

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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GREETING AND CALL TO WORSHIP Stacey Simpson Duke

PRELUDE Prelude on "We Gather Together" - *Healey Willan*

\*INVOCATION John Reed

\*HYMN 101 From all that dwells below the skies *DUKE STREET*  
(The receiving of Prayer Concern cards)

\*THE PSALM from Psalm 82

Leader: God stands in the divine assembly and gives judgment, saying,  
"How long will you judge unjustly and give partiality to the  
wicked?"

People: **Do justice for the weak and the orphan; defend the afflicted and  
the needy.**

Leader: Rescue the weak and the poor; set them free from the hand of the  
wicked.

All: **Rise up, O God, judge the earth; for all the nations belong to you!**

\*GLORIA (Hymnal, 72)

Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, Gloria! Alleluia! Alleluia! (sung twice)

EPISTLE READING Colossians 1:3-6, 11-14 John Reed

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM Invention #1 in C - *J.S. Bach*  
Sam Kidd, piano

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Stacey Simpson Duke  
Lord's Prayer ("debts") on hymnal page 896

\*GOSPEL READING Luke 10:25-37 Paul Simpson Duke

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

TIME AS CHILDREN

Stacey Simpson Duke

\*HYMN 408 The Gift of Love *GIFT OF LOVE*  
(Preschool – 3rd Grade may leave for Child Care or Children's Worship at this time)

SERMON *The View from the Ditch* Paul Simpson Duke

REFLECTION

OFFERING OF GIFTS Give Me Jesus - *arr. Harry T. Burleigh*  
Bonnie Kidd, soloist

O when I come to die,  
O when I come to die,  
O when I come to die,  
Give me Jesus.

Dark midnight was my cry,  
Dark midnight was my cry,  
Dark midnight was my cry,  
Give me Jesus.

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus  
You may have all dis worl'  
Give me Jesus.

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus  
You may have all dis worl',  
Give me Jesus.

\*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 427 (stanzas 1, 4-6) Where cross the crowded ways of life *GERMANY*

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Giga -- *Enrico Bossi*

\* If you are able, please stand

## THE WORSHIP OF GOD

*The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God  
in loving memory of Flossie & Carl Feiner's birthdays*

*~ The Suits family ~*

*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 and friends of Wayne Lamerson, John Moyer, Ruth Loring, Elizabeth Lee, Bonnie Jensen, Alice Weaver, Mildred MacGregor, Marjorie Shannon, Dottie Casler, Patrick Baert, Luke McNeill, and Gretchen & John Frueh.*

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANN ARBOR

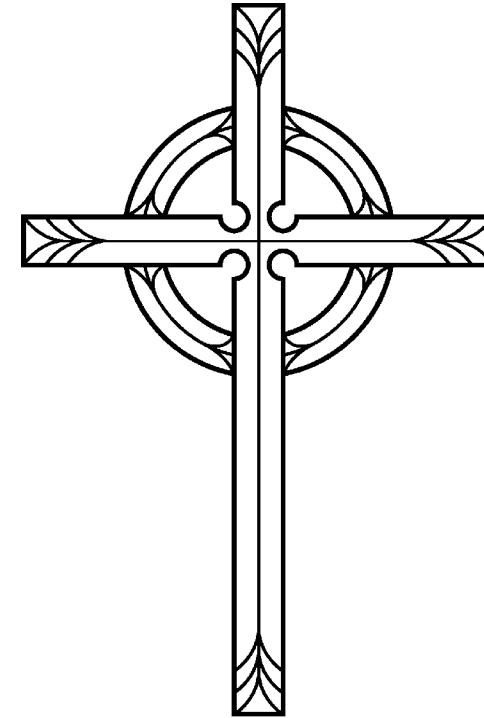
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The Reverend James Middleton, *Pastor Emeritus*



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANN ARBOR

*7th Sunday after Pentecost*

*July 11, 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. ~*

### Children and Youth Christian Education

All children are welcome to worship with their families. There is no Children's Worship today so after the Time as Children portion of the worship service, preschoolers – 6 years old may go to the nursery for childcare. Families should pick up children as soon as worship is completed.

During the month of July there are no church school classes (children, youth or adult) after worship. Classes will resume in August

### Sue Ellen is on vacation July 4-11.

### Readings for next Sunday, July 18th

Amos 8:1-12 \* Psalm 52 \* Colossians 1:15-28 \* Luke 10:38-42

Quarter-End Contribution Statements Ready The personal contribution statements for the second quarter are ready to be picked up. You will find them at the Information Counter on Sundays or in the office during the week.

VBS 2010 Growing and Showing the Fruit of God's Spirit Preparation is underway for our VBS which will be held in the evenings of August 25, 26, and 27 (Wednesday, Thursday and Friday), 5:30 – 8:00 pm. We are continuing with our curriculum and farm theme from last year, as we explore how to develop and share our Fruit of the Spirit. Farmers and farmhands (volunteers) are needed! Volunteer forms are available each Sunday on the table near the Information Counter, or you may call or email Sue Ellen. Thank you in advance for your generous response to this ministry!

Vespers Funding Needed The funding for the Tuesday night Vespers dinner is running dry. Donations are needed to keep this vital FBC ministry to the homeless alive. The fact that the homeless and hungry in our community are drawn to First Baptist for hospitality is evidence of God's grace at work—both in our lives and in the lives of those He draws to us. We are all well aware of the incapacity of our present system to provide the needed services and affordable housing that this very vulnerable population needs. Many have been through the shelter system and have come out with no placement in housing, no job, and no prospects. Through the Vespers ministry our church offers a weekly meal and the support of caring people who listen, pray for them, and offer whatever assistance we can. Vespers at FBC is a ministry of presence and a ministry of simply helping the homeless to feel valued. Please contact Sarah Heidt (734-730-5484 or [sheidt@emich.edu](mailto:sheidt@emich.edu)) if you have questions about this program and how you can get involved.

# 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, July 11	10:00 p.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
	12:00 noon - Church Picnic (Allmendinger Park)
Monday, July 12	7:30 p.m. - Board of Mission Action (Conference Room)
Tuesday, July 13	5:30 p.m. - Vespers (Fellowship Hall)
Sunday, July 18	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Nursery Care is available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor from 9:30 – 11:30.

### Art Fair Parking Lot Volunteers Needed!

The Art Fairs will soon be here – and once again we are renting out the church parking lot to raise funds for the Youth program and our Sister Church in Nicaragua. The artists (and their motorhomes, vans, trucks and trailers) begin arriving Monday, July 14, and starting on that date the church parking lot will be off limits for the whole week unless you are on church business. (Please ask the volunteer on duty where you should park when coming on church business.) If you want to shop at the art fairs, we always provide parking for our congregation (for a donation, please).

Many volunteers are needed to supervise the lot. Please sign up at the Information Counter. You will be helping to raise over \$2000 for our Youth and our Sister Church in Nandasmo. In addition to our gratitude, volunteers "earn" a free half-day parking spot to be used any time during the Fairs!

Church Picnic, TODAY, noon - 2:00, Allmendinger Park Join us for lunch, games, prizes and lots of FUN! 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.)

The FBC Ladies Book Club will meet July 20th at 7 pm to discuss "Little Bee" by Chris Cleave. We will meet at Tammy Cannell's house. Please contact Janice Stumpf at 663-4871 or [jlstumpf@umich.edu](mailto:jlstumpf@umich.edu) for more information. All readers (even those who don't quite make it through the book) are welcome!