

First Baptist Church

A Place To Belong



Worship Service for Sunday, July 5, 2020 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

We Gather as God's People

Silent Prayer: Almighty God, lead us with your presence always to be the people you desire us to be while separate and together, while scattered and gathered. Amen.

Music for Gathering

“The Feast”

Keith and Kristyn Getty

Performed by FBC Congregation/Choir

“All Hail the Power”

Barry Anderson

(In memory of Barry Anderson, Winnipeg organist, high school teacher and friend)

Congregational Life and Ministry

Norma Holtslander

Call to Worship and Invocation

Chris Senger

Leader: Welcome in the name of the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit.

The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

We Approach God

Hymn of Praise

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

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Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;

Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,

Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;

Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,

Which wert and art and ever more shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see;
Only thou art holy - there is none beside thee,
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

We Listen to God

Scripture Reader

Brenda Ziolkowski

Response

Gordon Kerfoot

OT Reading: Exodus 40:16-38

Responsorial Reading: Psalm 27:1-4

Leader: The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

ALL: When evildoers assail me to devour my flesh - my adversaries and foes - they shall stumble and fall.

Leader: Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war rise up against me, yet I will be confident.

ALL: One thing I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after: to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in his temple.

Glory be 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: Matthew 28:16-20

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

“Minding His Presence”

Richard Hovey

We Celebrate

Hymn of Preparation “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

O soul, are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There’s light for a look at the Saviour,
And life more abundant and free.

Refrain

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in his wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of his glory and grace.

Through death into life everlasting
He passed, and we follow him there;
O’er us sin no more hath dominion
For more than conqu’rors we are!

Refrain

His Word shall not fail you, he promised;
Believe him and all will be well;
Then go to a world that is dying,
His perfect salvation to tell!

Refrain

Apostles’ Creed

Richard Hovey

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 the Supper

Richard Hovey

Confession

Assurance of Pardon

The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

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

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

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

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

Hilary Ryan

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.

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!**

Gifts and Offerings

Richard Hovey

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.

Communion

Richard Hovey

We Respond to God

Hymn for Departing

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

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**Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand;
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,
Feed me till I want no more.**

**Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through;
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield,
Be thou still my strength and shield.**

**When I tread the verge of Jordan, but my anxious fears subside;
Bear me thro' the swelling current, land me safe on Canaan's side;
Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.**

Benediction

Richard Hovey

Music for Departing

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Barry Anderson

(In memory of Barry Anderson, Knox United Church, Winnipeg)

Breakout Rooms Following the Service

Following the service this morning you will be invited to take part in a breakout room on Zoom. This is a chance to visit with a smaller group of people. Feel no obligation to stay but all are invited.