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The Worship of God

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH | LUBBOCK, TEXAS

February 20, 2022

8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Seventh Sunday After The Epiphany



The Church Gathers and Prepares . . .

GATHERING MUSIC

Larry Landusky

WELCOME

Sheryl Gallarneau, Kathryn Boren

*The Lord be with you.
And also with you.*

PRELUDE

Mark Chaney

Prelude

Flor Peeters (1903-1986)

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (inspired by Psalm 63:1-8)

Kathryn Boren

*Lord God, I have come to worship You, for You are my God.
We crave Your thirst-quenching presence.*

*In the sanctuary I have witnessed your power and glory.
We praise You!*

*I value your love more than life itself. You are always on my mind, day and night.
We adore You!*

*God, You are my help and my protector.
We shout for joy!*

O God, our God! We come to worship You!

... To Worship and Praise God ...

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

All Creatures of Our God and King

Unison

1. All crea-tures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us
2. Thou rush-ing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heav'n a -
3. And all ye men of ten-der heart, For-giv-ing oth-ers, take your
4. Let all things their Cre-at-or bless, And wor-ship Him in hum-ble -

sing Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Thou burn-ing sun with gold-en
long, O praise Him! Al-le-lu-ia! Thou ris-ing morn, in praise re-
part, O sing ye! Al-le-lu-ia! Ye who long pain and sor-row
ness, O praise Him! Al-le-lu-ia! Praise, praise the Fa-ther, praise the

beam, Thou sil-ver moon with soft-er gleam,
joi-ce, Ye lights of eve-ning, find a voice,
bear, Praise God and on Him cast your care, O praise Him, O
Son, And praise the Spir-it, Three in One,

praise Him! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

***SONG OF PRAISE**

I WORSHIP YOU

I Worship You, Almighty God

I worship You Almighty God, there is none like You
I worship You O Prince of Peace, that is what I want to do
I give You praise
For You are my righteousness
I worship You Almighty God, there is none like You

CHILDREN'S TIME

Mary Norman

... To Proclaim God's Word ...

HEBREW SCRIPTURE (Genesis 45:3-11, 15)

Bob Howell, Avery MacKenzie

³ Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?" But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence. ⁴ Then Joseph said to his brothers, "Come closer to me." And they came closer. He said, "I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. ⁵ And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. ⁶ For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. ⁷ God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. ⁸ So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. ⁹ Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, 'Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay. ¹⁰ You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. ¹¹ I will provide for you there—since there are five more years of famine to come—so that you and your household, and all that you have, will not come to poverty.' ¹⁵ And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them; and after that his brothers talked with him.

This is One of Our Sacred Stories.

Thanks be to God!

*PROCLAMATION IN SONG

Second Voices

Above All Else
composed by Joel Raney

*HYMN OF ASSURANCE

GILLARD

Love in Christ is Strong and Living

The musical score is written for two voices, Soprano and Bass, in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with the lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are arranged in three systems, each with a corresponding musical line for both voices.

1. Love in Christ is strong and liv - ing, bind - ing faith - ful hearts as one;
2. Love is pa - tient and for - bear - ing, clothed in Christ's hu - mi - li - ty,
3. Love in Christ a - bides for - ev - er, faint - ing not when ills at - tend;

Love in Christ is true and giv - ing. May His will in us be done.
Gen - tle, self - less, kind and car - ing, reach - ing out in char - i - ty.
Love, for - giv - ing and for - giv - en, shall en - dure un - til life's end.

***GOSPEL READING (Luke 6:27-36)**

Bob Howell, Avery MacKenzie

²⁷ “But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you,
²⁸ bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you
on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not
withhold even your shirt. ³⁰ Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone
takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have
them do to you. ³² “If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For
even sinners love those who love them. ³³ If you do good to those who do good to
you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. ³⁴ If you lend to those
from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sin-
ners, to receive as much again. ³⁵ But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expect-
ing nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the
Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. ³⁶ Be merciful, just as
your Father is merciful

This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God!

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

LEAD ME LORD

Lead Me, Lord

The musical score is written for a congregational response in 4/4 time. It features a treble and bass staff. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first line of music corresponds to the lyrics 'Lead me, Lord, lead me in Your right - eous - ness;'. The second line of music corresponds to the lyrics 'Make Your way plain be - fore my face. face. Lead me, Lord.'. There is a first ending bracket over the final two measures of the second line, and a second ending bracket over the final two measures of the second line.

Lead me, Lord, lead me in Your right - eous - ness;

Make Your way plain be - fore my face. face. Lead me, Lord.

*“Sea Change”**... To Respond to God's Word ...***INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

If you wish to make a public profession of faith in Christ, join Second Baptist Church or answer a calling from God to do some work of ministry, come forward during the hymn of response and share that decision with the pastor who extends the invitation.

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***HYMN OF RESPONSE**

ST. AGNES

Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive

1. "For - give our sins as we for - give," you taught us, Lord, to pray,
 2. How can your par - don reach and bless the un - for - giv - ing heart,
 3. Lord, cleanse the depths with - in our souls, and bid re - sent - ment cease;

but you a - lone can grant us grace to live the words we say.
 that broods on wrongs and will not let old bit - ter - ness de - part?
 then, bound to all in bonds of love, our lives will spread your peace.

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

. . . To Love and Serve the World with God. Amen.

***CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**

GO WITH GOD

Go With God

Go with God into the world.

There may be someone who will find the Lord through you.

What you say and what you do can show the world that our Savior lives.

We're His heart and we're His hands,

And in His name let us go forth to share His love.

As we go into the world may we be called and may we all go with God. Go with God.

***PASTORAL BENEDICTION**

Jake Maxwell

***POSTLUDE**

Mark Chaney

March

Flor Peeters (1903-1986)

WORSHIP NOTES

LISTENING DEVICES are available. Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CHILDREN'S TIME: All boys and girls are invited to come forward for this special worship opportunity. Following Children's Time, children ages 4-5 years are invited to attend Preschool Praise in Room 102 of the Children's Wing.

ARTWORK IN TODAY'S SERVICE: High Tide and Low Tide, Baiba Redere (b. 20th Century) , from Saatchi Art. <https://images.saatchiart.com/saatchi/904860/art/5433635/4503447-HSC00001-7.jpg> [retrieved February 17, 2022].



⌘ 8:30 a.m. worship service only *Those who are able are invited to stand † 10:45 a.m. worship service only

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