

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

March 5, 2023

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Second Sunday in Lent

March 5, 2023

Morning Worship

Eleven o'clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

Nearer, My God, To Thee

Dr. Patricia Slomanski
arr. Diane Bish

Invocation and The Lord's Prayer

* **Hymn of Praise, No. 16**

O Worship the King

LYONS

Call to Worship

John 1:1-13

Congregation

Leader: In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

People: He was in the beginning with God.

Leader: All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being

People: in him was life, and the life was the light of all people.

Leader: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

People: There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.

Leader: He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him.

People: He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light.

Leader: The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.

People: He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him.

Leader: He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him.

All: But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God.

* **Offertory Hymn, No. 616**

Trust, Try and Prove Me

GIVING

* **Offertory Prayer**

Offertory

Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart

Dr. 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 heavenly 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

Mrs. Donna Prince

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Brown

Worship Through Song

Choir

A Praise Medley

Scripture Reading

Amos 7:10-17; John 1:14-51

Sermon

The Cost of Discipleship

Dr. Brown

*** Hymn of Celebration and Commitment, No. 273**

Freely, Freely

Congregation
FREELY FREELY

Benediction

Dr. Brown

*** Postlude**

Rondeau

Dr. Slomanski
arr. Diane Bish



The flowers today are given to the glory of God.

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O Worship the King

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O Lord ... thou art very great — Psalm 104:1 KJV

1. O wor-ship the King, all glo-rious a-bove, And grate-ful-ly
 2. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the
 3. Thy boun-ti-ful care what tongue can re-cite? It breathes in the
 4. Frail chil-dren of dust, and fee-ble as frail, In Thee do we

sing His won-der-ful love; Our Shield and De-fend-er, the
 light, whose can-o-py space! His char-iots of wrath the deep
 air, it shines in the light, It streams from the hills, it de-
 trust, nor find Thee to fail: Thy mer-cies how ten-der, how

An-cient of Days, Pa-vil-ioned in splen-dor, and gird-ed with praise.
 thun-der-clouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
 scends to the plain, And sweet-ly dis-tills in the dew and the rain.
 firm to the end, Our Mak-er, De-fend-er, Re-deem-er, and Friend.

WORDS: Robert Grant, 1779-1838

MUSIC: Attr. Johann Michael Haydn, 1737-1806, in William Gardiner's *Sacred Melodies*, 1815

This tune in lower keys, Nos. 589, 631.

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UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

- Sunday, March 5**
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- Monday, March 6**
6:00 p.m. Bible Study led by the Clyburns
and the Pinnells
- Wednesday, March 8**
12:00 noon Lenten Service at the Whiteville
United Methodist Church with
Rev. Joe Washburn and lunch
to follow
6:30 p.m. Called Church Conference
- Sunday, March 12**
2:00 a.m. Spring Ahead—Daylight Saving Time
Begins
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with guest
musicians Louanne and Jamie
Tippins of Murrells Inlet, South
Carolina.
- Monday, March 13**
6:00 p.m. Bible Study led by the Clyburns
and the Pinnells
- Wednesday, March 15**
12:00 noon Lenten Service at the Whiteville
United Methodist Church with
Dalton Dockery and lunch
to follow
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
- Deacons of the Week**
3/05 Stephen Prince / Betty Jo Prevatte
3/12 Kate C. Lee / John Sauls
3/19 Janice Young / Mel Ray
3/26 Ron Walters / Betty Jo Prevatte



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