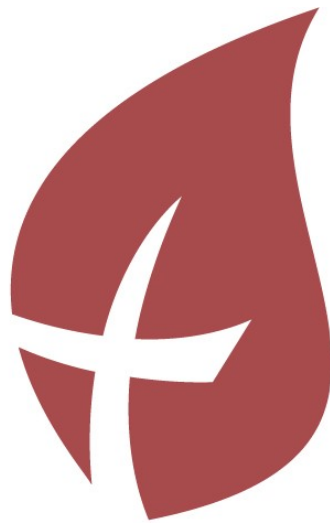


Sunday Morning Worship

June 28, 2020



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Scripture Readings

Titus 2:11-14

¹¹ For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, ¹² training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, ¹³ waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, ¹⁴ who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

Romans 8:18-25

¹⁸ For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. ¹⁹ For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God. ²⁰ For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope ²¹ that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. ²² For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. ²³ And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? ²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Song Lyrics

His Mercy is More

Matt Boswell | Matt Papa

Verse 1:

What love could remember no wrongs we have done
Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus:

Praise the Lord! His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness and new every morn
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Verse 2:

What patience would wait as we constantly roam
What Father so tender is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Verse 3:

What riches of kindness He lavished on us
His blood was the payment His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Forgiven

Brittany Born | Kate DeGraide | Rebecca Elliott

Verse 1:

Lord, forgive us for our pride
When our faith becomes a show
Dressed in righteous deeds to hide
All the stains below
We have judged Your sons and daughters
For the sin that is our own
May we now forgive each other
And lay down our stones

Chorus:

Forgiven, forgiven
Through the blood of Christ
We are forgiven

Verse 2:

Lord, forgive us for our love
Of the things we wish to own
We forsake the feast above
For all the crumbs below
Though You've made us sons and daughters
We do not the world disown
May we find our greatest treasure
Is in You alone

Verse 3:

Lord, forgive us for our shame
When we can't release the past
When we're quick to take the blame
But forget we're free at last
We avoid Your sons and daughters
For the fear we don't belong
Give us eyes to see each other
Through Your only Son

Jesus, I Come (Out of My Bondage)

William Sleeper | Jason Brown | Mike Rogers

Verse 1:

Out of my bondage sorrow and night, Jesus I come
Into Thy freedom gladness and light
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of my sickness and into Thy health
Out of my want and into Thy wealth
Out of my sin and into thyself
Jesus I come to Thee, Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 2:

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus I come
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm
Out of life's storms and into Thy calm
Out of distress to jubilant psalm
Jesus I come to Thee, Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 3:

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus I come
Into Thy blessed will to abide
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love
Out of despair to glories above
Upward for e're on wings like a dove
Jesus I come to Thee, Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 4:

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus I come
Into the joy and light of Thy home
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of the depths of ruin untold
Into Your peace, Your sheltering hold
Ever Thy glorious face to behold
Jesus I come to Thee, Jesus I come to Thee

I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)

Keith Getty | Jordan Kauflin | Matt Merker | Stuart Townend

Verse 1:

Out of the depths I cry to You
From darkest places I will call
Incline Your ear to me anew
And hear my cry for mercy, Lord

Verse 2:

Were you to count my sinful ways
How could I come before Your throne?
Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze;
I stand redeemed by grace alone

Chorus:

I will wait for You, I will wait for You
On Your word, I will rely
I will wait for You, surely wait for You
Till my soul is satisfied

Verse 3:

So put your hope in God alone
Take courage in His power to save
Completely and forever won
By Christ's emerging from the grave

Verse 4:

Now He has come to make a way
And God Himself has paid the price
That all who trust in Him today
Find healing in His sacrifice

Final Chorus:

I will wait for You, I will wait for You
Through the storm, and through the night
I will wait for You, surely wait for You
For Your love is my delight

Sermon Notes

“God Our Hope” :: Psalm 130

Praying with First Baptist Church

A Prayer Guide for the week of June 28

Prayer of the week:

Consider using the prayer of the Psalmist from Psalm 119:5 as a springboard for your own prayer time this week. If you're praying through the church directory, this is a great prayer to use as you pray for your church family this week.

“⁵ Oh that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes!

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We recognize our need for God's help in all the areas of our lives. The categories and requests listed below are intentional ways to pray for each other as a church family. For help in knowing how and what to pray for, look up the Scripture included with each item.

