

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Seeking the peace and well-being of the city

September 4, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Thirteenth
Sunday after
Pentecost



PRELUDE

Hymn Medley

arr. N. Olanday

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

INTROIT

Jesus Loves Me

arr. N. Olanday

CALL TO WORSHIP

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

#66 To God Be the Glory

TO GOD BE THE GLORY

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

1 To God be the glo - ry, great things he hath done; so loved he the
2 O per - fect re - demp-tion, the pur-chase of blood, to ev - ery be -
3 Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done, and great our re -

G A $\frac{A7}{C\#}$ D D7 G D7 G $\frac{G}{B}$

world that he gave us his Son, who yield - ed his life an a -
 liev - er the prom - ise of God; the vil - est of - fend - er who
 joic - ing through Je - sus the Son; but pur - er, and high - er and

D G G7 C $\frac{Am}{C}$ $\frac{G}{D}$ D $\frac{G}{D}$ D7 G

tone - ment for sin, and o - pened the life - gate that all may go in.
 tru - ly be - lieves, that mo - ment from Je - sus a par - don re - ceives.
 great - er will be our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.

Refrain
 G $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{D}{A}$ G D D7

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the

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

Lord, let the peo - ple re - joice! O come to the Fa - ther through

D G G7 C $\frac{Am}{C}$ $\frac{G}{D}$ D $\frac{G}{D}$ D7 G

Je - sus the Son, and give him the glo - ry, great things he hath done.

WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby (1820-1915)
 MUSIC: William H. Doane (1832-1915)

TO GOD BE THE GLORY
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***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

God of grace and mercy,
 forgive us, we pray.
 Forgive the ways that we offer lies
 instead of truth.
 Forgive the ways we hold back
 from sharing because we are scared
 that there is not enough.
 Forgive the times that we ignore your call
 because we are just too busy.
 God of grace and mercy,
 give us ears to hear your call,
 hearts to heed your call,
 and feet to follow you...
 (Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

OFFERING OF MUSIC IN WORSHIP

I Know Who Holds Tomorrow

I. Stanphill/arr. N. Olanday

FIRST TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 16:5-11

Page 547, 1st half of NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

#653 I Will Call Upon the Lord

M. O'Shields

(Echo, 2nd time only)

I will call up-on the Lord

Unison
I will call up-on the Lord who is wor-thy to be

who is wor-thy to be praised; so shall I be

praised; so shall I be saved from my en - e - mies.

C F/C C/G F/G 1 C F/G

saved from my en - e - mies. I will call up-on the

I will call up-on the Lord.

2 C F/G C F C/E

Lord. The Lord liv-eth and bless-ed be the Rock, and let the God

F C/E C G

of my sal - va - tion be ex - alt - ed. The

C F C/E

Lord liv - eth and bless - ed be the Rock, and let the God

of my sal - va - tion be ex - alt - ed. The

alt - ed.

WORDS and MUSIC: Michael O'Shields (1948-); para. Psalm 18
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SECOND READING

Acts 13:1-3, 30-33a, 38-39, 42-43, 52

Pages 137-139, 2nd half of NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: **"Thanks be to God"**

SERMON "Confirmed and Commissioned"

Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato

***HYMN OF APPROACH**

#694 Come, Let Us Eat

A VA DE

Unison F Gm7 F Dm Bb

1 Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread;
 2 Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured;
 3 In his pres-ence now we meet and rest,
 4 Rise, then, to spread a-broad God's might - y Word;

F A Bb maj7 C9 Bb F Gm7

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F A Bb Gm Bb Dm Gm7 Bb

Our Lord's bod - y let us take to - geth - er,
 Je - sus' blood poured let us drink to - geth - er,
 In the pres - ence of our Lord we gath - er,
 Je - sus ris - en will bring in the king - dom,

F A Bb C Bb D F

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GATHERING AT THE TABLE

***The Passing of the Peace**

***Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried;

he descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from there he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic* Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

**catholic means the church universal or the church for all time*

The Bread

The Cup

All who seek God and the presence of Christ are welcome to participate

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Nearer, Still Nearer

arr. N. Olanday

***Doxology**

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.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

#710 The Trees of the Field

S.G. Rubin

Unison

Em B7 Em B7 Em B7 Em $\frac{D7}{F\#}$

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace; the

G $\frac{C}{G}$ G $\frac{D}{F\#}$ D $\frac{B}{D\#}$ N.C. Em B7 Em

mountains and the hills will break forth before you; there'll be shouts of joy,

Em B7 Em B7 Em $\frac{B}{F\#}$ $\frac{Am}{F\#}$ $\frac{Em}{B}$ B7 Em

and all the trees of the field will clap, will clap their hands.

D7 N.C. G $\frac{C}{G}$ G D

And all the trees of the field will clap their hands, the

D D7 G D7 G C/G G

trees of the field will clap their hands, the trees of the field will

D B/F# Am/F# Em/B B7 Em

clap their hands while you go out with joy.

WORDS: Steffi Geiser Rubin (1950-); para. Isaiah 55:12
 MUSIC: Stuart Dauermann (1944-)
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***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**

He Leadeth Me

arr. N. Olanday

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

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

***POSTLUDE**

He Lives

Love Lifted Me

arr. N. Olanday

****Please stand, as you are able.***

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Guest Pianist/Tenor - Nathan Olanday;

Reader - Sandra Beckman;

Preparation of Communion - Barb Falk, Leslie Henderson, Sheila and Harvey Hiller;

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams.