



THE WORSHIP OF GOD SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 29, 2022 Online and in-person worship FBC Sanctuary 11:00 A.m.

### THE WORSHIP OF GOD Seventh Sunday of Easter MAY 29, 2022

Jesus taught us a prayer of community and reconciliation, belonging to a new people who have left the land of 'me.' Shane Claiborne

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### **Rev. Matthew Sturtevant**

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## Aimee Omohundro

\* Spoken Call to Worship

Leader: The heavens proclaim your righteousness, O God. People: And all the people behold your glory. Leader: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! People: And we shall give thanks to God's holy name! Leader: Let us worship God!

### LIFTING OUR VOICES IN PRAISE

\* Hymn of Praise (CONG #352)

"All Praise to Thee" SINE NOMINE

\* Passing of the Peace Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you! Leader: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord!

If able, please text or message someone from the congregation and share with them the sign of peace.

\* Eastertide Alleluia (CONGR 208)

He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord! Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. HE IS LORD

"He is Lord"

Welcome and Lighting of the Christ Candle

Prelude

Gathering Music

Invocation

Choral Call to Worship

\* In-person worshippers are invited to stand as able

\* Gospel Reading

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God. **People: Thanks be to God!** 

Children's Sermon

#### Sharing Ourselves in prayer

Call to Prayer (CONGR 605)

"And Can It Be" SAGINA

Hearing our Joys and Concerns

Unison Discipline of Confession

Gracious Power, you call us to your everlasting springs to be drenched and reformed, but we fail to heed you. We do not turn with love to our neighbors, to ourselves, or to you. Forgive us for our failings, shield us from our due, and guide us into unity with all for the sake of the whole world.

Discipline of Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Returning Our Gifts in Gratitude

Sentences of Stewardship

Offertory

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\* Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving

# (Those wishing to attend Children's Church may leave now)

PROCLAIMING THE TRUTH WITH HOPE

New Testament Reading

**Rev. Matthew Sturtevant** Philippians 2.1-13

Scripture Response

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Sermon

\* Hymn of Invitation (CONGR 424)

Life of the Church

Benediction

Postlude

**Rev. Matthew Sturtevant** 

"Riffing on Grace"

"At the Name of Jesus" BARBARA

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The flowers on the altar this morning are given for the greater glory of God.

TODAY IN WORSHIP Liturgist: Aimee Omohundro Cantor & Chancel Choir director: Mark Robinson Organist & Chancel Choir Accompanist: Evelyn Falen Livestream Video Crew: Matthew Johnston, Glenn Prescott Sound: Jim Lord YouTube Chat Moderator: Melisa Lord

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Local Church: Calvary Church of God

American Baptist Churches, USA; Region Exe. Min., Rev. Dr. Jim Kelsey, serving churches in New York State International Ministries Missionaries: Debbie & Keith Meyers, serving in Central Mexico

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Every member of First Baptist Church, like every disciple of Christ, is commissioned to participate in Christian ministry. The following persons have been called by this congregation to empower such ministry:

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