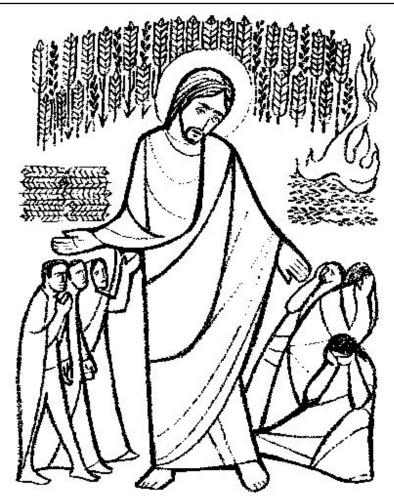
BAPTIST CHURCH

4323 South Brook Street, Louisville, KY 40214



SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 11 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP, JULY 19, 2020 + + +

WELCOME | We invite you to add your heart and voice to the worship this morning as we continue into this season that has been called the "Year of the Church," the long season of Sundays after Pentecost when the worship focuses the people's attention on their call to ministry in Christ's name. Let us consider our commission from our ascended Lord and the empowerment we have received by the Spirit.

-The Gathering-

V OU DID 110^T RECEIVE the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but

Opening Sentences

I you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs-heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. Entrance Hymn A Child of the King **BUELL/ SUMNER** Fa - ther is rich in hous - es and lands, He hold-eth the 1. Mv 2. My Fa-ther's own Son, the Sav - ior of men, Once wan-dered on 3. I once was an out - cast stran-ger on sin - ner by earth, A 4. A tent or cot - tage, why should I care? They're build-ing a a : : wealth of the world in His hands! Of ru-bies and dia-monds, of earth as the poor-est of them; But now He plead-ing is our choice, and an al - ien by birth; But I've been a - dopt-ed, my pal - ace for there; Tho' me ex - iled from o - ver home, yet, gold, His cof-fers are full, He has rich - es un - told. sil - ver and high, That we may be His when He comes by par - don on and by. down, An heir to a man-sion, a robe, and a name's writ-ten crown. still I may sing: All glo - ry to God, I'm a child of the King. CHORUS ľm child of King, child the King: the of King. With Je – sus my Sav - ior I'm a child of the Acclamation & Prayer for Purity

Leader This is the day that the Lord has made. All Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Romans 8:15-17



Opening Prayer

-Service of the Word-

Old Testament

Isaiah 55:44:6-8

THUS SAYS THE LORD, the King of Israel and his Redeemer, the LORD of hosts: "I am the first and I am the last; besides me there is no god. ⁷ Who is like me? Let him proclaim it. Let him declare and set it before me, since I appointed an ancient people. Let them declare what is to come, and what will happen. ⁸ Fear not, nor be afraid; have I not told you from of old and declared it? And you are my witnesses! Is there a God besides me? There is no Rock; I know not any."

Leader sings

GOSPEL SONG Mighty Good Book

THERE'S A MIGHTY GOOD BOOK and it tells the story; it's the Bible on a shelf. Well you know the names and you know the stories. Have you ever read it for yourself?

It's a mighty good book, it's a mighty good book of the man who died on the way. It's a mighty good book, it's a mighty good book, and it's just as true today.

For it tells of the hill in the land of Zion where they took a man who made no crime, while the wicked watched, and the women crying, and the sun refused to shine.

Now there's gonna come a day when you go to glory, and you're gonna hear the master's call.

Are you gonna wish you read the story of when Jesus paid it all?



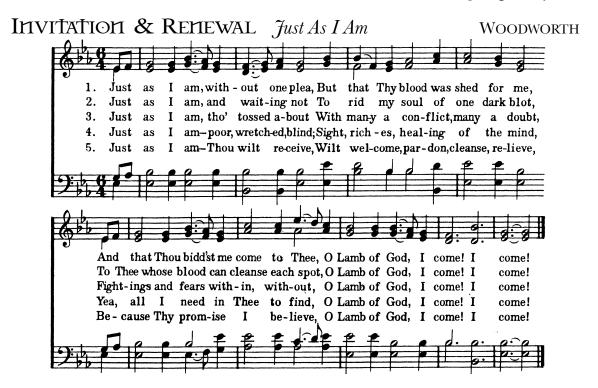
HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 13:24-30; 36-43

TESUS PUT AMOTHER PARABLE before them, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field, ²⁵ but while his men were sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat and went away. ²⁶ So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared also. 27 And the servants of the master of the house came and said to him, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? How then does it have weeds?' ²⁸ He said to them, 'An enemy has done this.' So the servants said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?' ²⁹ But he said, 'No, lest in gathering the weeds you root up the wheat along with them. ³⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, "Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn."" ³⁶ Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples came to him, saying, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field." ³⁷ He answered, "The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man. ³⁸ The field is the world, and the good seed is the sons of the kingdom. The weeds are the sons of the evil one, ³⁹ and the enemy who sowed them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. ⁴⁰ Just as the weeds are gathered and burned with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. ⁴¹ The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will gather out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all law-breakers, ⁴² and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. ⁴³ Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. He who has ears, let him hear."

Sermon

Brother Joseph Payton



-Sending Forth-

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For the Church; the nation; the world; the community; the suffering; the lost; the bereaved

BLESSING & DISMISSAL Seek Ye First

KAREN LAFFERTYⁱⁱ

S EEK YE FIRST the kingdom of God and its righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

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Worship During COVID-19 Outbreak

A s we open our doors again for Sunday morning worship gatherings, we will follow the suggested guidelines of distancing, hygiene, and sanitation. We will do our part to provide a clean and safe environment, but please take responsibility for your health and that of your household.

- Please stay at home if you or anyone in your household have a fever or signs of illness, and consider also whether you are in a high risk category for being vulnerable to the virus.
- Sit at least six feet apart from anyone who does not live in your household.
- Masks are recommended when attending, unless other health reasons prevent you from wearing one. When not wearing a mask, please be mindful of your distance to others as you speak or sing.
- There is no Sunday School or Sunday Evening Service for the time being. There will be Wednesday Evening Prayer at 6 p.m.
- We will not pass offering plates during the service. Plates are available in the back.
- We will not share physical greetings during or after the service. Please allow space between yourself and others as we dismiss.
- All service hymns and readings will be printed in the bulletin to prevent the need to touch hymnals or pew Bibles.
- Please remain in the sanctuary and use the upstairs restroom when needed. The rest of the building is closed; if you need to access something in the building, please let the pastor know. This will help us focus our sanitation on essential areas.
- After using the restroom, please use the available cleaners to spray and wipe any surfaces that you touch.

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