

Sunday Morning Worship

May 28, 2023



**FIRSTBAPTIST
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UPPERMARLBORO**

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Order of Worship

May 28, 2023

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship — Psalm 95:1-3

Song — Praise the Lord (Psalm 150)

Song — Happy in Jesus

Scripture Reading — Galatians 6:1-10

Song — Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Pastoral Prayer

Message — Zach Schlegel

“Scheming the Schemer”

Genesis 29:1-30

Song — Come, Ye Sinners

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 95:1-3 (ESV)

- ¹ Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
- ² Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
- ³ For the LORD is a great God,
and a great King above all gods.

Praise the Lord (Psalm 150)

Matt Boswell | Matt Papa

Verse 1:

You made the starry hosts
You traced the mountain peaks
You paint the evening skies with wonders
The earth it is Your throne
From desert to the sea
All nature testifies Your splendor

Chorus:

Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord
Sing His greatness - All creation
Praise the Lord, Raise your voice
You heights and all you depths
From furthest east to west
Let everything that has breath
Praise the Lord

Verse 2:

You reached into the dust
In love Your Spirit breathed
You formed us in Your very likeness
To know Your wondrous works
To tell Your mighty deeds
To join the everlasting chorus

Verse 3:

Let symphonies resound
Let drums and choirs ring out
All heaven hear the sound of worship
Let every nation bring
Its honors to the King
A roar of harmonies eternal

Ending:

You distant burning stars
All creatures near and far
From sky to sea to shore
Sing out forevermore
Let everything that has breath
Praise the Lord

Happy in Jesus

Eric McAllister

Verse 1:

Are you happy in Jesus?
Does the news leave you thrilled —
That He carried the burden of sin
That we rightly deserved to feel?

Verse 2:

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!

Verse 3:

When temptation is calling
Do you flee to His side —
As the pleasure of sin is eclipsed
By the beauty of Jesus Christ?

Verse 4:

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

Scripture Reading — Galatians 6:1-10 (ESV)

¹ Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. ² Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. ³ For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. ⁴ But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. ⁵ For each will have to bear his own load.

⁶ Let the one who is taught the word share all good things with the one who teaches. ⁷ Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. ⁸ For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life. ⁹ And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. ¹⁰ So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Johnny Robinson | Rich Thompson

Verse 1:

Mine are days that God has numbered
I was made to walk with Him
Yet I look for worldly treasure
And forsake the King of kings
But mine is hope in my Redeemer
Though I fall His love is sure
For Christ has paid for every failing
I am His forevermore

Verse 2:

Mine are tears in times of sorrow
Darkness not yet understood
Through the valley I must travel
Where I see no earthly good
But mine is peace that
flows from heaven
And the strength in times of need
I know my pain will not be wasted
Christ completes His work in me

Verse 3:

Mine are days here as a stranger
Pilgrim on a narrow way
One with Christ I will encounter
Harm and hatred for His name
But mine is armor for this battle
Strong enough to last the war
And He has said He will deliver
Safely to the golden shore

Bridge 1:

And mine are keys to Zion city
Where beside the King I walk
For there my heart has
found its treasure
Christ is mine forevermore

Bridge 2:

Come rejoice now O my soul
For His love is my reward
Fear is gone and hope is sure
Christ is mine forevermore

Sermon Notes

“Scheming the Schemer” :: Genesis 29:1-30

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# Come, Ye Sinners

Joseph Hart

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## **Verse 1:**

Come ye sinners  
Poor and needy  
Weak and wounded  
Sick and sore  
Jesus ready stands to save you  
Full of pity, love and power

## **Chorus:**

I will arise and go to Jesus  
He will embrace me  
In His arms  
In the arms of my dear Savior  
O, there are ten thousand charms

## **Verse 2:**

Come ye thirsty  
Come and welcome  
God's free bounty glorify  
True belief and true repentance  
Every grace that brings you nigh

## **Verse 3:**

Come ye weary heavy laden  
Lost and ruined by the fall  
If you tarry till you're better  
You will never come at all (Chorus)

## **Verse 4:**

View him prostrate in the garden  
On the ground your maker lies  
On the bloody tree behold Him  
Sinner will this not suffice?

## **Verse 5:**

Lo! The Incarnate God ascended  
Pleads the merit of His blood  
Venture on Him  
Venture wholly  
Let no other trust intrude (Chorus)

## **Verse 6:**

Let not conscience  
Make you linger  
Nor of fitness fondly dream  
All the fitness He requires  
Is to feel your need of Him (Chorus)

# Praying with First Baptist Church

## A Prayer Guide for the week of May 28

### **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 25:4-5. 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>4</sup> *Make me to know your ways, O Lord; teach me your paths.*

<sup>5</sup> *Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation;"*

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 countries being ravaged by war, especially Ukraine and Sudan. Pray that God would bring a swift end to the wars 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 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:**

