

# ***Sunday Morning Worship***

*June 5, 2022*



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**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 — Romans 1:16-17 (ESV)

<sup>16</sup> For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. <sup>17</sup> For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, “The righteous shall live by faith.”

## Scripture Reading — Isaiah 40:9-31 (ESV)

<sup>9</sup> Go on up to a high mountain,  
O Zion, herald of good news;  
lift up your voice with strength,  
O Jerusalem, herald of good news;  
lift it up, fear not;  
say to the cities of Judah,  
“Behold your God!”  
<sup>10</sup> Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might,  
and his arm rules for him;  
behold, his reward is with him,  
and his recompense before him.  
<sup>11</sup> He will tend his flock like a shepherd;  
he will gather the lambs in his arms;  
he will carry them in his bosom,  
and gently lead those that are with young.  
<sup>12</sup> Who has measured the waters in the hollow  
of his hand  
and marked off the heavens with a span,  
enclosed the dust of the earth in a measure  
and weighed the mountains in scales  
and the hills in a balance?  
<sup>13</sup> Who has measured the Spirit of the LORD,  
or what man shows him his counsel?  
<sup>14</sup> Whom did he consult,  
and who made him understand?  
Who taught him the path of justice,  
and taught him knowledge,  
and showed him the way of understanding?  
<sup>15</sup> Behold, the nations are like a drop from a  
bucket,

and are accounted as the dust on the scales;  
behold, he takes up the coastlands like fine  
dust.

<sup>16</sup> Lebanon would not suffice for fuel,  
nor are its beasts enough for a burnt offering.

<sup>17</sup> All the nations are as nothing before him,  
they are accounted by him as less than nothing  
and emptiness.

<sup>18</sup> To whom then will you liken God,  
or what likeness compare with him?

<sup>19</sup> An idol! A craftsman casts it,  
and a goldsmith overlays it with gold  
and casts for it silver chains.

<sup>20</sup> He who is too impoverished for an offering  
chooses wood that will not rot;  
he seeks out a skillful craftsman  
to set up an idol that will not move.

<sup>21</sup> Do you not know? Do you not hear?  
Has it not been told you from the beginning?  
Have you not understood from the foundations  
of the earth?

<sup>22</sup> It is he who sits above the circle of the earth,  
and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers;  
who stretches out the heavens like a curtain,  
and spreads them like a tent to dwell in;

<sup>23</sup> who brings princes to nothing,  
and makes the rulers of the earth as emptiness.

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## Scripture Reading (continued)

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<sup>24</sup> Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown,  
scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth,  
when he blows on them, and they wither,  
and the tempest carries them off like stubble.

<sup>25</sup> To whom then will you compare me,  
that I should be like him? says the Holy One.

<sup>26</sup> Lift up your eyes on high and see:  
who created these?

He who brings out their host by number,  
calling them all by name;  
by the greatness of his might  
and because he is strong in power,  
not one is missing.

<sup>27</sup> Why do you say, O Jacob,  
and speak, O Israel,  
“My way is hidden from the LORD,  
and my right is disregarded by my God”?

<sup>28</sup> Have you not known? Have you not heard?  
The LORD is the everlasting God,  
the Creator of the ends of the earth.

He does not faint or grow weary;  
his understanding is unsearchable.

<sup>29</sup> He gives power to the faint,  
and to him who has no might he increases  
strength.

<sup>30</sup> Even youths shall faint and be weary,  
and young men shall fall exhausted;

<sup>31</sup> but they who wait for the LORD shall renew  
their strength;  
they shall mount up with wings like eagles;  
they shall run and not be weary;  
they shall walk and not faint.

## Behold Our God

Jonathan Baird | Meghan Baird | Ryan Baird | Stephen Altrogge

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### Verse 1:

Who has held the oceans in His hands  
Who has numbered every grain of sand  
Kings and nations tremble at His voice  
All creation rises to rejoice

### Chorus:

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him!

### Verse 2:

Who has given counsel to the Lord  
Who can question any of His Words  
Who can teach the One who knows all things  
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

### Verse 3:

Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man  
God eternal humbled to the grave  
Jesus, Savior risen now to reign!

