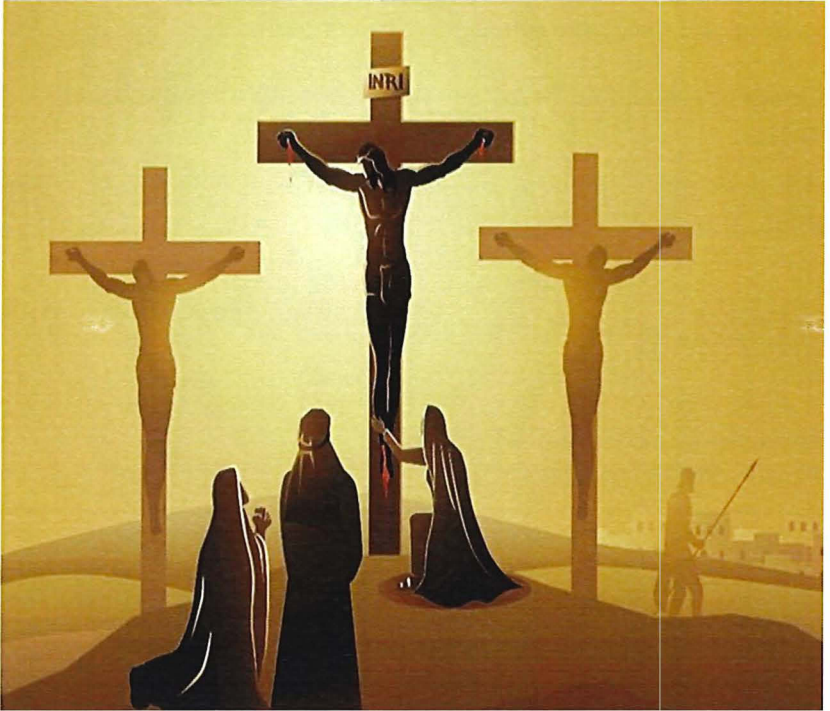




FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

HIGHLAND AVENUE • WINSTON-SALEM NC
REACHING, PREACHING, AND TEACHING THE GOSPEL TO ALL GOD'S PEOPLE



The Crucifixion of Jesus
John 19:17-29

Sunday, March 19, 2023

Rev. Dr. A. Ray Campbell, Interim Pastor
Rev. Glenn Pettiford, Assistant Pastor

Order of Worship
Sunday, March 19, 2023
10:00 a.m.

Music for Gathering

Choir & Congregation

Church Medley

David R. Hedgley Choir

Call To Worship

Minister: Remember me, O Lord, when you show favor to your people; help me when you deliver them;

Congregation: that I may see the prosperity of your chosen ones,

All: that I may rejoice in the gladness of your nation, that I may glory in your heritage. *Psalms 106:4,5*

Scripture
John 19:17-29

Deacon Olaf Massenburg

Invocation and Lord's Prayer
Pastor and Congregation

Moments of Inner Reflection
(late worshipers may enter)

Prayer/Altar Call

Deacon Olaf Massenburg

Welcome/Announcements

Mrs. Kathleen Ellis

Pastoral Observations

Tithes and Offerings
(late worshipers may enter)

Offertory Prayer

Congregational Selection
"At The Cross"

Musical Selection
"The Storm Is Passing Over"

David R. Hedgley Choir

MESSAGE
"Rightful Desire"

Rev. Dr. A. Ray Campbell

Invitation To Discipleship
"We Offer Christ to You"

Closing Hymn of Praise
"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

Benediction

Midweek Service

6:00 pm
Facebook Live and YouTube

264 AT THE CROSS

...the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.
1 Corinthians 1:18

1. A - las! and did my Sav - ior bleed? And
2. Was it for crimes that I have done He
3. Well might the sun in dark - ness hide And
4. But drops of grief can ne'er re - pay The

did my Sov - 'reign die? Would He de - vote that
groaned up - on the tree? A - maz - ing pit - y!
shut His glo - ries in, When Christ, the might - y
debt of love I owe: Here, Lord, I give my -

sa - cred head For such a one as I?
grace un-known! And love be - yond de - greel
Mak - er, died For man the crea - ture's sin.
self a - way— 'Tis all that I can do!

At the cross, at the cross where I first saw the light, And the

bur - den of my heart rolled a - way— It was
rolled a - way—

there by faith I re - ceived my sight, And

now I am hap - py all the day!

Text: Verses, Isaac Watts, 1674-1748; refrain, Ralph E. Hudson, 1843-1901
Tune: HUDSON, CM with refrain; Ralph E. Hudson, 1843-1901

326 SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT

... agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.
2 Corinthians 13:11

There's a sweet, sweet spir - it in this place,
sweet ex - pres-sions on each face,

And I know that it's the spir - it of the
And I know that it's the pres - ence of the

Lord. There are Sweet Ho-ly Spir-it,
Lord.

