



Our Worship of God

January 21, 2024

11:15 am

(† Indicates those who are able, please stand)

Welcome

Pastor Brittany McDonald Null

†Prelude

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer
Colleen Ostercamp, *organ*

arr. G. Krapf

†Call to Worship (responsive)

Our souls wait in silence;

our hope rests in God

our rock

our salvation

our refuge.

We will not be shaken.

In this time of worship,

we pour out our hearts

because we trust in God's steadfast love.

†Opening Hymn 612

How Firm a Foundation

†Passing the Peace of Christ

Scripture Reading

Crystal Wiggins

Psalm 62:5-12

For God alone my soul waits in silence,
for my hope is from him.
He alone is my rock and my salvation,
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.
On God rests my deliverance and my honor;
my mighty rock, my refuge is in God.
Trust in him at all times, O people;
pour out your heart before him;
God is a refuge for us. *Selah*
Those of low estate are but a breath;
those of high estate are a delusion;
in the balances they go up;
they are together lighter than a breath.
Put no confidence in extortion,
and set no vain hopes on robbery;
if riches increase, do not set your heart on them.
Once God has spoken;
twice have I heard this:
that power belongs to God,
and steadfast love belongs to you, O Lord.
For you repay to all
according to their work.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

†Hymn of Response 516

Be Still and Know

Our Father who 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 sin, as we forgive those who sin against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sharing Our Gifts

Anthem

Holy, Holy, Holy
Chancel Choir

arr. Noah Hartsfield

Message

Dr. Brian Kaylor

†Hymn of Commitment 609

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Life of the Church

Pastor Brittany McDonald Null

†Benediction

†Postlude

Come, Christians, Join to Sing
Colleen Ostercamp, *organ*

arr. H. Helvey

Worship Notes

Call to Worship, ~ written by Joanna Harader and posted on Spacious Faith. <https://spaciousfaith.com/>

How Firm a Foundation, Words: Rippon's Selection of Hymns, 1787. Music: Traditional American melody; Funk's Genuine Church Music, 1832.

Be Still and Know, Words: Anonymous; para. of Psalm 43:10, 7:1, Exodus 15:26. Music: Anonymous; arr. Jack Schrader, 1988.

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms, Words: Elisha A. Hoffman, 1887. Music: Anthony J. Showalter, 1887.

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Week at a Glance

Sunday, January 21

- 9:10 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
- 9:15 am Awakening Worship in the Fellowship Hall
- 10:15 am Annual Business Meeting in the Fellowship Hall
& First Kids Sunday School
- 11:15 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

Tuesday, January 23

- 1:00 pm Crafty Critters in the Conference Room

Wednesday, January 24

- 5:30 pm The Calling Dinner
- 6:00 pm The Calling Meeting
- 6:30-7:30 pm Chancel Bells

Thursday, January 25

- 10:30 am First Baptist Women's Zoom Book Study

Sunday, January 28

- 9:10 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
- 9:15 am Awakening Worship in the Fellowship Hall
- 10:15 am Spiritual Formation Hour –Adult, Youth & First Kids Sunday School
- 11:15 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

Announcements

Visitors

If you are visiting, we are so glad to have you with us! If you would like to receive more information about First Baptist and our ministries, you can fill out a connection card at the welcome table, scan the QR code in the bulletin, or visit our website at fbc-columbia.org/connect



Join Chancel Bells!

The Chancel Bells are starting up again for the new year on Wednesday, January 17 at 6:30 pm. If you are interested in joining this wonderful group please let Handbell Director Noah Hartsfield know. Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm (nursery care is available) and open to friends and musicians of all abilities! Whether you are 10 years old or 110 years old; and regardless of whether you've ever rung a handbell - we have a spot for you! Can't read music, no problem! We can teach you and you are only responsible for two notes! If you have questions or are interested in ringing, please reach out to Noah at nhartsfield2010@gmail.com.



Brunch Worship February 4

Our next Brunch Worship will be held on February 4. Immediately following Brunch Worship, the self-study Committee will present a summary of the Pastor Skills, Characteristics, and Tasks sections of the survey and conversations will focus on the skills and responsibilities of our next Senior Pastor.

Winter Weather Cancellation Policy

Should severe snow, ice, or other inclement weather fall on the weekend, Sunday morning Awakening Worship and Small Groups will be canceled; we will join together in one combined 11:15 am worship service.

On the weekdays, our policy is to cancel all scheduled church events if Columbia Public Schools are canceled. Depending on the severity of the weather, the office may remain open. Call ahead to verify.

Notification of cancelations will be made on the church Facebook page or at these local media stations: KFRU (1400 AM), KPLA (101.5 FM), Zimmer Radio Groups, KOMUTV8, and KMIZ-TV17. We will be listed as First Baptist Church-Columbia.

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21 JAN	Brian Kaylor
28 JAN	CJ Duffie
4 FEB	Brunch Worship
11 FEB	Caleb Cooke, <i>Pastoral Resident</i>
18 FEB	Pastor Brittany McDonald Null
26 FEB	Greg Hunt, <i>Interim Pastor</i>

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HISTORY

200th Anniversary Celebration History Book

We are publishing a hard-bound, archival-quality book to preserve and document our history. This book is 869 pages, including 26 color photos and the 2018 and 2023 churchwide photos. The book will be published early in 2024. Personal copies are available for \$85 each. You can order a book using the QR code. A sample copy is on display in the History Room. Please email Ken Hammann if you have questions about the book at krhammann@gmail.com.



Sealing of the Time Capsule

Join us in the Church entrance lobby for the sealing of the Time Capsule on January 28 at 10:15am. This is the final event of our 200th Anniversary celebration. At this point we have mostly electronic media containing the Church's archives and a copy of the 869 page History Book that was published as part of the recognition of our 200 year history. If you have anything that you would like to contribute or suggest be included in the Capsule please contact Randy Wyatt (sterlingwyatt@icloud.com) or Ken Hammann (krhammann@gmail.com). The capsule is scheduled to be sealed for 50 years, to be opened on November 22, 2073. There will also be secondary storage of historical items that cannot fit in the Time Capsule on the 4th floor of the Education Building.



Meet Our Guest Preacher!

Today, we welcome our guest preacher, Dr. Brian Kaylor. Dr. Kaylor is the president & editor-in-chief of Word&Way, is a Baptist minister with a Ph.D. in communication from the University of Missouri.



Rev. Brittany McDonald Null, Pastor of Families and Spiritual Formation

Caleb Cooke, Pastoral Resident

Jonathan Ray, Music Director-Traditional Worship

Shelby Myers, Awakening Worship Praise Band Director

Colleen Ostercamp, Pianist and Organist

Noah Hartsfield, Handbell Director

Susan Goudie, Administrative Assistant

Brenda Rice, Administrative Assistant for Web, Facilities, and Arts

Mike Ide, Custodian

Marcy Douglas, Childcare Coordinator

Ella Pritchett, Student Intern