

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

October 4, 2020

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 4, 2020

Morning Worship

Eleven o' clock

* Please stand as you are able

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski, piano

Blessed Assurance

arr. Marilyn Ham

(In the setting of Rachmaninoff's *Rhapsody* on a Theme of Paganini)

* **Hymn of Praise, No. 11**

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My God, How Wonderful You Are
(Please see page 4.)

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 85

Rev. Eddie Fort

Hymn Response

If My People's Hearts Are Humbled
(Please see page 5.)

BEECHER

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Brown

Worship Through Song

Chancel Choir Ensemble

Make Room Within My Heart, O God

music, Eddie Fort

Make room within my heart, O God
That You may form in me
The image You have shown in Christ,
My very life to be.
Inspire my thought, O Lofty One,
To reach the highest plane,
That I may know the mind of Christ,
And Him as greatest gain.

Direct my will, O King of kings,
Subject it to Your own,
That ev'ry impulse, action, word,
May make Your kingdom known.
Effect my prayer, great Trinity,
Eternal Three in One;
Combine each part of me to praise
The Father, Spirit, Son.

New Testament Reading

II Chronicles 7:11-22

Dr. Brown

“If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.”

Sermon

A Prescription for Revival

Dr. Brown

* **Hymn No. 297**

Search Me, O God
(Stanzas 1, 2 and 4)
(Please see page 6.)

ELLERS

Benediction

Dr. Brown

Postlude

Alleluia!

Mrs. Slomanski
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart



The flowers are given to the glory of God by Dewey and Muriel Hill.

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.

My God, How Wonderful You Are 11

O great and powerful God ... mighty are your deeds — Jeremiah 32:18-19 NIV



1. My God, how won - der - ful You are, Your maj - es - ty, how bright;
2. How won - der - ful, how beau - ti - ful, The sight of You must be;
3. O how I fear You, liv - ing God, With deep and ten - der fear;
4. Yet, I may love You, too, O Lord, Al - might - y as You are;



How beau - ti - ful Your mer - cy seat, In depths of burn - ing light!
Your end - less wis - dom, bound - less pow'r, And glo - rious pu - ri - ty!
And wor - ship You with trem - bling hope, And pen - i - ten - tial tears!
For You have stooped to ask of me The love of my poor heart!



WORDS: Frederick W. Faber, 1814-1863

MUSIC: Carl G. Gläser, 1784-1829; arr. Lowell Mason, 1792-1872

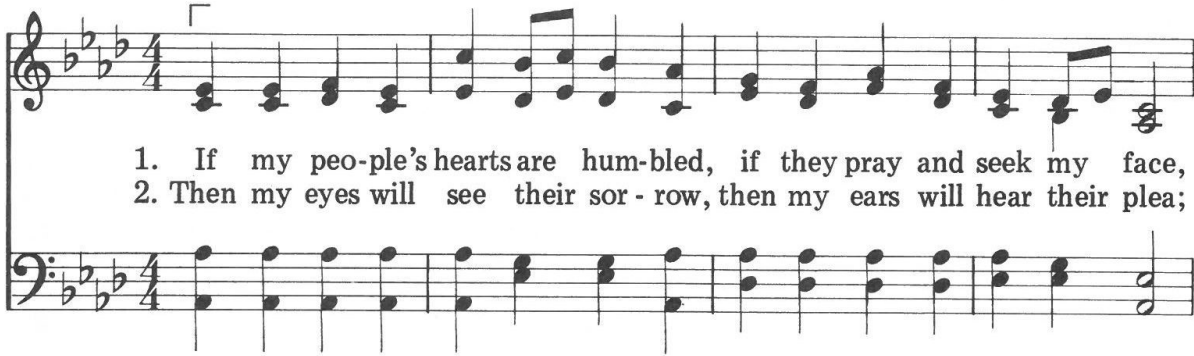
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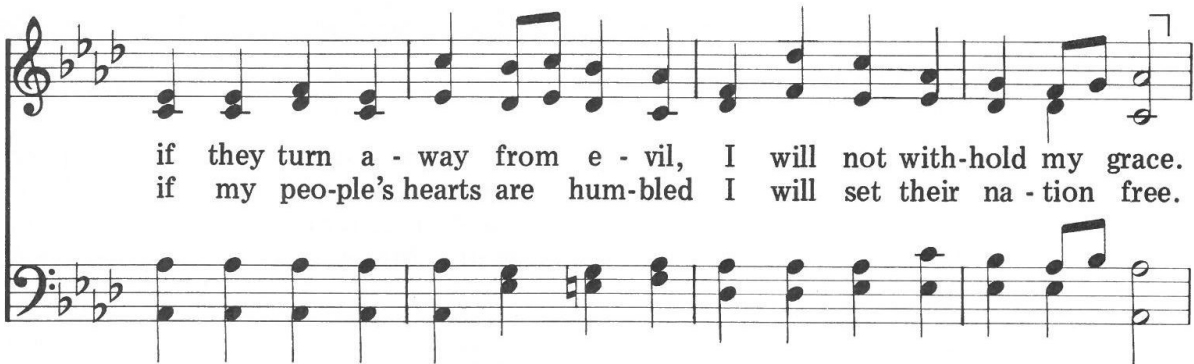
This tune in a lower key, No. 268; in a higher key, No. 216.

