

First Baptist Church



Reflecting God's Hope For a New Day

May 10, 2026

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
Mother's Day
May 10, 2026

Morning Worship

Eleven o'clock

*She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come.
She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue.*

Proverbs 31:25-26 NIV

Prelude

This Is My Father's World

Mrs. Pat Slomanski
arr. Diane Bish

Greeting and Announcements

Dr. Christopher Hillman

Invocation

Dr. Hillman

Hymn of Praise, No. 27

*All Creatures of Our God and King
Make a joyful noise unto God. Psalm 66:1 KJV*

Congregation

Responsive Reading

from Proverbs 31

Congregation

Leader: A wife of noble character who can find?

People: She is worth far more than rubies.

Leader: Her husband has full confidence in her and lacks nothing of value.

People: She brings him good, not harm all the days of her life.

Leader: She selects wool and flax and works with eager hands.

People: She is like the merchant ships, bringing the food from afar. She gets up while it is still night; she provides food for her family.

Leader: She considers a field and buys it; out of her earnings she plants a vineyard. She sets about her work vigorously; her arms are strong for her tasks.

People: She opens her arms to the poor and extends her hands to the needy.

Leader: When it snows, she has no fear for her household; for all of them are clothed in scarlet.

All: WE WILL HONOR HER FOR ALL THAT HER HANDS HAVE DONE, AND LET HER WORKS BRING HER PRAISE AT THE CITY GATE!

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Dr. Fred Senter

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 66:11-14

Mr. John Sauls

Offertory Hymn, No. 44

For the Beauty of the Earth

Giving thanks always for all things unto God. Ephesians 5:20 KJV

Congregation

Offertory Prayer

Mrs. Carolyn Grainger

Offertory

As the deer panteth for the water
So my soul longeth after You.
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship You.
You alone are my strength, my shield;
To You alone may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship You.

As the Deer
(with the Swan)

You're my friend and You are my brother,
Even though You are a king.
I love You more than any other,
So much more than anything.
You alone are my strength, my shield;
To You alone may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship You.

Mrs. Slomanski
arr. Linda McKechnie

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavn'ly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Congregation

Children's Sermon

Mrs. Donna Prince

Epistle Reading

2 Timothy 1:3-9

Mrs. Gina Morningstar

Worship Through Song

God Give Us Christian Homes

The Chancel Choir

Scripture Reading

2 Samuel:1-10

Dr. Hillman

Sermon

"The Faith of a Praying Mother"

Dr. Hillman

Hymn of Invitation, No. 307

Just As I Am

Congregation

Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. Psalm 51:2 NIV

Benediction

Dr. Hillman

Postlude

Psalm 19

Mrs. Slomanski
arr. Benedetti Marcello

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*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and
in memory of Willard and Opal Huggins on their anniversary, May 10, 1936,
and in celebration of Mother's Day, by Peggy Norosky.*

ALERT:

- Operation Inasmuch needs -
 - Quarters for Laundromat Ministry
 - Small vases for Children's Ministry
 - Workers, both men and women, for CPR Ministry

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

- Sunday, May 10**
 - 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 - 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- Monday, May 11**
 - 10:00 a.m. WMU meeting
 - 6:00 p.m. Book Study
- Wednesday, May 13**
 - 10:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayer Service
 - 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Prayer Service
- Saturday, May 16**
 - Operation Inasmuch

LOOKING AHEAD

- Sunday, May 17, 24, 31**
 - 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 - 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- Monday, May 18, 25**
 - 6:00 p.m. Book Study
- Wednesday, May 20, 27**
 - 10:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayer Service
 - 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service



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Deacons of the Week

- 05/10 Gina Morningstar
- 05/17 Donna Prince / Charlie Duncan
- 05/24 Mary Alice Stanley / Keith Beverley
- 05/31 Carolyn Grainger / Kirby Sanderson