ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING AND CALL TO WORSHIP — Paul Simpson Duke

PRELUDE — *Modéré* from *Trois Entrées, Op. 21* — - Charles Tournemire (1870-1939, French)

*INVOCATION — Peyton Kerns
(*If you are able, please stand)

*HYMN 465 — Holy Spirit, Truth Divine — *CANTERBURY*
(The receiving of Prayer Concern cards)

*THE PSALM — from Psalm 40 — Peyton Kerns

Leader: I waited patiently for the Lord, who inclined to me and heard my cry.
People: The Lord drew me up from the desolate pit, out of the miry bog, set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.
Leader: The Lord put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God!
People: Many will see and be in awe, and put their trust in the Lord.
All: O Lord, let your steadfast love and faithfulness ever preserve me!

*GLORIA (Hymn 72, sung twice)

Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, Gloria! Alleluia! Alleluia!

KNOWING AND LOVING OUR NEIGHBORS — Sheri Wander
M.I.S.S.I.O.N and Meta Peace Team

EPISTLE READING — Philippians 2:1-5 — Stacey Simpson Duke

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM — *Walk in the Light* — - arr. André Thomas

We'll walk in the light, beautiful light, come where the dewdrops of mercy shine bright.
Shine all around us by day and by night, Jesus, the Light of the world.
Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King," *Refrain*
Hail the heav'n-born Prince of Peace! Christ, the everlasting Lord! *Refrain*

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

*GOSPEL READING — John 1:35-42 — Peyton Kerns

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

CONGREGATIONAL SONG (Hymn 192, v.6) — There's a Spirit in the Air
(Children 5th grade and younger come forward while we sing)

May the Spirit fill our praise,
Guide our thoughts and change our ways:
God in Christ has come to stay.
Live tomorrow's life today.

TIME AS CHILDREN — Xan Morgan

*HYMN (see insert) — Community — Composer: Dave Brown
(Children 5th grade and younger leave for Church School.)

SERMON — *Reboot: Commitment and Community* — Stacey Simpson Duke

SILENT REFLECTION

OFFERING OF GIFTS — *My Soul, O God, Longs for Thee* — - Michael McCabe

As longs the deer for cooling streams in parched and barren ways,
So longs my soul, O God, for thee and thy refreshing grace
For thee, my God, the living God, my thirsty soul doth pine;
O when shall I behold thy face, thou majesty divine?
Why restless, why cast down, my soul? Hope still and thou shalt sing
The praise of him who is thy God, thy health's eternal spring.
To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, the God whom we adore
Be glory as it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

*DOXOLOGY
(You are welcome to sing the printed words, traditional words (hymnal, p.95), or other words that express praise to God.)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, you heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN (see insert) The Servant Song *THE SERVANT SONG*

*PASSING OF THE PEACE
Greeting: May the peace of Christ be with you.
Response: And also with you.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Toccata in D Minor, SwWV 285* - Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621, Dutch)

The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God
in honor of peace makers and justice seekers.

~ Betsy Foote & Tom Gebhardt ~

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 Jan McAllister. We also pray for Joe Mortensen, Eva Kelly, Phyl White, Joan & Lynn Blunt, Pat Huebel, Dannie Jones, Bruce & Vicki Williams, Stacey Simpson Duke, Marilyn Marsh, Juanita Dieterle, Iris Martin, John Rapson, Robert L, and Nick Dodson.

Dr. Richard Ingram is back today as conductor of the choir. Richard taught in the Ann Arbor Public Schools for 42 years. He is backing up Bonnie Kidd as she recuperates from surgery.

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2nd Sunday after the Epiphany
January 19, 2020

Resources for Personal Devotions

The Board of Christian Education invites you to use *The Secret Place* or *Disciplines* for your daily devotions. *The Secret Place* is available at the Information Counter (free). It is available in regular and large print editions and published quarterly. *Disciplines* has one-page daily devotions for the entire year and the scriptures are based on the lectionary. Each week you can read and meditate on the scriptures that will be usually be included in the upcoming Sunday's worship service. *Disciplines* books are available from Sue Ellen for $10.

Fellowship Time Volunteers Needed

There is a brand new sign-up for 2020 that needs lots and lots of volunteers. All food and supplies are provided as well as "training" and assistance. Families are welcome! The time required is approximately 45 minutes before worship and 45 minutes after. Please choose a date or two and sign-up at the Information Counter or in the fellowship hall.

New Book Club

Scott Diels is hosting a book club meeting for Tuesday evening, January 28th at 7:00pm at 1414 Iroquois, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 to discuss Malcolm Gladwell's "Talking to Strangers." This book club is open to anyone who is interested, men or women. Please invite anyone outside of FBC who you think may be interested. Food and beverages will be provided. Scott Diels- hscottdiels@att.net, 734-649-2787

Readings for Sunday, January 26

Isaiah 9:1-4 * Psalm 27:1, 4-9 * 1 Corinthians 1:10-18 * Matthew 4:12-23

Worship Service Recordings

All of our worship services and sermons, including today's, are available on our church website as podcasts. Please consider sharing them with friends.

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.