### Ongoing prayer items in the life of our church:

- Pray for opportunities and boldness to share the gospel with friends, family, co-workers (Matt. 28:19)
- Pray for conversions (John 3:3, Acts 16:14)
- Pray for the preaching of God's word – for faithfulness, fruitfulness, and God's glory (2 Tim. 4:2, 1 Cor. 2:4-5, Isa. 55:10-11)
- Pray for the children of our church to hear and understand the gospel and be saved (Luke 8:8)
- Pray for increased one to one discipleship relationships in our church family (Matt. 28:19-20)
- Pray for unity in our diversity both on Sunday and through the week (Rom. 15:13, Eph. 4:2-3)
- Pray for continued growth and joy in the gospel (1 Cor. 15:1-5, 2 Pet. 1:12)
- Pray for growth in holiness, hatred of sin and growth in humility (Prov. 8:13, 1 Pet. 1:14-16)
- Pray for honest, loving relationships in our church (Col. 3:12-13, James 5:16)
- Pray for families: marriages to thrive, parents to teach/love/discipline carefully, and children to obey (Eph. 5:22-6:4)
- Pray that giving would be faithful, joyful, consistent, and sacrificial (2 Cor. 8:9)

### Prayer items outside our church:

- Pray for hope and healing in our nation as we lament and grieve over recent effects of injustice and racism. (Prov 6:16-19; Ps 77:1-3)
- Pray that God would help government leaders locally and nationally to make wise decisions going forward that will help protect all people from evil and unjust suffering. (1 Tim. 2:1-2, Rom. 13:1-7)

- Pray for the safety and good health of medical personnel, first responders, and those working on the front lines of contact with those who are suffering with coronavirus.
- Pray that God would provide relief for those suffering from the effects of the virus throughout the world, and that He would draw people to His Word and to salvation. (Ps. 139:23-24)
- Pray for fruitful ministry in other gospel-proclaiming churches in our area even as we are unable to gather together for public worship. (Rom. 15:20, 1 Cor. 16:1-3, Matt. 28:19-20)
- Pray for our missionary partners around the world and especially those we are directly involved with: Mack and LeAnn Stiles (Central Asia), Daniel and Brandi Spandler-Davison (East Asia), and Dave and JoAnn Brown (Guatemala). Pray that the gospel would flourish and churches would be planted and strengthened through their work. Pray God would strengthen their faith and supply their needs. (Ps 93:4, Col. 1:5-6, 1 Pet. 4:12-17)

### **Particular prayer items in the life of our church:**

- As we lament the many harsh realities occurring throughout our country pray that God would grant us wisdom to know how to best glorify Him and to love one another well during this time. (Mt. 22:36-40)
- Pray that God would guard our church from fear, anxiety, and disunity. Pray that we would trust that God is good and be assured that He is in control. (Mt. 14:22-36)
- Pray that God would stir our hearts to hope in His glorious return and our place with Him in the New Heaven and New Earth where sickness shall be no more. (Rev. 21:1-4)
- Praise God for the many High School graduates in our church family who have finished well in this tumultuous season. See the [video on the church website](#) to see what they're all up to after graduation.
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

**Shannon Brown/Jay Strickland (loss of grandmother), Vince and Nikki Butler (loss of niece), Carla Davis, Walt De Marr, Michelle Drysgola, Joyce Evans, Molly Fitzmaurice, Tory Galeano, John Jenkins, Cleda Lawson, Rachael Lederer and Laura Wilson (loss of Husband/Father), Bash Ogungbemi, Derrick Randall, Karin Simmons, Bonnie Trott, Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely**

# Announcements

**1. Reopening Plans.** We are now gathering for outdoor services on Sundays and will continue during the current phase of reopening in Prince George's County. Please take a moment to read this [FAQ sheet](#) to know what to expect and to make sure you have all the relevant details. Service will continue to be livestreamed online. Please contact the church office with any questions.

**2. FBCUM Virtual Prayer Meeting (7/1/20) at 6:30 PM.** Lord willing, we'll meet online to pray together as a church family. Please check your email that morning for the ZOOM information to join us. If you have any questions, please contact the church office so we can help.

**3. Kids Scripture Memory and Catechism.** Parents, a reminder that on Tuesday, July 14th at 6:30 PM, Pastor Zach and Pam Jensen will be leading a time with parents and kids (ages 3-12) over ZOOM to go over the next section of catechism questions. Check out the mid-week announcements [here](#) to find out which sections they hope to cover.

