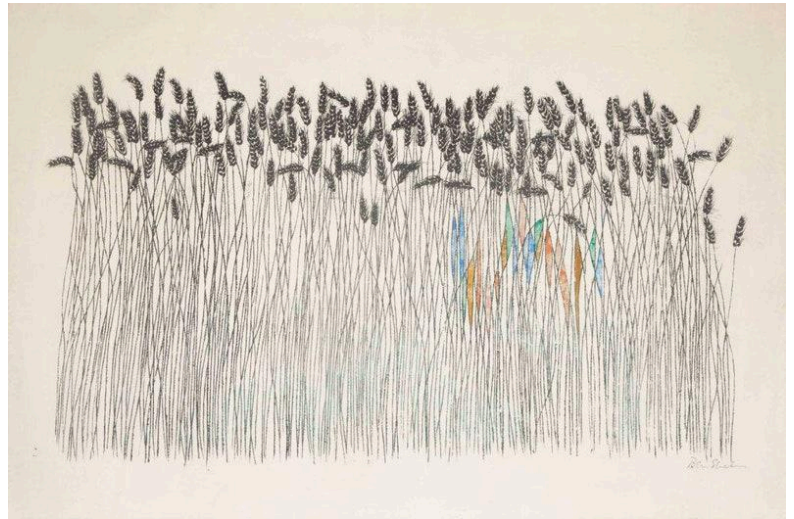


“New ways of disclosing the world have always aroused the resistance of those who wanted to stay securely with the familiar. ... It is the fate of every unfamiliar way of looking at the world.”

+ Paul Tillich



Ben Shahn, *Wheat Fields*

First Baptist Church on Fifth, Winston-Salem

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, June 2, 2024 • 11:00 AM

PRELUDE: *Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place*

Jill Knight and Jerri Thompson, Piano

arr. J. Carter

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Emily Hull McGee

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hannah Knight

Leader: Let us gather within the covenant of love
which binds us to God and one another.

**All: Let us gather at the table of the Lord
to celebrate with thanksgiving
the saving acts and presence of Christ.**

Leader: Let us gather to remember our baptism into Christ
by which we enter into newness of life
and are made one with the whole people of God.

**All: Let us gather to worship the maker of heaven and earth
to whom we offer blessing and glory and honor forever!**

*HYMN 223: *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

DIADEMATA

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Kim Wilkinson

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

Emily Hull McGee

CALL TO PRAYER: *Spirit, Now Live in Me*

B. Leech/arr. F. Bock

Sanctuary Choir

O holy Dove of God descending, You are the love that knows no ending, All of our shattered dreams You're mending, Spirit, now live in me. O holy Wind of God now blowing, You are the seed that God is sowing, You are the life that starts us growing, Spirit, now live in me. O holy Rain of God now falling, You make the Word of God enthralling, You are that inner voice now calling, Spirit, now live in me. O holy Flame of God now burning, You are the power of Christ returning, You are the answer to our yearning, Spirit, now live in me. Spirit, now live in me.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Mary Kaylor

THE 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 trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Mark 2:23-3:6

Rob Norwood

Leader: This is the word of the Lord
All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: "Defying Norms: Prioritizing Humanity"

Emily Hull McGee

THE CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 658: *Let Your Heart Be Broken*

WYE VALLEY

God calls all to respond! Our church welcomes you to share a new desire to follow Jesus or to join our congregation as a member. As we sing, please come to the front and share your commitment with one of our ministers.

*PRAYER FOR THE GIFTS WE GIVE

Pat Thompson

The giving of our material possessions, as well as our very lives, is an important part of active, vibrant worship of which all are invited to participate. In a moment, Deacons will pass the offering plates for you to share your financial contribution to support the ministries of First Baptist Church. If you would like to give online, you will find additional information in this worship guide and at our website, firstonfifth.org.

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY

Emily Hull McGee

*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*BENEDICTION

Emily Hull McGee

POSTLUDE: *Fanfare*

N.J. Lemmens

David Williamson, Organ

*Those who are able will please stand.

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BENEVOLENCE OFFERING

At the conclusion of the worship service today you will be given an opportunity to contribute to the Benevolence Fund. This fund provides confidential financial assistance for individuals in times of crisis and is made possible by designated contributions. Deacons will be available at all three exit doors to receive your contribution. Please make checks payable to First Baptist Church, designated to the Benevolence Fund. Any cash offering received today that is not designated in an envelope will be allocated to the Benevolence Fund.

SERVING TODAY

Deacon of the Week: Pat Thompson and Minerva Fox
Children & Families Greeter: Kim Wilkinson
Streaming and Sound Team: Billy Choe, Martha Greene, Greg Ryder,
Judy Eustice, Jeff Burchette, Amber Myers

IF YOU ARE NEW, WELCOME!

If you are visiting with us today for the first time, we welcome you! Please fill out a Connection Card located in the back of the pews, and give it to a minister after worship. This allows us to extend our hospitality and connect you deeply within the life of our church. If you're visiting with young children, we welcome them in whatever way is best for your family! Creative resources for our little ones guide their experience of worship in the Sanctuary, and worship care for infants through kindergarteners is available in the nursery on the first floor. The balcony continues to be reserved for those preferring extra distance. We're so glad you're here!

SUPPORTING GOD'S WORK OF LOVE THROUGH FIRST BAPTIST ON FIFTH

Thank you for giving faithfully to God through the ministries of our church! Should you desire to give today, you can do so by placing your gift in the offering plates or by scanning the QR code to give online. Because you will need to enter your personal financial information when registering online, we encourage you to set up your account on a secure network at home before using the app for the first time.



CELEBRATING OUR 2024 GRADUATES!

