

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

PREPARATION

Welcome Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

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

Prelude *Prelude No. 1* J.S. Bach
David Córdoba Hernandez, *pianist*

ADORATION

Call to Worship from *Lamentations 3* Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

One: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;

Many: God's mercies are everlasting.

One: They are new every morning.

Many: Great is God's faithfulness.

Invocation Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

* Hymn of Praise 7 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* HYMN TO JOY

Call to Confession Cherish Mathis

One: Because of such great mercy, God is ready to forgive all the ways we fail to live in faithfulness.

Relying on that mercy, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Prayer of Confession

All: Trusting you, O Lord, does not always come easy when each day we are faced with the ugliness of the world and of our sin.

We do not believe that love conquers fear.

We are not convinced that power comes through weakness.

We cannot conceive how you could heal us.

Forgive our lack of faith, O God, and renew our trust in you, for we would be disciples of Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Cherish Mathis

One: If the Lord kept count of all our sins, who could stand?
But with God there is forgiveness; Christ gives us peace.

Many: Thanks be to God!

PROCLAMATION

Hymn 344 *Jesus Loves Me* CHINA

As we sing the first stanza, children, wearing masks, are invited to the front for the Children's Sermon.

Children's Sermon Rev. Ray Hatton

Worship in Song *One Heart* Tom Kimmel
Tom Kimmel

Gospel Reading *Mark 5:21-43* Shannon Malone
(pages 869-870 in the pew Bible)

Choral Worship *Legacy of Service* Joseph Martin
The Sanctuary Ensemble

Upon a firm foundation God has built this place, a church of living stones established by His grace. The saints who went before us were faithful to the call. Their legacy compels us to dedicate our all. The work has just begun; the journey lies before us. There's music to be sung; a strong and mighty chorus. God is always faithful. His promises are true. The work has just begun, and God will see it through. This day of celebration we lift our thanks above. We sing to God our praise for all good gifts of love. The voices of our founders still echo through these halls. That heritage still calls us to answer love's great call. The work has just begun. . . . Christ, who began this holy work shall finish it in His own time. We are the clay in the Potter's hand, the living church, God's great and grand design. . . . Our faithful God will see us through!

Message Rev. Dr. Kathryn Kimmel

Jesus in Real Life

RESPONSE

Offertory Prayer Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

Offertory *My Jesus, I Love Thee* Adoniram Gordon
David Córdoba Hernandez, *pianist*

* 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. Amen.*

Prayers of the People Rev. Richard Wright

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.***

SENDING

Invitation to Discipleship Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

* Hymn of Response 287 LANGLEY
Take My Life, Lead Me, Lord

Called Business Meeting Tom Marchand

Benediction Rev. Dr. Randy L. Hyde

Postlude Johann Pachelbel
Fughette on "Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott"
Aaron Foster, *organist*

Per the policy of FBC, masks must be worn over the mouth and nose while entering and exiting the Sanctuary and moving throughout the building. In accordance with CDC recommendations, masks will not be required while seated in the sanctuary if you are fully vaccinated. Thank you.

Today's flowers celebrate the majesty and faithfulness of our God. Thanks be to God!

Today's worship participants are Cherish Mathis, a member of the Pastor Search Committee and the Connect 4 SS class; Shannon Malone a member of the Connect 4 SS class and a member of the Pastor Search Committee; and Richard Wright, a deacon and member of the Pastor Search Committee.

Our music ensemble consists of choir members, Doris Gill, Gayla Foscue, Trudy Hatton, Paul Martin, Tom Pitman, Jason Sullivan, and Cathy Wilhelm.

THE CHRISTIAN YEAR

We find ourselves in the season of the Christian Year known as Ordinary Time. This season of the Christian Year is marked with the color green because it is set aside as a season of growth and transformation. Our ministers' stoles and the plant and runner on the altar table represent life and growth while the candles 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."

Announcements

Church Conference After Worship

There will be a Called Business Meeting/Church Conference in the Sanctuary after worship.

In-Person Sunday School Returns

At this time, we are allowing each Sunday School class to determine the best time for them to return to meeting regularly at the church. When your Sunday School class is ready to return to church on Sunday mornings, the teacher should send an e-mail to Bridget Ellis (bellis@fbcmemphis.org) letting us know the date you would like to return. We'll provide you with any necessary information to ensure the return of your Sunday School class will be as safe as possible. Thank you for your patience and your dedication and prayers for our church.

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; 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. For more information about any of the available giving options, contact Lisa via her email lbutts@fbcmemphis.org. She'll explain the process and help you get started.

On the Move—Together for Hope, May 15-August 15, 2021

Individual sign up is \$30 and includes a really cool t-shirt as well as an opportunity to designate a Together for Hope Mission you would like to support. The sign up link is <http://cbfky.org/tfh-virtual-walk-run-swim-ride>. Donations will be gladly accepted. Make checks payable to First Baptist Church and designate "On the Move-Together for Hope".

Jazz from the Front Porch, June 27, 7 pm

Jazz, swing, some familiar songs, and a good time presented by Roger Pace, saxophonist. The location for this concert is 1790 Brookside Drive, Germantown, 38138. The concert is free and family-friendly. Bring a chair and snacks and please follow current social distancing guidelines.

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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).

Sermons and worship services are available online at www.fbcmemphis.org/sermons.

FBC in Prayer

Current Concerns

Nancy Burch
Chatham Family
Ken Haywood
Shelby Haywood



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Talitha Cum

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But the woman, fearing and trembling, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell down before Him and told Him the whole truth.

And he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well. Go in peace, and be healed of your affliction."

—Mark 5:33-34

