

Sunday Morning Worship

May 14, 2023



**FIRSTBAPTIST
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UPPERMARLBORO**

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Order of Worship

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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship — Psalm 20:6-7

Song — The Solid Rock

Prayer of Praise

Song — Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Song — 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Scripture Reading — Matthew 14:13-33

Pastoral Prayer

Message — Zach Schlegel

“Needless Deceit”

Genesis 26:34-28:9

Song — His Mercy Is More

Benediction

Comfort Rooms: A live video feed of the worship service is *available* in several classrooms around the building (rooms 116, 117/118, 119, 120-125) 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 20:6-7 (ESV)

- ⁶ Now I know that the LORD saves his anointed;
he will answer him from his holy heaven
with the saving might of his right hand.
- ⁷ Some trust in chariots and some in horses,
but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.

The Solid Rock

Edward Mote | William Bradbury

Verse 1:

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

Chorus:

On Christ the solid Rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

Verse 2:

When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In ev'ry high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil

Verse 3:

His oath His covenant His blood
Support me in the whelming flood
When all around my soul gives way
He then is all my hope and stay

Verse 4:

When He shall come with trumpet sound
O may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless to stand before the throne

Christ is Mine Forevermore

Johnny Robinson
Rich Thompson

B \flat B \flat E \flat /B \flat B \flat Gm F/A B \flat

1. Mine are days that God has num-bered; I was made to walk with Him. Yet, I
 2. Mine are tears in times of a so - row dark-ness not yet un - der - stood. Through the
 3. Mine are days here as a stran - ger, pil - grim not on a na - row way. One with

6 B \flat E \flat /B \flat B \flat Gm F/A B \flat /D

look for world - ly trea - sure and for - sake the King of kings. But mine is
 va - ley I must tra - vel where I see the no earth - ly good. But mine is
 Christ I will en - coun - ter harm and ha - tred for His name. And Mine are

10 E \flat B \flat F /A B \flat /D

hope in my Re - dee - mer; though I fall, His love is sure. For Christ has
 peace that flows from - hea - ven, and the strength in times of the need. I know my
 ar - keys mor to for this ba - ttle, strong e - nough to last the war. And He has
 keys to Zi - on ci - ty where be - side the King I walk. For there my

14 E \flat B \flat F F7 B \flat 1-3

paid for ev - 'ry fai - ling; I am His for - e - ver - more.
 pain will be wast - ed; Christ com - pletes His work in me.
 said he not de - li - ver safe - ly to the gold - en shore.
 heart has found its trea - sure, Christ is mine for - e - ver - more.

18 B \flat /D B \flat B \flat E \flat B \flat 4 TO BRIDGE

shore. And mine are Come re - joice now, O my soul, for His love is my re -

23 F B \flat /D E \flat F

ward. Fear is gone and hope is sure; Christ is mine for - e - ver -

27 B \flat B \flat 1.2 3

more. Come re - more. And mine are

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Louisa Stead

Verse 1:

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to take Him at His word
Just to rest upon His promise
And to know "Thus saith the Lord"

Chorus:

Jesus, Jesus how I trust Him
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus, Jesus precious Jesus
O for grace to trust Him more

Verse 2:

O how sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to trust His cleansing blood
Just in simple faith to plunge me
'Neath the healing cleansing flood

Verse 3:

Yes 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus
Just from sin and self to cease
Just from Jesus simply taking
Life and rest and joy and peace

Verse 4:

I'm so glad I learned to trust Him
Precious Jesus, Savior, Friend
And I know that He is with me
Will be with me to the end

Scripture Reading — Matthew 14:13-33 (ESV)

¹³ Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴ When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick. ¹⁵ Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, “This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves.” ¹⁶ But Jesus said, “They need not go away; you give them something to eat.” ¹⁷ They said to him, “We have only five loaves here and two fish.” ¹⁸ And he said, “Bring them here to me.” ¹⁹ Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. ²⁰ And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. ²¹ And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

²² Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. ²³ And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, ²⁴ but the boat by this time was a long way from the land, beaten by the waves, for the wind was against them. ²⁵ And in the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. ²⁶ But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, and said, “It is a ghost!” and they cried out in fear. ²⁷ But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, “Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid.”

