



FIRST BAPTIST KNOXVILLE

In the Center of the City with the Savior



PRAYER THAT MOVES MOUNTAINS

11 AM SERVICE
JANUARY 23, 2022

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Piano Prelude | Brandon Coffey

He Hideth My Soul | arr. Mark Hayes

Call to Worship

Have Faith in God | MUSKOGEE

Have faith in God when your pathway is lonely,
He sees and knows all the way you have trod;
Never alone are the least of His children;
Have faith in God, have faith in God.

*Have faith in God, He's on His throne;
Have faith in God, He watches o'er His own;
He cannot fail, He must prevail;
Have faith in God, have faith in God.*

Have faith in God when your prayers are unanswered,
Your earnest plea He will never forget;
Wait on the Lord, trust His Word and be patient,
Have faith in God, He'll answer yet. [Refrain]

Have faith in God in your pain and your sorrow,
His heart is touched with your grief and despair;
Cast all your cares and your burdens upon Him,
And leave them there, oh, leave them there. [Refrain]

Have faith in God though all else fail about you;
Have faith in God, He provides for His own;
He cannot fail though all kingdoms shall perish,
He rules, He reigns upon His throne. [Refrain]

Welcome | Tim Boone

Children's Sermon | Susan Tatum

Special Music | Chuck and Zoe Powell

I Will Walk By Faith | Jeremy Camp

Will I believe You when You say
Your hand will guide my ev'ry way
Will I receive the words You say
Ev'ry moment of ev'ry day
Well I will walk by faith

*Well even when I cannot see
Because this broken road
Prepares Your will for me*

Help me to rid my endless fears
You've been so faithful for all my years
With one breath You made me new
Your grace covers all I do
Yeah yeah yeah
Yeah yeah yeah

Well I'm broken
But I still see Your face
Well You've spoken
Pouring Your words of grace

Well hallelujah hallelu
Well hallelujah hallelu

Scripture Reading (Genesis 12: 1-8) | Dr. Brent McDougal

The Lord had said to Abram,

“Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you.

2 “I will make you into a great nation,
and I will bless you;

I will make your name great,
and you will be a blessing.[a]

3 I will bless those who bless you,
and whoever curses you I will curse;
and all peoples on earth
will be blessed through you.”

4 So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran. 5 He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired.

6 Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. 7 The Lord appeared to Abram and said, “To your offspring[c] I will give this land.” So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him.

8 From there he went on toward the hills east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. There he built an altar to the Lord and called on the name of the Lord.

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Congregational Hymn 48

Great Is Thy Faithfulness | FAITHFULNESS

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father,
there is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;
as Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Great is Thy faithfulness!

*Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;
great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
join with all nature in manifold witness
to Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. [Refrain]

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! [Refrain]

Pastoral Prayer | Chuck Powell

Choral Anthem | Sanctuary Choir

We Are Called | Hass/Hayes

Come! live in the light!
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom,
to live in the freedom of the city of God!
We are called to love tenderly.
We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

Come! Open your heart!
Show your mercy to all those in fear!
We are called to be hope for the hopeless,
so all hatred and blindness will be no more!

Sing! Sing a new song!
Sing of that great day when all will be one!

God will reign and we'll walk with each other as sisters and brothers united in love!

Sermon | Dr. Brent McDougal

Sermon Series: Prayer That Moves Mountains

Today's Message: Walk By Faith, Not By Sight

Genesis 12: 1-8

Hymn of Invitation 584

My Faith Has Found a Resting Place | LANDAS

My faith has found a resting place,
not in device nor creed;
I trust the Ever-living One,
His wounds for me shall plead.

