find ourselves in the season of the Christian Year known as Ordinary Time. This season is named, not because it is somehow less special, but because of how it is counted using ordinal numbers (first, second, third, etc.). This season of the Christian Year is marked with the color green because it is set aside as a season of growth and transformation. The plant and runner on the altar table represent life and growth while the Christ Candle and Bible remind us of the central role the light of Christ and the Word of God in Scripture play in our transformation during these "Great Green Growing Days." A special thanks to Trudy Hatton who created the runner and stoles.

Amplifying devices are available at the Welcome Center desk.