

# Brookview BAPTIST CHURCH

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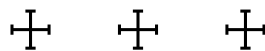
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TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
11 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP, AUGUST 9, 2020



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.

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# —The Gathering—

## OPENING SENTENCES

*Psalm 85:8-9*

**L**ET ME HEAR what God the LORD will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but let them not turn back to folly. Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him, that glory may dwell in our land.

## ENTRANCE HYMN *Near to the Heart of God*

MCAFFEE

1. There is a place of quiet rest, Near to the heart of God,  
2. There is a place of comfort sweet, Near to the heart of God,  
3. There is a place of full release, Near to the heart of God,  
A place where sin cannot molest, Near to the heart of God.  
A place where we our Savior meet, Near to the heart of God.  
A place where all is joy and peace, Near to the heart of God.

*Refrain*  
O Jesus, blest Redeemer, Sent from the heart of God,  
Hold us who wait before Thee Near to the heart of God.

## ACCLAMATION & PRAYER FOR PURITY

*Leader* This is the day that the Lord has made.

*All* Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

1. For the beau-ty of the earth, For the glo-ry of the skies,  
 2. For the won-der of each hour Of the day and of the night,  
 3. For the joy of hu-man love, Broth-er, sis-ter, par-ent, child,  
 4. For Thy Church that ev-er-more Lift-eth ho-ly hands a-bove,  
 For the love which from our birth O-ver and a-round us lies:  
 Hill and vale and tree and flow'r, Sun and moon and stars of light:  
 Friends on earth and friends a-bove, For all gen-tle thoughts and mild:  
 Of-f'ring up on ev-'ry shore Her pure sac-ri-ri-ty of love:  
 Christ our God, to Thee we raise This our hymn of grate-ful praise.

## OPENING PRAYER

## —Service of the Word—

## OLD TESTAMENT

1 Kings 19:9, 11-13

**T**HERE ELIJAH CAME TO A CAVE and lodged in it. And behold, the word of the Lord came to him, and he said to him, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” <sup>11</sup> And he said, “Go out and stand on the mount before the Lord.” And behold, the Lord passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake. <sup>12</sup> And after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. <sup>13</sup> And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, “What are you doing here, Elijah?”

## SPECIAL HYMN

*Leader sings*WESLEY/ INDELIBLE GRACE<sup>1</sup>

**J**ESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL, let me to Thy bosom fly,  
 while the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high.  
 Hide me, O my Savior, hide, 'til the storm of life is past;  
 safe into the haven guide; O receive my soul at last.

2. Other refuge have I none, hangs my helpless soul on Thee;  
 leave, ah! leave me not alone, still support and comfort me.  
 All my trust on Thee is stayed, all my help from Thee I bring;  
 cover my defenseless head with the shadow of Thy wing.

3. Thou, O Christ, are all I want, more than all in Thee I find;  
raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind.  
Just and holy is Thy Name, I am all unrighteousness;  
false and full of sin I am; Thou art full of truth and grace.
4. Plenteous grace with Thee is found, grace to cover all my sin;  
let the healing streams abound; make and keep me pure within.  
Thou of life the fountain art, freely let me take of Thee;  
spring Thou up within my heart, rise to all eternity.

GOSPEL HYMN

*The Solid Rock*

MOTE/ BRADBURY

1. My hope is built on noth-ing less Than Je-sus' blood and right-eous-ness;  
2. When dark-ness veils His love-ly face, I rest on His un-chang-ing grace;  
3. His oath, His cov-e-nant, His blood Sup-port me in the whelm-ing flood;  
4. When He shall come with trum-pet sound, O may I then in Him be found,

I dare not trust the sweet-est frame, But whol-ly lean on Je-sus' name.  
In ev-'ry high and storm-y gale My an-chor holds with-in the veil.  
When all a-round my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.  
Dressed in His right-eous-ness a-lone, Fault-less to stand be-fore the throne.

REFRAIN

On Christ, the sol-id Rock, I stand- All oth-er ground is

sink-ing sand, All oth-er ground is sink-ing sand.

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 14:22-33

**I**MMEDIATELY JESUS MADE THE DISCIPLES get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. <sup>23</sup> And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, <sup>24</sup> but the boat by this time was a long way from the land, beaten by the waves, for the wind was against them. <sup>25</sup> And in the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. <sup>26</sup> But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were ter-



rified, and said, “It is a ghost!” and they cried out in fear. <sup>27</sup> But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, “Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid.” <sup>28</sup> And Peter answered him, “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” <sup>29</sup> He said, “Come.” So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. <sup>30</sup> But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, “Lord, save me.” <sup>31</sup> Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, “O you of little faith, why did you doubt?” <sup>32</sup> And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. <sup>33</sup> And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

SERMON

Brother Joseph Payton

INVITATION HYMN *Precious Lord, Take My Hand* THOMAS DORSEY

*Prayerfully*

1. Pre-cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, help me stand; I am  
 2. When my way grows drear, Pre-cious Lord, lin-ger near; When my  
 tired, I am weak, I am worn; Thru the storm, thru the night, Lead me  
 life is al-most gone, Hear my cry, hear my call, Hold my  
 on to the light; Take my hand, pre-cious Lord, lead me home.  
 hand lest I fall; Take my hand, pre-cious Lord, lead me home.

—Sending Forth—

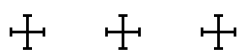
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

BLESSING & DISMISSAL *Seek Ye First*

KAREN LAFFERTY<sup>ii</sup>

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



## WORSHIP DURING COVID-19 OUTBREAK

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As 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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