*I need no other argument,
I need no other plea,
it is enough that Jesus died,
and that He died for me.*

Enough for me that Jesus saves,
this ends my fear and doubt;
a sinful soul I come to Him,
He'll never cast me out. [Refrain]

My heart is leaning on the Word,
the living Word of God,
salvation by my Savior's name,
salvation through His blood. [Refrain]

My great Physician heals the sick,
the lost He came to save;
for me His precious blood He shed,
for me His life He gave. [Refrain]

Worship Through Giving/Announcements | Pam Neal

Spoken Benediction | Pam Neal

Sung Benediction Hymn 614 (Stanza 2)

Since Jesus Came into My Heart | MCDANIEL

Stanza 2 and Refrain

I'm possessed of a hope that is steadfast and sure,
since Jesus came into my heart!
And no dark clouds of doubt now my pathway obscure,

since Jesus came into my heart!

*Since Jesus came into my heart,
since Jesus came into my heart,
floods of joy o'er my soul like the sea billows roll,
since Jesus came into my heart.*

Organ Postlude | Rhonda Carpenter

How Firm a Foundation | Jason D. Payne

Sanctuary Flowers

In loving memory of Norma Jean Coggins
given by her daughter, Jane Coggins

SERMONNOTES

Walk By Faith, Not By Sight *Genesis 12: 1-8* *Dr. Brent McDougal*

The first condition is complete dependence on the Living God and the worth of Christ. It has everything to do with Him as you abide in Him, and little to do with you. Jesus said, “Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. “If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it” John 14:13-14, ESV). The second condition is praying in God’s will, not your own will. 1 John 5:14 (NIV) says, “This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us.” The third condition is forsaking sin. You have to confess your sins, turn away from sin, and resist temptation. Psalm 66:18 (NIV) says, “If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened.”

“Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, ‘Go, throw yourself into the sea,’ and does not doubt in their heart but believes that what they say will happen, it will be done for them. Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours” (Mark 11:23-24, NIV).

“It is impossible to please God without faith. Anyone who wants to come to him must believe that God exists and that he rewards those who sincerely seek him” (Hebrews 11:6, NLT).

The fourth condition of prayer that moves mountains is to exercise faith.

“When you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do” (James 1:6-8, NIV).

The greatest example of faith in the Old Testament is Abraham. He shows us how to exercise faith.

SERMONNOTES

1. Radical belief in God's _____ (Genesis 12:1-3).

“The Lord had said to Abram, ‘Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you. I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing...all peoples on earth will be blessed through you” (Genesis 12:1-3, NIV).

“Abram believed the Lord, and he credited it to him as righteousness” (Genesis 15:6, NIV).

2. Radical following of God's _____ (Genesis 12:4-5).

“So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Haran. He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Haran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there” (Genesis 12:4-5, NIV).

“By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going” (Hebrews 11:8, NIV).

3. Radical trust in God's _____ (Genesis 12:6-7)

“Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. The Lord appeared to Abram and said, ‘To your offspring I will give this land.’ So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him” (Genesis 12:6-7, NIV).

“We walk by faith, not by sight” (2 Corinthians 5:9, ESV).

How is God speaking to you today?

SPOTLIGHT ON

WINTER YOUTH SUMMIT

by Chuck Powell

Last weekend, 9 youth, 3 of their parents, and I attended the CBF Winter Youth Summit at FBC Huntsville for a wonderful time of worship and fellowship and fun.

Our theme for the weekend was "Dwell" - dwelling in God's presence, focusing on Psalm 84:

How lovely is your dwelling place,

O Lord of hosts!

My soul longs, indeed it faints

for the courts of the Lord;

my heart and my flesh sing for joy

to the living God.

Even the sparrow finds a home,

and the swallow a nest for herself,

where she may lay her young,

at your altars, O Lord of hosts,

my King and my God.

Happy are those who live in your house,

ever singing your praise.



In addition to the wonderful messages from Darien and Chelsea Waite, Youth Pastors at Atlanta's historic Ebenezer Baptist Church, and the beautiful worship music and informative and creative breakout sessions, we spent some fun time bonding as a group at the US Space and Rocket Center on Saturday afternoon.

