Sunday Morning Worship

March 28, 2021



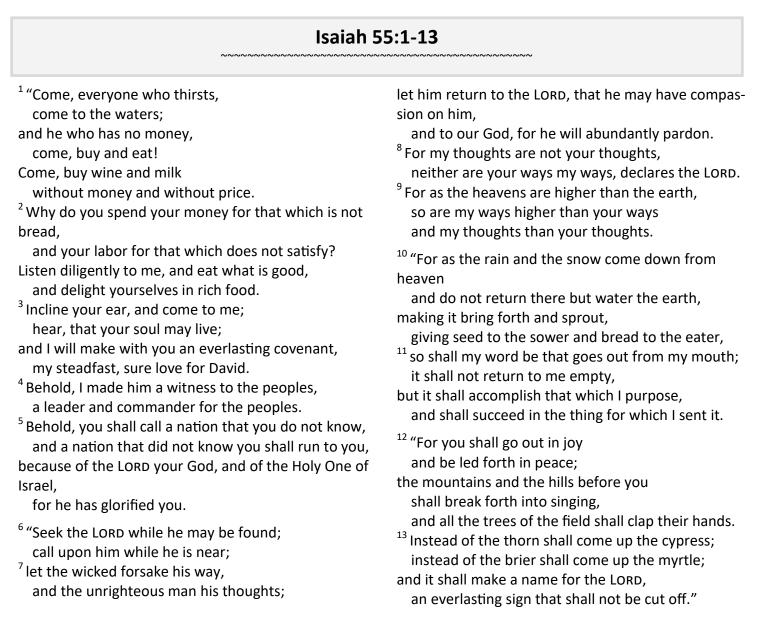
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Scripture Readings

Genesis 12:1-3

¹ Now the LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. ² And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³ I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."



Sermon Notes :: "Worship in Spirit and in Truth" :: John 4:1-54 ~~~~~~

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# **Song Lyrics**

### Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Joachim Neander | Catherine Winkworth

#### Verse 1:

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty The King of creation O my soul praise Him For He is our health and salvation Let all who hear Now to His temple draw near Praise Him in glad adoration

#### Verse 2:

Praise to the Lord Who o'er all things So wondrously reigneth Shelters you under His wings He so gently sustaineth Have you not seen How all your longings have been Granted in what He ordaineth

#### Verse 3:

Praise to the Lord Who does prosper your work And defend you Surely His goodness and mercy Here daily attend you Ponder anew what the Almighty can do If with His love He befriend you

#### Verse 4:

Praise to the Lord O let all that is in me adore Him All that has life and breath Come now with praises before Him Let the amen Sound from his people again Gladly forever adore him

#### Jesus, Messiah

Chris Tomlin | Ed Cash

#### Verse 1:

He became sin who knew no sin That we might become His righteousness He humbled Himself and carried the cross Love so amazing, love so amazing

#### Chorus:

Jesus, Messiah, Name above all names Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel The Rescue for sinners The Ransom from heaven Jesus, Messiah, Lord of all

#### Verse 2:

His body the bread, His blood the wine Broken and poured out all for love The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn Love so amazing, love so amazing

#### Bridge:

All our hope is in You All our hope is in You All the glory to You God The Light of the world

## **Song Lyrics**

### **King Forevermore**

Aaron Keyes | Pete James | Jason Brown

#### Verse 1:

God the uncreated One, the Author of salvation Who wrote the laws of space and time Who fashioned worlds to His design The One whom angel hosts revere Hung the stars like chandeliers Numbered every grain of sand Knows the heart of every man He is King forever, He is King forever He is King forevermore

#### Verse 2:

God our fortress and our strength The Rock on which we can depend Matchless in His majesty His power and authority Unshaken by the schemes of man Never changing Great I am Kingdoms rise and kingdoms fall He is faithful through it all Crown Him King forever, Crown Him King forever Crown Him King forevermore

#### Verse 3:

Mighty God in mortal flesh Forsaken by a traitor's kiss The curse of sin and centuries Did pierce the lowly Prince of Peace Lifted high the sinless man Crucified the spotless Lamb Buried by the sons of man Rescued by the Father's hand Reign as King forever, Reign as King forever Reign as King forevermore

#### Verse 4:

King eternal God of grace We crown You with the highest praise Heaven shouts and saints adore You're holy, holy, holy Lord What joy in everlasting life All is love and faith is sight Justice rolls and praises rise At the name of Jesus Christ King of kings forever, King of kings forever King of kings forevermore