²⁸ And Peter answered him, “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” ²⁹ He said, “Come.” So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, “Lord, save me.” ³¹ Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, “O you of little faith, why did you doubt?” ³² And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. ³³ And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

Sermon Notes

“Needless Deceit” :: Genesis 26:34-28:9

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# His Mercy Is More

Matt Boswell | Matt Papa

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## **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



# Praying with First Baptist Church

## A Prayer Guide for the week of May 14

### **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:

*<sup>16</sup> I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers,  
<sup>17</sup> 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 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 that our elected officials would fear God, seek His wisdom, have integrity, humility, and work together for the good of society and not self. (1 Tim. 2:1-2, Rom. 13:1-7)

- 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 Brandy Spandler-Davison and Susanna Schriever (Bangkok City Baptist Church, Thailand). Pray 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 our upcoming Members Meeting on May 21 after worship. Pray that God would continually help us to grow in unity and service to one another as fellow believers here at FBCUM and help us 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. 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. 24.
- 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 a culture of discipleship, joyful hospitality, and mutual care grows in us as a church family (1 Pt 4:9; Col. 3:16)
- 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:

**Ralph and Margaret Austin, Bob and Alice Copeland, Dolores Harman, Ahkeem Smith (death of brother), Bonnie Trott, Glenn Walker**

(To submit a prayer request, please use the Prayer Request Card available in the sanctuary and drop them in the offering basket or contact the Prayer Room at 301-952-8877.)

## **This Week at First Baptist Church**

### **Sunday, May 14 (Mother's Day)**

9:00 AM DiscipleLIFE classes

10:00 AM Sunday Worship

### **Monday, May 15**

### **Tuesday, May 16**

### **Wednesday, May 17**

5:45 PM King's Kids Choir

6:30 PM Bible Study

AWANA

Band / Choir Rehearsal

### **Thursday, May 18**

### **Friday, May 19**

### **Saturday, May 20**

### **Sunday, May 21**

9:00 AM DiscipleLIFE classes

10:00 AM Sunday Worship

12:00 PM Members' Meeting

## **Upcoming Events**

### **Sunday, May 21**

12:00pm - Church Members' Meeting

### **Saturday, May 27**

The Garden Church Service Opportunity (see p.12)

### **Wednesday, June 7**

6:30pm - Church Prayer Meeting

### **Sunday, June 11**

5:00pm - Church Picnic on the Front Lawn

### **June 26 - 30**

Vacation Bible School

# Announcements

1. **Regularly Scheduled Members' Meeting — Sunday, May 21.** Lord willing, we will have our regularly scheduled Members' Meeting after the worship service next Sunday, May 21. Minutes from our previous meeting are available in the church office.
2. **The Garden Church Service Opportunity — May 27.** We have an opportunity to serve our ministry partners at The Garden Church in Baltimore as they prepare to move into their new building. The primary task will be painting the interior. If you have experience with plumbing, HVAC (industrial), or woodworking your skills are welcomed. Anyone available to volunteer, please contact Pastor Tyrone for more details (tmoorehead@firstbaptistum.com).
3. **Filming/Photography for New FBCUM Website.** Please be advised that photographers will be in the church building on May 21 and 28. The photo/filming will take place in various Sunday School classes and the worship service. The photographers aim to be discreet, capturing our church in its natural setting, and simply request you act natural if you see them. If anyone wishes not to appear in any images captured, please contact the church office and we will ensure you are not included (fbcum@firstbaptistum.com).
4. **Church Shed Clean Out.** Attention all current or former ministry team leaders. It is time for a spring cleaning in the church shed. Beginning May 15 - June 1, you are encouraged to visit the shed to determine items you would like to secure. Please note any unclaimed or unwanted items will be disposed. Thank you for your support! If you have any questions, please contact the church office.
5. **Save the Date — Church Picnic on the Front Lawn—Sunday, June 11 at 5pm.**
6. **Glover Scholarship.** If you are a church member or child of a church members and a 2023 high school graduate planning to attend college in the fall, you are eligible to apply for the John and Ethel Glover Scholarship. Contact Mike Rogers in the church office for an application or more info (mrogers@firstbaptistum.com). The deadline for submissions is June 25th.
7. **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 in-person, [give online](#) or mail in your offering to the church office.