- Praise God for the new members recently brought into our church family; Laura Angevine, Michele Angevine-McLean, Franca Apimahkwao, Larissa Baker, Michael Baker, Jaden Messing, Cheyenne Schneider, Deborah Woodson, and Michael Woodson. Pray that God would unify us in Christ and opportunities for fellowship would abound (Rom. 15:5-6, Acts 2:42)
- 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 bring good spiritual fruit in the lives of our children and students through the Youth Summer Trip (June 19-23) and Vacation Bible School (June 26-30). (Gal 5:22-23)
- 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, Brenda Conner, Bob and Alice Copeland, Dolores Harman, Tyler Koch (military deployment), Manase Langi (military deployment), 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 28**

9:00 AM DiscipleLIFE classes  
10:00 AM Sunday Worship

### **Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day)**

### **Tuesday, May 30**

7:00 PM Elders Meeting

### **Wednesday, May 31**

6:30 PM Band Rehearsal

### **Thursday, June 1**

### **Friday, June 2**

### **Saturday, June 3**

### **Sunday, June 4**

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

## **Upcoming Events**

### **Wednesday, June 7**

6:30pm - Church Prayer Meeting

### **Sunday, June 11**

5:00pm - Church Picnic on the Front Lawn

### **June 19 - June 23**

Youth Group Summer Trip

### **June 26 - 30**

Vacation Bible School

### **Wednesday, July 5**

6:30pm - Church Prayer Meeting

# Announcements

**1. Lord's Supper Celebration — NEXT Sunday, June 4.** We plan to celebrate the Lord's Supper together when we gather for worship next Sunday. 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, please take the time to prayerfully do that before we gather next Sunday.

**2. Save the Date — Church Picnic on the Front Lawn—Sunday, June 11 at 5pm.** Join us for a picnic on the front lawn at 5pm on Sunday, July 10th. The church will provide pork BBQ and bottled water. You bring any picnic items you'd like for your family (side dishes, dessert, lawn chairs, blankets, games, etc). We're looking forward to a fun afternoon of fellowship together as a church family. Available to help with things like setup and cleanup? Please email Mike Rogers (mrogers@firstbaptistum.com).

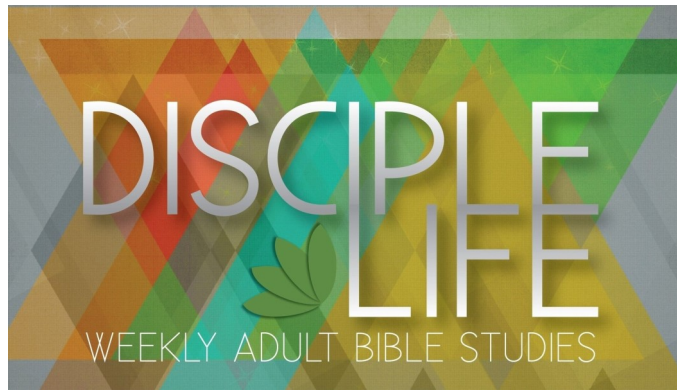
**3. Filming/Photography for New FBCUM Website.** Please be advised that photographers will be in the church building today to capture images for the updated website. If anyone wishes not to appear in images captured, please contact the church office and we will ensure you are not included (fbcum@firstbaptistum.com).

**4. Church Shed Clean Out.** It's time for a spring cleaning in the church shed. All ministry team leaders are encouraged to visit the shed by end of May to determine items you would like to secure. Please note, after June 1 any unclaimed or unwanted items will be disposed. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

**5. Glover Scholarship.** If you are a church member and a 2023 high school graduate attending 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.

**6. 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.





## **Summer 2023 (June - August) DiscipleLIFE Classes for adults:**

**SUMMER SESSION BEGINS SUNDAY, JUNE 4**

### **Class: Explore the Bible – Jeremiah and Lamentations**

God doesn't just want us to read His Word, He wants us to know it and live its truth. This summer, we'll see that the book of Jeremiah reveals God's heart toward a people intent on rejecting Him, while Lamentations underscores the pain caused by disobedience. Both were warning signs to the ancient world, and they continue to serve as God's Word to us today. Elective choices will resume in the Fall.

There are three different classes covering this material (books are available in the classroom):

- **Explore the Bible A (Coed) — Room 114**

**Teachers: Bill Lowry, Vince Butler, Darryl Arrington**

- **Explore the Bible B (Coed) — Room 117/118**

**Teachers: Tony Edwards, Dimitri Louis, Charles Kirkland**

- **Explore the Bible (Women) — Room 113**

**Teacher: Tanya Joy**

***\*\* DiscipleLIFE classes for all ages meet every Sunday morning at 9am. \*\****





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## SAVE THE DATE FOR VBS 2023!

**JUNE 26 - 30 :: 9AM-12:30PM**

**REGISTRATION OPENING SOON!**

If you're a church member interested in volunteering,  
please contact Pam Jensen or Shelbey Strickland.