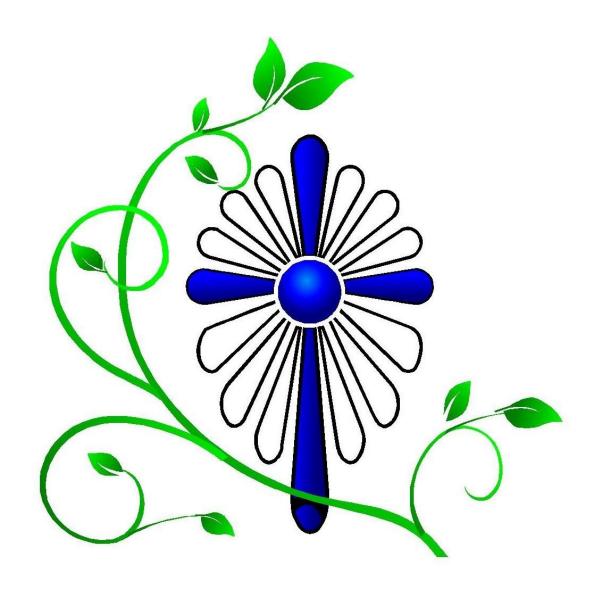
First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

February 28, 2021

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Second Sunday in Lent February 28, 2021

Morning Worship

Eleven o' clock

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski arr. Linda McKechnie

Jesus, Lover of My Soul (incorporating Pachelbel's Canon in D)

Lenten Psalm Psalm 22:23-31 Congregation

Leader: You who fear the LORD, praise him! All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him;

stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!

People: For he did not despise or abhor the affliction of the afflicted; he did

not hide his face from me, but heard when I cried to him.

Leader: From you comes my praise in the great congregation; my vows I will pay

before those who fear him.

People: The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise

the LORD. May your hearts live forever!

Leader: All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD; and all

the families of the nations shall worship before him.

People: For dominion belongs to the LORD, and he rules over the nations.

Leader: To him, indeed, shall all who sleep in the earth bow down; before him

shall bow all who go down to the dust, and shall live for him.

People: Posterity will serve him; future generations will be told about the Lord,

and proclaim his deliverance to a people yet unborn, saying that he has

done it.

Hymn of Praise, No. 176 Fairest Lord Jesus CRUSADERS' HYMN

(Please see page 4.)

Mrs. Myrtle Corbett

Mrs. Mary Jean Prince

Hymn Response, No. 583 O Zion, Haste TIDINGS

(Please see page 5.)

Pastoral Prayer Dr. Brown

Worship Through Song Chancel Choir

The Gift of Love (1 Corinthians 13:1-13)

Hal Hopson

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 12:27-31 Dr. Brown

1 Corinthians 13:1-13 John 3:16

Sermon Love Is the Greatest Gift of All! Dr. Brown

* Commitment Hymn, No. 473 MORE LOVE TO THEE

> More Love to Thee, O Christ (Please see page 6.)

* Benediction Dr. Brown

Doxology * Benediction Response **HAMBURG**

> 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.

Postlude Mrs. Slomanski Allegro George Frideric Handel

arr. Diane Bish

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The flowers are given to the glory of God and in sympathy with the following families by Barbara Whitson and family:

Marie Sellers and family in the passing of her nephew, David Reavis; the family of Clint Grainger in the passing of his sister, Wanda Strickland; the family of J.C. Lennon in the event of his passing; the family of Jan Hinson in the passing of her husband, Danny; the family of Janice Young in the passing of her husband, Bob; the family of Harold Pate in the event of his passing; the family of Tanya Clark in the passing of her father. Doug Skipper: the family of Michael Memory in the passing of his wife. Janice: the family of Mike Cole in the passing of his sister, Susan Cole Nixon; the family of John Worthington in the event of his passing; the Myrtle Corbett family in the passing of her nephew;

the family of George Holt in the event of his passing.

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 fover.