### Bridge:

Men: You will reign forever *(repeat)*

Ladies: Let Your glory fill the Earth *(repeat)*

## Name Above All Names

Pat and Joel Szczebel

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### Verse 1:

From the brightness of His glory  
Jesus, the Son of God descends  
Takes on the nature of a servant  
Jesus, obedient to death  
The Father willed to crush Him  
As a sacrifice for sin  
He satisfied God's justice  
And in vict'ry rose again

### Chorus:

You are highly exalted  
Name above all names  
Worthy of all praise  
You are reigning in glory  
Jesus You're the King  
Over everything  
Exalted to the highest place  
Given the name above all other names

### Verse 2:

The tomb is empty Christ has risen  
Jesus the Lamb once crucified  
The angels never cease to worship  
Jesus in heaven glorified  
To Him belongs the power  
The wisdom might and strength  
All glory and dominion  
To the Lord of every age

### Bridge:

Our knees will bow  
Our tongues proclaim  
That You are Lord of all

# Holy, Holy, Holy!

Reginald Heber | John B. Dykes

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## **Verse 1:**

Holy, holy, holy!  
Lord God Almighty  
Early in the morning  
Our song shall rise to Thee  
Holy, holy, holy!  
Merciful and mighty  
God in three persons  
Blessed Trinity

## **Verse 2:**

Holy, holy, holy!  
All the saints adore Thee  
Casting down their golden crowns  
Around the glassy sea  
Cherubim and seraphim  
Falling down before Thee  
Which was and is  
And evermore shall be

## **Verse 3:**

Holy, holy, holy!  
Though the darkness hide Thee  
Though the eye of sinful man  
Thy glory may not see  
Only Thou art holy  
There is none beside Thee  
Perfect in power  
Love and purity

## **Verse 4:**

Holy, holy, holy!  
Lord God Almighty  
All Thy works shall praise Thy name  
In earth and sky and sea  
Holy, holy, holy!  
Merciful and mighty  
God in three persons  
Blessed Trinity

## Sermon Notes

### **“Turning to God” :: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10**

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## Church Covenant

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Having, as we trust, been brought by divine grace to repent and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and to give up ourselves to Him, and having been baptized upon our profession of faith, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do now, relying on His gracious aid, solemnly and joyfully renew our covenant with each other.

We will engage in assembling ourselves together while praying for one another. We will strive for and promote the spiritual growth and advancement of the church by; sustaining worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrines; contributing cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the gospel through all nations.

As a body of believers, we agree to maintain family and personal devotions, to educate our children in the Christian faith, and to seek the salvation of our family and acquaintances. We will seek to avoid all practices or speech which bring unwarranted harm to the body or jeopardize our own or another's faith.

We will walk together in Christian love by faithfully caring for, watching over, and admonishing one another as occasions may require. In conflict, we will seek to follow Christ's example of reconciliation without delay. We will always strive to be humble and courteous in our speech and slow to take offense. We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with a like-minded church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

## Lamb of God

Bob Kauflin | David LaChance, Jr

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### Verse 1

O Lamb of God all worlds obeyed Your will  
From dark and void their being came  
O Lamb of God, Your glories echo still  
Creation sings its Maker's praise  
Eternal God, One with the Father  
Before all time You dwelt in love  
Eternal God, unlike all others  
Yet You descended unto us

### Verse 3:

O Lamb of God, Now reigning on the throne  
The Judge of all faithful and true  
O Lamb of God, You'll make Your power known  
When all Your foes receive their due  
Victorious King, When history's fading  
You'll call Your Bride To take her place  
Victorious King, Creation's waiting  
For Your redeemed to see Your face

### Verse 2:

O Lamb of God, in filthy manger lay  
In humble dress You entered earth  
O Lamb of God, Creator bows to save  
The needy ones helpless from birth  
Incarnate Word, Gift of the Father  
To take our place and bear our sin  
Incarnate Word, Led to the slaughter  
You conquered death and rose again

## Doxology

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him all creatures here below

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

Amen!

# Praying with First Baptist Church

## A Prayer Guide for the week of June 5

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

One of the ways we learn to pray is by using the Scripture as a springboard and inspiration for our own prayer life. This week, consider using the words of the psalmist from Psalm 130:8. If you're praying through the church directory, consider asking God to work in these ways in those you're praying for each day:

*<sup>8</sup> ...hope in the LORD!*

*For with the LORD there is steadfast love,*

*And with him is plentiful redemption.*

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 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 bring a swift end to the war in Ukraine and establish peace. Pray for protection and care for the many refugees fleeing to safety. Pray the people would trust in God in the midst of suffering. (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 the families and communities of those killed in recent mass shootings in Buffalo, NY and Uvalde, TX. Pray for God's comfort and peace. Pray for healing from trauma. Pray that many would be drawn to place their faith in Jesus. Pray that first responders and investigators would work diligently to provide security and safety going forward. (Ps 34:18, Ps 46:10)

