

A Service of Worship

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

June 28, 2020

11:00 a.m.

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or

call +1-833-548-0276/Meeting ID: 276-632-6336 #, #

Welcome Rev. Dr. Libby Grammer

The Church at Work

Prelude *Symphonie V: iv. Adagio* Widor
David Harrison, Organ

Call to Worship *Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18* Dr. Grammer

Leader: Timeless God, today we sing of your unfailing love for us – and for all creation.

People: Both old and young gather together to celebrate your wonderful faithfulness.

Leader: God, you are the Inspiration and Completion of our faith, and we worship you.

People: We come to be spiritually anointed by your Word – that we may grow in grace.

Leader: Calling God, we gather to celebrate the news that God does call ordinary people to serve and honor the Holy One, and that you empower them in their calling.

People: In response to God's calling to us, in humility we sing together: "...You are our Father, our God, and the Rock of our salvation." All praise be to God's name!

Invocation & Lord's Prayer

Hymn *Here I Am, Lord* HERE I AM, LORD
(see insert)

Gospel Lesson *Matthew 10:40-42* Dr. Grammer

The Gospel of the Lord; **Praise be to you, O Christ.**

Call to Prayer *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* Medema
(see insert)

Morning Prayer Dr. Grammer

Organ Interlude David Harrison

Sermon *Sent and Welcomed* Dr. Grammer

Hymn 473 *And Can It Be That I Should Gain?* SAGINA
(see insert)

Benediction Dr. Grammer

Benediction Response *Threefold Amen* Danish

Postlude *Symphonie V: v. Toccata* Widor

This is the season after Pentecost in the Christian year. Having celebrated the "birthday of the church" through the giving of the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost, we enter the Season after Pentecost for 24 weeks, to celebrate the existence of the church and recall her mission in the world. The liturgical color for the season is green, symbolic of the church's growth and mission.

David Harrison is an organist, composer, and conductor based in Raleigh, NC. He is Associate Organist/Choirmaster at Christ Church on Capitol Square (Episcopal), where he works in a vibrant inter-generational chorister program modeled in the English Cathedral tradition. He has achieved particular distinction for his engaging and creative music-making in liturgical settings, specializing in hymn playing, choral accompaniment, and improvisation.

After completing the Bachelor of Music degree in Organ Performance at Mississippi College under the instruction of Dr. Robert Knupp, David completed the Master of Music degree at the renowned IU Jacobs School of Music in Bloomington, studying with Dr. Janette Fishell.

Harrison's other notable work and study includes a resident organist fellowship at The Cathedral of All Saints in Albany, NY; and certification in Well-Coordinated, Injury-Preventive Keyboard Technique at Salem College with Dr. Barbara Lister-Sink.

Prayer Reminder

CHURCH FAMILY: John Abbott, Alice Bowman, Ruth Dandridge, Martha Drane, Jean and Boyd Gray, George Lester, Marvin Midkiff, Betty Minter, Jerry Perdue, Betty Prillaman, Jimmie Sexton, Benny and Betty Shires, Stacey Steagall, Shirley Stone, Yvonne Turner, Gayle Williams

Opportunities for Giving Continue!

The church will continue to be in operation during these weeks, and we need your generous giving to continue. You can mail your tithes and offerings or give online at fbcmartinsville.com/give.

Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday
8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Outside of Office Hours:

Please call and leave a message (276) 632-6336
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Mission Statement:

The congregation of First Baptist Church, led by the Holy Spirit, covenants to worship Almighty God and to be disciples of Jesus Christ. Consistent with the Great Commission, we will share our spiritual gifts beyond our doors with enthusiasm, generosity, and grace.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
MARTINSVILLE, VA



Season after Pentecost

Hymn *Here I Am, Lord* HERE I AM, LORD

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin My hand will save.
I who made the stare of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard You calling in the night. I will go, Lord, If You lead me. I will hold Your People in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne My people's pain.
I have wept for love of them, they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak My word to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them, My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Hymn 473 *And Can It Be That I Should Gain?* SAGINA

And can it be that I should gain an interest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain? For me, who him to death
pursued? Amazing Love! how can it be that thou, my God,
shouldst die for me?

Refrain

*Amazing love! how can it be that thou, my God,
shouldst die for me?*

Long my imprisoned spirit lay fast bound in sin and nature's
night; thine eye diffused a quickening ray, I woke, the dungeon
flamed with light; my chains fell off, my heart was free; I rose,
went forth and followed thee.

Refrain

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living head, and clothed in righteousness
divine, bold I approach the eternal throne, and claim the crown,
through Christ my own. *Refrain*

Call to Prayer *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* Medema

Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying,
send us love, send us power, send us grace.



2020 Graduate Recognition

Reagan Haggas graduated from West Rowan High School, Salisbury, NC. She will be attending Guilford College, Greensboro, NC, playing softball and majoring in math. She is the daughter of Josh and Mitzi Haggas and the granddaughter of Mary Frances Gibbs.

Emily Reichart graduated from Lambert High School, Suwanee, GA. She will be attending Georgia College, Milledgeville, GA and will major in Mass Communication. She is the daughter of Brian and Lori Reichart and the granddaughter of Mary Frances Gibbs.

Hannah Marie Knight graduated from Mt. Tabor High School, Winston-Salem, NC. She will be attending the University of Georgia. She is the daughter of Gary and Jill Knight and the granddaughter of Sylvia and Dennis Knight.

Jonathan (Jack) Anderson Hensley graduated from University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, with a BA in Computer Science. He is the son of Jonathan and Betsy Hensley of Raleigh, NC. and the grandson of Helen and the late Dick Hensley.

Joshua Nathaniel Penta graduated from Martinsville High School, Martinsville, VA. He will be applying to colleges for the Fall of 2021 in either the Health or Human Services field. He is the son of Linda Penta and the grandson of Benny and Betty Shires.

Breyer Martin graduated from Carver Elementary School, Martinsville, VA. He is the son of Todd and Melody Martin, the grandson of Marty Martin and the great-grandson of Nita Gauldin.