



First Baptist Church

Dalton, Georgia

October 14, 2018



What do *You* bring to the table?

Time



We Believe... in Community

The Twenty first Sunday after Pentecost

October 14, 2018

10:30 a.m.

Welcome to Worship

Phillip Cannon

*We ring our church bell three times to call us into the worship of God,
our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer.*

Prelude

I Need Thee Every Hour

arr. Frederic Groton

Invocation

Kyle Boyer

Eternal God, whose signature we see, if we dare to look, in the creation of the universe, help us this hour to look and to listen for Your handwriting and Your voice in this place, among these people.

Connect our temporary praise to Your timeless rhythms, Your ageless melodies, Your everlasting joyful noise.

Guide us now to focus upon You, knowing that in You, our distractions become new possibilities for action.

Breathe life into our singing, our praying, our speaking, our listening, our touching, that all these activities might become more than they are.

In our worship we reach out to You, O God, knowing that You have already enfolded us in Your arms.

In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

*Hymn of Petition No. 280

Speak, O Lord

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Scripture Reading

Psalm 145:1-4, 10-13

Justin Safley

The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Message in Song

All Creatures of Our God and King
Sanctuary Choir

arr. Richard A. Nichols

Come, Christians, join to sing loud praise to Christ, our King.
Let all, with heart and voice, before His throne give praise, rejoice!

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing, Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam, thou silver moon with softer gleam! O praise Him! Alleluia!

Thou flowing water, pure and clear, make music for thy Lord to hear, O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright, that givest man both warmth and light! O praise Him! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in heaven along,
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, ye lights of evening, find a voice! Come, Christians, join to sing!

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship Him in humbleness, O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three in One! O praise Him! Alleluia!

***A Hymn of Stewardship No. 671** *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*

BEACH SPRING

During the last stanza of this hymn, children are invited to come to the front for the Children's Sermon

Children's Sermon

Bridgette Poag

Message in Song

Lay Up Your Treasures in Heaven
Men's Ensemble

Pepper Choplin

*"Lay up your treasures in heaven, O people, lay up your treasures in glory
where nothing in this world can take them away." O listen, people, hear the Master say,
"Come and lay up your treasures in heaven, O people lay up your treasures in glory.
Your treasures in this world will fade away, but the things of the Lord will last forevermore!"*

Well the Lord looked out and saw the people there, tied up in worry and burdened with care.
He said, "Seek first the kingdom and you will see the things that will last for eternity!"

Some people trust in their silver and gold, they put their faith in the wealth they hold.
But fortunes will fade and kingdoms fall, so put your trust in the Lord of all!

The Sermon

SETTING THE TABLE - Time
Luke 4:14-20 (Pew Bible page 835)

Jonathan Barlow

***A Hymn of Response No. 499**

I Surrender All

SURRENDER

***Offertory Prayer**

Janet King

Offertory

Near to the Heart of God

arr. Don Phillips

***Presentation to God**

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.

OLD HUNDREDTH

***Benediction**

Jonathan Barlow

***Postlude**

Festival Chorale

Roger C. Wilson

**Congregation please stand as able.*

INSTRUMENTALISTS

Patti Cannon
Piano

Sandra Blackwell
Organ

Our prayer partners during worship today are Linda Brown and Betsy Parker.

Our bell ringer in worship today is Lily Hilles.

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given in celebration of the 61st Wedding Anniversary
of Bob and Ann Harrell by their children, Ben, Lynn, Julie, and Steve.*

Welcome!

It is our privilege to have you worshipping with us today at First Baptist Church of Dalton! Today you are worshipping with a strong and vibrant congregation with a missional heart, who is committed to revealing the living presence of Jesus Christ in our world today.

Would you allow us the pleasure of getting to know you a little better by completing the visitor registration card from the pew rack and placing it in the offering plate later in the service? You are also invited to submit prayer requests using the prayer cards in the pew rack. Please pass your prayer card to the center aisle where it will be collected during the Prelude.

Hearing devices are available for those who need them. Please ask an usher for assistance. Childcare is also available for preschoolers during our worship services. Information and assistance are available at our Preschool Registration Suite Area. A Children's Worship Cart including worship bulletins, activities, books, etc. is available beside the piano door in the Sanctuary. So that we might maintain a spirit of worship, please turn off all cell phones and electronic devices as you enter the Sanctuary.

This Week at First Baptist

Sunday, October 14

9:15 a.m. Churchwide Gathering/Depts and Classrooms
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship/Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir/Music Suite
6:00 p.m. Women's Ministry Bible Study/Fellowship Hall
Children's Ministry Parables of Jesus/Children's Worship Area
Youth Activity/Youth Center

Monday, October 15

4:00 p.m. New Horizons Choir Rehearsal/Music Suite
7:00 p.m. First Light Rehearsal

Tuesday, October 16

11:30 a.m. Finance Committee Meeting/Parlor
4:00 p.m. Kids Café/Youth Center
4:30 p.m. Soul Food/Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, October 17

12:00 p.m. Men's Ensemble Rehearsal
3:30 p.m. Women's Ministry Bible Study/Room 201
4:45 p.m. Fellowship Supper/Fellowship Hall
5:20 p.m. Prayer Experience/Fellowship Hall
5:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study/Fellowship Hall
Children's Choirs
Youth Fellowship/Youth Center
Youth Bible Study/Youth Center
Children's Missions
Adult Fellowship
6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 18

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast/Oakwood

Friday, October 19

7:30 p.m. Arabic Congregation/Chapel

Saturday, October 20

9:00 a.m. First Kids Soccer Games

Fall Family Festival

Dinner • Carnival Games • Crafts • Costume Contest • Hayride

OCTOBER 28, 2018 • 5-6:30PM

Presented by FBC DALTON Children's Ministry



Treats are needed for the Fall Family Festival. Receptacles have been placed in the Atrium area and at the Preschool Welcome Desk. Please help by donating a couple of bags of candy for our Fall Family Festival on October 28.

Meet and Greet with Suzanne Hooie

Candidate for Minister of Missions and Community Ministry

Sunday, October 28
Church Fellowship Hall

9:00-9:30 a.m.
Informal time of fellowship
(coffee, juice, and pastries served)

9:30-10:15 a.m.
Hear from Missions Search Committee about their process and recommendation, and then hear from Suzanne about her call to ministry and to this position at First Baptist. There will be a time for questions to Suzanne as well.



First Baptist Church Staff

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