

Sunday Morning Worship

February 27, 2022



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Order of Worship

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Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship — Hebrews 11:1-6

Song — Be Thou My Vision

Song — Christ Is All In All

Scripture Reading — 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Pastoral Prayer

Song — Happy in Jesus

Message — Zach Schlegel

“A Family Feud”

Genesis 4:1-16

Song — It Is Well

Benediction

Comfort Rooms: 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 — Hebrews 11:1-6 (ESV)

¹ Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. ² For by it the people of old received their commendation. ³ By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.

⁴ By faith Abel offered to God a more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts. And through his faith, though he died, he still speaks. ⁵ By faith Enoch was taken up so that he should not see death, and he was not found, because God had taken him. Now before he was taken he was commended as having pleased God. ⁶ And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.

Be Thou My Vision

Traditional Irish lyric and melody | translated by Mary E. Byrne

Verse 1:

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art -
thou my best thought by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Verse 2 :

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father, I thy true son;
thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.

Verse 3 :

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
thou mine inheritance, now and always:
thou and thou only, first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

Verse 4:

High King of heaven, my victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys,
O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

Christ Is All In All

Kristyn Getty | Dwan Hill | Ben Shive

Verse 1:

Sons and daughters of the King,
rise up and sing that Christ is all in all.
Sing the glories of His name, together proclaim
that Christ is all in all.

Chorus:

See how He loves us; children of God!
Now let us love each other.
If He has called us children of God,
That's who we are, His chosen and beloved.

Verse 2:

Brothers, sisters, build upon this cornerstone
for Christ is all in all.
Worship Him with lives renewed,
in Spirit and Truth for Christ is all in all.

Verse 3:

Bound together by His blood, rooted in love
where Christ is all in all.
Standing in one faith, one Lord, one holy accord
where Christ is all in all.

Bridge:

Look at what the Lord has done;
Made us one by the blood of Jesus!
Look at what the Lord has done;
Now we love with the love of Jesus!

Scripture Reading — 1 Corinthians 13:1-13 (ESV)

¹ If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. ² And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. ³ If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

⁴ Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant ⁵ or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; ⁶ it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. ⁷ Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

⁸ Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. ⁹ For we know in part and we prophesy in part, ¹⁰ but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. ¹¹ When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. ¹² For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

¹³ So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

Happy in Jesus

Eric McAllister

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## **Verses 1 & 2:**

Are you happy in Jesus?  
Does the news leave you thrilled —  
That He carried the burden of sin  
That we rightly deserved to feel?  
Would you rather have Jesus  
Than the praises of kings —  
for you rest in the sweet commendation  
of knowing you've been redeemed?

## **Chorus:**

Happy in Jesus!  
Forgiven and free —  
He means more than this  
Whole wide world to me;  
Wonderful Jesus  
The One that I call  
My life, my peace, my joy  
My all in all!

## **Verses 3 & 4:**

When temptation is calling  
Do you flee to His side —  
As the pleasure of sin is eclipsed  
By the beauty of Jesus Christ?  
Have you made Him your treasure?  
Have you counted the cost —  
And consider the life that He offers  
Is worth any early loss?

## **Bridge:**

Grace to cover all my sin  
My life made new in Him  
I'm happy in the Lord  
Peace to ease my anxious mind  
Upheld by love divine  
I'm happy in the Lord  
Hope invincible and sure  
Is mine forevermore  
I'm happy in the Lord  
God and heaven are my own  
My Father and my home  
I'm happy in the Lord

## **Verse 5:**

Do you long for His presence  
Just to be where He dwells  
For a day with the Savior is better  
Than thousands anywhere else

**Sermon Notes**

**“A Family Feud” :: Genesis 4:1-16**

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# It Is Well With My Soul

Horatio Spafford | Phillip Bliss

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## Verse 1:

When peace like a river attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot,  
Thou hast taught me to say  
It is well, it is well with my soul

## Chorus:

It is well — with my soul  
It is well, It is well with my soul

## Verse 2:

Tho' Satan should buffet,  
Tho' trials should come  
Let this blest assurance control  
That Christ hath regarded  
my helpless estate  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul

## Verse 3:

My sin, O the bliss of this glorious tho't  
My sin, not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

## Verse 4:

And Lord haste the day  
when the faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trump shall resound  
and the Lord shall descend  
Even so, it is well with my soul

# Praying with First Baptist Church

## A Prayer Guide for the week of February 27

### **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 Romans 12:12:

*Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.*

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 loved ones (Matt. 28:19)
- Pray for conversions (John 3:3, Acts 16:14)
- Pray for the children of our church to hear and understand the gospel and be saved. (Luke 8:8)
- 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 for local school administrators and teachers. Pray that God would give them wisdom as they shape young minds and culture. Pray they would use their authority well (1 Cor. 15:58, James 1:5)
- 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 ministry partners locally and around the world—Baptist Convention of Maryland/Delaware (BCM/D), North American Mission Board (NAMB) and International Mission Board (IMB). Pray especially for those we are directly involved with: Jeremy McClain (Mercy of Christ Fellowship Church, DC), Joel Kurz (The Garden Church, Baltimore), 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 that God would 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 good spiritual fruit to come from the recent Youth Retreat. (Gal 5:22-23)
- Pray for those in our church family facing a season of fear and anxiety. Pray that they would be reminded of the Holy Spirit's continued presence with them. Pray for a heart of peace and a mind that will trust Christ in the midst of suffering. (2 Cor 1:5, Prov. 29:25; Ps 94:19)
- 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 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)
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

**John Barbour, Bob and Alice Copeland, Kesha Davis, John and Caroline Harwell, Dave and Lucie Lowe, Wanda Payton, Karin Simmons, Joshua and KayMarie Thomas, Marty and Bonnie Trott, Ron Whitely**

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

# Announcements

**1. New DiscipleLIFE (Sunday School) Class.** Beginning Sunday, March 6, there will be an additional DiscipleLIFE class for adults focusing on “Spiritual Disciplines for the Christian Life”. Explore the Bible material will continue on with a study of 1&2 Thessalonians. Check your email for registration information or contact the church office.

**2. Lord’s Supper Celebration Next Sunday.** 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.

**3. Wednesday Night Inductive Bible Study.** The Wednesday evening Bible study has restarted. All are welcome to join us each week at 6:30pm in room 117/118 as one of our pastors leads us through a verse-by-verse study of 2 Peter. Together we’ll observe what the text says, interpret what it means, and seek to apply it with God’s help.

**4. Save the Date.** Mark your calendars and join us for the following events:

March 2. Church-wide prayer meeting in-person at 6:30pm at the church.

March 6 Members Meeting. If you’re a member at FBCUM, we hope you’ll make plans to join us following the worship service on Sunday, March 6, for a brief Members Meeting. We’ll be voting on memberships, praying together, and hearing ministry updates. **Minutes for our last meeting are now available in the church office.**

March 25-26: Women’s Conference. Ladies, we plan on hosting a 2-day conference (the evening of March 25th and the morning of March 26th) with Blair Linne talking about fatherlessness. Register online at [www.fbcum.org](http://www.fbcum.org). Check out Blair’s new book, now available on the bookstall: [“Finding my Father: How the Gospel Heals the Pain of Fatherlessness”](#).

**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** [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).*