Sunday, Jan 19	10:00 a.m.	-	Worship Service (Sanctuary)
	11:30 a.m.	-	Second Hour Education & Children's Choir
	12:30 p.m.	-	Youth Discipleship Class (Youth Room)
Monday, Jan 20	7:00 p.m.	-	Monday Night Book Group (Room 201B)
Tuesday, Jan 21	5:30 p.m.	-	Vespers - *Northside Comm. Church* (Fellowship Hall)
Wednesday, Jan 22	1:00 p.m.	-	Bible Study (Lounge)
	6:30 p.m.	-	The Gathering (Lounge)
Thursday, Jan 23	7:30 p.m.	-	Choir Rehearsal (Room 102)
Sunday, Jan 26	10:00 a.m.	-	Worship Service (Sanctuary)
	11:15 a.m.	-	Annual Financial Meeting & Potluck (Fellowship Hall)

Congregational Meeting on Sunday, January 26

Our annual financial meeting will be held after fellowship time (11:30) on January 26. After the business meeting we will enjoy a potluck lunch. Please plan to attend. There will be a sign-up sheet at the information desk and in the church office during the week. The Board of Care and Community will provide chicken, rolls, and beverages. If your last names begins with A-D, please bring a potato, rice or pasta dish; last names beginning with E-J, please bring fruit or dessert; last names starting with K-Z, please bring a salad or some kind of vegetable dish.

Year-End Personal Contribution Statements can be picked up at the Information Table on Sundays or in the office during the work week.

Children & Youth Education and Music

Children and Youth are an important part of our life together at First Baptist Church. All children are welcome in worship; Worshipful Play Bags are available as you enter the sanctuary. If you are visiting and would like more information about our ministry with kids and youth, please connect with our Director of Children's Ministry, Xan Morgan (xan@fbca2.org) or our Youth Minister, Pastor Stacey Simpson Duke (staceyduke@gmail.com).

Children (4-years old through 5th grade) leave for Church School following Time as Children. Children's Choir (K-5th grade) meets from 11:30-noon. You may pick up your children at 11:30 from their Church School classrooms, at 12:00 from the choir room or at the end of 2nd Hour programming (12:30) back in the classrooms. Youth Church School class is from 11:30-12:30 pm in the youth room.

Second Hour Adult Education

You are invited to join us downstairs in the Memorial Lounge for our Knowing and Loving Our Neighbors series at 11:30 am. Today during Second Hour, Sheri Wander, who runs the M.I.S.S.I.O.N. Warming Center with FBC and a professional in communication (META Peace Team), gives a brief workshop on who our neighbors are and how we can connect with them in a meaningful way. Please do come!

Other Adult Learning Opportunities

Wednesday Bible Study: *Liberation and the Journey toward Home: A Study of Exodus.*
Lead by Paul Simpson Duke, the class meets at 1:00pm in the Memorial Lounge.
Join us!

College/University Students: The Gathering is for undergraduates and graduate students. The Gathering meets on Wednesdays at 6:30pm in the Memorial Lounge. For more information, email Stacey (staceyduke@gmail.com) or sign up for the weekly e-newsletter here: https:// bit.ly/2N0FYGa.

The 2020 Flower Calendar

The signup calendar is now posted on the downstairs bulletin board near the Lounge door. The flowers are placed on the chancel for each service. The cost is $30 and your dedication goes in the bulletin. The flowers are yours to take after the Sunday morning service. Please sign up early to secure your date(s).

Knowing and Loving our Neighbors: You have a role to play!

Please take a moment to look at the upcoming opportunities to serve our neighbors. You can sign-up for any or all of the opportunities at www.fbca2.org/ neighbors, at the information counter or during Second Hour.

Daytime Warming Center

Our Fellowship Hall is open every Tuesday and Thursday in February for folks who need a place to be during the cold winter days. We are looking for people to provide healthy snacks, provide and serve the noon meal (50 guests) and participate in community activities (hot cocoa bar, letter writing, photo booth, etc). Past providers have both provided home cooked and store bought meals. Connect with Tom Gebhardt if you have any questions (tmgebhardt@att.net or 734.904.7417).

Overnight Rotating Shelter

We will host the Delonis Center Rotating Shelter for seven nights in March beginning Monday, March 16 through Sunday, March 22. Two or three volunteers serve each night as hosts arriving at 7:30pm and serving overnight until 7:00am the next day. The volunteers work shifts; each volunteer takes a shift during the night. We have a shower onsite for those who plan to head to work from church. Questions? Contact Pete Stover (petestover@me.com or at 816-830-1041).

Loving our Neighbors: It's Undie Sunday!

During the month of January, we are celebrating Undie Sunday! Our goal is to collect 200 pairs of new men's underwear and 100 of women's in January. Any size, style, or brand is useful. Women's feminine hygiene products are all welcome. These sorts of items are rarely donated and are in short supply among our Vespers, Rotating Shelter, and Warming Center guests. There will be a collection basket in the main hallway throughout the month. If you buy online, you can have items shipped directly to church (attn: Mary Davis, 517 E. Washington, Ann Arbor, Mi 48104). We'll be wrapping up the collection on Sunday, January 26th.