#### **Particular prayer items in the life of our church:**

- Praise God for the new members brought into our church family at our recent Members Meeting; Janette Brown, Genesis Dorsey, Darin Moore, Rebekah Moore, Blake Stolarik, Erica Stotts, Gregory Stotts, and Alaina Wagner. Pray that God would unify us around the gospel and that opportunities for fellowship would abound. (Rom. 15:5-6, Acts 2:42)
- Pray for Pastor Tyrone and Pastor Josh as they represent our church as Messengers to the Southern Baptist Convention next week. Pray for wisdom and clarity as they vote on important matters that will be presented to the Messengers. (James 1:5)
- Pray for teachers and students in our church family who are completing their final weeks of classes for the 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. 22.
- Praise God for a successful vision trip to Thailand for our sister, Susanna Schriever. Continue to pray that God would work out the details of her potential long-term placement there with our global mission partners, Danny and Brandi Spandler-Davison.
- 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:  
**Bob and Alice Copeland, Kesha Davis, Emanuel Nichols-Fulwood, Joy Family (death of Alonzo's Aunt), Ouzts Family (death of mother/grandmother), 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](#))

## This Week at First Baptist Church

### **Sunday, June 5 (*Promotion Sunday*)**

9:00 AM DiscipleLIFE classes (new classes for adults and promotion for Preschool—12th)  
10:00 AM Sunday Worship w/ Lord's Supper  
5:00 PM Youth Group

### **Monday, June 6**

### **Tuesday, June 7**

### **Wednesday, June 8**

6:30 PM Choir & Band Rehearsal

### **Thursday, June 9**

6:30 PM Celebrate Recovery

### **Friday, June 10**

### **Saturday, June 11**

### **Sunday, June 12**

9:00 AM DiscipleLIFE classes  
10:00 AM Sunday Worship  
6:00 PM Youth Group

## Upcoming Events

### **Monday, June 27 - Friday, July 1**

Vacation Bible School

9:00 am - 12:30 pm

For children entering Kindergarten thru 6th grade in the Fall

### **Sunday, July 10**

Church Picnic on Front Lawn (details forthcoming)

# Announcements

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**1. Summer DiscipleLIFE (Sunday School) Classes.** Today we began our Summer quarter of DiscipleLIFE classes for adults (9am every Sunday). Here are the new classes offered:

- Explore the Bible 1 (1 & 2 Kings), Room 117/118 with rotating teachers
- Explore the Bible 2 (1&2 Kings), Room 114 with rotating teachers
- Evangelism: Know and Share the Gospel, Room 115 with Pastor Zach Schlegel
- Time, Talent, & Treasure: Managing God's Gifts, Room 112 with Pastor Tyrone Moorehead

**2. "Home Reach" Ministry.** The Home Reach Ministry (formerly the Homebound Ministry) is looking for members who are seriously interested in serving the Lord by spending time ministering to those church members who are not able to be physically present in church. For more information, contact Bernice McGuire at 301-855-5529 or [bhmcg@comcast.net](mailto:bhmcg@comcast.net)

**3. VBS Registration Has Begun.** Scheduled for June 27 thru July 1 from 9 am - 12:30 pm, registration for children entering Kindergarten thru 6th Grade began Tuesday, May 31. Please register your children ASAP so we can plan accordingly. If you have any questions, please contact either Pam Jensen or Shelbey Strickland.

**4. Glover Scholarship.** If you are a church member and a 2022 high school graduate planning to attend college in the fall, you are eligible to apply for the John and Ethel Glover Scholarship. Please contact Bernice McGuire at 301-855-5529 or [bhmcg@comcast.net](mailto:bhmcg@comcast.net) for more information. The deadline for submitting all information is June 26th.

**5. Updated Membership Directory.** Updated Membership Directories are available in the church office. Feel free to stop in the office and ask the church staff for a copy. We hope you'll use it as a means to establish fellowship with one another and as a prayer tool. Did you know if you briefly pray for the people pictured on one page each day you can pray for the whole church family in less than a month? Try it out this summer and let us know how it goes.

**6. Giving.** We continue to encourage your faithful giving as the means to sustain the gospel ministry here at FBCUM. You can [give online](#), mail your offering to the church office, or place your offering in the designated basket at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer on Sunday morning. To guide and help us consider the New Testament's teaching on giving, we've included a [quick guide](#) here. *Church members who have a benevolence request, please contact the church office.*

