

The Worship of God

October 18, 2020

10:00 am

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

First Baptist Church

Gainesville, Florida

Invitation to Worship

Dr. Eric Spivey

Call to Worship

Eric Spivey, Lynn Williams and Donn Wisdom

Paraphrase of the Lord's Prayer by St. Francis of Assisi

OUR FATHER

Most holy, our Creator and Redeemer, our Savior and our Comforter.

WHO ART IN HEAVEN

With the angels and the saints, giving them light to know you, since you, Lord, are light; setting them afire to love you, since you, Lord, are love; dwelling in them and giving them fullness of joy, since you, Lord, are the supreme, eternal good, and all good comes from you.

HALLOWED BY THY NAME

May we grow to know you better and better and so appreciate the extent of your favors, the scope of your promises, the grandeur of your majesty, and the depth of your judgments.

THY KINGDOM COME

So that you may reign in us by your grace, and bring us to your kingdom, Where we shall see you clearly, love you perfectly and, happy in your company, enjoy you forever.

THY WILL BE DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN

So that we may love you with all our heart, by always having you in mind; With all our soul, be always longing for you; with all our mind, by determining to seek your glory in everything, and with all our strength, of body and soul, by lovingly serving you alone. May we love our neighbors as ourselves, and encourage them all to love you, by bearing our share in the joys and sorrow of others, while giving offense to no one.

GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD

Your beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, so that we may remember and appreciate how much He loved us, and everything he said and did and suffered.

AND FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES

In your immeasurable mercy, by virtue of the passion of your Son.

AS WE FORGIVE THOSE WHO TRESPASS AGAINST US

And if we do not forgive perfectly, Lord, make us forgive perfectly,
so that, for love of you, we may really forgive our enemies,
and fervently pray to you for them, returning no one evil for evil,
but trying to serve you in everyone.

AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION

Be it hidden or obvious, sudden or persistent.

BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL

Past, present or future. Amen.

Song of Prayer – *The Lord’s Prayer* - #431

Words based on Mathew 6:9-13, music by Albert Hay Malotte MALOTTE

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Invocation

Tim Swain

Song of Testimony – *God’s Power Is Revealed Through Prayer*

Words by Donn Wisdom, music att. to Johann Michael Haydn LYONS

God’s pow’r is revealed through prayer and through lives
submitted to Him, in whom He abides.
He listens, and listens to us without fail
when asked for His guidance through all life’s travail.

God knows of our needs and hears our requests,
while molding our lives to choose what is best.
He offers His Spirit to lead us through all
of life’s solemn moments if on Him we call.

God brings us through trials and gives us a lift;
His love pervades all, each answer, each gift.
He comforts and strengthens, providing the way,
and asks for our prayers from the heart every day.

God works through His word, sustaining all lives
committed to him, in whom He resides.
He guides, holds, and shapes every question and care
of every believer who offers a prayer.

Prayers of the People

Pastor Lynn

Chorus of Prayer – *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* - #389 Celebrating Grace Hymnal
Words and music by Ken Medema © 1973 Hope Publishing Co. CHILDREN PRAYING

Lord, listen to your children praying; Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying; send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

Scripture – John 15:1-17 (New Living Translation)

Pastor Eric

Message – “Trellis: Prayer”

Pastor Eric

Responding to God’s Call

Song of Response – *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* - #413

Words and music by Helen H. Lemmel © 1922 Renewed 1950 NewSpring LEMMEL

Refrain

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face.
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of His glory and grace.

O soul are you weary and troubled, no light in the darkness you see.
There’s light for a look at the Savior, and life more abundant and free.

Refrain

Benediction

Pastor Eric

Song of Sending – *With All My Heart* - #539

Words and music by Babbie Mason © 1990 Word Music, Inc. MASON

With all my heart I want to love You Lord,
And live my life each day to know You more.
All that is in me is Yours completely;
I’ll serve You only, with all my heart.

Please remain seated until dismissed by one of our hosts. Thank you.

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Prayer
The Trellis Series: Sermon 6
October 18, 2020
John 15:7

Jesus: But if you remain in me and my words remain in you, you may ask for anything you want, and it will be granted!

John 15:7 (New Living Translation)

Sermon Guide

What was your first prayer?

_____ are prompted by the indwelling Spirit of Jesus.

Prayer: Life with Jesus expands through our _____ to God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Prayer is a learned _____.

Prayer Posture

Adoration

Supplication (Intercession)

Question for Action

What is one place you can make your sacred place of prayer?