Scott Austin Haenni

Myers Park High School

Grandson of Hoyt and Mary Beard

Elizabeth Joyner Smith

RJ Reynolds High School

Daughter of Chris and Meredith Smith

Katherine Walter

Westchester Country Day

Daughter of Michelle Portman

Sullivan Blake (Blake) Whittle

Calvary Day School

Grandchild of Jan Whittle

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Joey Martin

Associate in Applied Science in Horticulture Technology, *Forsyth Tech*

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Olive Grace Hoerning Baxley

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, *University of Georgia*

Granddaughter of Nancy and John Baxley

Anabel Ford

Bachelor of Arts in the Study of Religions; Minors in Psychology and Spanish, *Wake Forest University*

Kathryn Elizabeth Haenni

Bachelor of Arts in English and Comparative Literature, *UNC Chapel Hill*

Granddaughter of Hoyt and Mary Beard

Hannah Knight

Bachelor of Arts in Economics; Minor in Chinese language and literature, *University of Georgia*

Daughter of Jill and Gary Knight

Margaret Salem (Maggie) Whittle

Bachelor of Science in Industrial and Systems Engineering; Minor in Business, *Auburn University*

Grandchild of Jan Whittle

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Sophia Gottlick

Master of Science in Management, *Wake Forest University School of Business*

Zack Jackson

Master of Divinity; Concentration in Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, *Wake Forest University School of Divinity*.

Bethany Leggett

Master of Divinity, *Wake Forest University School of Divinity*

Jacob McCoy

Master of Music Composition, *University of North Carolina School of the Arts*

Georgia McKee

Master of Divinity, *Wake Forest University School of Divinity*

Marion Thomas

Master of Divinity, *Wake Forest University School of Divinity*



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Defying Norms: Worship This Summer

All throughout his life, Jesus was something of a rule-breaker! Unwilling to accept the way things always had been and uncompromising in his commitment to God's dream for the world, Jesus challenged the status quo for the sake of Love. In the norm-departing season of summer, as schedules shift and responsibilities relax, we'll look to the Gospel of Mark's accounts of Jesus in a series called "Defying Norms," and consider how we can do the same. Join us!

June 2

Defying Norms: Prioritizing Humanity
Mark 2:23-3:6

June 9

Defying Norms: Insider/Outsider
Mark 3:20-35

June 16

Defying Norms: Doing What is Ours to Do
Mark 4:26-34

June 23

Defying Norms: Silent and Still
Mark 4:35-41

June 30

Defying Norms: Citizens of Audacious Hope
Mark 5:21-43

July 7

Defying Norms: Loosening our Grip
Mark 6:1-13

July 14

Defying Norms: The Risks of Getting Political
Mark 6:14-29

July 21

Defying Norms: Disconnect and Heal
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

July 28

Children and Youth-Led Worship

Seeking Donations | Crisis Control

The gifts for June are Condiments. (Ketchup, Mustard, BBQ Sauce, Mayo, Hot Sauce, Salad Dressing, etc.). Please drop off donations in the first-floor bins. Thank you!

Seeking Office Volunteers This Summer!

The Personnel Committee is seeking volunteers to help in the church office this summer while Lena is away completing her summer internship in New York City! If you are willing and interested in helping in the church office, we would be so grateful! We're looking for volunteers to work from June 3 through August 12, Mondays through Wednesdays, in shifts from 10am-12pm and 12-2pm. Sign up for a shift or two (or ten!) at the link in your newsletter. Thank you for supporting our church in this way!

June 14 | First Films: Summer Series

First Films is back! Beginning June 14 at 6:30 pm, join us for fun this summer as we discover or rediscover classic American comedies. First up, *Hail the Conquering Hero (1944)*.

June 19-21 | CBF General Assembly, Greensboro

Later this month, a number of our church members and staff will gather with our Cooperative Baptist Fellowship (CBF) family for the annual General Assembly. This year's assembly will be held on June 19-21 at the Koury Conference Center in Greensboro with the theme "Re:Imagine." All are invited and encouraged to attend! This is a wonderful time to meet with our Baptist friends from around the country, even more so because it's just down the road in Greensboro! To follow along with General Assembly information or to register to attend, please visit cbf.net/general-assembly.

June 26 | Older Adult Hymn sing in the park!

Join us for a Hymn Sing at Leinbach Park at 11:30am! Jake Hill will join us with his keyboard and hymnals and will take song selections from you. Start thinking about what you want to request! An RSVP is required for this event so we can make sure to have enough food for everyone. Donations on the day of the event are appreciated, but not required.

June 30 | Independence Day Brunch, 9:30 am

In lieu of Sunday school, please join us on June 30 in Kelly Auditorium for a time of fellowship, food, and singing as we celebrate Independence Day.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST

SUNDAY, June 2

9:00 am Sunday Bible Study (*online*)
9:30 am Sunday Bible Study Adults, Youth and Children (*in person*)
10:30 am Coffee and Conversation (*Commons*)
11:00 am Worship (*Sanctuary & online*)
12:00 pm Graduate Luncheon (*Kelly*)

MONDAY, June 3

TUESDAY, June 4

7:30 am Devotional Classics (*Baraca Room*)
10:00 am Care Notes Ministry (*Commons*)
5:30 pm Personnel Committee
8:00 pm Evening Prayer (*online*)

WEDNESDAY, June 5

THURSDAY, June 6

10:00 am Older Adult Fellowship (*online*)
10:00 am Downtown Walking Affinity Group

FRIDAY, June 7

SATURDAY, June 8

9:00 am NC Zoo Trip

SUNDAY, June 9

9:00 am Sunday Bible Study (*online*)
9:30 am Sunday Bible Study Adults, Youth and Children (*in person*)
10:30 am Coffee and Conversation (*Commons*)
11:00 am Worship (*Sanctuary & online*)
12:30 pm Deacon's Meeting

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