Sunday Morning Worship

January 30, 2022



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Order of Worship

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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship — Romans 6:1-4

Celebration of Baptism

Prayer of Praise

Scripture Reading — Romans 11:33-36

Song — O Children Come Song — You Have Called Us, Lord

Scripture Reading — Colossians 3:12-25

Pastoral Prayer

Song — Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Message — Zach Schlegel "Welcome to Paradise" Genesis 2:4-25

Song — My Worth Is Not in What I Own

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 — Romans 6:1-4 (ESV)

¹What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? ² By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? ³ Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴ We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.

Scripture Reading — Romans 11:33-36 (ESV)

³³ Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

³⁴ "For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been his counselor?"

"Or who has given a gift to him that he might be repaid?"

³⁶ For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

O Children Come

Keith and Kristyn Getty

Verse 1:

Hear the cry from Bethlehem
O children come
Son of God now born to men
O children come
Bring your troubles bring your fears
Bring the needs that draw you near
Find the hope of all the years
O children come

Verse 2:

Peace on earth good will to men O children come Righteous rule that will not end O children come Lay down all your bitterness
Turn from sin's toil and distress
Find His grace and perfect rest
O children come

Verse 3:

Where the Father's grace has walked O children come
Where you see the hurt and lost
O children come
Show the mercy shown to you
Gifts of kindness to renew
Love from hearts sincere and true
O children come

You Have Called Us, Lord

Mike Rogers

Verse 1:

Our broken hearts we bring With humble words we sing Of how You took our place Sin's debt forever paid You set us free Your praises we will sing

Chorus:

You have called us, Lord
Saved us by Your grace
As we honor You
The angels watch and praise
You will sustain us, Lord
And guide us in Your ways
Until You bring us home
To see You face to face

Verse 2:

Reveal now as we sing
Those things to which we cling
Remind us of the cross
Your blood has washed us clean
You set us free
Your praises we will sing

Bridge:

Because of You we sing
We sing in unity
We lift our praise to You
We sing of grace so sweet

Scripture Reading — Colossians 3:12-25 (ESV)

¹² Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, ¹³ bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. ¹⁴ And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. ¹⁵ And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. ¹⁶ Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. ¹⁷ And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

¹⁸ Wives, submit to your husbands, as is fitting in the Lord. ¹⁹ Husbands, love your wives, and do not be harsh with them. ²⁰ Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord. ²¹ Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged. ²² Bondservants, obey in everything those who are your earthly masters, not by way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but with sincerity of heart, fearing the Lord. ²³ Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, ²⁴ knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ. ²⁵ For the wrongdoer will be paid back for the wrong he has done, and there is no partiality.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Thomas Chisholm | William Runyan | John Piper

Verse 1:

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father There is no shadow of turning with Thee Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be

Chorus:

Great is Thy faithfulness
Great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me

Verse 2:

Covenant promises fell not to me. Then without warning, desire or deserving, I found my Treasure, my pleasure, in Thee.

I could not love Thee, so blind and unfeeling

Verse 3:

I have no merit to woo or delight Thee,
I have no wisdom or pow'rs to employ;
Yet in thy mercy,
how pleasing thou find'st me,
This is Thy pleasure: that Thou art my joy.

Verse 4:

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence
to cheer and to guide
Strength for today
and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside

Sermon Notes

"Welcome to Paradise" :: Genesis 2:4-25

My Worth Is Not in What I Own

Keith and Kristyn Getty

Verse 1:

My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love
At the cross

Verse 2:

My worth is not in skill or name In win or lose in pride or shame But in the blood of Christ that flowed At the cross

Chorus:

I rejoice in my Redeemer Greatest treasure Wellspring of my soul I will trust in Him no other My soul is satisfied in Him alone

Verse 3:

As summer flowers we fade and die Fame youth and beauty hurry by But life eternal calls to us at the cross

Verse 4:

I will not boast in wealth or might Or human wisdom's fleeting light But I will boast in knowing Christ At the cross

Verse 5:

Two wonders here that I confess My worth and my unworthiness My value fixed my ransom paid At the cross

Praying with First Baptist Church

A Prayer Guide for the week of January 30

Prayer of the week:

Consider using the Apostle Paul's prayer from the book of Hebrews 13:20-21 as a springboard for your own prayer time this week. If you're a church member praying through the church directory, this is a great prayer to use as you pray for your church family this week.

²⁰ Now may the God of peace... ²¹ equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in [you] that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

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 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 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: Joe and Andi Carroll (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 those in our church family who are going through a significant time of suffering in their body or soul. Pray for peace. Pray for a keen awareness of God's presence and a desire to draw near to him. Pray for experiences of joy in Christ and in fellowship with church family. (Is. 26:3-4, Ps. 34:18, Ps. 30:1-5)
- Pray for good fruit to come from our recent Biblical Parenting Seminar. Pray for the children
 of our church to hear and understand the gospel and be saved. Pray especially for their families and DiscipleLIFE teachers to faithfully teach and show them how to live out God's commands. (Luke 8:8)
- Pray that our church family would not grow weary of doing good. Pray that we would live and interact with one another in a way that reveals God's steadfast love and mercy to the world. (Gal 6:9)
- 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. (John 13:34-35)
- 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:

Earl Baker (death of father), John Barbour, Mary Ellen Blair and Stolarik Family (death of mother/grandmother); Bob and Alice Copeland, Kesha Davis, John and Caroline Harwell, Lucie Lowe, Wanda Payton, Karin Simmons, Joshua and KayMarie Thomas, Marty and Bonnie Trott, Glenn and Cathy Walker (death of daughter), Ron Whitely

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

Announcements

- **1.** <u>In-Person Prayer Meeting on Wed., Feb. 2nd at 6:30 PM.</u> Lord willing, we plan to meet at the church on Wednesday evening as a church family for a prayer meeting. We hope you'll make plans to join us.
- 2. <u>Lord's Supper Celebration Next Sunday.</u> We plan to celebrate the Lord's Supper together when we gather for worship next Sunday, Feb. 6. 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.
- 3. <u>Starting Point Seminar for Church Membership February 6.</u> If you're interested in joining our church family or simply learning more about who we are and what we believe, then "Starting Point" is for you. The seminar will meet in the church following the Sunday worship service on February 6. A light lunch will be provided. Please contact the church office to let us know you'd like to attend.
- **4.** <u>Women's Bible Study on Anxiety.</u> Ladies, we were thankful for the time we had back in October to dig into God's word on the topic of overcoming anxiety. As a follow-up to that time, we will host a 7-week study through Ed Welch's book, "When I Am Afraid: A Step-by-Step Guide Away from Fear and Anxiety". The study will meet on Sunday mornings at 9am in room 117/118. Space is limited and there are only a few slots available. If you would like to attend please register online or contact the church office ASAP.
- **5. 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 fbcum@firstbaptistum.com.

