

MORNING WORSHIP

☩ Sunday, September 17, 2023

Prelude "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" **Harmon**

Call to Worship "God Is Our Refuge" **Pote**

***Hymn 3** "Holy, Holy, Holy!" **Dykes**

Welcome to Worship **Robby Barrett**
(Visitors are invited to come to the Welcome Center following the service)

Scripture and Prayer **Trevor Brown**

Chorus "Living Hope" **Wickham/Martin**
(Children come to the front to meet with the pastor.)

*How great the chasm that lay between us;
How high the mountain I could not climb.
In desperation, I turned to heaven and spoke Your name into the night.*

*Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul.
The work is finished; the end is written. Jesus Christ, my living hope.*

Hallelujah! Praise the One who set me free.
Hallelujah! Death has lost its grip on me.
You have broken every chain, there's salvation in Your name.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Pastor's Pals **Pastor**

Chorus "Living Hope" **Wickham/Martin**

*Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of Ages stepped down from glory to wear my sin and bear my shame.*

*The cross has spoken; I am forgiven.
The King of kings calls me His own.
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever. Jesus Christ, my living hope.*

CHORUS

*Then came the morning that sealed the promise;
Your buried body began to breathe. Out of the silence the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me. Jesus, Yours is the victory!*

CHORUS

Hymn 486 "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy" **Walker**

Prayer of Confession

*Congregation standing
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Chorus "My Worth Is Not in What I Own" **Getty**

*My worth is not in what I own, not in the strength of flesh and bone,
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross.*

*My worth is not in skill or name, in win or lose, in pride or shame,
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross.*

**I rejoice in my Redeemer, Greatest Treasure, Wellspring of my soul.
I will trust in Him, no other; my soul is satisfied in Him alone.**

*As summer flowers, we fade and die. Fame, youth, and beauty hurry by,
But life eternal calls to us at the cross.*

*I will not boast in wealth or might or human wisdom's fleeting light,
But I will boast in knowing Christ at the cross.*

CHORUS

*Two wonders here that I confess: my worth and my unworthiness.
My value fixed, my ransom paid at the cross.*

CHORUS

***Hymn 343** "Amazing Grace" **Newton/Tomlin**
(My Chains Are Gone)

*My chains are gone, I've been set free; my God, my Savior, has ransomed me.
And like a flood, His mercy reigns, unending love, amazing grace.*

***Prayer of Stewardship** **8:30 a.m. -- John Smith**
11:00 a.m. -- Shannon Gillespie

Offertory "Grace" **Story**
Rebecca Bulla, soloist

Sermon "Free Fall" **Pastor**
*Genesis 3:1-6
(Pew Bible page 3)*

***Invitation Hymn 344** "Grace Greater than Our Sin" **Towner**

Ministries of the Church Family **Robby Barrett**

Family Dedication -- 11:00 a.m.
Spencer Reese Barrera, daughter of Kyle and Alex Barrera

Choral Prayer 470 "The Blessing Song" **Fettke**

Recognition of Public Decisions

Benediction **Pastor**

Postlude "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" **Longhurst**

EVENING WORSHIP

Call to Worship "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" **Hayes**
Dan Baker, soloist

Welcome **Trevor Brown**

***Hymn 515** "Since I Have Been Redeemed" **Excell**

***Prayer** **Trevor Brown**

Hymn 83 "There's Something About That Name" **Gaither**

Hymn 511 "All That Thrills My Soul" **Harris**

Hymn 768 "My Savior First of All" **Sweney**

Chorus "One Day" **Redman/Jarman**

***Hymn 772** "When We All Get to Heaven" **Wilson**

***Offertory Prayer** **Mike McCullough**

Offertory "I'll Be on My Way" **Kirchner**
Dan Baker, soloist

Sermon "James: A Real Faith" **Pastor**
James 1

***Invitation Hymn 86** "Jesus, Name Above All Names" **Hearn**

Recognition of Public Decisions

*Altar flowers are in celebration of John and Annette McDaniel's 60th wedding anniversary,
given by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.*

*The rose located by the piano is given in honor of the birth of Robert Thomas Rowley,
son of Robert and Darla Rowley, born September 13, 2023.*

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Welcome

First Baptist Church has both a rich tradition and a promising future. We share the love of Christ with all people, and our membership comes from the four corners of the globe. In fact, one Sunday School class is representative of more than 10 different nations! Despite our diversity, we come together each week to praise God with one voice. At First Baptist Church, you'll feel the warmth and love of the body of Christ. We look forward to getting to know you and introducing our church family to your family.