**4. Glover Scholarship—Attention High School Graduates.** If you plan to attend college in the fall and would like to apply for the Glover Scholarship, please contact Bernice McGuire at 301-855-5529 or [bhmcg@comcast.net](mailto:bhmcg@comcast.net)

**5. FBCUM Playlist.** Check out the playlist on the resources section of our church's website. We've collected all the songs we've recorded during the last two months for our edification and encouragement: [Master Playlist](#)

**6. Giving.** We encourage you to continue to faithfully give as a way to sustain the gospel ministry at FBCUM and as a means for us to care for those in need as a church family. You can **give** [online](#) or mail in your offering to the church office. To guide and help us consider the New Testament's teaching on giving, we've included a quick **read** [here](#). *Church members who have a benevolence request, please contact the church office at [fbcum@firstbaptistum.com](mailto:fbcum@firstbaptistum.com).*

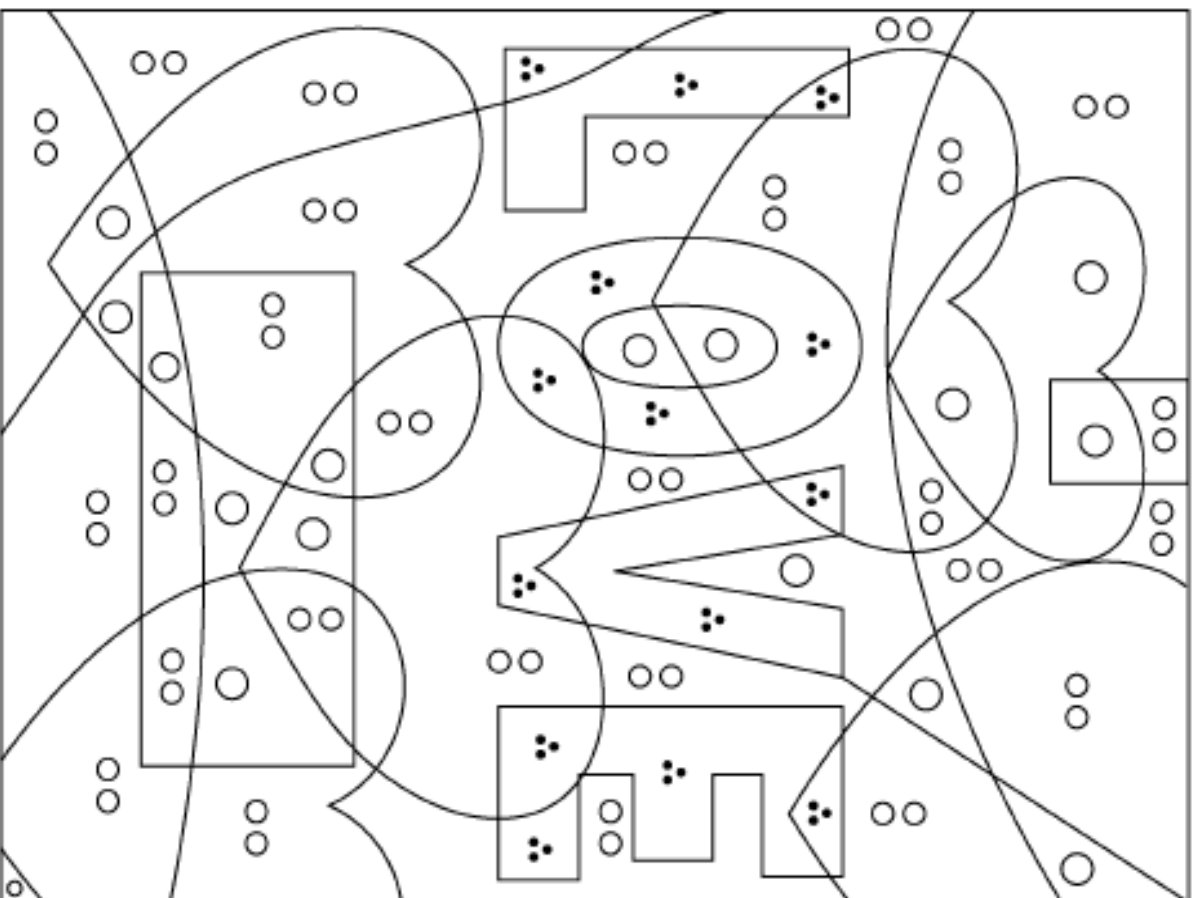
**7. Pastor's Weekly Devotional.** A video from Pastor Zach and a devotional from one of the Elders will be available online each Wednesday evening. Click [here](#) for this week's devotional.

