

## Announcements

### Together Graduation Edition

Please email graduation information for high school and college students to Bridget Ellis (bellis@fbcmemphis.org). Thank you!

### Giving Options

FBC has several ways for you to keep up with your giving schedule.

You can mail your offering to the church: First Baptist Church, 200 E Parkway N., Memphis, TN 38112.

You can donate online via our website: [www.fbcmemphis.org/giving](http://www.fbcmemphis.org/giving)

Or, you can email Lisa Butts to learn how to set up automatic recurring offering withdrawals set up from either your bank account or credit card. Recurring payments can be set up weekly, monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually. This system gives you several options for setting up your gifts to FBC, and the best part is that with automatic withdrawal, there is no more worry with remembering to write the check or submit the payment through your bank or credit card. For more information about any of the available giving options, contact Lisa via her email [lbutts@fbcmemphis.org](mailto:lbutts@fbcmemphis.org). She'll explain the process and help you get started.

## 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.

The service is also livestreamed on our Facebook page, and is available in recorded form on Facebook and our YouTube channel, as well as the church's website ([www.fbcmemphis.org/online-worship](http://www.fbcmemphis.org/online-worship)).

Sermons and worship services are available online at [www.fbcmemphis.org/sermons](http://www.fbcmemphis.org/sermons).



*Peace Be With You* by Allie Rose Sorenson

## FBC in Prayer

### Current Concerns

Ginger Bethany  
Valerie Brenner  
Nancy Burch  
Chatham Family  
Anita Cobb  
Nancy Cooper  
Sara Cunningham  
Ken Haywood  
Willena Highsmith  
Ken Miller  
Robin Miller

### Sympathy

To Ken Haywood in the death of his wife,  
Linda.

## Third Sunday in Eastertide Youth Sunday

April 18, 2021

*... Jesus Himself stood in the midst of them,  
and said to them, "Peace to you."*

—Luke 24:36



Rev. Randy Hyde, D.Min.  
*Interim Pastor*

Rev. Ray Hatton  
*Music Ministry Interim*

Holly Hatton  
*Children & Youth  
Ministry Coordinator*

Stacey Graves  
*Director, First Baptist Day School*

Aaron Foster  
*Organist*

David Córdoba Hernandez  
*Pianist*

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# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

## Youth Sunday

### PREPARATION

Welcome Holly Hatton

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

Prelude *Fur Elise* L.V. Beethoven  
Dylan Hatton, *pianist*

### ADORATION

Call to Worship Will Wright

The Bread of Life opens our eyes.

The Word of Life opens our ears.

The Risen One shows us God's faithfulness, and by Christ's wounds we are healed.

Peace be with you.

Invocation Will Wright

Hymn of Praise *He Lives* ACKLEY  
John Michael Pfrommer, *organist*

Call to Confession Catherine Kellett

The One who calls us to repent hears us.

In trust that our Creator knows us through and through, let us open our hearts to the healing of God's forgiveness.

Prayer of Confession

Good and gracious God, we are creatures of dust, ignorant of your revelation, misunderstanding your life, death, and resurrection among us, needing forgiveness.

We repent of our failure to give as you have given to us.

We beg your mercy for our fallen world.

We seek your Word, that we may live with the faith of Jesus.

Be our solace in this life and always.

We ask this as your own children, unworthy and incomplete.

Forgive us and guide us. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Catherine Kellett

In the name of God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, your plea for forgiveness has been heard.

God's promises are sure: your sins are in the past. Peace be with you.

### PROCLAMATION

Children's Sermon Lockard Richardson

Gospel Reading *Luke 24:36-48* Isabel Sorenson

Special Music *10,000 Reasons* Redman-Angrisano  
Abby Kellett, *soloist*

Prayer of Preparation Olivia Hankins

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 *Peace Be With You* Olivia Hankins

### RESPONSE

Reminder of Giving Holly Hatton

Meditation *Open Our Eyes, Lord* OPEN OUR EYES  
John Michael Pfrommer, *organist*

Response *Doxology* OLD 100TH

John Michael Pfrommer, *organist*  
*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. Amen.*

Prayers of the People Edens Richardson

The Lord's Prayer Edens Richardson

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.

A Word of Encouragement Natalie Austria  
(If you are called to make a Decision of Faith or have questions about church membership, please speak with Rev. Hyde following worship.)

Benediction Emmy Ruth Burton

Postlude *Throne Room* John Williams  
John Michael Pfrommer, *organist*

Gabrielle Cathey is serving as our acolyte for today.

Today's flowers are given by the family of Linda W. Haywood.

***Per the Shelby County Health directive, masks must be worn over the mouth and nose at all times in the building. Please do not linger to chat, but exit the building at the conclusion of worship. Thank you.***

Today's worship participants are members of FBC's Youth Group: John Michael Pfrommer, Dylan Hatton, Will Wright, Catherine Kellett, Lockard Richardson, Isabel Sorenson, Abby Kellett, Olivia Hankins, Edens Richardson, Natalie Austria, Emmy Ruth Burton, Gabrielle Cathey, and Allie Rose Sorenson

### THE CHRISTIAN YEAR

The resurrection of Jesus is, for Christians, the heart of history; the flash point from which everything is reordered. It is the beginning of the new thing that God is up to, defeating death and initiating the new Creation, which God will bring to full fruition in God's own time. The season of Eastertide lasts 50 days, because importance of the resurrection is too vast to be contained within one day.