God bless you,

Howie Batson

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THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

September 17 - September 23

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

BIBLE READING: Micah 5-7
DEACON OF THE DAY: Todd Boykin
8:30 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE
9:30 a.m. Book Library Open (203)
9:45 a.m. BIBLE STUDY
11:00 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE
3:30 p.m. Int'l. Friends/ESL Classes (101)
4:00 p.m. College Leadership Meeting (415)
4:00 p.m. WMU Leadership Team Meeting (309)
4:30 p.m. Children's Bible Drill (316)
4:30 p.m. Bridges AGL Training (102)
4:30 p.m. Young Adult ReEngage (302)
4:30 p.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal (226)
6:00 p.m. EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE
6:00 p.m. Youth Discipleship Groups (407, 410)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

BIBLE READING: Nahum 1-3
DEACON OF THE DAY: Swanson Hagerman
6:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open
9:00 a.m. Sr. Men's Exercise Class (Gym)
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Exercise Class (Weight Rm.)
9:00 a.m. Flower Ministry (FLC 202)
9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study -- Jen Wilkin's "Living Hope in Christ" (309)
1:00 p.m. Sr. Adults -- Country Aerobics (Gym)
1:00 p.m. Yarns of Hope Meeting (FLC 202)
6:00 p.m. Equipped Yoga with Rachel Reneau (FLC 202)
6:15 p.m. Handbells Rehearsal (313)
6:30 p.m. Potter County Jail Ministry

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

BIBLE READING: Habakkuk 1-3
DEACON OF THE DAY: Steve Bowen
6:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open
11:45 a.m. Noon Bible Study & Meal (FH)
1:00 p.m. First Singers Rehearsal (226)
2:15 p.m. Women's Bible Study -- "Apostle's Creed" (110)
5:00 p.m. Yoga (FLC 202)
6:30 p.m. A5/Beasley Class Social & Meal (FLC Grande Room)
College Dept. -- Challenge Bible Study (11th & Polk Ministries Center)
7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

BIBLE READING: Zephaniah 1-3
DEACON OF THE DAY: David Russell
6:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open
9:00 a.m. Sr. Men's Exercise Class (Gym)
9:00 a.m. Sr. Ladies' Exercise Class (Weight Rm.)
9:00 a.m. Sr. Ladies' Tai Chi Class (FLC 202)
9:30 a.m. Preschool MOMS Meeting (FH)
9:30 a.m. WOM -- Sky Scott Group Meeting (FLC Grande Room)
5:00 p.m. Wednesday Family Meal (FLC Gym)
6:00 p.m. Kids Midweek
6:00 p.m. Preschool Choirs
6:00 p.m. Acteens (410) & Servants (413)
6:00 p.m. Midway for Young Adults (302)
6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting (Chapel)
6:45 p.m. Mission Friends
6:45 p.m. Youth -- Prime Time (407)
7:00 p.m. Randall County Jail Ministry
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (226)
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

BIBLE READING: Haggai 1-2
DEACON OF THE DAY: John Smith
6:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open
9:20 a.m. Int'l. Friends/ESL Classes (101)
10:00 a.m. Thursday Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
5:00 p.m. Yoga (FLC 202)
5:30 p.m. Sr. Adults -- Heritage Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

BIBLE READING: Haggai 1-2
DEACON OF THE DAY: Mike McCullough
6:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open
9:00 a.m. Sr. Men's Exercise Class (Gym)
9:00 a.m. Sr. Ladies' Exercise Class (Weight Rm.)
6:00 p.m. Journeys in Faith -- Class Party (11th & Polk Ministries Center)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

BIBLE READING: Zechariah 1-2
DEACON OF THE DAY: Rhett Hubbard
9:00 a.m. Family Life Center Open

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