

# Traditional Worship – 11:15 am

## Prelude

### **Call to Worship: Psalm 100 (NIV) ..... People**

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth. Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs. Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.

### **\*Doxology ..... No. 731**

*\*Indicates standing for those who are able*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### **\*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation ..... Pastor Brown**

### **\*Hymn: All People That on Earth Do Dwell ..... No. 1**

### **Reading of God's Moral Law: The Ten Commandments ..... People**

And God spoke all these words, saying,  
"I am the Lord your God; you shall have no other gods before me.  
You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them.  
You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.  
Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God.  
Honor your father and your mother.

You shall not murder.  
You shall not commit adultery.  
You shall not steal.  
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.  
You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.”

**Private Prayers of Confession ..... People**

**God’s Assurance of Forgiveness ..... Psalm 103:8-12 (NIV)**

*The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever; he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.*

**\*Hymn: Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness .....No. 520**

**Confession of Faith: The Apostles’ Creed ..... People**

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth:

I believe in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended into hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit;  
the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Dedication of Tithes & Offerings ..... Pastor Brown**

*Giving: box at the back of the sanctuary or faithwilmington.com/giving  
or Text "Give \$\_" to 844-697-1460*

**Lord's Prayer ..... People**

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

**Special Music: How Deep the Father's Love For Us ..... Getty/Townend**

*David Giardiniere, piano*

**Scripture: Ephesians 4:32 ..... pew Bible page 1159**

**Prayer of Illumination**

**Sermon: Tenderizing our Hearts ..... Rev. James O. Brown, Jr.**

**Prayers of Commitment**

*Prayer for Those Seeking God: God, I long to know you in a personal relationship. I desire faith to trust that you are real and that you are found by all who seek you. Please honor my longings by having your Spirit work in me to draw me to you.*

*Prayer for Those Receiving Christ: Father, I have offended you by my words, actions and thoughts. There is nothing I can do to reconcile myself to you. I believe the words of Jesus Christ that no one can come to you except through him. I now accept the crucified and risen Christ as the only acceptable payment that could ever be made for my sin. I desire to follow and obey him.*

**\*Hymn: Have Thine Own Way, Lord! ..... No. 688**

**\*Benediction ..... Ephesians 3:20-21 (NIV)**

*Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.*

**\*Postlude**

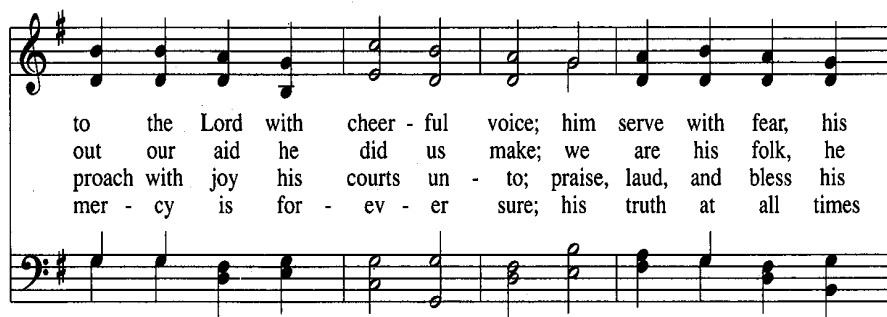
# All People That on Earth Do Dwell

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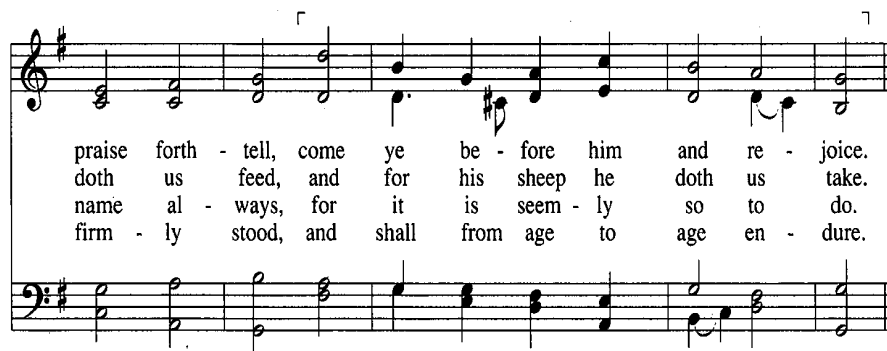
*Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth. Ps. 100:1*



