

First Baptist Church



Making Connections that Make a Difference

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

October 21, 2018

11:00 AM

Opportunities for Service

Rev. Shannon Hall

Prelude

Immortal, Invisible

arr. Howell

*Call to Worship “*For where two or three are gathered together in My name,
there I am among them.*” Matthew 18:20

Surely the Presence with He Is Here

Isabel Chatman, soloist

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place;

I can feel His mighty power and His grace.

I can hear the brush of angels' wings,

I see glory on each face;

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

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Greeting the Worshippers and Invocation

Rev. Chris Howe

*Hymn of Praise 58

Like a River Glorious

WYE VALLEY

(Children come forward during the last stanza for Children's Message)

Children's Message

Mary Faucette

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 90:12

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Chris Howe

Prayer Response

I Love You, Lord

Choir and Congregation

I love You, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship You; Oh, my soul, rejoice!

Take joy, my King, in what You hear;

May it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear.

*Offertory Hymn 604 *Come, All Christians, Be Committed* BEACH SPRING

Offertory Prayer

Brian Faucette

Offertory *Be Still and Know with Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* arr. Tornquist

*Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Scripture

2 Timothy 4:1-5

page 1269 in pew bible

Sermon

Your Greatest Sermon

Rev. Chris Howe

*Hymn of Commitment

Let It Be Said of Us

arr. Greer

Let it be said of us that the Lord was our passion,
That with gladness we bore ev'ry cross we were given;
That we fought the good fight, that we finished the course
Knowing within us the power of the risen Lord.

Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song;

By mercy made holy, by the Spirit made strong.

Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song

'Til the likeness of Jesus be through us made known.

Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song.

Let it be said of us: we were marked by forgiveness,
We were known by our love and delighted in meekness;

We were ruled by His peace heeding unity's call,

Joined as one body that Christ would be seen by all. (chorus)

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*Benediction

Rev. Chris Howe

*Choral Response

Step by Step

Choir and Congregation

O God, You are my God, and I will ever praise You.

O God, You are my God, and I will ever praise You.

I will seek You in the morning, and I will learn to walk in Your ways;

And step by step You'll lead me,

And I will follow You all of my days.

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Postlude

Come, Thou Almighty King

arr. Howell

*Please stand as you are able

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We share the love of Christ through missions and ministry.

Church Calendar – October 21 through October 28, 2018

Sunday, October 21

9:30 am Sunday School, Open Assembly, Dixie Mann Room
11:00 am Worship Service
4:00 pm Worship Team
5:00 pm Celebration Choir
5:45 pm Spark
6:00 pm Handbell Choir

Tuesday, October 23

6:30 pm Starfish Food Box Ministry Packing, Backpack room

Wednesday, October 24

6:30 pm Midweek Bible Study/Prayer Service, Dixie Mann Room
7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Friday, October 26

6:00 pm Graham Pumpkin Bash, Court Square

Saturday, October 27

11:30 am Starfish Ministry, Team 4

Sunday, October 28

9:30 am Sunday School, Open Assembly, Dixie Mann Room
11:00 am Worship Service
4:00 pm Trunk or Treat
6:00 pm Deacons' Meeting

Week of October 21

Deacon of the Week

Sandra Arnette

Nursery Volunteers

Butch Farrell & Gwen Sharpe

Month of October

Greeters

Mike & Debbie Harden

Usher Captains

Jerome Naylor & Jerry Peterman

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Church Staff

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Rev. Shannon Hall, Associate Pastor of Music & Family Ministries

Ann Holt, Organist

Diann Clapp, Administrative Assistant