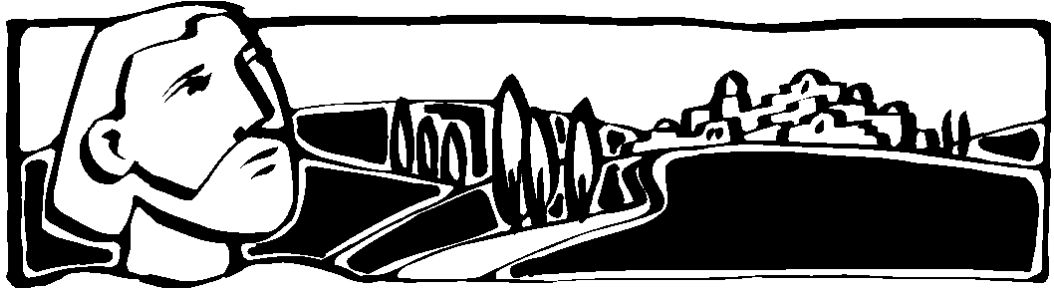


FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Fifth
Sunday
in Lent



March 21, 2021

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Adagio, Violin Concerto in E Major
Gabriele Thielmann, violin
Matt Vriend, cello

J.S Bach

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

INTROIT

O Lord Have Mercy
Daniel & Frances Thielmann

Felix Mendelssohn

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#96 O For a Thousand Tongues

AZMON

N.C. $\frac{G}{B}$ G D G D7 Em D G $\frac{D7}{F\#}$ G D

1 O for a thou-sand tongues to sing my great Re-deem-er's praise,
 2 My gra-cious Mas-ter and my God, as-sist me to pro-claim,
 3 Je-sus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sor-rows cease,
 4 He breaks the power of can-celled sin, he sets the pris-oner free;
 5 To God all glo-ry, praise, and love be now and ev-er given

D G $\frac{G}{B}$ C $\frac{G}{D}$ D7 G

the glo-ries of my God and King, the tri-umphs of his grace!
 to spread thro' all the earth a-broad the hon-ors of your name.
 'tis mu-sic in the sin-ner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.
 his blood can make the foul-est clean, his blood a-vailed for me.
 by saints be-low and saints a-bove, the Church in earth and heaven.

WORDS: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.
 MUSIC: Carl G. Gläser (1784-1829); arr. Lowell Mason (1792-1872)

AZMON
 C.M.

***INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy Name,
 thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
 and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Compassionate Lord, forgive us
when we falter on this Lenten pathway,
when the road ahead seems uncertain
and we are afraid.
We find that following Jesus is not an easy task.
We hesitate and hold back in response
to your invitation to commit our whole lives to you.
Draw us back to you, Lord.
Call us away from our shame and guilt
toward your mercy and grace.
Renew our spirit
that we may follow where you lead.
Cleanse our thoughts and intentions
so that we can live undivided lives.
We trust your word,
that we will receive mercy and grace
when we confess our weakness to you.
(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

#375 Lord, Have Mercy (Sing 3x)

J.M Talbot

Unison

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have

mercy, Lord, have mercy.

WORDS and MUSIC: John Michael Talbot (20th c.)

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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

FIRST TESTAMENT READING

Psalms 51:1-17

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

ANTHEM

For the Mountains Shall Depart

Felix Mendelssohn

LITANY (Psalm 130)

One: Out of the depths we cry to you, O Lord.

Many: Lord, hear our voices,

let your ears be attentive to our cries for mercy

One: If you, O Lord, kept a record of our sins,
who could stand?

**Many: With you there is forgiveness,
we worship your holy name.**

One: We wait for you Lord, our souls wait,
and in your word we put our hope.

**Many: We put our hope in your unfailing love, Lord,
in you there is full redemption.**

All: You will redeem us from all our sins.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

#385 Search Me, O God

ELLERS

G G/B D7sus A D7 A Am7 D7 A G

1 Search me, O God, and know my heart to - day; try me, O
2 I praise thee, Lord, for cleans - ing me from sin; ful - fill thy
3 Lord, take my life and make it whol - ly thine; fill my poor

Em A7 G/A A7 D G/B D7 A Am G D7 F#

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 thy great love di - vine. Take all my will, my pas - sion,

$\frac{Bm}{D}$ D7 G Em $\frac{Am7}{C}$ C D7 D9 D7 G

way in me; cleanse me from ev - ery sin and set me free.
 burned with shame; grant my de - sire to mag - ni - fy thy name.
 self, and pride; I now sur - ren - der, Lord—in me a - bide.

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

ELLERS
 10.10.10.10.

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN OF MEDITATION

#61 There's a Eideness in God's Mercy

WELLELEY

Bb $\frac{F7sus}{C}$ $\frac{F7}{C}$ $\frac{F7}{A}$ F7 $Bb2$ Bb Eb $\frac{Bb}{D}$ $\frac{F7}{C}$ Bb G7 C C7 F

1 There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy like the wide-ness of the sea;
 2 There is wel-come for the sin-ner and more grac-es for the good;
 3 For the love of God is broad-er than the meas-ure of our mind;
 4 If our love were but more sim-ple, we would take him at his word,

F7 Bb $\frac{F7}{A}$ F7 Bb Gm $\frac{Eb m}{Gb}$ $\frac{Bb}{F}$ $\frac{D}{F\#}$ Gm Eb Fsus F F7 Bb

there's a kind-ness in his jus-tice which is more than lib-er - ty.
 there is mer-cy with the Sav-ior; there is heal - ing in his blood.
 and the heart of the E - ter - nal is most won - der - ful - ly kind.
 and our lives would be il - lu-mined by the pres - ence of our Lord.

WORDS: Frederick W. Faber (1814-1863)
 MUSIC: Lizzie S. Tourjée (1858-1913)

WELLESLEY
 8.7.8.7.

SECOND TESTAMENT READING

Hebrews 4:12-16

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

SERMON

Andrew Taylor

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Cello Suite No.1

J.S Bach

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessing flow;
Praise him all creature here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise father, son, and holy ghost. Amen.