Sweet Heav'n-ly Dove, Stay right here with us

Fill-ing us with Your love. And for those

bles-sings We lift our hearts with praise; With-out a

doubt we'll know that we have been re - vived, when

we shall leave this place.

Text: Doris Akers, b.1922
Tune: MANNA, Irregular; Doris Akers, b.1922
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Devotional

Something better for you:

In 1 Chronicles 17:1-2 David found it in his heart to build a dwelling place for the presence of his God. He said to Nathan, "See now, I dwell in a house of cedar, but the ark of the covenant of the Lord is under tent curtains." Then Nathan said to David, "Do all that is in your heart, for God is with you." But in verses 3 and 4 God said to David through Nathan, "You shall not build Me a house." In other words, God had blocked David's good intentions. This story parallels my own life in so many ways. I have seen bosses and supervisors stand in my way. I have witnessed other athletics beat me out in competitions. I have had loved ones and friends fail me at critical times. I was not able to attend seminary when I first desired. Time and time again someone or something blocked my way. But how do you handle God as the one who is standing in the way? In verse 10, David began to learn the why of "When God blocks your good intentions: 1. Your will is not His will. (vs. 4ff) 2. Your timing is not His timing. (vs. 7ff) 3. God wants to give you something better. (vs. 10ff) What could be better for David than to build God a house? God building a house for David. I graduated from seminary not once but twice. There is something better also for you. But only God knows. Let His will and timing be yours. Be encouraged.

(Source: raycampbellblog.wordpress.com)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sermon series: 7 last words of Christ.

1st Word: Luke 23:27-38 (Pardon offered)

2nd Word: Luke 23:39-43 (Promise kept)

3rd Word: John 19:25-27 (Never alone)

4th Word: Matt. 27:38-50 (Painful service)

5th Word: John 19:17-29 (Rightful desire)

6th Word: John 19:19-30 (Path forward)

7th Word: Luke 23:39-49 (Committed trust)

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A Study in Galatians

1. Introduction and background

2. Paul announces His Gospel
Verses 1-5

3. Paul astonishment at Their Retreat from the Gospel
Verses 6-10

4. Paul argues for His Ministry of the Gospel
Verses 11-24

5. Paul acknowledges the blessings of the Gospel

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The Forsyth County Missionary Union has books "*Church On PURPOSE Reinventing Discipleship, Community, & Justice*" available for purchase @ \$12. Please contact the church office if you would like to purchase a book.

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Lay Ministry of Caregivers Anniversary

The First Baptist Church **Lay Ministry of Caregivers** is celebrating its 27th year of service. The Caregivers' Ministry was established in 1996 for the purpose of providing regular visits and contact with sick and shut-in members of our congregation. We visit, comfort, and minister to the well-being of the sick and shut-ins as requested. Lay Caregivers talk with them, read to them, pray with them, sing with them, and allow them to share their concerns.

For those interested in serving in this ministry, the Caregivers Ministry meets on the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00 pm except during the months of July and August.

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Palm Sunday is almost here! We are asking all youth grades K - 8 to participate in palm distribution. Please plan to attend a brief meeting/orientation next Sunday, March 26 in the front of the sanctuary immediately following the morning worship service. If you have any questions, please contact Janet Myrick Wall or Yvonne Myrick.

THE 69th FORSYTH COUNTYWIDE BAPTIST TRAINING INSTITUTE

MASKS REQUIRED (in person event)

Monday, April 24 - Friday, April 28, 2023
6:00 PM - 8:15 PM

Theme: "Church on Purpose"
Reinventing Discipleship, Community and Justice

*The LORD our God spake unto us in Horeb, saying, Ye have dwelt
long enough in this mount . . . Duet. 1:6*



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(Ages 3-5)



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- Submit a transcript, activities resume and senior photo

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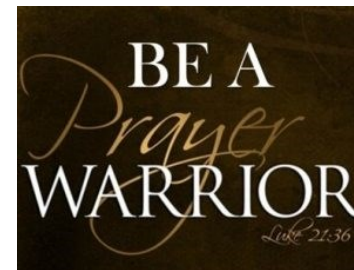
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A Day of Prayer and Fasting

Join us as we thank God for his blessings, ask for forgiveness, and pray for His guidance in the days to come.

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Queen Esther Missionary Group of
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700 Highland Avenue
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When: Beginning 12 noon on Friday, March 31, 2023
Ending 12 noon on Saturday, April 1, 2023. At this time, we will meet for corporate prayer in the sanctuary. Snack bags will be provided to break the fast.

You can pray anytime, anywhere during this 24-hour period.
You can fast in various ways (being mindful of health considerations).

If you have any questions, you can ask any member of the Queen Esther Missionary Group or contact Janet Myrick Wall, Group Leader.

“Again, I truly tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

Matthew 18:19-20.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES 8:45AM
NOON-DAY BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY 12:00 NOON
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM (zoom)