# **Praying with First Baptist Church**

A Prayer Guide for the week of March 28

#### Prayer of the week:

It's often helpful to pray the Scripture as a springboard and inspiration for our own prayer life. As you pray for yourself and others this week, we encourage you to consider the brief prayer of the Psalmist in Psalm 16:11:

...make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

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 wisdom for local, state, and federal political leaders (1 Tim. 2:1-2, Rom. 13:1-7)
- 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 many are still 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:

- Praise God for the new members that were brought into our church family at the recent Members Meeting: Ellie Bain, Corey and Sharon Foster, and Josh Matherlee. Pray that God would unify us in Jesus Christ and that opportunities for fellowship would abound (Rom. 15:5-6, Acts 2:42)
- Pray that God would deepen our desire for prayer as a church family. May we not grow weary or apathetic in bringing our cares and concerns to Him. May God help us to sense His presence and power as we pray. (Rom. 12:12, Col. 4:2)
- Pray that God would renew our strength when we're weary and use our weakness to display His power. (2 Cor. 12:9)
- Pray that we know a profound contentment no matter what circumstances we find ourselves in a contentment from knowing God is our help. (Heb. 13:5-6)
- 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)
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

Ralph and Margaret Austin, John Barbour, Bob and Alice Copeland, Walt De Marr, George Griffin, Deborah Harding (death of brother), Susanna Schriever (military deployment), Karin Simmons, Sandy Sweetman (death of brother), Marty and Bonnie Trott, Rachel Tyler (death of stepmother), Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely

(Click the link to submit a prayer request via our Digital Communication Card)

### Announcements

**1.** <u>Good Friday Worship with Lord's Supper, April 2 @ 7 PM.</u> We hope you'll mark your calendar and join us for Good Friday worship as we remember Christ's death and prepare our hearts to celebrate His resurrection that Sunday. We will also celebrate the Lord's Supper during our Good Friday worship service.

**<u>2. Nursery Volunteers Needed.</u>** We are hoping to offer nursery for our preschool-aged children again soon. We very much need church member volunteers. We would also love to have some youth volunteers! Youth volunteers need to be at least 14 years of age. If you would like to volunteer or have questions about volunteering, please contact Shelbey Strickland at 703-774-6841 or shelbeystrick@gmail.com.

**3.** <u>Starting Point for those interested in church membership</u>. Are you interested in joining our family here at First Baptist Church? Would you like to learn more about who we are and what we believe? If so, then "Starting Point" is for you. The seminar will meet in the church following the Sunday worship service on April 25. Lunch will be provided. If you can't make it but would like to attend our next Starting Point, simply fill out our new <u>Digital Communication Card</u> or contact the church office and let us know.

**4.** <u>New Seating Arrangement</u>. There are various groupings of chairs positioned throughout the sanctuary to help with social distancing. Feel free to sit anywhere you'd like as long as you maintain social distance from those outside your household. Families can still bring in blankets, extra chairs, or play items for children. We'll gladly accommodate any chair changes you need if you'll let us know by contacting the church office.

**5.** <u>Sermon Card.</u> Click the link to access the new <u>sermon card</u> for February—April. It's a great practice to read the text that is being preached on the coming Sunday to help you prepare your heart and mind to be an active listener like the Bereans (Acts 17:11) and as a reminder to pray that God would bear fruit in our lives as we sit under His word.

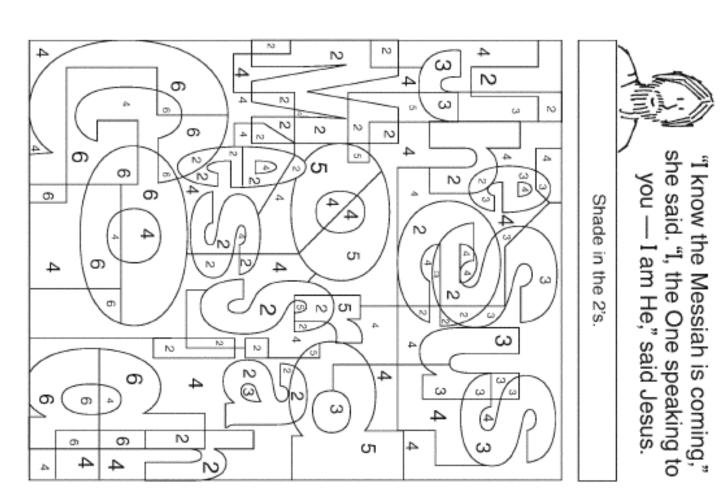
6. <u>Giving.</u> We encourage you to continue to faithfully give as a way to sustain the gospel ministry at FBCUM and as a means for us to care for those in need as a church family. You can give <u>online</u> or mail in your offering to the church office. To guide and help us consider the New Testament's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

