



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

All Saints' Sunday
6 November 2022

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING AND CALL TO WORSHIP

Paul Simpson Duke

PRELUDE

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart

Charles Callahan
(b.1951, American)

*INVOCATION

(*If you are able, please stand)

Kathleen Ford

*HYMN 711

For All the Saints

SINE NOMINE

*THE PSALM

from Psalm 145

Kathleen Ford

Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

People: Every day I will bless you, and praise your name forever and ever.

Leader: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; God's greatness is unsearchable.

People: One generation shall laud your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.

Leader: On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

People: You open your hand, satisfying the desire of every living thing.

Leader: The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

All: The Lord watches over all who love him. My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and all flesh will bless his holy name forever and ever.

*GLORIA (Hymn 72, sung twice)

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

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Theodora Danciu

SPECIAL MUSIC

What We Like About Church

Children's Choir

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Haggai 2:3-9

Paul Simpson Duke

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

TIME AS CHILDREN

Xan Morgan

(Children are invited to come forward. Following Time as Children, kids (through 1st grade) will leave for Church School. 2nd-5th graders will remain in worship today.)

ANTHEM

Call to Remembrance

- Richard Farrant

Call to remembrance, O Lord, Thy tender mercy and Thy loving kindness, which hath been ever of old. O remember not the sins and offences of my youth, but according to Thy mercy, think Thou on me, O Lord, for Thy goodness.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND NAMING OF THE HONORED DEAD Stacey Simpson Duke

SERMON *Glory Gone and Glory to Come* Paul Simpson Duke

SILENT REFLECTION

OFFERING OF GIFTS *At The River* Adapted by Aaron Copland-
arr. R. Wilding White

Shall we gather by the river,
Where bright angel feet have trod,
With its crystal tide forever
Flowing by the throne of God.

Soon we'll reach the shining river,
Soon our pilgrimage will cease,
Soon our happy hearts will quiver
With the melody of peace. *Refrain*

*Yes we'll gather by the river, the beautiful river
Gather with the saints by the river
That flows by the throne of God.*

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: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Response: And also with you.

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

The Bread and the Cup

Kyrie eleison by Johann Buchner
Elevation in G Major by Dom Benoit

Prayer after Communion

*HYMN 557 (verse 1) Blest Be the Tie That Binds DENNIS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Nun lasst uns Gott dem Herren Dank sagen, Verses 1, 4 and 7* Vincent Lübeck
(Now Let Us Say Thanks to God, the Lord) (1656-1740, German)

These flowers are lovingly given to celebrate the changing of the seasons.
~ *David & Lauren Stapleton* ~

We pray for Mary Margaret Hatt, Esther Floyd, Marilyn Marsh, Stacey Simpson Duke, Laura Parmelee, Maria Pierantozzi, Sandra Deline, Elliot Pagor, Mrs. Essie Slaughter, Ulysses Slaughter, Jr., Mia Jermano, Tom and Terri Rubenstein, John Rowe, Fay Key, Leah Grange, Lisa Hesse, Pidg Karolyi, and Kris Ledyard Arges.

Today's Fellowship Offering will go towards the **Fellowship Fund**, a pastors' discretionary fund to help meet emergency needs in the area.

We welcome back Dr. Richard Ingram to our worship service, conducting the choir, and thank him for filling in for Bonnie Kidd.

We're glad you're here! Please take a moment to fill out the Connection Card in your bulletin and place it in offering plate when it comes by later in the service. You can indicate any prayer requests you have, and let us know if you'd like a name tag and/or our bi-weekly communication about the life of the church.



You may place your offering in one of the plates when they are passed. Or make your offering online using this QR code or via PayPal (@fbca2), and place a Connection Card indicating so in the offering plate.

Church service hearing aids are available at the back of the sanctuary.

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Are you receiving our weekly news and other important information ? If not, subscribe here:
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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. Nursery care is available for children (infant through 3 yrs) on the top floor. Children (through 1st grade) leave for time together in our Children's Ministry play space and 2nd-5th graders remain in worship with their families and attend Fellowship Time together.

Following worship, children (Young 5s-K) have Children's Choir with Coley Roberts and younger children (birth-4s) are invited to have supervised time in our play space. Care is provided for children until 12:30p when 2nd Hour classes for adults and teens wrap up. Please pick up your kids in the play space on the top floor. Youth (grades 6-12) are invited to join adults for Fellowship Time following worship and then head down to the Youth Room (directly underneath the Sanctuary) for Youth Group, 11:30a- 12:30p. If you are visiting and would like more information, please connect with Xan Morgan (xan@fbca2.org) about Children's Ministry or Pastor Stacey Simpson Duke (staceyduke@gmail.com) about Youth Ministry.