Fairest Lord Jesus

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WORDS: Anonymous German Hymn, Münster Gesangbuch, 1677;

CRUSADERS' HYMN (ST. ELIZABETH)

st. 1-3, tr. source unknown; st. 4, Joseph Augustus Seiss, 1823-1904 MUSIC: Schlesische Volkslieder, 1842; arr. Richard Storrs Willis, 1819-1900

Irregular

583 O Zion, Haste O Zion, that bringest good tidings, ... lift up thy voice — Isaiah 40:9 KJV 1. O mis - sion high ful - fill - ing, To tell to thou-sands still are ly - ing Bound in the peo - ple, tongue, and na - tion That God, in bear the mes - sage glo-rious; Give of thy Zi - on, haste, thy 2. Be - hold how man - y 3. Pro - claim to ev - 'ry 4. Give of thy sons to the world that God is Light; That He who made all na-tions sin, With none to tell them of the dark - some pris - on - house of whom they live and move, is Love: Tell wealth to speed them on their way; Pour how He stoop'd to save His out thy soul them in One soul should per - ish, Or of the life He And died on earth that will - ing in shades of night. not lost Sav - ior's dy - ing, lost cre - a - tion, Sav - ior's died for them to win. we might live a - bove. pray'r vic - to - rious; And all thou spend - est Je - sus will re - pay. 0 Pub lish glad tid ings, tid ings of peace,

WORDS: Mary Ann Thomson, 1834-1923 MUSIC: James Walch, 1837-1901

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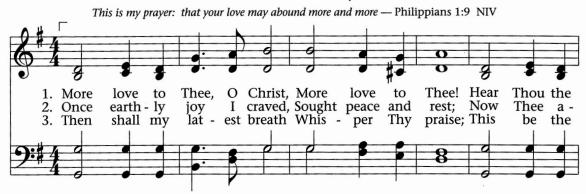
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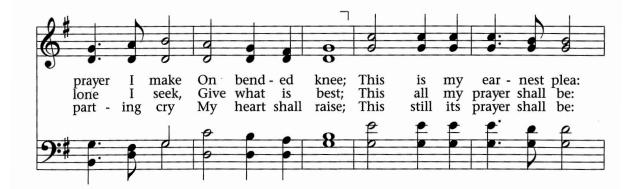
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More Love to Thee, O Christ

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WORDS: Elizabeth Prentiss, 1818-1878 MUSIC: William H. Doane, 1832-1915 MORE LOVE TO THEE Irregular

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, February 28 Morning Worship

11:00 a.m.

LOOKING AHEAD		
10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunday, March 7 Sunday School in the fellowship hall with Mr. Willis Pinnell teaching Morning Worship including the dedication of Amelia Powell Matthews	
6:30 p.m.	Wednesday, March 10 Prayer Meeting in the fellowship hall	
2:00 a.m.	Sunday, March 14 Daylight Saving Time Begins	
9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Monday, March 15 Finance Meeting WMU Meeting	
6:30 p.m.	<u>Tuesday, March 16</u> Deacons Meeting	
5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Wednesday, March 17 Drive-through meal provided by Cooking groups 7 & 8	
10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunday, March 21 Sunday School in the fellowship hall with Mr. Willis Pinnell teaching Morning Worship Community Band Concert following the morning worship	
11:00 a.m.	Palm Sunday, March 28 Morning Worship featuring "Christ in the Passover" presented by Mrs. Joy Brown	
7:00 p.m.	Maundy Thursday, April 1 Celebration of the Lord's Supper and Tenebrae: A Service of Shadows	
10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Resurrection Sunday, April 4 Sunday School in the fellowship hall Morning Worship Celebration	



Whiteville, NC

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Deacons of the Week

2/28	David Carter / Charlie Duncan
3/07	Joe Hooks / Mary Alice Stanley
3/14	Chris Blackmon / John Sauls
3/21	Coburn Powell / Brad Johnson