

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

May 9, 2021

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

May 9, 2021

Morning Worship

Eleven O'clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski

Call to Worship

Psalm 98

Congregation

Leader: O Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things.

People: His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

Leader: The LORD has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.

People: He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.

Leader: All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of God.

People: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

Leader: Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

People: With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD.

Leader: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in it.

People: Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming to judge the earth.

All: He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

* **Hymn of Praise, No. 27**

LASST UNS ERFREUN

All Creatures of Our God and King

(Stanzas 1, 2, 3 and 5)

(Please see this hymn on page 4.)

Recognition of Mothers

Parent and Child Dedication

Holden Jax Cook
Magnolia Gray Cook
Parents: Gray and Brittany Cook

Harper Maelynn Haynes
Parents: Lauren Lynn & Dalton Haynes

Kimball Shields Lee
Parents: Chad and Kate Lee

Avery Gray Wayne
William Stetson Wayne
Parents: Justin & Haley Wayne

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| Hymn No. 507 | <i>Would You Bless Our Homes and Families</i> (Please see this hymn on page 5.) | NETTLETON |
| Pastoral Prayer | | Dr. Brown |
| Worship Through Song | <i>His Eye Is on the Sparrow</i> | Bryce Kronenwetter arr. Cindy Berry |
| Scripture Reading | Ephesians 4:32 Proverbs 31:10-31 1 Corinthians 13:13 | Dr. Brown |
| Sermon | Mothers Are Like That! Yes, They Are! | Dr. Brown |
| * Hymn of Commitment, No. 489 | <i>Lord, I Want to Be a Christian</i> (Please see this hymn on page 6.) | I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN |
| * Benediction | | Dr. Brown |
| * Postlude | | Mrs. Slomanski |



The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Willard & Opal Huggins and Frank & Nellie Norosky by their family.

We thank Bryce Kronenwetter for leading our worship music today.

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27 All Creatures of Our God and King

Make a joyful noise unto God — Psalm 66:1 KJV

Unison

1. All crea- tures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us
 2. Thou rush- ing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heav'n a -
 3. And all ye men of ten- der heart, For - giv - ing oth- ers, take your
 4. Let all things their Cre- at - or bless, And wor- ship Him in hum- ble-
 5. Praise God, from whom all bless- ings flow; Praise Him, all crea- tures here be -

sing Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing sun with gold - en
 long, O praise Him! Al - le - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing morn, in praise re -
 part, O sing ye! Al - le - lu - ia! Ye who long pain and sor - row
 ness, O praise Him! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the Fa - ther, praise the
 low; O praise Him! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise Him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly

beam, Thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam!
 joice, Ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice!
 bear, Praise God and on Him cast your care! O praise Him, O
 Son, And praise the Spir - it, Three in One!
 host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

praise Him! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

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507 Would You Bless Our Homes and Families

Blessed are all who fear the LORD — Psalm 128:1 NIV



1. Would You bless our homes and fam-'lies, Source of life who calls us here;
2. When our way is un-de-mand-ing, Let us use the time that's ours
3. From the homes in which we're nur-tured, With the love that shapes us there,
4. Let us reach be-yond the boun-d'ries Of our dai-ly tho't and care



In our world of stress and ten-sion Teach us love that con-que-ers fear.
To de-light in sim-ple plea-sures, Shar-ing joys in gen-tle hours.
Teach us, God, to claim as fam-'ly Ev-'ry one whose life we share.
'Til the fam-'ly You have cho-sen Spills its love out ev-'ry-where.



Help us learn to love each oth-er With a love that con-stant stays;
When our way is anx-ious walk-ing And a heav-y path we plod,
And thro' all that life may of-fer, May we in Your love re-main;
Help us learn to love each oth-er With a love that con-stant stays;



Teach us when we face our trou-bles, Love's ex-pressed in man-y ways.
Teach us trust in one an-oth-er And in You, our gra-cious God.
May the love we share in fam-'lies Be a-live to praise Your name.
Teach us when we face our trou-bles, Love's ex-pressed in man-y ways.



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NETTLETON
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489 Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

If you confess ... and believe ... you will be saved — Romans 10:9 NIV

1. Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian In my heart, in my heart,
2. Lord, I want to be more lov - ing In my heart, in my heart,
3. Lord, I want to be more ho - ly In my heart, in my heart,
4. Lord, I want to be like Je - sus In my heart, in my heart,

Lord, I want to be a Chris - tian In my heart.
Lord, I want to be more lov - ing In my heart.
Lord, I want to be more ho - ly In my heart.
Lord, I want to be like Je - sus In my heart.

In my heart, In my heart, In my heart,
In my heart,

Lord, I want to be a Chris - tian In my heart.
Lord, I want to be more lov - ing In my heart.
Lord, I want to be more ho - ly In my heart.
Lord, I want to be like Je - sus In my heart.

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Frederick J. Work, 1879-1942

MUSIC: Negro Spiritual; adapt. Frederick J. Work, 1879-1942

I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN
Irregular

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 9

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Monday, May 10

10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday, May 12

4:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, May 16

10:00 a.m. Sunday School in the fellowship hall with
Rev. Wallyce Todd teaching

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Monday, May 17

9:30 a.m. Finance Meeting

Tuesday, May 18

6:30 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

Sunday, May 23

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with pulpit guest—
Rev. Ricky Creech, Boys and Girls Homes
of North Carolina

Deacons of the Week

5/09 Coburn Powell / Brad Johnson
5/16 Tricia Sanderson / Haywood Corbett
5/23 Lauren Cole / Donna Prince
5/30 Genie Carter / Peggy Underwood

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