Sermon Discussion and Group Sharing. Sundays, 11:30a-12:30p. Each week, Pastor Paul facilitates conversation on the themes, questions, implications, and possible applications of the sermon just preached in the Sunday service. It's a free-flowing discussion in which all ideas, perspectives, questions, and concerns are welcome. Opportunity is also given each week for participants to offer personal sharing if they wish, so that we can know and support each other better. Join us in the Memorial Lounge for this time of thoughtful discussion and connection.

Join us for Night Prayer on Tuesdays, 8:30pm, on our church Facebook page (facebook.com/fbca2).

Campus Ministry on Wednesdays at 5:30p in the Memorial Lounge. Subscribe to the weekly e-newsletter at <https://bit.ly/2N0FYGa>

Fellowship Time. We all enjoy the time spent with each other during Fellowship Time after the worship service with a cup of coffee and a treat, but we need some help making this happen. Are you available to help? Check out our online signup to indicate when you're available to serve in this way. Interested in hosting Fellowship Time for the first time? Mary Davis (marydavis1956@gmail.com) or Sue Ellen Glover (gloverse@hotmail.com) will guide you through the process.

Our **AD LIBITUM Concert Series** presents an organ concert "Stirring" this coming Thursday, November 10, at 12:15p. Shin-Ae Chun will perform various pieces by Dieterich Buxtehude and Johann Sebastian Bach on our Robert Noehren organ. This concert will help the audience see how these composers exhibit human feelings in their music. It is a free concert and open to the public. Mark your calendar! Invite your friends and neighbors!

Join us on Sunday, November 27th for Countdown to Christmas, our drive-thru Advent event with dinner to-go! You'll receive an Advent kit with 4 weeks of beautiful crafts to do at home, as you countdown to Christmas. Dinner to-go is on us! You're invited to bring non-perishable food and snacks for school kids over the winter break and folks who are experiencing homelessness. Please register by clicking the purple "Register Here" button at <https://www.fbca2.org/event/countdown>. You will be asked to indicate a 15 minute arrival time slot during the event which begins at 4:00p and ends at 6:00p. Questions? Connect with Xan Morgan (xan@fbca2.org) or Julia Cooper (juliamary@outlook.com).

American Baptist Women's Ministries (formerly the MacGregor Stitt circle) next meets on Thursday, November 17, at 1:00pm. A representative from House by the Side of the Road will be talking to the group about the organization. They have let us know there is a huge need in the community for kid-size shoes, small appliances, and plus-size women's clothing. If you have anything you can donate, please bring it to church before Nov 17 and the ABWM will get it to them. Thank you.

Food and Supplies Collection for the Hikone Community. The December school vacation is very tough on low-income families because the children are not in school to receive their breakfast and lunch. For more than 10 years we have collected food and other supplies for our friends in the Hikone community. As grocery prices continue to increase, low-income families are struggling. Your donations are very important to these families.

Needs include: **Kid-friendly foods that they can serve themselves:** microwave cups and cans with pop-tops, cereal, oatmeal, canned pasta, mac-and-cheese, chili, peanut butter, soup, tuna, granola and protein bars, fruit cups, juice/milk boxes, sports drinks, vitamin water, etc. **Supplies** that can't be bought with food stamps: multi-purpose cleaning sprays, personal hygiene products like deodorant, toothpaste, shampoo, hand and shower soap. Your financial donations will be used for fresh produce, detergent, paper supplies (TP and paper towels), and gift cards which are distributed by the Community Director for emergency needs.

- Bring your donations each Sunday, today through December 11.
- If you'd prefer to let us do the shopping, mail your financial donation to the church before December 4 or place in the offering plate. Please address the check and the envelope to Sue Ellen Glover, 517 E Washington, Ann Arbor 48104.
- We will pick up your donations from your doorstep. Just contact Sue Ellen gloverse@hotmail.com or call the church office and leave a message with Kat.

We can also use gently used books for children/youth and sturdy cardboard boxes. **We need all donations by December 11 in order to sort, box, and deliver to Hikone on December 14.**

Seek, serve, and grow with us! More information about these opportunities at fbca2.org/connect or use the QR code to the right.



Calendar

November 7	FBC Ladies Book Club @ 6:30p
November 8	Night Prayer @ 8:30p
November 9	Campus Ministry @ 5:30p
November 10	Ad Libitum Concert @12:15p
November 17	ABWM at FBC @1:00p Hope Clinic Meal @3-6:00pm
November 18	Faith & Family Small Group @6:15p
November 21	FBC Men's Book Club @7:00p
November 27	Countdown to Christmas Advent Event