

Fírst Baptíst Church

A Place To Belong

# Worship Service for Sunday, September 15th, 2019

\*Indicates congregation is invited to stand as able

### We Gather as God's People

**Silent Prayer:** Loving Father, let your Holy Spirit direct us in all things and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.

Music for Gathering "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" (Wood) Mark Anderson

Opportunities for Life and Service

Kayely Rich

\*The Introit "Come People of the Risen King" (Getty and Townend)

Come, young and old from ev'ry land, men and women of the faith. Come, those with full or empty hands; find the riches of his grace. Over all the world his people sing; shore to shore we hear them call The truth that cries through ev'ry age: "Our God is all in all."

Rejoice, rejoice! Let ev'ry tongue rejoice! One heart, one voice! O church of Christ, rejoice! (repeat chorus)

\*Welcome and prayer

John Nelson

Leader: The Lord be with you. All: And also with you.

\*Welcoming One Another

## We Approach God

*Reflective Moment	"Holy Spirit"	(Getty and Townend)
Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made, Show your power once again on earth; Cause your church to hunger for your ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise, lead us on the road of sacrifice, That, in unity, the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see.		
Confession of Sin Assurance of Pardon		Richard Hovey
*Hymn of Praise "To God Be the Glory" #66 The children are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn before going downstairs for Godly Play and Oasis.		
Children's Blessing		Joel Russell-MacLean
Gift of Music		Sanctuary Choir
We Listen to God		
Scripture Reader		Annabel Robinson
Epistle Reading: Hosea 10.1-4, 12-15; 11.1-9		
Responsorial Reading: Psalm Leader: The Lord works vi	103 ndication and justice for all	who are oppressed.

- All: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- Leader: The Lord will not always accuse, nor will the Lord keep anger forever. The Lord does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.
- All: For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is the Lord's steadfast love toward those who fear him;

(Cont'd, see over)

- Leader: As far as the east is from the west, so far the Lord removes our transgressions from us. As a father has compassion for his children, so the Lord has compassion for those who fear the Lord.
- All: The steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear the Lord, to those who keep the Lord's covenant and remember to do the Lord's commandments.

\*Gloria Patri #623 Congregation Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

\*Gospel Reading: Luke 19.41-44 \*Hymn of Approach: "My Saviour's Love" #512 Gift of Music Narrow Gate Sermon "The God of the Old Testament" Joel Russell-MacLean

#### We Respond to God

\*Hymn of Response "I Know Whom I have Believed" #409

Prayers of the People Joel Russell-MacLean The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Our Gifts & Offerings

Narrow Gate

\*Response of Praise

"Praise the Lord"

Praise the Lord from whom all blessings flow, He has washed and made me white as snow. I'm redeemed from all my sin and shame. Now and forever, praise his holy name! Praise his holy name! Praise his holy name! To God be the glory now and forever, praise his holy name!

\*Benediction

Joel Russell-MacLean

Music for Departing "Toccata on Amazing Grace" (Pardini) Mark Anderson

Deacon on Duty

Anyone desiring prayer is invited to come to the front of the sanctuary on the right hand side. One of our deacons will be there to listen and to pray with you.

Kickoff BBQ downstairs following our worship service.

All are welcome!

## **Keeping in Touch**

We communicate each week in a number of ways. Contact the church to add or update your contact information.

1) Our website firstbaptistregina.ca doesn't just list upcoming events. You'll find background information, articles, and videos about Sunday's songs and scriptures, our Learning for Life classes, our Lebanese mission partnership, and much more.

2) Our Facebook page includes invitations to upcoming events and posts from the congregation.

3) A weekly email is sent out with upcoming events, notices of special events (such as funerals), and links to our website. We'll need your email if you wish to be included.

4) Register with "churchtrac" to access your giving record and update your contact information.

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