Sunday Morning Worship

May 16, 2021



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Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 33:26-27a

²⁶ "There is no one like the God of Jeshurun, who rides across the heavens to help you and on the clouds in his majesty.

²⁷ The eternal God is your refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.

Zechariah 13:1-9

¹ "On that day a fountain will be opened to the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, to cleanse them from sin and impurity.

² "On that day, I will banish the names of the idols from the land, and they will be remembered no more," declares the LORD Almighty. "I will remove both the prophets and the spirit of impurity from the land. ³ And if anyone still prophesies, their father and mother, to whom they were born, will say to them, 'You must die, because you have told lies in the LORD's name.' Then their own parents will stab the one who prophesies.

⁴ "On that day every prophet will be ashamed of their prophetic vision. They will not put on a prophet's garment of hair in order to deceive. ⁵ Each will say, 'I am not a prophet. I am a farmer; the land has been my livelihood since my youth.' ⁶ If someone asks, 'What are these wounds on your body?' they will answer, 'The wounds I was given at the house of my friends.'

⁷ "Awake, sword, against my shepherd, against the man who is close to me!" declares the LORD Almighty. "Strike the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered, and I will turn my hand against the little ones. ⁸ In the whole land," declares the LORD, "two-thirds will be struck down and perish; yet one-third will be left in it. ⁹This third I will put into the fire; I will refine them like silver and test them like gold. They will call on my name and I will answer them; I will say, 'They are my people,' and they will say, 'The LORD is our God.'"

Sermon Notes: "Rivers of Living Water":: John 7:1-52

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

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

E.A. Hoffman

Verse 1:

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms; what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Chorus:

Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms; leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Verse 2:

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Verse 3:

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, leaning on the everlasting arms? I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Song Lyrics

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

John Newton | Chris Tomlin

Verse 1:

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now I'm found Was blind but now I see

Verse 2:

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear And grace my fears relieved How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed

Chorus:

My chains are gone I've been set free My God my Savior has ransomed me And like a flood His mercy rains Unending love, amazing grace

Verse 3:

The Lord has promised good to me His word my hope secures He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures

Verse 4:

Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail And mortal life shall cease I shall possess within the veil a life of joy and peace.

Verse 5:

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow The sun forbear to shine But God who called me here below Will be forever mine

Verse 6:

When we've been there ten thousand years Bright shining as the sun We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first begun

Praying with First Baptist Church

A Prayer Guide for the week of May 16

Prayer of the week:

One of the ways we learn to pray is by using the examples in Scripture as a springboard and inspiration for our own prayer life. This week, consider using the words of Ephesians 1:16-17 to pray for yourself and others:

¹⁶ I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers,

¹⁷ that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory,
may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him,

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:

- Pray for our upcoming Evangelism Weekender on May 22. Pray that God would encourage and exhort us as a church to actively proclaim the gospel locally and around the world (Matt 28:19-20)
- Pray for our upcoming Members Meeting on May 23 after worship. Pray that God would continually help us to grow in unity and service to one another as fellow believers here at FBCUM as we work together for kingdom purposes. (Eph 4:2-3)
- Pray for teachers and students in our church family who are completing their final weeks of classes for the school year. Even amidst the irregularity of this past school year, pray that God would help them to finish well and give them physical and spiritual strength to endure. See a list of our out-of-town college students in the church directory on p. 23. (Isaiah 40:31)
- 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 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)
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

Ralph and Margaret Austin, John Barbour, Bob and Alice Copeland, Diane Manzon, Walt De Marr, George Griffin, Stevie Miller, Rollia Oliver (death of father), Susanna Schriever (military deployment), Karin Simmons, Marty and Bonnie Trott, Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely

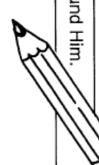
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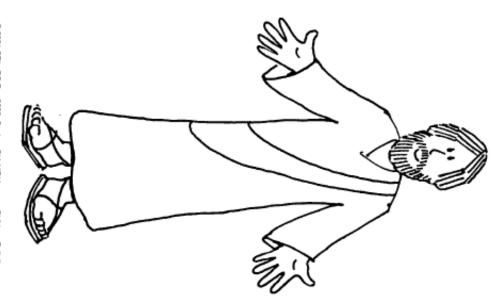
Announcements