If you have any questions,  
please contact the church office at [info@firstbaptistum.com](mailto:info@firstbaptistum.com)



“Put your hope in the Lord,  
for with the Lord is unfailing love.”

Shade in the shapes that have a ☼ .



# Children's Worship Bulletin™



Ages 3+

June 28, 2020 • Psalm 130:1-8

Hope in the Lord

The psalmist prayed,  
“O Lord, hear my voice.”

Find and  the hidden letters in the picture.

M E R G Y



“With the Lord, there is forgiveness.  
In His word, I put my hope.”

Match the words.

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forgive

mercy

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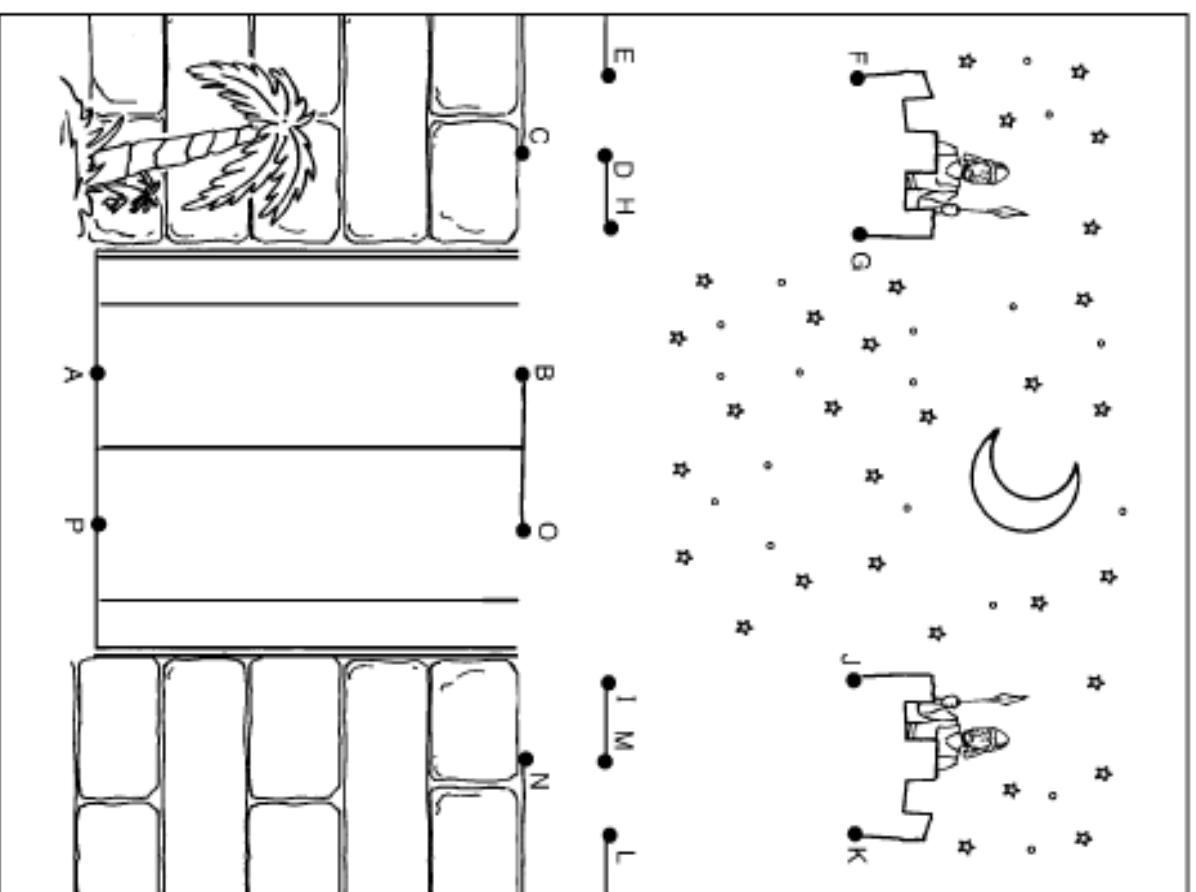
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“My soul waits for the Lord more than  
watchmen wait for the morning.”

