

OCTOBER 27, 2024

10:30 AM



The Prelude: *Morning Has Broken* Arr.. Hal Hopson

Choral Call to Worship: *This Is the Day!* Dora Ann Purdy
This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice! Let us rejoice! This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad! From the rising of the sun 'til its going down, each day is a gift from God. Our Maker is with us to lead and guide. Give thanks for all He provides. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice! Let us rejoice! This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad!

***The Processional Hymn 159:** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* EASTER HYMN

The Invocation and Welcome: Evans Newell

Scripture Anthem: *God Is My Refuge and Strength* Dora Ann Purdy
God is my refuge and strength. A very present help in time of trouble, God is my refuge and strength. You are Protector, Savior, Comforter and Friend, amazing, powerful and strong. Oh, God, You are all these things to me, to You my praise belongs. God is my refuge and strength. A very present help in time of trouble, God is my refuge and strength.

***The Unison Reading:** *1 John 4:9-16 (CSB)*
⁹ *God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his one and only Son into the world so that we might live through him.*
¹⁰ *Love consists in this: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins.*
¹¹ *Dear friends, if God loved us in this way, we also must love one another.*
¹² *No one has ever seen God. If we love one another, God remains in us and his love is made complete in us.*
¹³ *This is how we know that we remain in him and he in us: He has given us of his Spirit.*
¹⁴ *And we have seen and we testify that the Father has sent his Son as the world's Savior.*
¹⁵ *Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God—God remains in him and he in God.*
¹⁶ *And we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us.*

***The Hymn of Response:** *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus* HARRIS
O the deep, deep love of Jesus, Spread His praise from shore to shore! How He loveth, ever loveth, Changeth never, nevermore. How He watches o'er His loved ones, Died to call them all His own. How for them He intercedeth, Watcheth o'er them from the throne!

Preschool Praise Time {Age 3 through K5}
Preschool Praise is designed for children in PK3-Kindergarten. Children may meet the preschool leader at the front of the sanctuary on the left side by the double-doors following The Hymn of Response. Following the worship service please pick up your child in the Learning Center.

Offertory Prayer: Tom Mack

The Offertory: *Meditation on "How Great Thou Art"* Joyce Jones

***The Presentation of Gifts:** *The Doxology* OLD 100TH
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.

The Scripture Reading: *Ephesians 3:17-19* Pastor

The Anthem: *The Love of God* Arr. Dan Forrest
The love of God is greater far than tongue or pen can ever tell; It goes beyond the highest star, And reaches to the lowest hell; The guilty pair, bowed down with care, God gave His Son to win; His erring child He reconciled, And pardoned from his sin. When years of time shall pass away, And earthly thrones and kingdoms fall, When men who here refuse to pray, On rocks and hills and mountains call, Then God's love so sure, shall still endure, All measureless and strong; Redeeming grace to Adam's race — The saints' and angels' song. Oh, love of God, how rich and pure! How measureless and strong! It shall forevermore endure The saints' and angels' song. Could we with ink the ocean fill, And were the skies of parchment made, Were every stalk on earth a quill, And every man a scribe by trade; To write the love of God above would drain the ocean dry; Nor could the scroll contain the whole, Though stretched from sky to sky. Oh, love of God, how rich and pure! How measureless and strong! It shall forevermore endure the saints' and angels' song.

The Message: *"All the Fullness of God"* Pastor

The Invitation to Christian Commitment

***Invitation Hymn 531:** *Redeemed* ADA



PRAYER REQUESTS

One of the essential ministries of First Baptist Church is the prayer ministry. Your request is given to our ministry staff and members who are a part of our prayer ministry. If you have a need that is confidential, and you are not sure you wish to turn in a written request, please feel free to contact the church office to speak to a minister.

Name: _____

Please pray for: _____

I give permission to publish this request on the weekly prayer list.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

5:00 - 5:45 pm
\$5 per person / \$12 family cap
Please RSVP/cancel by Noon on Mondays:
elizabeth@fbcharleston.org / 843-722-3896, ext. 5

Menus include salad, bread, drink and dessert

Oct 30: Baked ziti, steamed veggies

Name: _____

Adults: _____ # Children _____

Permanent list? Yes No

Welcome

First Baptist Church welcomes you today! We are honored you chose to be with us and our prayer is that you will experience God through worship. If you are a guest, please take one of the welcome booklets available through the ushers. Our ministry staff would love to have a chance to meet you, so please fill out the information below, tear at the perforated edge and place it in the offering plate.

{Please print}

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I am a guest of: _____

Member of a church: yes no

If yes, where: _____

Please check all that apply:

- First Time Guest
- New in Community
- Interested in Church Membership
- Have _____ Children of School Age or Under
- Would like more info about the Church
- Would like Minister to call
- Have a Prayer Request (over)

Please circle your age or grade:

Age: 0-3 4-5
 Grade: 1 2 3 4 5 6
 7 8 9 10 11 12
 College/Grad School
 Age: 20-29 30-39 40-49
 50-59 60-69 70-up

Church Office: 843-722-3896
Web Site: www.fbcharleston.org



*The Benediction

Pastor

*The Choral Benediction: *In Peace and Joy I Now Depart* D. Govenor

The Chimes of the Trinity

As we leave, let us remember that we do not leave the church; we leave as the Church to go into the world and make disciples in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

The Postlude: *“Ode to Joy” from Symphony No. 9* L.V. Beethoven

WORSHIP NOTES

*The congregation will stand during this time.

Worship through music is led by the Sanctuary Choir, composed of members of the congregation who offer their services through the ministry of music. Organist: Beverly Bradley. Pianist: Gaile Giles. Music text and scripture text are printed as given from authors or translations used for copyright purposes. First Baptist Church CCLI # 2024428; For use solely with the SongSelect Terms of Use. All rights Reserved. www.ccli.com. The front cover of the bulletin is the original architectural drawing of the sanctuary by Robert Mills.

Singing in today’s service is the Young Musicians’ Choir directed by Debbie Mack and accompanied by Janet Talley. *This Is the Day* based on Psalm 118:24 and *God Is My Refuge and Strength* based on Psalm 46:1.

Livestream Broadcast: We livestream today’s worship service for those who cannot be present. The online recordings from time-to-time show at-large views of the congregation. Camera angles do not single out anyone in the congregation nor identify anyone in particular except those leading in worship.

DEACON OF THE WEEK: OCT 27 - NOV 3

Tom Mack

Life Verse: Proverbs 3:5,6 — *“Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.”*

Favorite Hymn: *Amazing Grace*

Favorite Missionary Story: Lottie Moon

Please contact the church office if you would like to reach out to our Deacon Ministry Team.



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