

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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**GREETING AND CALL TO WORSHIP** Sue Ellen Glover

**PRELUDE** Prelude in A Major -- *J.S. Bach*

**\*INVOCATION** Alex Dasilva

**\*HYMN 102** Now thank we all our God *NUN DANKET*  
(The receiving of Prayer Concern cards)

**\*THE PSALM** Psalm 91:1-2, 11-12, 15-16

Leader: You who live in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty, will say to the Lord,

People: "My refuge, my fortress, my God in whom I trust."

Leader: God will command angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways. They shall bear you upon their hands, lest you strike your foot against a stone.

People: When you call, I shall answer, "Here I am." I will save you in distress and give you glory.

All: With long life I will satisfy you. I shall let you see my saving power.

**EPISTLE READING** Romans 10:8b-13 Alex Dasilva

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

**ANTHEM** I wonder as I wander - *arr. John Jacob Niles*

I wonder as I wander out under the sky, If Jesus had wanted for any wee thing,  
How Jesus the Savior did come for to die. A star in the sky, or a bird on the wing,  
For poor on'ry people like you and like I. Or all of God's angels in heav'n for to sing,  
I wonder as I wander out under the sky. He surely could have it, 'cause he was the King.

When Mary birthed Jesus 'twas in a cow's stall,  
With wise men and farmers and shepherds and all.  
But high from God's heaven a star's light did fall,  
And the promise of ages it then did recall.

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** Beth Foster

Lord's Prayer ("debts") on hymnal page 896

**\*GOSPEL READING** Luke 4:1-13 Paul Simpson Duke

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

**TIME AS CHILDREN** Sue Ellen Glover

**\*HYMN 519** Lift every voice and sing *LIFT EVERY VOICE*  
(Preschool – 3rd Grade may leave for Child Care or Children's Worship at this time)

**SERMON** *Necessary Refusals* Paul Simpson Duke

**SILENT REFLECTION**

**OFFERING OF GIFTS** Ubi caritas -- *Ola Gjeilo*

Where charity and love are found, God is there.  
The love of Christ has gathered us together.  
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.  
Let us revere and love the living God.  
And from a sincere heart let us love one another. Amen.

**\*DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**\*HYMN 577** God of grace and God of glory *CWM RHONDDA*

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Prelude in e minor

-- *Nicolaus Bruhns*

\* If you are able, please stand

*The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God  
in loving memory of John Floyd, Jr.*

~ *Esther Floyd* ~

*The Prayer Concern Cards are for your use.* If you have a prayer concern in addition to those listed here, please fill out a card and pass it to the end of the aisle during the first hymn. We pray for the family of Frank Burnett, Ron Tipton, Conrad Juchartz, John Moyer, Lorrie Schleg, Bill Kerr, Ruth Loring, Elizabeth Lee, Bonnie Jensen, Alice Weaver, Mildred MacGregor, Marjorie Shannon, Dottie Casler, Patrick Baert, Kathy Kittleson, and Josephine Loew.

Stacey is visiting family in Georgia this week and will return on Saturday, February 27th.

We welcome Gale Kramer to the organ this morning and thank him for sharing his talents with us in worship today. Gale Kramer is Organist Emeritus of Metropolitan United Methodist Church, Detroit.

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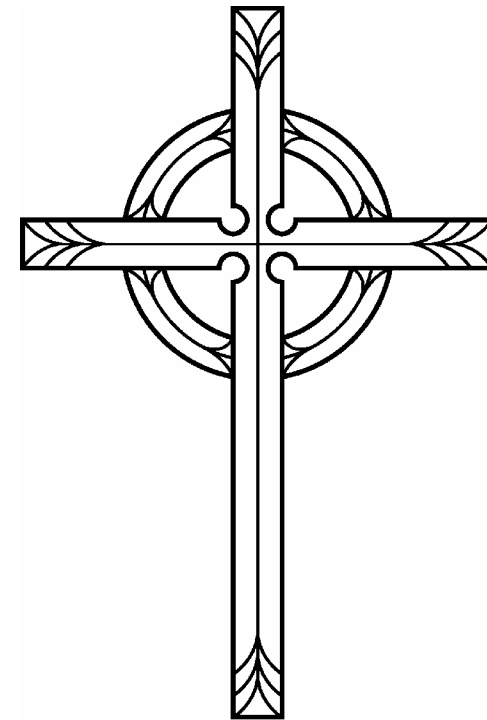
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## THE WORSHIP OF GOD



