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TO GOD BY FAITH IN JESUS
AND TO UNITE US TO EACH OTHER
AS WE GROW TOGETHER
IN FAITH AND MATURITY IN CHRIST,
LEADING US TO SERVE
LIKE JESUS IN OUR CHURCH,
OUR CITY, AND THE NATIONS.

Today's Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary are placed in loving memory of Patricia Hamberlin by her family.

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WELCOME

to First Baptist Church

April 23, 2023

Order of Worship

Prelude Dr. Christian Vigé

Welcome and Fellowship Larkin Harris

209 // **Great Redeemer, We Adore Thee**

4 // **To God Be the Glory**

Morning Prayer Dr. Steve Horn

412 // **My Faith Has Found a Resting Place**

516 // **When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder**

Scripture Reading 1 Peter 1:3-9 Fran Drago

Anthem *His Mercy is More* // Boswell & Papa Sanctuary Choir

Offertory Prayer

Ancient Words

Worship with Our Tithes and Offerings

Message **Creating a Culture of Evangelism** Dr. Steve Horn

Acts 8:1-13, 26-40

Invitation Hymn 294 // **Have Thine Own Way, Lord**

Announcements Larkin Harris

Closing Song 334 // **Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine**

Announcements

Thank You, Dr. Steve Horn!

We would like to thank Dr. Horn for being with us these past 8 weeks—being away from his family and driving from central Louisiana each week to share God's Word with our church family during this time of transition. We appreciate his service and sacrifice.

Ordination of Larkin Harris

Today at the end of our worship service

Fifth Sunday Social & Strategic Planning Presentation

Sunday Afternoon, April 30

Special presentation from the Strategic Planning Team followed by an Ice Cream Social! Bring your favorite ice cream to share.

Pray

Continue to pray for our Pastor Search Committee as well as the pastor God is preparing for FBC.

Committee Members:

Johnny Powell, chairman; Robby Bowen, Mike Hunt, John Lizana, Bob Reeves, Nell Sharkey, Carolyn Weber

Weekly

Wednesday Night

Fellowship Meal - 5:00 pm

Prayer Meeting - 5:30 pm

Choir Rehearsal - 6:30 pm

This Week's Menu: Grandma salad, pot roast, rice, field peas, roll, banana pudding

GriefShare

Wednesdays at 10am

Join anytime!

Monthly

First Sunday Fellowship

Breakfast

Sunday, May 7 at 8:45 am.

Everyone's Invited!

Women on Mission &

Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, May 9

209 // Great Redeemer, We Adore Thee

Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
God of mercy, love, and grace;
Warm our hearts with Thine own being,
May we see Thy kindly face!

Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
God's great love to man Thou art;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Reign supreme in ev'ry heart.

Great Redeemer, we implore Thee,
Drive our doubts and fears away;
Cause Thy face to smile upon us,
Shine on us Thy light today!

Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
Highest hills proclaim Thy fame;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Men and angels praise Thy name.

Life and love from Thee are beaming,
Sin and sorrow melt away;
King of kindness, God of glory,
Fill us with Thyself today!

Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
Life and liberty are Thine;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Fill us with Thy love divine.

When we see Thee in Thy beauty,
As Thou art, so we shall be;
In Thy image Thou hast made us,
Great Redeemer, we love Thee!

Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
In Thy likeness we shall be;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
God of life eternally.

4 // To God Be the Glory

To God be the glory, great things He hath
done;
So loved He the world that He gave us His
Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!

O come to the Father, thro' Jesus the Son,
And give Him the glory, great things He hath
done.

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Refrain

Great things He hath taught us, great things
He hath done,
And great our rejoicing thro' Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will be
Our wonder, our vict'ry, when Jesus we see.

Refrain

412 // My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

My faith has found a resting place,
Not in device nor creed;
I trust the Ever-living One,
His wounds for me shall plead.

Refrain:

I need no other argument,
I need no other plea,
It is enough that Jesus died,
And that He died for me.

Enough for me that Jesus saves,
This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul I come to Him,
He'll never cast me out.

Refrain

My heart is leaning on the Word,
The living Word of God,
Salvation by my Savior's name,
Salvation thro' His blood.

Refrain

My great Physician heals the sick,
The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed,
For me His life He gave.

Refrain

516 // When the Roll is Called Up Yonder

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound,
and time shall be no more,
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright, and
fair;
When the saved of earth shall gather over on
the other shore,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Refrain:

When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be
there.

On that bright and cloudless morning when
the dead in Christ shall rise,
And the glory of His resurrection share;
When His chosen ones shall gather to their
home beyond the skies,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Refrain

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till
setting sun,
Let us talk of all His wondrous love and care;
Then when all of life is over, and our work on
earth is done,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Refrain

Ancient Words

Holy words long preserved
For our walk in this world,
They resound with God's own heart;
Oh, let the ancient words impart.

Words of life, words of hope
Give us strength, help us cope;
In this world where'er we roam
Ancient words will guide us home.

Refrain:

Ancient words ever true,
Changing me and changing you;
We have come with open hearts,
Oh, let the ancient words impart.

Holy words of our faith
Handed down to this age,
Came to us through sacrifice;
Oh, heed the faithful words of Christ.

Holy words long preserved
For our walk in this world,
They resound with God's own heart;
Oh, let the ancient words impart.

Refrain

294 // Have Thine Own Way, Lord

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own
way!

Thou art the potter, I am the clay!
Mold me and make me After Thy will,
While I am waiting, Yielded and still.

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own
way!

Search me and try me, Master, today!
Whiter than snow, Lord, Wash me just now,
As in Thy presence Humbly I bow.

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own
way!

Wounded and weary, Help me, I pray!
Power, all power Surely is Thine!
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine.

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own
way!

Hold o'er my being Absolute sway!
Fill with Thy Spirit Till all shall see
Christ only, always, Living in me.

334 // Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.