



# First Baptist Church

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June 16, 2024

**THE WORSHIP OF GOD**  
**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

10:45 am

Welcome/Opportunities for Service/Invocation

Major Treadway

Prelude

*Be Thou My Vision*

arr. Curnow

Julia Bass, flute; Angie France, organ

Call to Worship

from 2 Chronicles 6:40; Psalm 18:1-3

Nenette Measels and People

Now, my God, may Your eyes be open and Your ears attentive to the prayers offered in this place

**I love You, Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer. I call to the Lord, who is worthy of praise.**

\*Hymns of Love and Praise Medley 362 and 361

*I Love You, Lord*

I LOVE YOU, LORD

*My Jesus, I Love Thee*

GORDON

(Children meet your leader during the last stanza at the front of the sanctuary for Bible Study)

Prayer of Confession

Major Treadway and People

In Jesus Christ, God broke the barrier of sin and pain which separates us from our neighbor, ourselves, and our God. We seek God's grace so we might move from alienation to new life.

**So God, grant us new life in you.**

When we deny your presence in our busy days—

**O God, grant us new life in you.**

When we feel justified in our anger and resentment toward others—

**O God, grant us new life in you.**

When we judge others before looking at ourselves—

**O God, grant us new life in you.**

When we occupy ourselves in worldly matters and reject your peace and assurance—

**O God, grant us new life in you.**

When we refuse to follow your will because we are fearful and untrusting—

**O God, grant us new life in you.**

When we seek the security of false gods and turn our faces from your Light—

**O God, grant us new life in you. Amen.\*\***

Hymn of Testimony 586

*Grace Greater Than Our Sin*

MOODY

Offertory Prayer

John Sonnen

Offertory

*Humbly We Adore Thee*

arr. Rowland-Raybold

\*Hymn of Perseverance 634

*We Walk by Faith*

FAITH'S JOURNEY

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17

Cyndi Harrell

So we are always confident, even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord—for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to be pleasing to him. For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive due recompense for actions done in the body, whether good or evil.

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves but for the one who for their sake died and was raised.

From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we no longer know him in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; look, new things have come into being!

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Musical Offering

*Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me*

arr. Duren

Worship Ensemble; Cameron Rowlett, drums

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer.

There is no more for heaven now to give.

He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom,

My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.

To this I hold: My hope is only Jesus;

For my life is wholly bound to His.

Oh how strange and divine; I can sing

“All is mine. Yet not I, but through Christ in me.”

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken;

For by my side, the Savior, He will stay.

I labor on in weakness and rejoicing;

For in my need, His power is displayed.

To this I hold: My Savior will defend me.

Through the deepest valley He will lead.

Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome.

Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

No fate I dread. I know I am forgiven.  
 The future sure, the price, it has been paid.  
 For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon,  
 And He was raised to overthrow the grave.  
 To this I hold: My sin has been defeated.  
 Jesus now and ever is my plea.  
 Oh the chains are released. I can sing, "I am free.  
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me."  
  
 With every breath, I long to follow Jesus,  
 For He has said that He will bring me home.  
 And day by day, I know He will renew me  
 Until I stand with joy before the throne.  
  
 To this I hold: My hope is only Jesus.  
 All the glory evermore to Him.  
 When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat,  
 "Yet not I, but through Christ in me."

Sermon	<b><i>A New Creation</i></b>	Major Treadway
Time of Reflection and Response	<i>Spirit Song</i>	arr. Kingsmore
*Hymn of Commitment and Departing 569	<i>In Christ Alone</i>	IN CHRIST ALONE
*Benediction		Major Treadway
*If you can do so, please stand for this portion of the worship service.		CCLI #120972
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## THE COMING WEEK AT FBC

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### **Monday, June 17**

- 5:00pm Genealogy Society Meeting/Fellowship Hall  
7:00pm Boy Scouts/Fellowship Hall  
8:00pm Upper Room Ladies Bible Study/Zoom

### **Tuesday, June 18**

- 10:00am Tuesday's Neighbors/Parlor  
12:00pm Senior Adults Picnic  
1:00pm Staff Meeting/Office

### **Wednesday, June 19**

- 5:00pm Youth Gathering/214  
6:00pm Hymn Sing/Music Ste

### **Thursday, June 20**

- 8:30am Men's Breakfast/Bojangles  
6:00pm Cub Scouts/Fellowship Hall

### **Friday, June 21—Church Office Closed**

- 5:00pm Vacation Bible School

### **Saturday, June 22**

- 1:00pm Vacation Bible School

### **Sunday, June 23**

- 9:30am Bible Study Classes for Adults/Various Rooms  
9:30am Chancel Ensemble Rehearsal/Sanctuary  
10:00am Vacation Bible School  
10:45am Worship Service/Sanctuary or Facebook and Youtube  
10:45am Children's Bible Study/Birth-K Room 119, 1st-5th grade Room 218  
5:00pm Youth Gathering/214

### **Monday, June 24**

- 7:00pm Boy Scouts/Fellowship Hall  
8:00pm Upper Room Ladies Bible Study/Zoom

### **Tuesday, June**

- 10:00am Tuesday's Neighbors/Parlor  
12:00pm Senior Adult Picnic
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**Welcome to First Baptist Church! Our membership is open to all persons regardless of race, social status, gender, and sexual identity and affirms our motto, "Breaking down barriers to proclaim the love of Christ".**

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## CHURCH STAFF

Sierra Bevins, Ministry Assistant  
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Dr. Major Treadway, Senior Pastor

**Deacons and Minister of the Week:**

Karen Smith & Betty Watkins/Major Treadway

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