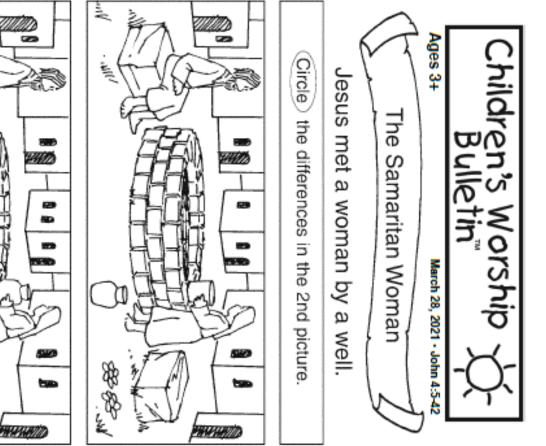
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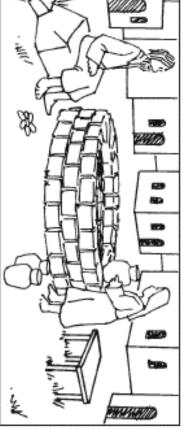
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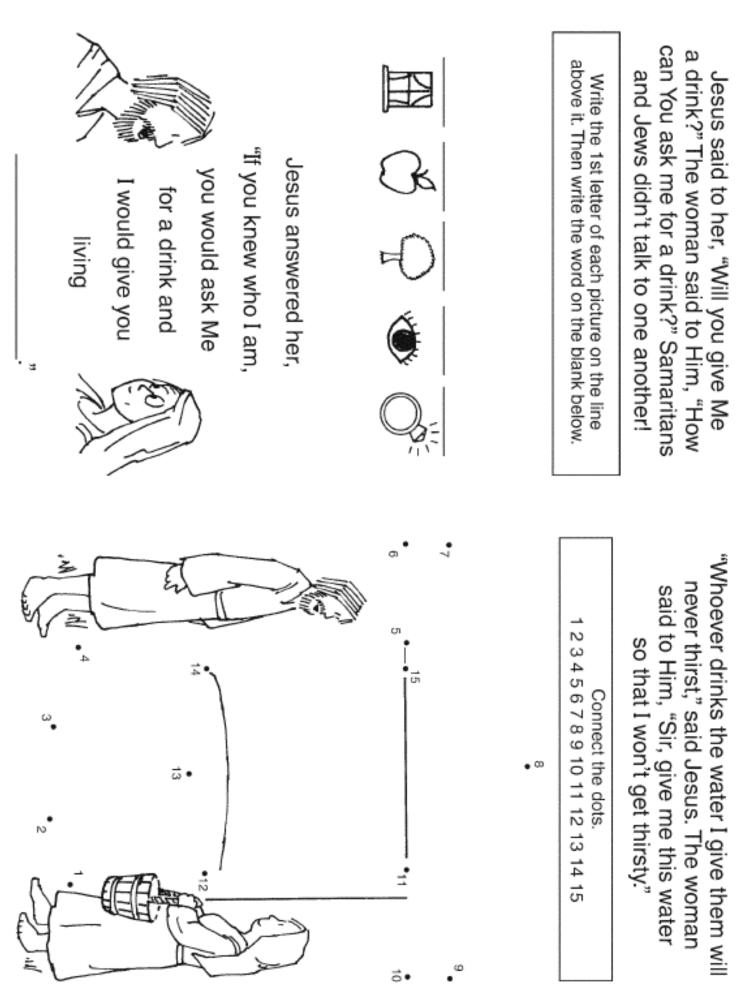
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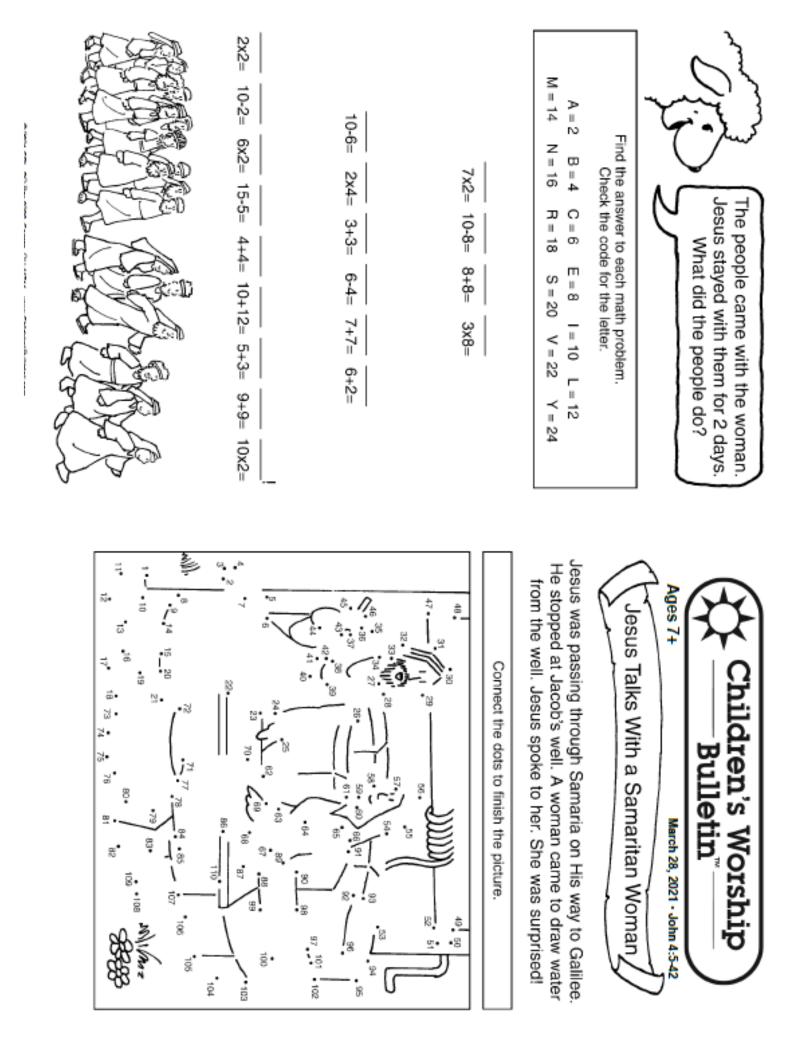


