



First Baptist Church

A Place To Belong

Worship Service for Sunday, October 6th, 2019

**Indicates congregation is invited to stand as able*

We Gather as God's People

Silent Prayer: Father, creation waits for the day it will be set free from decay just as we wait patiently in hope for the redemption of our bodies. Strengthen our resolve with love for Jesus; fill us with goodness and self-control to end of our days. Amen.

Music for Gathering "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" (Thompson) Mark Anderson

Opportunities for Life and Service

Richard Hovey

*The Introit "We Have Come to Join in Worship" (Tune: *Hyfrydol* #61)

**We have come to join in worship and adore the Lord our God.
Let us come in prayer, expecting God to speak his mighty Word.
All is vain unless the Spirit of the Holy One comes down.
Christians pray, and holy manna will be showered all around.
Be his hand, and touch the needy; be his gospel, let it sound!
Be his body, and sweet manna will be showered all around.**

*Welcome and prayer

Kayely Rich

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Welcoming One Another

We Approach God

*Hymn of Praise

“Praise to the Lord”

#8

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

Derrick Bellows

Old Testament Reading: Amos 9.7-15

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Responsorial Reading: Psalm 69

Leader: It is zeal for your house that has consumed me; the insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.

Choir: They gave me poison for food, and for my thirst they gave me vinegar to drink.

All: I am lowly and in pain; let your salvation, O God, protect me.

Leader: I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify God with thanksgiving.

Choir: Let the oppressed see it and be glad; you who seek God, let your hearts revive.

All: Let heaven and earth praise God, the seas and everything that moves in them.

Leader: I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify God with thanksgiving.

Choir: For God will save Zion and rebuild the cities of Judah; and God’s servants shall live there and possess it;

All: The children of God’s servants shall inherit it, and those who love God’s name shall live in it.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

*Gospel Reading: Mark 10.28-31

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Sermon

“Rebuild the Ruined Cities”

Joel Russell-MacLean

We Celebrate

*Hymn of Approach

“Wonderful Words of Life”

#270

*Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ God’s only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Call to Supper and Prayer

Joel Russell-MacLean

The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

(Cont’d, see over)

Minister: It is right and good, always and everywhere to give thanks to you Lord, Holy Father, Creator of heaven and earth... We praise you, joining the angels of heaven, all our sisters and brothers around the world, and the faithful departed ..., saying:

All: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of power and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is Jesus who came and will come again in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Prayers of the People

Merv Hepting

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.

The Words of Consecration

Minister: Lord Jesus Christ, you came to set us free from sin, death and the devil. With love, we offer ourselves to you, fully and completely, as living sacrifices, as we proclaim the good news:

All: Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!

Minister: Come Holy Spirit, be with us as we take this bread and wine as genuine symbols of the body and blood of Jesus. Unite us to Jesus and bring us, in the end, with all the faithful, to resurrection and everlasting life. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray. Amen.

Prayer for the Bread

Silent prayer and reflection

Prayer for the Wine

Choral Prayer

“While We Are Waiting, Come”

#242

**While we are waiting come; while we are waiting come.
Jesus, our Lord, Emmanuel, while we are waiting come.**

We Respond to God

*Hymn of Response "Victory in Jesus" #473

Our Gifts & Offerings "Let Us Break Bread Together" (Johnson) Mark Anderson

*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 "Praise to the Lord" (Gesangbuch) Mark Anderson

Deacon on Duty Collin Carbno

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.

IVCF is looking for:

- 2 frozen turkeys for a campus Thanksgiving dinner
- Lunches provided for a November student leaders retreat, November 25-29th.

If you can help, please speak with Marilyn Phillips.

Open Door Flu Clinic, First Baptist Church

Tuesday October 22, 9 -11:30, 1 - 3:30, elevator door.

Open to everyone. Bring your health card.

We are also looking for six volunteers to welcome people and to provide a place for children while they wait. This is a rewarding opportunity to bless newcomers to Canada. Please If you can help, please speak with Joel.

Mino-maawanji'itiwag: Coming Together in a Good Way **November 8th and 9th, at Living Hope Alliance Church**

First Baptist Regina is once again helping to sponsor two days of meaningful talks with Indigenous Christian leaders from across Canada.

Come hear what God is doing among Indigenous Christians and in the church as we move forward together in a good way. Everyone is welcome.

Main Speaker: Ray Aldred

Workshop presenters: Terry Leblanc, Casey Church, Sheri Russell, James Thunder, Jodi Spargur, and Steve Heinrichs

Registration Starts: 8:00 am

\$75 per person, includes lunch and refreshments on both days

For more information speak with Pastor Joel or Diane Campeau

To register or for more information visit:
iemergence.org/mino-maawanjiitiwag/

Lower Hall Major Painting Project

7th October to 23rd October

We have secured the services of Rob Sentis' company for the first stage of the painting projects at our church. Preparations will begin Monday the 7th.

We apologize for any inconvenience caused during this improvement. We will communicate with everyone who uses the lower hall during the week to keep people up to date on progress. All spaces will be open and available on Sundays.

We are using zero VOC (volatile organic compounds) paint. The area will be well ventilated during painting but if there are any concerns please talk with Rob Stafford or one of our pastors.

Organ Scholarships

The Board has approved offering organ scholarships to qualified applicants from inside and outside of the church. This has been made possible thanks to the generosity of Ruth Nelson and Walter Ellis.

The goals are:

- To encourage and develop musicians in general and organists specifically;
- To increase among musicians familiarity with, and knowledge of, church music and church worship services;
- To seek and draw out both musicians within the church as well as musicians with no previous experience of Christianity;
- To provide financial support while learning, as well as rewarding experiences playing during worship services and other music events.

There are a number of criteria for applicants including having grade 7 or 8 piano and good sight reading ability. An audition will be required. Please share this opportunity with anyone you know who may be interested.

For more information, speak with Pastor John or Brenda Ziolkowski.

New to First Baptist this year? Have you moved recently?

We communicate each week in a number of ways. Talk with one of the Pastors today 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.



Erica Grimm

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