BAPTIST CHURCH

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MINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 11 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP, OCTOBER 11, 2020

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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.

If would like to know more about the church, baptism, or how you may join, please contact the pastor. He would love to talk with you about your important decisions for the Lord as well as to pray with you confidentially, for yourself or others.

—The Gathering— Entrance Hymn We're Marching to Zion WATTS/ LOWRY 1. Come, we that love the Lord, And let our joys be known; Join 2. Let those re - fuse to sing Who nev - er knew our God: But 3. The hill of Zi - on yields A thou-sand sa cred sweets Be -4. Then let our songs a-bound, And ev - 'ry tear be dry; We're a song with sweet ac - cord, a song with sweet ac - cord, Join in in the heav'n-ly King chil - dren of dren of the heav'n - ly King, But chil-dren of the heav'n-ly King we reach the heav'n - ly fields, Be - fore we reach the heav'n-ly fields fore march-ing through Im - man-uel's ground, We're march-ing through Im - man-uel's ground And thus sur round the throne, And thus sur - round the throne. May speak their joys a - broad, May speak their joys a - broad. Or walk the gold - en streets, Or walk the gold - en streets. To fair - er worlds on high, To fair - er worlds on high. Zi - on, Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful Zi - on; We're We're march - ing to Zi - on, We're march-ing on to march - ing up-ward to Zi on, The beau-ti-ful cit-y of God. Zi - on, Zi-on, (segue)

ACCLAMATION & PRAYER FOR PURITY Leader This is the day that the Lord has made. All Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

SUMMARY OF THE LAW

cf. Mark 12:29-31

HEAR, O ISRAEL, the people of the Lord: The Lord your God, the Lord, is one. Love the Lord your God with the fulness of your heart, with all your soul, your mind, your strength. And you shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no greater command than these.

9:10 F F

OPENING PRAYER

-The Service of the Word-OLD TESTAMENT

n THIS MOUNTAIN the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined. 7 And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. ⁸ He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. 9 It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

PSALM 23

HE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD; I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures.

He leads me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul and guides my path in righteousness for His names' sake.

Surely goodness and loving-kindness shall follow me all the days of my life, And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever and ever and ever.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will not fear; Thou art with me. Thy rod and Thy staff, they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup's overflowing.

Isaiah 25:6-9

KEITH GREENⁱ

HYM11 OF PRAISE For the Beauty of the Earth	Dix
 For the beau-ty of the earth, For the glo-ry of the skies, For the won-der of each hour Of the day and of the night, For the joy of hu-man love, Broth-er, sis - ter, par-ent, child, 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 - fice of love:	
Christ our God, to Thee we raise This our hymn of grate-ful praise.	

THE EPISTLE

Philippians 4:1-9

HEREFORE, MY BROTHERS, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved. ²I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord. ³ Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life. ⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. ⁵ Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; ⁶ do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. 8 Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. 9 What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me-practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.



11D AGAIN JESUS SPOKE TO THEM IN PARABLES, saying, 2 "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, ³ and sent his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. ⁴ Again he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, "See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast." ⁵ But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶ while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. ⁷ The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. 8 Then he said to his servants, 'The wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. 9 Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.' 10 And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with guests. ¹¹ "But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. 12 And he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. ¹³ Then the king said to the attendants, Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' ¹⁴ For many are called, but few are chosen."

Sermon

Brother Joseph Payton



-The 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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