

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING AND CALL TO WORSHIP Sue Ellen Glover

PRELUDE Prelude Modal -- Jean Langlais

*INVOCATION Jack Stearns

*HYMN 158 Come, Christians, join to sing SPANISH HYMN
(The receiving of Prayer Concern cards)

*THE PSALM Psalm 139:7-12, 18 Cameron Crowe

Leader: Lord, where can I go from your spirit? Where can I hide from your presence?

People: If I go up to the highest heaven, you are there. If I go down to death, you are there.

Leader: If I fly to the farthest limits of the sea, even there your hand will hold me..

People: If I say, 'Surely the darkness shall cover me, and even the light around me turn to darkness' –

Leader: Even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day.

All: The darkness is as light to you. I wake up – and am still with you.

*GLORIA (p. 71)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING Deuteronomy 31:11-14 Paul Simpson Duke

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM With a voice of singing – Martin Shaw

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.

Utter it even unto the ends of the earth. The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia.

O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O sing praises to the honour of his name, make his praise to be glorious.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Paul Simpson Duke

*GOSPEL READING Matthew 7:7-8 Annie Barron

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

TIME AS CHILDREN The Graduates and Sue Ellen Glover

*HYMN 405 Seek ye first SEEK YE
(Preschool – 3rd Grade may leave for Child Care or Children's Worship at this time)

SERMON Our Journeys, Our Returns Paul Simpson Duke

SILENT REFLECTION

OFFERING OF GIFTS Choral Reflections on Amazing Grace -- Roger Ames
"Dedicated to the children of the victims of September 11, 2001."

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost but now am found,
Was blind but now I see.

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Thank when we'd first begun.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
We have already come.
'Twas grace that brought us safe thus far,
And grace will lead us home.

The Lord has promised good to me,
His word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures. Alleluia.

Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison.

(Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy.)

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Confession

All: Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed,

by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will,

and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

Greeting: The peace of Christ be with you.

Response: **And also with you.**

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

The Bread and the Cup

Prayer after Communion

*HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP
(PG. 557)

Blest be the tie that binds
(1ST stanza)

DENNIS

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Sortie

-- *Louis James Alfred Lefébure-Wély*

* If you are able, please stand

*The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God
in joyful celebration of Phylis White's birthday
(she's decided to start counting backwards so she's a year younger than last year)*

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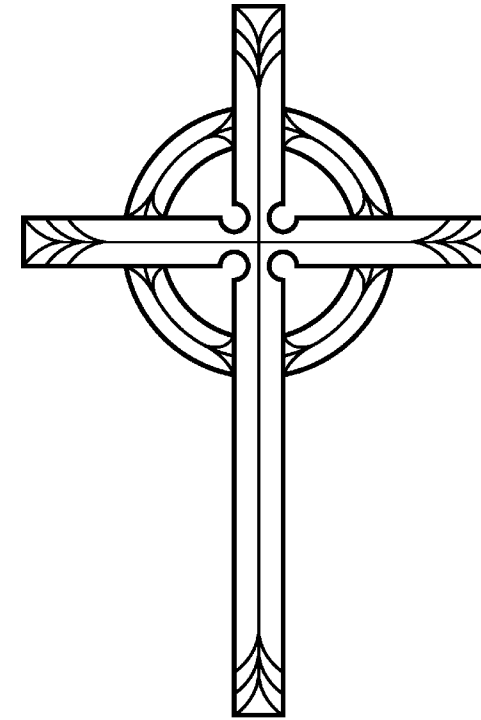
*Nancy & Thom, David & Leah, Laura & Tony;
Bill, Suzanne, Nadia & Allie; Jane & Nancy;
Carolyn, Tim, Ele, Metta, Bani & Jiva; and Suz, Eddie & JT*

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 John Moyer, Ruth Loring, Elizabeth Lee, Bonnie Jensen, Alice Weaver, Mildred MacGregor, Marjorie Shannon, Dottie Casler, Patrick Baert, Charlie Goff, Luke McNeill, and Gretchen & John Frueh.

Today's Fellowship Offering will go towards the One Great Hour of Sharing offering which empowers our American Baptist ministries of disaster relief and refugee aid, meets basic needs in Christ's name throughout the world, and extends resources that allow people to improve their own lives and communities. Please give generously.

Stacey is in Pennsylvania officiating a wedding; she returns this afternoon and will be back in the office tomorrow.

THE WORSHIP OF GOD



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANN ARBOR

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

June 6, 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. ~

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 for a special time of fellowship downstairs in the Fellowship Hall when we will honor our high school graduates, Annie Barron, Cameron Crowe and Jack Stearns.

Today, June 6	10:00 p.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
	12:30 p.m. - Board of Music & Arts (Campus Center)
	4:30 p.m. - Board of Care & Community (at Gregg home)
Monday, June 7	7:00 p.m. - Board of Outreach (Conference Room)
Tuesday, June 8	5:30 p.m. - Vespers (Fellowship Hall)
Wednesday, June 9	7:30 p.m. - Davis-Diels ChristCare (at Davis-Diels home)
Thursday, June 10	7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal (room 102)
Sunday, June 13	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Nursery Care is available on the 3rd 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 – 3rd 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)

3rd - 6th grades

10:00 – 11:00 Worship
11:00 – 12:30 Church School (Room 201B)

Youth (7th – High School)

10:00 – 11:00 Worship
11:30 – 12:30 Church School (Room 107)

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

Acts of the Apostles Lounge
(Sue Ellen Glover, Leader)

We are exploring how the Holy Spirit is empowering believers to carry the good news of Jesus Christ beyond Jerusalem and empowering them to live so that their lives are witnesses to this good news. TODAY: the travels of Paul and Silas (Chapters 16-20)

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 -- Bible Study will resume in the fall.

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.

Joel Hastings will be giving a piano concert on Saturday, June 12, at 8 pm at the Kerrytown Concert House in Ann Arbor. The program includes music of Felix Mendelssohn, Frederic Chopin and Dutch Renaissance composer Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck. For more information and ticket reservations call (734) 769 2999 or visit kerrytownconcerthouse.com. Proceeds from this concert will help to fund special maintenance work for the Steinway piano at Kerrytown Concert House.

The MacGregor-Stitt Circle will meet at 1pm on June 17th at the home of Joan Blunt. They will be planning the program for next year. (This meeting has originally been scheduled for June 10th)

Church Picnic, July 11, noon – 2:00, Allmendinger Park. Join us for lunch, games, prizes and lots of FUN! Please sign up at the Information Counter, indicating which dish you are bringing to share and the number of people who plan to attend. The Board of Christian Education will provide drinks and chicken. (We are only able to transport a few chairs and tables from the church, so please bring your own chairs or blankets if possible.)

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