

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

October 30, 2022

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost
October 30, 2022

Morning Worship

Eleven o'clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

This Is My Father's World

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski
arr. Diane Bish

*** Hymn of Praise, No. 8**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

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Responsive Reading

Isaiah 43:1-7

Congregation

Leader: But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel:

People: **Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine.**

Leader: When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you.

People: **For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you,**

Leader: I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth—

People: **everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."**

*** Offertory Hymn, No. 495**

How Firm a Foundation

FOUNDATION

*** Offertory Prayer**

Mrs. Jan Hinson

Offertory

More Love to Thee, O Christ

Mrs. Slomanski
arr. Albin Whitworth

*** Offertory Response**

Doxology

OLD 100TH (altered)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

We invite children to come forward for the Children's Sermon at the conclusion of the *Doxology*.
Afterward, children under the age of seven are welcome to attend Children's Church, or they
may return to their seat and worship with the congregation.

Children's Sermon		Dr. Brown
Pastoral Prayer		Dr. Brown
Worship through Song		Rev. Eddie Fort FINLANDIA
	<i>Be Still My Soul</i>	
Scripture Reading	Matthew 10:16-42; Romans 8:28-39	Dr. Brown
Sermon	Fear Not!	Dr. Brown
* Hymn of Commitment, No. 64		GOD CARES
	<i>God Will Take Care of You</i>	
Benediction		Dr. Brown
Postlude		Mrs. Slomanski Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
	<i>Alleluia</i>	



The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Graham Carter by Kate C. Lee.

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A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

God is our refuge and strength — Psalm 46:1 KJV

1. A might - y for - tress is our God, A bul - wark nev - er
 2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, Our striv - ing would be
 3. And tho' this world, with dev - ils filled, Should threat - en to un -
 4. That word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, No thanks to them, a -

fail - ing; Our help - er He, a - mid the flood
 los - ing; Were not the right Man on our side,
 do us, We will not fear, for God hath willed
 bid - eth; The Spir - it and the gifts are ours

Of mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing: For still our an - cient foe
 The Man of God's own choos - ing: Dost ask who that may be?
 His truth to tri - umph thro' us: The Prince of Dark - ness grim,
 Thro' Him who with us sid - eth: Let goods and kin - dred go,

Doth seek to work us woe; His craft and pow'r are great,
 Christ Je - sus, it is He; Lord Sa - ba - oth, His name,
 We trem - ble not for him; His rage we can en - dure,
 This mor - tal life al - so; The bod - y they may kill:

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How Firm a Foundation

The word of God ... liveth and abideth for ever — 1 Peter 1:23 KJV

1. How firm a foun - da - tion, ye saints of the Lord,
 2. "Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dis - mayed,
 3. "When thro' fi - ery tri - als thy path - way shall lie,
 4. "The soul that on Je - sus hath leaned for re - pose

Is laid for your faith in His ex - cel - lent Word!
 For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;
 My grace, all - suf - fi - cient, shall be thy sup - ply;
 I will not, I will not de - sert to his foes;

What more can He say than to you He hath said,
 I'll strength - en thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,
 The flame shall not hurt thee; I on - ly de - sign
 That soul, tho' all hell should en - deav - or to shake,

To you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?
 Up - held by My righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.
 Thy dross to con - sume, and thy gold to re - fine.
 I'll nev - er, no, nev - er, no, nev - er for - sake!"

WORDS: John Rippon's *Selection of Hymns*, 1787
 MUSIC: Joseph Funk's *Genuine Church Music*, 1832

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God Will Take Care of You

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you — 1 Peter 5:7 NIV

1. Be not dis-mayed what-e'er be-tide, God will take care of you;
 2. Thro' days of toil when heart doth fail, God will take care of you;
 3. No mat-ter what may be the test, God will take care of you;

Be - neath His wings of love a - bide, God will take care of you.
 When dan - gers fierce your path as - sail, God will take care of you.
 Lean, wea - ry one, up - on His breast, God will take care of you.

God will take care of you, Through ev - 'ry day, o'er all the way;

He will take care of you, God will take care of you.

WORDS: Civilla D. Martin, 1869-1948
 MUSIC: W. Stillman Martin, 1862-1935

GOD CARES
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UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, October 30

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
3:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, November 2

6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Thursday, November 3

6:00 p.m. Bible Study coordinated by Willis & Sue Pinnell and
Robert & Kris Clyburn

Saturday, November 5

9:15 a.m. FBC Float in the Pecan Harvest Festival

Homecoming Sunday, November 6

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with Pulpit Guest
Dr. Kendell Cameron
3:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Monday, November 7

4:00 p.m. Children's Music Activity

Wednesday, November 9

6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Saturday, November 12

9:15 a.m. FBC Float in Whiteville's First Annual
Veteran's Day Parade

Sunday, November 13

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
3:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal



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Deacons of the Week

10/30	Tricia Sanderson / Ella Jo Sellers
11/06	Merle Worley / Hilda Ray
11/13	Genie Carter / Peggy Underwood
11/20	Willis Pinnell / Glenn Waters