1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, sing  
 2. The Lord ye know is God in - deed; with -  
 3. O en - ter then his gates with praise, ap -  
 4. For why? The Lord our God is good, his



to the Lord with cheer - ful voice; him serve with fear, his  
 out our aid he did us make; we are his folk, he  
 proach with joy his courts un - to; praise, laud, and bless his  
 mer - cy is for - ev - er sure; his truth at all times



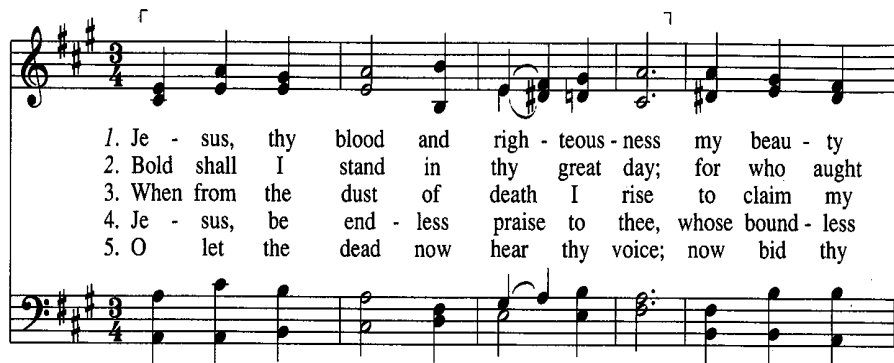
praise forth - tell, come ye be - fore him and re - joice.  
 doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.  
 name al - ways, for it is seem - ly so to do.  
 firm - ly stood, and shall from age to age en - dure.

# Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

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*Justified freely by his grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus.*


Rom. 3:24



1. Je - sus, thy blood and righ - teous - ness my beau - ty  
 2. Bold shall I stand in thy great day; for who aught  
 3. When from the dust of death I rise to claim my  
 4. Je - sus, be end - less praise to thee, whose bound - less  
 5. O let the dead now hear thy voice; now bid thy



are, my glo - rious dress; 'midst flam - ing worlds, in  
 to my charge shall lay? Ful - ly ab - solved through  
 • man - sion in the skies, ev'n then this shall be  
 mer - cy hath for me— for me a full a -  
 ban - ished ones re - joice; their beau - ty this, their



these ar - rayed, with joy shall I lift up my head.  
 these I am from sin and fear, from guilt and shame.  
 • all my plea, Je - sus hath lived, hath died, for me.  
 tone - ment made, an ev - er - last - ing ran - som paid.  
 glo - rious dress, Je - sus, thy blood and righ - teous - ness.

# Have Thine Own Way, Lord!

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*Does not the potter have the right to make out of ... clay some pottery  
for noble purposes? Rom. 9:21*

Capo 1: ♮ (D) (G/D) (D) (A<sup>7</sup>) 7

1. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 2. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 3. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
 4. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!

(F♯m/A) (A<sup>7</sup>) (D)

Thou art the pot - ter; I am the clay.  
 Search me and try me, Mas - ter, to - day!  
 Wound - ed and wea - ry, help me, I pray!  
 Hold o'er my be - ing ab - so - lute sway!

(G/D) (D) (D<sup>7</sup>) (G)

Mold me and make me af - ter thy will,  
 Whit - er than snow, Lord, wash me just now,  
 Pow - er, all pow - er, sure - ly is thine!  
 Fill with thy Spir - it till all shall see

♮ (D/A) (A<sup>7</sup>) (D) 7

while I am wait - ing, yield - ed and still.  
 as in thy pres - ence hum - bly I bow.  
 Touch me and heal me, Sav - ior di - vine!  
 Christ on - ly, al - ways, liv - ing in me!

