

First Baptist Church

A Place To Belong

Worship Service for Sunday, August 21, 2022

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

We Gather as God's People

Silent Prayer: Lord God, as we gather to worship you here today, help us to delight in your presence. Show us how to live moment by moment so that our joy may be in you, not only as we gather for worship but throughout each activity of our week. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.

Music for Gathering

"Sonata in A minor (2nd movement)"

Grace Liu

(Mozart)

Opportunities for Life and Service

Kayely Rich

*The Introit

"Come Christians Join to Sing"

#108

Come Christians join to sing: Alleluia! Amen!

Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!

Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;

Praise is his gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!

Call to Worship and Prayer

Kayely Rich

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

with you.

All: And also with you.

Welcoming One Another

^{*}Please stand as you are able whether you are participating at home or in the sanctuary.

We Approach God

*Hymn of Praise

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

#96

The children are invited to come forward during the singing of this song.

All hail the power of Jesus' name!

Let angels prostrate fall, let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him,

Crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,
Ye ransomed from the fall, ye ransomed from the fall;
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him,
Crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestrial ball, on this terrestrial ball;
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him,
Crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng
We at his feet may fall, we at his feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him,
Crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all.

Children's Blessing Kayely Rich

Gift of Music "Just a Closer Walk With Thee" Narrow Gate*

(Arr. Jack Sailor and Narrow Gate)

Confession of Sin Chris Senger

Assurance of Pardon

^{*}Jack Sailor, Kevin Rich, and Daryl McKinnon

We Listen to God

*Hymn of Praise

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us" (Stuart Townend)

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure, That he should give his only Son to make a wretch his treasure. How great the pain of searing loss – the Father turns his face away, As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon his shoulders; Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers. It was my sin that held him there until it was accomplished; His dying breath has brought me life – I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no power, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, his death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from his reward? I cannot give an answer;
But this I know with all my heart – his wounds have paid my ransom.

Scripture Reader Debby Nelson

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 58:9b-14

Responsorial Lesson: Psalm 103:1-8

Leader: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name.

All: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits—

Leader: Who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases,

All: Who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love

and mercy,

Leader: Who satisfies you with good as long as you live so that your youth is renewed

like the eagle's.

All: The LORD works vindication and justice for all who are oppressed.

Leader: He made known his ways to Moses, his acts to the people of Israel.

All: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

*Gloria Patri #623

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 Lesson: Luke 13:10-17

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "The Lord Will Guide You" Mark Doerksen

(CBWC Regional Minister)

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze:

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin.

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! 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, forever and ever. Amen.

Gift of Music

"Long Black Train"
(Words & Music: Josh Turner; Arr. Narrow Gate)

Narrow Gate

Here are the words for those who would like to follow along:

There's a long black train coming down the line, feeding off the souls that are lost and cryin' Rails of sin only evil remains. Watch out brother for that long black train.

Look to the heavens you can look to the sky. You can find redemption staring back into your eyes. There is protection and there's peace the same, burning your ticket for that long black train.

'Cause there's vict'ry in the Lord I say, vict'ry in the Lord.

Cling to the Father and his holy name, and don't go riding on that long black train.

There's an engineer on that long black train, making you wonder if the ride is worth the pain. He's just a waiting on your heart to say: Let me ride on that long black train.

But you know there's vict'ry in the Lord I say, vict'ry in the Lord.

Cling to the Father and his holy name, and don't go riding on that long black train.

Well I can hear the whistle from a mile away. It sounds so good but I must stay away. That train is a beauty making everybody stare, but its only destination is the middle of nowhere.

But you know there's vict'ry in the Lord I say, vict'ry in the Lord.

Cling to the Father and his holy name, and don't go riding on that long black train.

I said cling to the Father and his holy name, and don't go riding on that long black train. Yeah watch out brother for that long black train. That devil's a driving that long black train.

We Depart to Serve God

*Hymn for Departing

"Give Thanks"

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his Son. (2x)

And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am rich," Because of what the Lord has done for us. (2x)
Give thanks, give thanks.

*Benediction Mark Doerksen

Music for Departing "Are You Washed in the Blood/I'll Fly Away" Narrow Gate (Arr. Narrow Gate)

For those who would like to follow along, the words are printed on page 8.

This is Grace Liu's last Sunday with us. Thank you Grace, for stepping in to fill the role of pianist for us these last two months. Thank you for sharing your musical talents with us and for doing so with a willing spirit, always ready to provide whatever was needed. May God richly bless you as you move to Ottawa to continue your studies at the University of Ottawa.

For those of you on Zoom, after the Music for Departing, a few smaller breakout groups will be formed. There is no obligation to stay if you need to be going. If you wish to take part, simply remain on Zoom to be invited to a group and hear how others are doing.

"Are You Washed in the Blood/I'll Fly Away" Lyrics

Have you been to Jesus for the cleansing power?
Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?
Are you fully trusting in his grace this hour?
Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Are you washed in the blood?
In the soul cleansing blood of the Lamb?
Are your garments spotless, are they white as snow?
Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Are you walking daily by the Saviour's side? Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb? Do you rest each moment in the crucified? Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Are you washed in the blood?
In the soul cleansing blood of the Lamb?
Are your garments spotless, are they white as snow?
Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?

Some glad morning when this life is over, I'll fly away. To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away.

I'll fly away, oh, glory, I'll fly away. When I die, hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away. To a land where joy shall never end, I'll fly away.

I'll fly away, oh, glory, I'll fly away.
When I die, hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.
Yeah, when I die, hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.