As always, thank you to FBC for your continued prayer and support of our youth ministry and our trips and activities. It is making a difference in their lives, and we couldn't do it without your support.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pray for Northstar Church

Each week we lift up a church in prayer. Today we lift up Northstar Church. Please pray for our brothers and sisters to have strength and encouragement as they strive to be a light to this community and Knoxville. Pray that God will help them to meet the needs in our city.



COMMUNITY

Wednesday Bible Study

Homelessness Series

Join us January 26 for a conversation about working with people experiencing homelessness. CAC Case Worker, Scott Lappas and Figtree Outreach Coordinator, Hannah Craig will sit down with Tim Boone to talk about the challenges and joys of working with some of our most vulnerable neighbors. You may also join us for dinner beginning at 5 pm. We will be serving lasagna, garlic mashed potatoes, steamed broccoli, salad, dessert, and spaghetti for the kids. Menu subject to change upon product availability.



COMMUNITY

Senior Adult Bible Study

Thursdays 12:15 | Trentham Hall

The Psalms hold many of our beloved passages and often bring us comfort and strength. Our Senior Adults are having a January Bible Study on The Psalms, The Character of God, on Thursdays at 12:15 pm in Trentham Hall through February 3rd. A different person will lead the study each week. We will have a Study Guide for each person. This week's study will be led by Cathy Campbell. Rsvp to pneal@fbcknox.org if you would like to attend lunch at 11:30.



DISCIPLESHIP

Three Upcoming Outreach Opportunities

- National: Join the mission trip to Corbin, Kentucky to serve alongside CBF Field Personnel, Scarlett Jasper - **Feb. 16-18**
- Local: Join the FBC Home Repair Ministry Team that will serve with Appalachian Outreach in Jefferson City, Tennessee - **June 6-10**
- International: Serve alongside missionaries Francis and Missy Ward Angalla in Kampala, Uganda - **Oct. 9-15**



MISSION

For more information, please contact Tim Boone at

tboone@fbcknox.org.

Mission Trip to Kentucky

February 16-18

Come be a part of the work God is doing in Corbin, Kentucky as we serve alongside CBF Field Personnel, Scarlette Jasper. We will help with disaster relief efforts and serve in various ways with First Baptist Church of Corbin. Please contact Tim Boone at tboone@fbcknox.org if you would like to be a part of this trip.



Offering for International Missions Update:

First Baptist collected \$30,974.65 for international missions during the month of December! This is almost \$8,000 more than our goal! Because of your generosity, missionaries and field personnel all over the world will be able to continue to share the good news in word and deed to the hurting and lost.



Pick up your Serve First booklet today!

How is God leading you to serve in the new year? The Serve First booklet is designed to help connect your unique gifts and passions to the many church and community ministries that First Baptist supports. Please pick up a copy in the Welcome Center or reception area or download a digital copy from fbcknox.org under the Service Opportunities page. Put serving others first in 2022!



Women on Mission

February 1, 10:30 a.m. | Room 302

Join the WOM as Brannon Hulseley speaks about her work with Knox Area Foster Care and Adoption Ministries. Plan to stay for lunch (\$6) in Trentham Hall afterward.

RSVP for lunch by 1-30-22 to (423) 721-3251. Everyone is welcome.



Please drop your offering in the Offering Boxes next to the doors.

	Dec '21	Fiscal YTD	Last Week's Attendance
Revenue (all sources)	\$354,405	\$1,010,658	Worship Total 254
Expenses	<u>\$186,279</u>	<u>\$939,320</u>	(does not reflect at-home viewers)
Excess/Deficit	\$168,126	\$213,139	

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Coming Up This Week

Wednesday, 5 pm, 6 pm, Trentham Hall

Dinner, Adult Bible Study,
Children & Youth Activities

Wednesday, 7 pm, Choir Suite

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, 10:30 am, 302

Golden Notes Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, 12:15 pm

Senior Adult January Bible Study

Thursday, 6:00 pm, Trentham Hall

West High Football Banquet

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