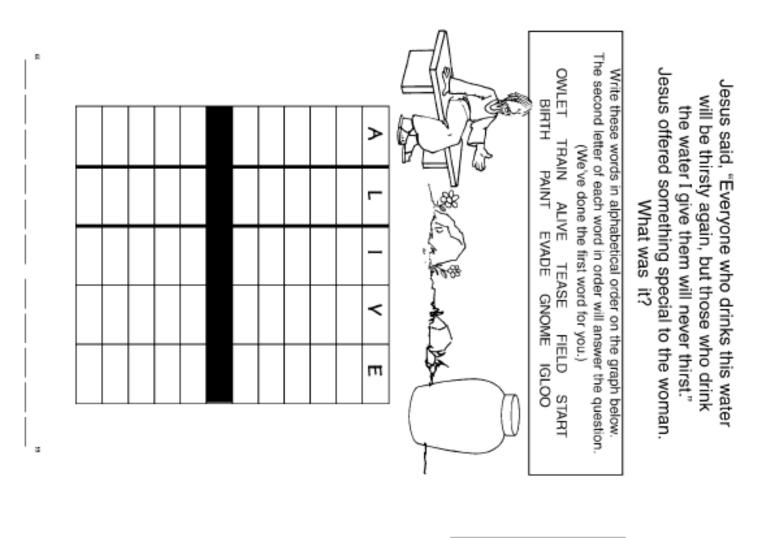




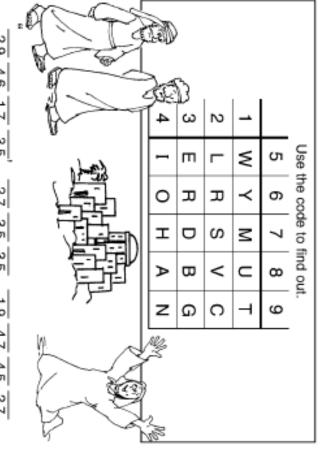








Then the woman went back to the town. What did she tell the people?



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