Connect the dots.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P





What else  
does the psalmist say?

Starting with the first letter, cross out every other letter  
and write the letters on the lines below to read the passage.

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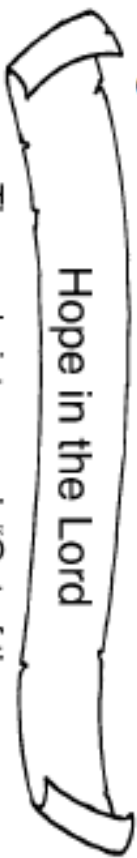
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# Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

June 28, 2020 • Psalm 130:1-8



## Hope in the Lord

The psalmist prayed, "Out of the  
depths I cry to you, O Lord; O Lord, hear my voice.  
Let your ears be attentive to my cry for mercy."

Find the 12 differences in the second picture.

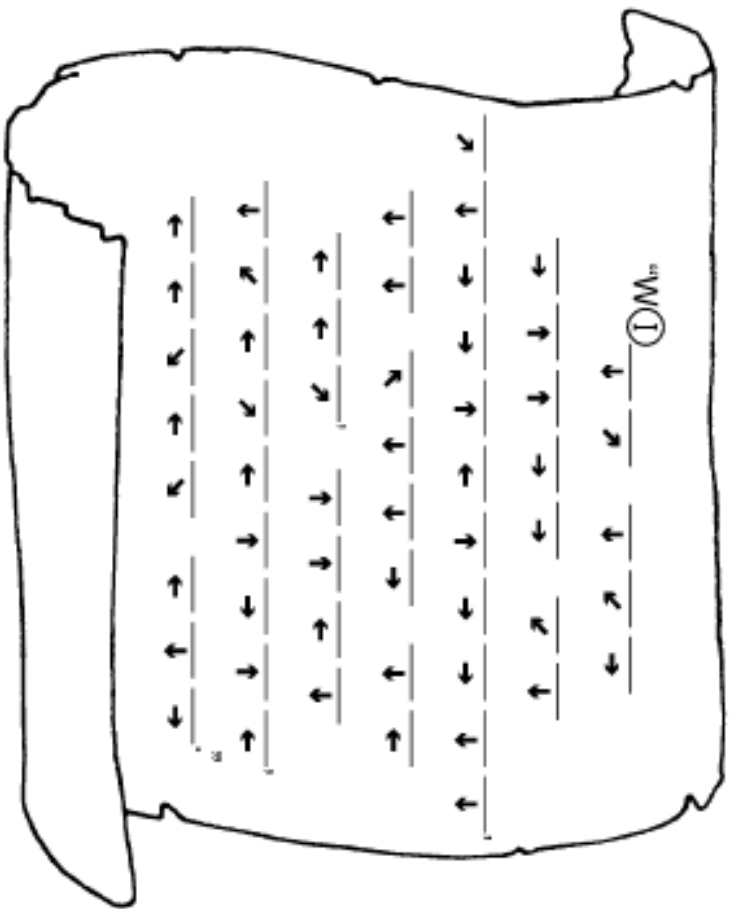


The psalmist said that God does not keep a record of our sins. What do we have from God instead?

Follow the arrow directions beneath the blanks to write the letters in order and find out.