# Announcements

*FaithWilmington.com/announcements*

PRAYER CHAIN: *FaithWilmington.com/community/prayer-requests*

## TODAY AT FAITH

Happy Father's Day!

12:30 pm Visitation Day

2:15 pm Mary Campbell Center Service

## THIS WEEK AT FAITH

M, 6/16	T, 6/17	R, 6/19	Sa, 6/21
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Hartzell YIH CG</li><li>▪ Women's Coffee</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Men's Bible Study</li><li>▪ Youth Missions Meeting</li><li>▪ Deacons Meeting</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Worship Team</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Men's Bible Study</li><li>▪ VBS Volunteer Breakfast Training</li></ul>

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

- June 23-27; 9:00 am – 12:00 pm; VBS Sunday luau picnic: 12:15 pm
- Ages 4 years old through 5th grade; free online registration is open: [www.bit.ly/vbs2025fpc](http://www.bit.ly/vbs2025fpc)
- Youth and adult volunteers from Faith are needed for the week of VBS or in preparation before (contact [melissa@faithwilmington.com](mailto:melissa@faithwilmington.com))
- Volunteer training/breakfast/decorating: Saturday, June 21; 9:00 am

## VISITATION DAY

- Today, Sunday, June 15; 12:30 pm; carpool from the Gathering Space
- We weekly have members unable to attend worship, but who would be blessed by a friendly visit. Can you serve by giving a few hours?
- Contact Vickie Fender if you plan to join this visit or a future one – 302-475-2445 or [VicFend@aol.com](mailto:VicFend@aol.com)
- Visits occur on the third Sunday of each month

## WOMEN'S COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

- Tomorrow, Monday, June 16; Panera Bread, Fairfax; 6:30 - 8:00 pm
- Informal gathering to get to know other women at Faith
- Meets on the third Monday of each month
- Contact Sau Lan Staats with questions ([womenscoffeefpc@gmail.com](mailto:womenscoffeefpc@gmail.com))



## **WOMEN'S OPEN HOUSE - MEET THE BRIDE**

- Tuesday, June 24; 6:30 – 8:00 pm; Gathering Space for cake & punch
- Join us in welcoming David Koslowsky's new wife, Lea, to Faith Church
- To bless the couple with a gift visit [myregistry.com](http://myregistry.com) or [zola.com](http://zola.com)

## **SUNDAY BREAKFAST MISSION: SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE**

- Collection bin in the Gathering Space through July 20
- If you'd like to help with distribution the morning of August 9, contact [bdavison@sundaybreakfastmission.org](mailto:bdavison@sundaybreakfastmission.org)
- Supplies Needed: Backpacks, notebook paper, 2" 3-ring binders, spiral notebooks, composition books, pocket folders, scissors, washable glue, rulers, cap erasers, pencil pouches, sharpeners, colored pencils, washable markers, & earbuds

## **UPCOMING SUMMER ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES:**

*June 22 – August 31*

### **Defending Faith**

The apostle Peter writes "Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have".

This class will help you strengthen your faith, and give reasons for your faith to others as you share the Gospel to a hurting world. We will see that science is actually on the Christian believer's side, as well as show that the Bible itself can show its authenticity clearly to anyone with an open mind.

Teacher: Jay Hettler

Location: Bob Gray Chapel

### **Early Church History: The Apostolic Fathers**

"Any study of the writing of the New Testament...would be incomplete without a...review of the Christian literature that was written immediately after the days of the apostles" (R. Laird Harris, *Your Bible: An Introduction to the Word*, p.38). This course covers the writings of the Apostolic Fathers and the connection of these writings to the books of the Bible. We explore the leadership structure of the 2nd-century church. We discuss the letters of Clement of Rome, Ignatius of Antioch, Polycarp of Smyrna, Papias of Hierapolis, and others. We examine the terrible heresies and persecutions faced by the church at that time.

Teacher: Sal Tremonte

Location: Adult Learning 2