719 If My People's Hearts Are Humbled

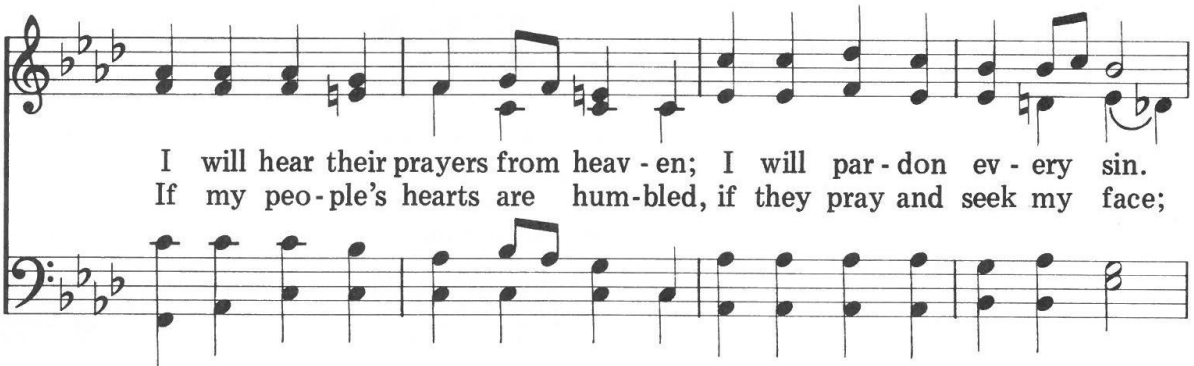
If my people . . . will humble themselves and pray . . . then I will hear from heaven. 2 Chr. 7:14



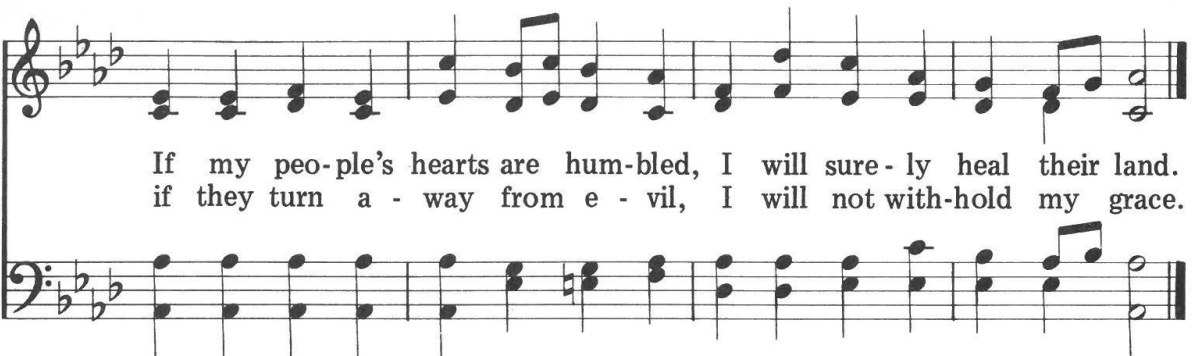
1. If my peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, if they pray and seek my face,
2. Then my eyes will see their sor - row, then my ears will hear their plea;



if they turn a - way from e - vil, I will not with-hold my grace.
if my peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled I will set their na - tion free.



I will hear their prayers from heav - en; I will par - don ev - ery sin.
If my peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, if they pray and seek my face;



If my peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, I will sure - ly heal their land.
if they turn a - way from e - vil, I will not with-hold my grace.

WORDS: Claire Cloninger, 1986; based on 2 Chronicles 7:14
MUSIC: John Zundel, 1870
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Search Me, O God

Search me, O God, and know my heart — Psalm 139:23 KJV

1. Search me, O God, and know my heart to - day; Try me, O
 2. I praise You, Lord, for cleans - ing me from sin; Ful - fill Your
 3. Lord, take my life, for I would live for You; Fill my poor
 4. O Ho - ly Spir - it, re - viv - al comes from You; Send a re -

Sav - ior, know my thoughts, I pray. See if there be some wick - ed
 Word and make me pure with - in. Fill me with fire where once I
 heart with Your great love so true. Take all my will, my pas - sion,
 viv - al, my own heart re - new. Your Word de - clares You will sup -

way in me; Cleanse me from ev - 'ry sin and set me free.
 burned with shame; Grant my de - sire to mag - ni - fy Your name.
 self, and pride; I now sur - ren - der; Lord, in me a - bide.
 ply our need; For bless - ings now, O Lord, I hum - bly plead.

WORDS: J. Edwin Orr, 1912-1987
 MUSIC: Edward J. Hopkins, 1818-1901

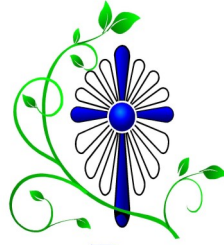
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OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

- 11:00 a.m. **Sunday, October 4**
Morning Worship
- 1:30 p.m. **Monday, October 5**
Staff Meeting
- 11:00 a.m. **Wednesday, October 7**
Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Looking Ahead

- 10:00 a.m. **Sunday, October 4 & 18**
Sunday School in the fellowship hall with
Teacher: Myrtle Corbett
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- 6:00 p.m. **Wednesday, October 14**
Prayer Meeting in the fellowship hall led by
Dr. Brown
- 5:30 p.m.-
6:30 p.m. **Wednesday, October 21**
Drive through meal with chicken bog, slaw,
green beans, bread, and pumpkin pie
- 8:30 a.m.-
12:30 p.m. **Saturday, October 24**
Deacon Retreat and Planning Session
In the fellowship hall (breakfast provided)
- 11:00 a.m. **Sunday, October 25**
Morning Worship and Deacon Ordination for
Genie Carter, Peggy Underwood, and Ron
Walters during the morning
- 10/04 **Deacons of the Week**
Coburn Powell / Brad Johnson



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