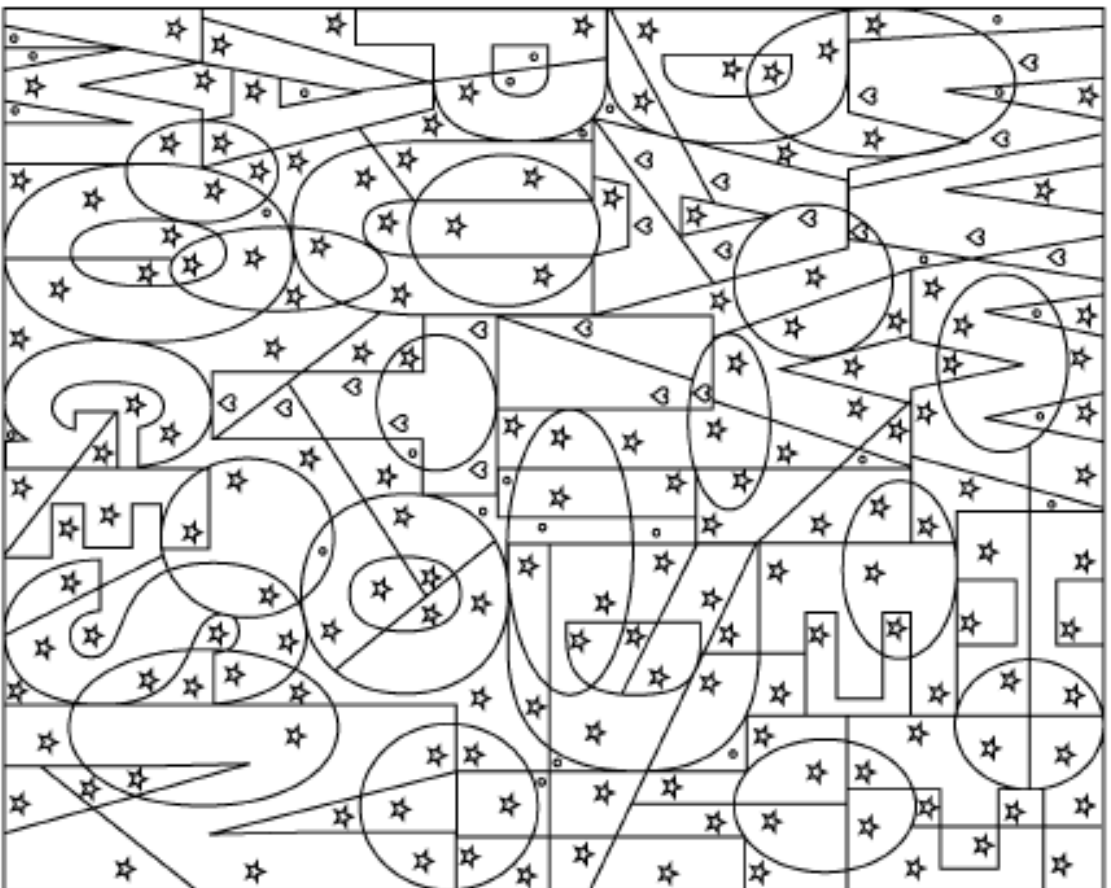
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What does the psalmist do earnestly?

Shade in all the shapes with ☆. Write the word you've uncovered in all the blank spaces to read the passage.



"I \_\_\_\_\_ for the Lord, my whole being \_\_\_\_\_ s,  
and in His word I put my hope. I \_\_\_\_\_ for the Lord  
more than watchmen \_\_\_\_\_ for the morning."

## **Outdoor Worship Service Update – 6/17/20**

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The elders at First Baptist Church of Upper Marlboro are pleased to present some of the details for our plan for holding church services outdoors. On June 15<sup>th</sup>, Prince George's County entered into [phase 2](#) whereby places of worship can gather for outside services. **Therefore, we hope to gather for outside services beginning Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup>.** The following guidance below should answer some of your questions regarding our plans moving forward. Please feel free to contact the church office or any of the elders if you have any questions regarding the plans.

### **Why are we having our church service outdoors?**

The State of Maryland, Prince Georges County, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends churches hold services outdoors due to increased ventilation and more open spaces, thereby creating a safer environment for gathering. While the elders work through the logistics of holding services indoors, this step affords our congregation a safe way of holding worship services at our church. It allows our church to gather during one service, instead of having multiple services due to indoor capacity limitations. It also reduces the amount of preparation, sanitization, and cleaning that the church staff and volunteers would have to conduct before and after the service.

### **Will we continue online services?**

We will continue to offer online services at every phase of the reopening plan so as to accommodate those members who are considered high-risk or are not comfortable gathering. We'll live-stream the service at 9:30 AM.

### **What will an outdoor service be like?**

An outdoor worship service will begin as an *abbreviated* version of our indoor services (approximately one hour). We'll worship through song, giving, prayer, and the reading and preaching of God's Word. [In July, we hope to celebrate the Lord's Supper together, but instead of passing the plate, we will use individually sealed, self-contained bread/juice cups. We'll have more information on this later on...]

### **What time will the outdoor service begin?**

We plan on beginning the service at **9:30 AM**. Consider arriving at least 20-30 minutes early to set up your spot. Placing a sheet or blanket (or chairs) down clearly signals your distance from others.