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANN ARBOR

*First Sunday in Lent*

*February 21, 2010*

*Please sign the Welcome Pad during the Offertory and pass it down the pew.  
If you are a visitor, please also fill out a yellow "Welcome" slip and place it in the offering plate.*

~ *Please turn off all cell phones and pagers. Thank you.* ~

Adult Christian Education (Sundays, 11:30 – 12:30)

The Gospel of Luke: Good News for All (Sue Ellen Glover, Leader) Lounge

During Lent, we are following Jesus on his journey to Jerusalem as it is portrayed in this Gospel. The Good News is now proclaimed with an urgency in which Jesus attempts to describe what discipleship means for his followers, for the early Church, and for us today.

Young Adult Class (Paul Simpson Duke, Leader) Room 108

This class consists of conversational Bible study, discussing the letter to the Philippians and its application to our living. "Young adult" is defined as mid-twenties to 40(ish!).

Other Adult Learning Opportunities

Wednesday Bible Study (Memorial Lounge, 1:30-2:30 p.m.)

Pastor Stacey Simpson Duke leads a study of the Gospel of Mark. Join us for fellowship and study.

Small Groups (ChristCare)

Centered on Bible study, fellowship, mission, prayer and worship, we currently have two groups: one which meets monthly and the other which meets every other week. See Stacey, Paul or Sue Ellen for more information about joining a group.

The Ragbirds Homeless Benefit Concert Ann Arbor Vineyard Homeless Ministries (our Tuesday evening and Rotating Shelter partner) are having another Homeless Benefit Concert this year. This year, The Ragbirds will take time out of their busy touring schedule to do a concert. It will take place on stage at Ann Arbor Vineyard, 2275 Platt Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 at 8 pm on Monday, March 8, 2010. Tickets are \$10.

Communion Servers Needed! If you are able to help out with this important part of the worship service, please sign up at the Information Counter. Thank you!-- The Board of Worship

Readings for next Sunday, February 28

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18 - Psalm 27 - Philippians 3:17-4:1 - Luke 13:31-35

"BreakFest 2010" A Celebration of American, Scottish and Irish Music to benefit the Breakfast at St. Andrew's program, which serves breakfast seven days a week to anyone in need. 7:00 p.m. on Friday, February 26, at The Ark. Admission \$30. Go to <http://www.breakfest2010.org> for more information.

# Announcements

We warmly welcome all those who have come to worship with us today! Everyone is invited to join the events listed in this insert. Immediately following the service, please join us downstairs in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments.

TODAY, Feb 21	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
Tuesday, Feb 23	5:30 p.m. - Vespers (Fellowship Hall)
Wednesday, Feb 24	1:30 p.m. - Bible Study (Lounge)
	5:30 p.m. - The Gathering (Campus Center)
	7:30 p.m. - Davis/Diels ChristCare (at Davis/Diels home)
Thursday, Feb 25	7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal (Room 102)
Sunday, Feb 28	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Nursery Care is available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor from 9:30 – 12:30.

Children and Youth Christian Education

All children are welcome to worship with their families. After the Time as Children portion of the worship service, preschoolers may go to the nursery for childcare and children in Kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade are invited to Children's Worship.

K - 2nd grade:

10:30 – 11:30	Children's Worship and snack (Rm. 202A)
11:30 – 12:30	Church School (Rm. 202B)

3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades

10:00 – 11:00	Worship
11:00 – 11:30	Jr. Choir (Room 102)
11:30 – 12:30	Church School (Room 201B)

Youth (7<sup>th</sup> – High School)

10:00 – 11:00	Worship
11:30 – 12:30	Church

Devotions for Lent The Board of Christian Education has made available a number of devotionals for adult and family use during Lent. These are located on the table near the Information Counter. We hope that these resources will deepen the meanings of this journey through Lent for you and your family.

Volunteers needed for Sunday coffee hour If you are able to help out with making coffee and providing cookies for Fellowship Time after the service, please sign up at the information counter. If you have questions about what is involved, please chat with Bev Inbody. Thank you!