# Sunday Morning Worship

July 25, 2021



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## Order of Worship

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#### Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship — Psalm 116:1-2

Song — Jesus, I Come (Out of My Bondage) Song — Rock of My Salvation

Scripture Reading — Psalm 62:1-12

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Message — Josh Strickland Matthew 7:1-12

Song — What A Friend We Have In Jesus

**Benediction** 

<u>Comfort Rooms:</u> A live video feed of the worship service is *available* in several classrooms around the building to help accommodate families with small children or those with various *medical conditions. Stop by the Welcome Desk for information and classroom locations.* 

#### Call to Worship — Psalm 116:1-2 (ESV)

<sup>1</sup>I love the LORD, because he has heard my voice and my pleas for mercy.

### 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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

## **Rock of My Salvation**

Mike Rogers | Erskine Berridge

#### Verse 1:

O Lord, You empty those You fill and quicken those You slay. My hope in works You kindly kill to teach me gospel praise.

#### Verse 2:

You wrap in frowns as well as smiles some tokens of Your love.

And if you wound or heal in both, Your grace You prove.

#### **Chorus:**

You are my God. There's none like You. You are the rock of my salvation.

#### Verse 3:

No sooner we begin to mourn in brokenness we start.
But Jesus cries
"Return, and let me heal your heart."

#### Verse 4:

All hope in self may Jesus kill and make my heart alive.
My guilty wounds may Jesus heal and make my spirit thrive

#### Scripture Reading — Psalm 62:1-12 (ESV)

<sup>1</sup> For God alone my soul waits in silence;

from him comes my salvation.

<sup>2</sup> He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken.

<sup>3</sup> How long will all of you attack a man to batter him, like a leaning wall, a tottering fence?

<sup>4</sup> They only plan to thrust him down from his high position. They take pleasure in falsehood.

They bless with their mouths, but inwardly they curse. Selah

- <sup>5</sup> For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from him.
- <sup>6</sup> He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.
- <sup>7</sup>On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
- <sup>8</sup> Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us. Selah
- <sup>9</sup>Those of low estate are but a breath; those of high estate are a delusion; in the balances they go up; they are together lighter than a breath.
- Put no trust in extortion; set no vain hopes on robbery; if riches increase, set not your heart on them.
- Once God has spoken;
   twice have I heard this:
   that power belongs to God,
   and that to you, O Lord, belongs steadfast love.
   For you will render to a man according to his work.

## **Sermon Notes :: Matthew 7:1-12**

#### What a Friend We Have In Jesus

Joseph Scriven | Charles Converse

#### Verse 1:

What a friend we have in Jesus All our sins and griefs to bear What a privilege to carry Everything to God in prayer O what peace we often forfeit O what needless pain we bear All because we do not carry Everything to God in prayer

#### Verse 2:

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Can we find a friend so faithful?
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness
Take it to the Lord in prayer

#### Verse 3:

Are we weak and heavy laden
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior still our refuge
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Do thy friends despise forsake us?
Take it to the Lord in prayer
In His arms He'll take and shield us
We find a solace there

## **Praying with First Baptist Church**

A Prayer Guide for the week of July 25

#### **Prayer of the week:**

Consider using the Apostle Paul's prayer from the book of Colossians 1:12 as a springboard for your own prayer time this week. If you're praying through the church directory, this is a great prayer to give thanks to God for the work He has done in the brothers and sisters in Christ in our church family.

"we have not ceased to pray for you... giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light."

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 (Lk 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 that God would provide relief and comfort for those still suffering from the effects of COVID 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. (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:

- Several of our students and their ministry leaders tested positive for COVID upon return from camp this past week. Pray for good health for students, leaders, and their families. Pray for quick recovery for those who are sick. (Isaiah 41:10)
- Pray that God would continue to use the fruitful experiences of students at camp this past week to help them grow in faith. Pray for conversions, growth in godliness, wisdom, and for godly friendships to flourish. (Prov. 3:5-6; 1 Thes 2;12)
- Continue to pray for Pastor Zach on sabbatical and his family. Pray for physical and spiritual rest. Pray for meaningful times of fellowship with God, family, and brothers and sisters in Christ. (Psalm 121:3-4; Mark 2:27)
- Pray that God would help our church family use the upcoming summer season for unique opportunities of evangelism, to build each other up, and to love one another well (Rom. 12:9-21)
- 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:

John Barbour, Bob and Alice Copeland, Kesha Davis, Diane Manzon, Walt De Marr, George Griffin, Susanna Schriever (military deployment), Karin Simmons, Marty and Bonnie Trott, The Wagner Family, Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely

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

#### **Announcements**

- 1. Lord's Supper Celebration Next Sunday. Lord willing, we'll gather next Sunday, August 1, and celebrate the Lord's Supper together. We encourage you to prayerfully prepare your heart to receive the supper together as we remember the work of Christ on our behalf. Part of our celebration is reaffirming our unity as the body of Christ. Therefore, if you know of any reconciliation that needs to happen between you and another brother or sister in Christ, we hope you'll take the time to prayerfully do that before we gather next Sunday.
- 2. <u>Starting Point Seminar for Church Membership, August 8.</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 August 8. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to the church office immediately by either filling out our new <u>Digital Communication</u> <u>Card</u> or sending and email (info@firstbaptistum.com) or calling (301-952-0117).
- **3.** <u>Glover Scholarship.</u> If you are a church member and are a 2021 High School graduate planning to attend college in the fall, you are eligible to apply for the John and Ethel Glover College Scholarship. Please contact Bernice McGuire at 301-855-5529 or email bhmcg@comcast.net for details and requirements. The deadline for submitting all information is July 29, 2021.
- **4. Giving.** We continue to encourage your faithful giving as the means to sustain the gospel ministry here 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 <a href="mailto:fbcum@firstbaptistum.com">fbcum@firstbaptistum.com</a>.

Questions? Contact the church office at <a href="mailto:info@firstbaptistum.com">info@firstbaptistum.com</a>
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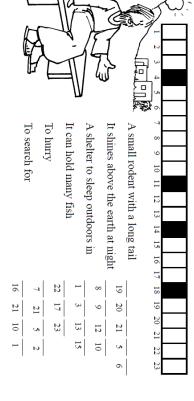
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July 25, 2021 Matthew 7:1-12

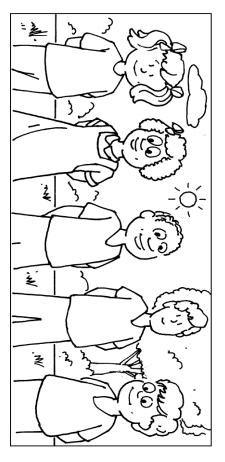
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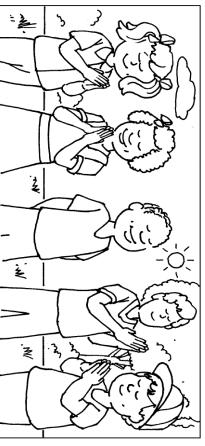
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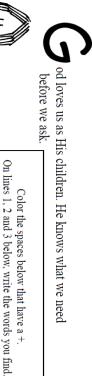
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MATTHEW 7:12

