



The worship of god Third Sunday After Pentecost June 26, 2022 Online and in-person worship Fbc Sanctuary 11:00 A.m.

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Look at this home, we need a new foundation. It may seem hopeless but we'll get by just fine. Look at this family, a glowing constellation, so full of stars and everybody wants to shine. But the stars don't shine, they burn and the constellations shift. I think it's time you learn, you're more than just your gift. - "All of You" from Encanto by Lin Manuel Mirada

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Welcome and Lighting of the Christ Candle

Prelude

Gathering Music

Rev. Cristina Adams

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Invocation

Choral Call to Worship

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* Call to Worship

Chad Johnston Ephesians 1.3-6

Leader: Praise be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

People: who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places. Leader: Just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless

before him in love

People: He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will

Leader: to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved

All: Let us praise God.

Lifting Our Voices in Praise

* Hymn of Praise (CONGR 341)

"For the Beauty of the Earth" DIX

* 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.

* Responding in Peace (CONGR 355, vs.2)

"We Praise Thee, O God" REVIVE US AGAIN We praise Thee, O God! for Thy Spirit of light Who hath shown us our Savior, and scattered our night. Hallelujah! Thine the glory. Hallelujah! Amen. Hallelujah! Thine the glory. Revive us again.

* 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

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Hearing our Joys and Concerns

Unison Discipline of Confession

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name.

Discipline of Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Almighty God has mercy on us, forgives us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthens us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keeps us in eternal life. Amen

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. Cristina Adams Ephesians 2.1-2a, 4-10

* In-person worshippers are invited to stand as able

Chad Johnston Luke 6.46-49

Rev. Cristina Adams

Sermon

* Hymn of Invitation (CONGR 248)

Life of the Church

Benediction

Postlude

Rev. Cristina Adams "Art and the Gospel: *Encanto*"

"Christ is Made the Sure Foundation" EDEN CHURCH

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

TODAY IN WORSHIP Liturgist: Chad Johnston Cantor & Chancel Choir director: Mark Robinson Organist & Chancel Choir Accompanist: Evelyn Falen Musicians: Neal Purvis (trombone), Colin Watgen (percussion), Scott Robinson (trumpet), Yuka Naito (harp) Livestream Video Crew: Brandon Gillette, Brenda Schenkel Sound: Shane Schenkel YouTube Chat Moderator: Jenny Purvis

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Local Church: Christ Community Church American Baptist Churches, USA, Exe. Minister; Rev. Dr. James E. McJunkin, Jr., serving churches in the Philadelphia Baptist Association International Ministries Missionary: David Parajon, serving in Nicaragua

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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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