- **1.** <u>FBCUM Virtual Prayer Meeting THIS week (5/19/21) at 6:30p.</u> Lord willing, we'll meet online to pray together as a church family. Please check your email for the ZOOM information to join us. If you have any questions, please contact the church office so we can help.
- 2. <u>Members Meeting—THIS Sunday, May 23.</u> Mark your calendars for our Members Meeting on Sunday, May 23rd. We'll meet immediately following the worship service that morning. Minutes from the previous meeting are available in the church office.
- **3.** Evangelism Seminar—THIS Saturday, May 22, 9am—12noon. We have the joy of hosting one of our supported workers from East Asia who will be leading an evangelism workshop at FBCUM from 9:00 AM 12:00 PM. We not only seek to pray, send, and go overseas with the gospel (Matt. 28:19-20), we seek to share the gospel locally. This weekender is meant to encourage, equip, clarify, and sharpen us for this work. Though we are not able to offer childcare, kids (and guests) are welcome to join. Click here to see/print the flyer for the Evangelism Weekender.
- **4.** "Adopt A Home" Opportunity. Thank you for your giving toward the Adopt A Home project. We are still working toward our goal of \$4000, so please continue to give. Mark any envelope "Adopt a Home" and place in offering or type it in the comment section when giving online. Also, we are in need of volunteers. Please consider joining our FBCUM team and demonstrate our love in action through helping a neighbor in their time of need. This will be a tremendous opportunity to serve. We're looking for skilled and unskilled laborers, so please contact Eric or Kristine Sohn for more details about the work if you're interested. Thank you!
- **5.** <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 <u>give 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 <u>read here</u>. Church members who have a benevolence request, please contact the church office at <u>fbcum@firstbaptistum.com</u>.

Questions? Contact the church office at info@firstbaptistum.com
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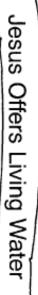




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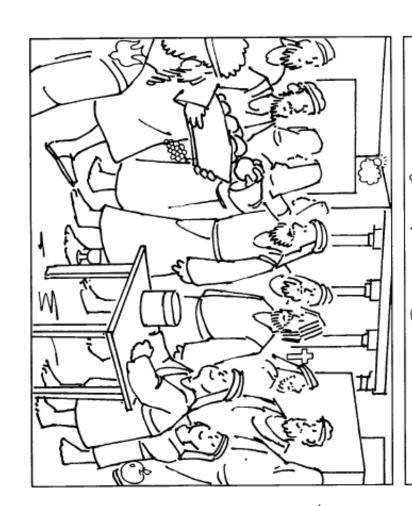
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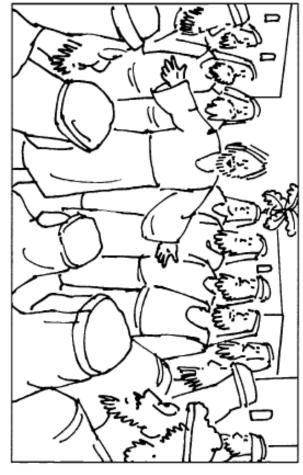
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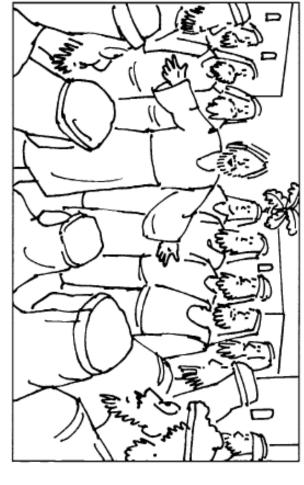
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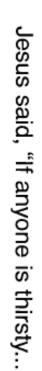


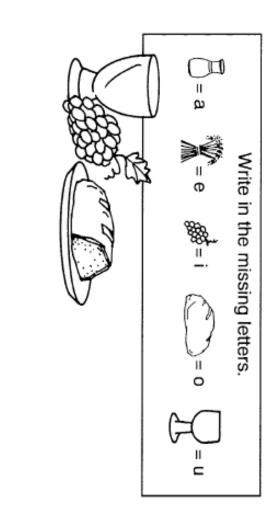
Jesus spoke to the people.

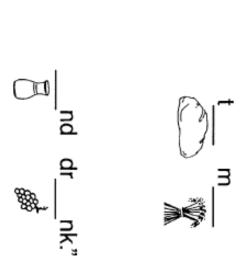
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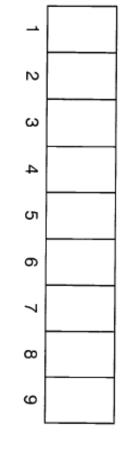




disciples receiving the Holy Spirit and spreading the news about Jesus to Today is the day we remember the

everyone. It is the birthday of the church

Write a word to fit each definition. Transfer letters to boxes from lines



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an exam or quiz

the price of an item

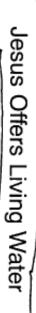
no fighting or war



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On the last day of the Feast, Jesus stood and spoke.

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Circle them.