## **Should I bring my own chair?**

Church members should bring their own outdoor chairs or blankets to sit on. This will help with setup and take down of the service and will reduce the amount of sanitization that the church staff and volunteers will be required to complete.

## **Where can I sit?**

We will have clearly marked entry and exit points out of the seating areas (see maps on pg. 5-6). We will have open-seating, encourage families (or individuals from the same household) to sit together, and to remain approximately six-feet from other individuals. When the church service is completed, our ushers will lead us in an orderly exit of the seating area.

## **What if it rains?**

In the case of unexpected rain or inclement weather, we will quickly notify the church through phone calls, text messages, website, and social media to notify church members (on Saturday night) that the service will be live-streamed on Sunday morning instead of us meeting outside.

## **Will I have to wear a mask during the service?**

In order to show love and care for our neighbors (especially those who may be at a higher risk of the virus), we're asking all attendees (2 years old and up) to wear a mask. Wearing a mask is primarily for the [safety of other people](#). We understand there are different opinions on this issue, but our aim is to do everything we can to provide a safe environment, so the maximum number of people can attend and feel safe during the service. (The church will provide a limited number of masks for those who forget to bring theirs).

## **Will there be childcare during the service?**

For our initial re-opening we are not able to offer childcare. Children are of course welcome, but we encourage families and households to sit together during the service and not to allow kids to roam.

## **How should we greet one another?**

For a church body, this may be the most difficult aspect of our re-gathering back together. Although we will desire to shake hands and hug one another, we are asking that we follow social distancing requirements, stay approximately six-feet away from each other since we are still in a pandemic. Although you may feel more comfortable with being close to others, individuals at a higher risk of the virus may not feel comfortable.

**Will there be an offering?**

We continue to encourage the use of online giving, but for those who want to give in person, there will be a box (or bucket) that an individual will be holding at the end of the service at the exit point of the seating area.

**Will we handout paper bulletins?**

We will not have paper bulletins in order to reduce the number of items people touch. We will email the bulletin to our members on Saturday so that you can print them off beforehand or encourage you to bring a device (smartphone or tablet) to read an electronic copy on Sunday.

**Will restrooms be available?**

We will ensure that two sets of men's and women's restrooms will be available during the service. We will have individuals monitoring the restrooms to ensure the number of individuals in the restrooms are limited and the restroom remains sanitary.

**How should I decide if I should I come to the outdoor church service?**

We understand there are many factors involved in decisions whether or not to attend public services during this time. No one will be judged for their choice to worship the Lord in person or at home. We will continue to offer online services for those at higher risk for severe illness (including older adults and people of all ages with certain underlying medical conditions) to help limit their exposure risk.

In many instances, especially those at a higher risk, it is the wiser thing to stay at home. If you are experiencing any symptoms, have a temperature, or have been exposed to people who have tested positive for the virus, we would ask that you remain home and watch services online. Although we will not be taking temperatures before the service, those who are actively serving in the service (ushers, worship team, volunteers) will be checked for symptoms.

**What is the 'FM Transmitters car park' on the maps?**

For those who would like to attend the outdoor service but are not able to join folks in the seating area, we will have a limited number of parking spots available for people to join in the service from their cars. They can either roll down their windows to listen or utilize a FM transmitter where you can tune into the service via your car radio. *\*For those who'd like to use this option, let the parking attendant know upon arrival for instructions.*

## **When are we going to move the service back indoors?**

The elders will continue to monitor federal, state, and local guidance in terms of the phased re-opening. As these details come in and we continue to iron out the details of meeting safely in the building again, we will keep you informed.

## **What do I need to know before I come?**

We will have parking attendants to help people know where to park. We'll also provide hand sanitizing stations in the seating area for our church family to use.

### *Reminders for All:*

- Bring your Bible and note-taking material
- Bring your printed bulletin or smartphone/tablet to view it
- Bring your blanket, sheet, or towel
- Bring your chair
- Bring your sunscreen & bug repellent
- Bring water to drink (and umbrella if you want)

### *Reminders for Parents:*

- Keep a close watch on your kids
- Please do not bring any sports or outdoor game equipment for your kids. The playground at the church will be closed
- Talk to your kids beforehand and practice safe behaviors in advance

We are asking our congregation to PRAY for all the aspects of this service. To pray for unity and humility within our church body and that God would be glorified by our gathering together to worship Him!