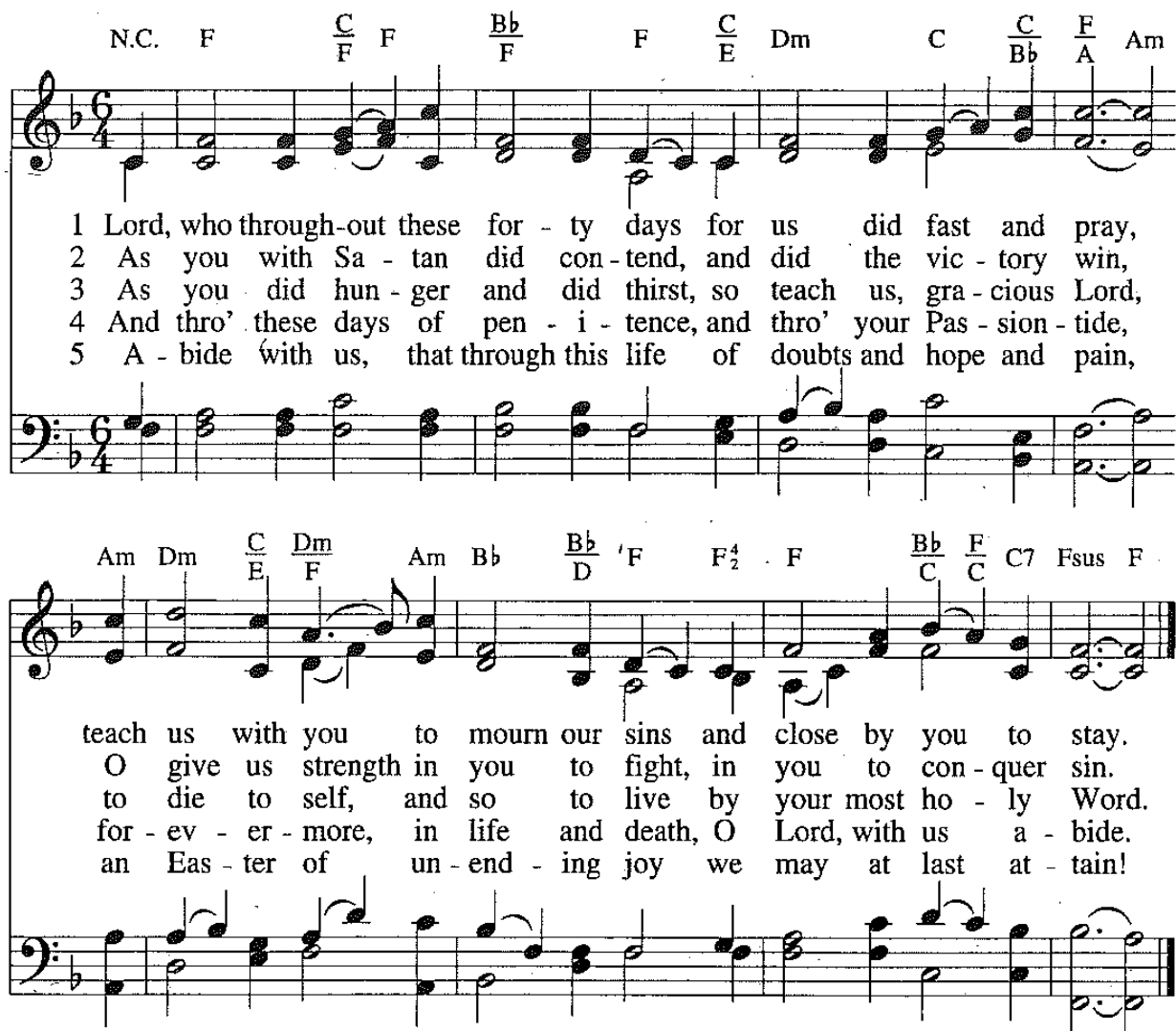
*Prayer of Gratitude

*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

#252 Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

LAND OF REST

N.C. F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{Bb}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{E}$ Dm C $\frac{C}{Bb}$ $\frac{F}{A}$ Am



1 Lord, who through-out these for - ty days for us did fast and pray,
2 As you with Sa - tan did con - tend, and did the vic - tory win,
3 As you did hun - ger and did thirst, so teach us, gra - cious Lord,
4 And thro' these days of pen - i - tence, and thro' your Pas - sion - tide,
5 A - bid with us, that through this life of doubts and hope and pain,

Am Dm $\frac{C}{E}$ $\frac{Dm}{F}$ Am Bb $\frac{Bb}{D}$ 'F F₂ F $\frac{Bb}{C}$ $\frac{F}{C}$ C7 F_{sus} F

teach us with you to mourn our sins and close by you to stay.
O give us strength in you to fight, in you to con - quer sin.
to die to self, and so to live by your most ho - ly Word.
for - ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bid.
an Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy we may at last at - tain!

WORDS: Claudia F. Hernaman (1838-1898), alt.

MUSIC: American melody, adapt.; harm. Annabel Morris Buchanan (1889-1983)

LAND OF REST

C.M.

***THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

***Benediction**

Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus

Sigismund von Birken

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week

***POSTLUDE**

Largo, Violin Sonata in Bb Major

Antonio Vivaldi

*Please stand, as you are able

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Writing -Lynsey Taylor; Reading - Ryan Keay;

Choral Voices - Rose Merke, Kathy Devos, Ron Richey, Noman Hill,
Daniel & Frances Thielmann;

Guest Musician - Gabriele & Matt Thielmann-Vriend;

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams

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(starts at approx. **12:25 pm**)

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