

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

January 31, 2021

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany
Communion
January 31, 2021

Morning Worship

Eleven o' clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski, Piano
Tis' So Sweet to Trust in Jesus arr. Linda McKechnie
(with *Clair de Lune* by Claude Debussy)

*** Hymn of Praise, No. 198**

At the Name of Jesus
(Please see page 4.)

WYE VALLEY (abridged)

Responsive Prayer

Congregation

Leader: Humbly in your sight we come together, Lord.

People: Grant us now the blessing of your presence here.

Leader: Our hearts, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. Purify our love to make it like your own.

Leader: Our eyes, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. May we always see your world as with your sight.

Leader: Our hands, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. Give them strength and skill to do our work for you.

Leader: Our feet, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. May we walk along the path of life with you.

Leader: Our tongues, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. May we speak your healing words of life and truth.

Leader: Our ears, are yours;

People: we give them to you, Lord. Open them to hear your words of truth and guidance.

Leader: Our whole selves are yours;

People: we give to you our all, Lord. Take us now and keep us yours forevermore.

All: Amen.

Song Response	<i>Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying</i>	Ken Medema
	Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place; Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace.	
Pastoral Prayer		Dr. Brown
Worship Through Song		Congregation
	<i>The Lord's Prayer</i> (Please see page 6.)	
Scripture Reading	James 1:1-27	Dr. Brown
Sermon	Believing...Praying...Doing!	Dr. Brown
* Commitment Hymn, No. 210		GORDON
	<i>My Jesus, I Love Thee</i>	
Communion		
* Benediction		Dr. Brown
* Benediction Response	<i>Blest Be the Tie</i>	DENNIS
	Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.	
Postlude		Mrs. Slomanski Charles Gounod
	<i>Marche Romaine</i>	



The flowers are given to the glory of God.

During the worship service all church facility doors, except for the sanctuary foyer center doors, will be locked. Should you need assistance an usher will be available in the foyer.

Today's Responsive Prayer is adapted from *The Worshipping Church, a Hymnal*, Hope Publishing Co., Carol Stream, IL, 1990.

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At the Name of Jesus

At the name of Jesus every knee should bow — Philippians 2:10 NIV

1. At the name of Je - sus, Ev - 'ry knee shall bow,
 2. Hum - bled for a sea - son, To re - ceive a name
 3. In your hearts en - throne Him; There let Him sub - due
 4. Watch, for this Lord Je - sus Shall re - turn a - gain,

Ev - 'ry tongue con - fess Him King of glo - ry now;
 From the lips of sin - ners Un - to whom He came,
 All that is not ho - ly, All that is not true;
 With His Fa - ther's glo - ry O'er the earth to reign;

'Tis the Fa - ther's plea - sure We should call Him Lord,
 Faith - ful - ly He bore it, Spot - less to the last,
 Crown Him as your cap - tain In temp - ta - tion's hour;
 For the day is com - ing When each knee shall bow,

Who from the be - gin - ning Was the might - y Word.
 Brought it back vic - to - rious When from death He passed.
 Let His will en - fold you In its light and pow'r.
 So let hearts con - fess Him King of glo - ry now.

WORDS: Caroline M. Noel, 1817-1877; alt.

MUSIC: James Mountain, 1844-1933

WYE VALLEY (abridged)

6.5.6.5.D.

This tune in a lower key, No. 611.
 Alternate tune KING'S WESTON, No. 396.

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My Jesus, I Love Thee

Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee — John 21:15 KJV

1. My Je - sus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine;
 2. I love Thee be - cause Thou hast first lov - ed me,
 3. I'll love Thee in life, I will love Thee in death,
 4. In man - sions of glo - ry and end - less de - light,

For Thee, all the fol - lies of sin I re - sign;
 And pur - chased my par - don on Cal - va - ry's tree;
 And praise Thee as long as Thou lend - est me breath;
 I'll ev - er a - dore Thee in heav - en so bright;

My gra - cious Re - deem - er, my Sav - ior art Thou;
 I love Thee for wear - ing the thorns on Thy brow;
 And say, when the death dew lies cold on my brow;
 And sing - ing Thy prais - es, be - fore Thee I'll bow;

If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
 If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
 If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
 If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.

WORDS: William R. Featherston, 1846-1873
 MUSIC: Adoniram J. Gordon, 1836-1895

GORDON
 11.11.11.11.

632 The Lord's Prayer

This then is how you should pray . . . Mt. 6:9

Unison

Our Fa - ther, which art in heav - en,

hal - low - ed be thy name. Thy king - dom

come, thy will be done on earth as it is in

heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly bread, and for -

WORDS: Matthew 6:9-13, KJV
MUSIC: Albert Hay Malotte, 1935; arr. Donald P. Hustad, 1984
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MALOTTE
Irregular

give us our debts, as we for-give our debt - ors. (may be omitted)

And lead us not in-to temp-ta - tion but de - liv - er us from

e - vil: for thine is the king - dom, and the pow - er,

and the glo - ry, for - ev - er,

A - men. A - men.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

11:00 a.m. **Sunday, January 31**
Communion During Morning Worship

Deacons of the Week

1/31 Coburn Powell / Brad Johnson
2/07 Tricia Sanderson / Haywood Corbett
2/14 Lauren Cole / Donna Prince
2/21 Genie Carter / Peggy Underwood



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