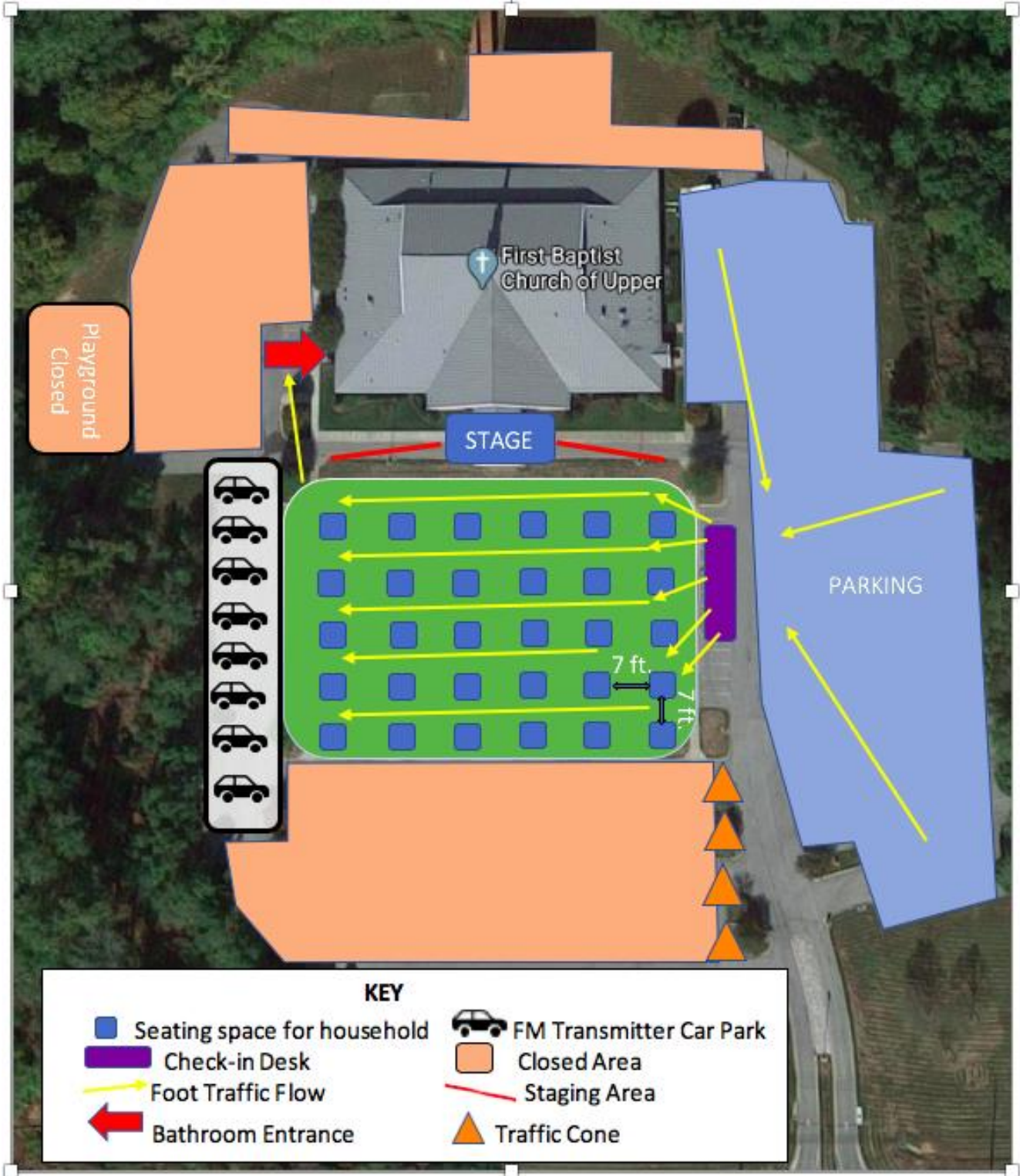
*If you have any additional questions, please reach out to the church staff or the elders. For more information: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/faith-based.html>*

In Christ,

FBCUM Elders



### Map for Outdoor Seating at FBCUM (Option 1 – Grass Area)



# Map for Outdoor Seating (Option 2 – NW Parking Lot [if lawn is muddy])

