



First Baptist Church

Worship Service for Sunday, June 30th, 2024

6th Sunday in Pentecost

Welcome! Young children are welcome in the service or in our staffed nursery.

The collection is taken at the doorways as you enter the sanctuary.

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

We Gather as God's People

Silent Prayer: Almighty God, ruler in heaven and on earth, may we and our governments acknowledge your authority, seek to know your will, and by your Spirit, live it out daily. In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Music for Gathering

Grace Liu

Opportunities for Life and Service

Joel Russell-MacLean

*National Anthem

"O Canada"

O Canada! Our home and native land!

True patriot love, in all of us command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise, the true north strong and free.

From far and wide, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

God keep our land, glorious and free!

O Canada we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada we stand on guard for thee.

Morning Chimes

Oluseye Popoola

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness,
And all these things shall be added unto you— Allelu, Alleluia!**

**Ask, and it shall be given unto you, seek, and ye shall find.
Knock, and the door shall be opened unto you— Allelu, Alleluia!**

Call to Worship
Prayer

Joel Russell-MacLean

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

We Approach God

*Hymns of Praise

“Crown Him With Many Crowns”

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

**Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne.
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless king through all eternity.**

**Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side—
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified;
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends their burning eye at mysteries so bright.**

**Crown him the Lord of life, who triumphed o’er the grave,
Who rose victorious to the strife for those he came to save;
His glories now we sing who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.**

**Crown him the Lord of heav’n: One with the Father known,
One with the Spirit through him given from yonder glorious throne.
To thee be endless praise for thou for us hast died;
Be thou, O Lord, through endless days adored and magnified.**

Children’s Blessing

Cheryl Johnston

Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon

Cheryl Johnston

We Listen to God

*Hymn of Approach

“His Mercy Is More”

By Keith & Kristyn Getty

(Refrain:)

**Praise the Lord, his mercy is more
Stronger than darkness, new every morn
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more**

**What love could remember no wrongs we have done?
Omniscient, all knowing, he counts not their sum.
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore:
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more. *(Refrain)***

**What patience would wait as we constantly roam?
What Father, so tender, is calling us home?
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor:
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more. *(Refrain)***

**What riches of kindness he lavished on us!
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost.
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford:
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more. *(Refrain)***

**I heard an old, old story, how a Saviour came from glory,
How he gave his life on Calvary to save a wretch like me;
I heard about his groaning, of his precious blood's atoning,
Then I repented of my sins and won the victory.**

Refrain:

**O victory in Jesus, my Saviour, forever.
He sought me and bought me with his redeeming blood;
He loved me ere I knew him and all my love is due him,
He plunged me to victory, beneath the cleansing flood.**

**I heard about his healing, of his cleansing pow'r revealing.
How he made the lame to walk again and caused the blind to see;
And then I cried, "Dear Jesus, come and heal my broken spirit,"
And somehow Jesus came and bro't to me the victory. *(Refrain)***

**I heard about a mansion he has built for me in glory.
And I heard about the streets of gold beyond the crystal sea;
About the angels singing, and the old redemption story,
And some sweet day I'll sing up there the song of victory. *(Refrain)***

Old Testament Lesson: 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

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Responsorial Lesson: Psalm 130

Leader: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.

All: Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

Leader: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

All: But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in the Lord's word I hope;

All: My soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning.

Leader: O Jacob, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with the Lord is great power to redeem.

All: It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities. It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O Most High;

*Gloria Patri

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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: The Gospel According to Mark 10:35-45

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Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Leading in Submission"

Joel Russell-MacLean

We Respond to God

*Hymn of Response “Hear the Call of the Kingdom”
(Stuart Townend, Keith & Kristyn Getty)

**Hear the call of the kingdom, lift your eyes to the King.
Let his song rise within you as a fragrant offering
Of how God, rich in mercy, came in Christ to redeem
All who trust in his unfailing grace.**

(Refrain:)

**King of heaven, we will answer the call;
we will follow, bringing hope to the world,
Filled with passion, filled with power to proclaim
salvation in Jesus’ name.**

**Hear the call of the Kingdom to be children of light,
With the mercy of heaven, the humility of Christ;
Walking justly before him, loving all that is right;
That the life of Christ may shine through us. *(Refrain)***

**Hear the call of the Kingdom to reach out to the lost;
With the Father’s compassion, in the wonder of the cross.
Bringing peace and forgiveness, and a hope yet to come.
Let the nations put their trust in him. *(Refrain)***

Prayers of the People

Cheryl Johnston

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.

Our Gifts and Offerings

Cheryl Johnston

