



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

HIGHLAND AVENUE · WINSTON-SALEM NC

REACHING, PREACHING, AND TEACHING THE GOSPEL TO ALL GOD'S PEOPLE



Ezekiel 37:1-14

The Valley of Dry Bones

Sunday, September 22, 2024

Dr. Anne Jenkins, Speaker

Rev. Glenn Pettiford, Assistant Pastor

Order of Worship
Sunday, September 22, 2024
10:00 a.m.

Music for Gathering

Organist

Tithes and Offerings
(late worshipers may enter)

Call To Worship

Pastor: He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High: shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

Offertory Prayer

Deacon Judge Kornegay

Congregation: I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge, and my fortress: my God, in him will I trust.

Doxology

Congregational Hymn
"Blessed Assurance"

Hymn #508

All: Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler: and from the noisome pestilence. *Psalm 91:1-3 (kj)*

Musical Selection
"Through It All"

Men's Chorus

Invocation and Lord's Prayer
Pastor and Congregation

MESSAGE
"Breath: The Gate Keeper"

Dr. Anne Jenkins

Chant
"Spirit Of The Living God"

Hymn #320

Invitation to Discipleship

Organ Prelude

Benediction

Scripture
Ezekiel 37:1-14

Deacon Judge Kornegay

Closing Hymn of Praise
"Love Lifted Me"

Hymn #504

Moments of Inner Reflection
(late worshipers may enter)

Altar Call and Prayer

Deacon Judge Kornegay

Welcome

Mrs. Kathleen Ellis

Fellowship Moment

Musical Selection
"God's Grace"

Men's Chorus

Pastoral Observations

Sermon:

Date: _____

Title: _____

Points:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Church Meeting

Pursuant to Article XVI Church Meetings, a special church meeting is hereby called by the Deacon Ministry to be held on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, at 6pm. The meeting will be held in the church sanctuary and via Zoom. The Zoom link will be sent in a separate email.

Agenda items are:

Action item:

Senior Pastor Vote conducted by FBC Nomination Committee

Select By-Laws committee members

508 BLESSED ASSURANCE, JESUS IS MINE

...let us approach (the sanctuary) with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean...
Hebrews 10:22



1. Bless-ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a
2. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light, Vi - sions of
3. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest, I in my



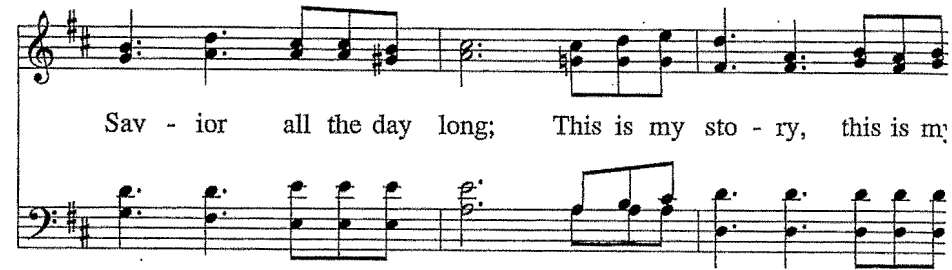
fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal - va - tion,
rap - ture now burst on my sight; An - gels de - scend - ing
Sav - ior am hap - py and blest; Watch - ing and wait - ing,



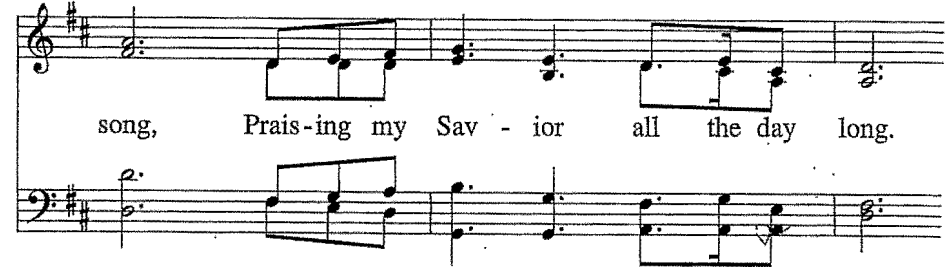
pur - chase of God, Born of His Spir - it, washed in His blood.
bring from a - bove Ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.
look - ing a - bove, Filled with His good - ness, lost in His love.



This is my sto - ry, this is my song, Prais - ing my



Sav - ior all the day long; This is my sto - ry, this is my

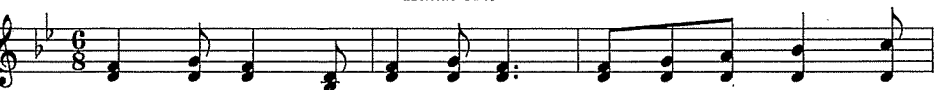


song, Prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

Text: Fanny J. Crosby, 1820-1915
Tune: ASSURANCE, 9 10 9 9 with refrain; Phoebe P. Knapp, 1839-1908

04 LOVE LIFTED ME

...in His love and in His pity He redeemed them; He lifted them up and carried them all the days of old.
Isaiah 63:9



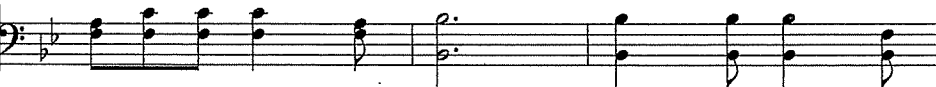
1. I was sink - ing deep in sin, Far from the peace - ful
 2. All my heart to Him I give, Ev - er to Him I'll
 3. Souls in dan - ger, look a - bove, Je - sus com - plete - ly



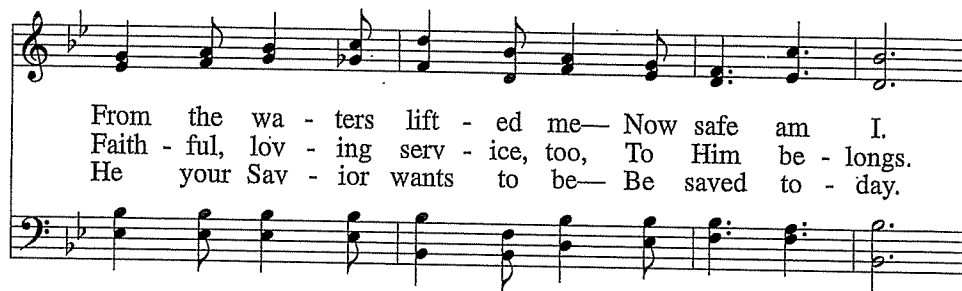
shore, Ver - y deep - ly stained with - in,
 cling, In His bless - ed pres - ence live,
 saves; He will lift you by His love



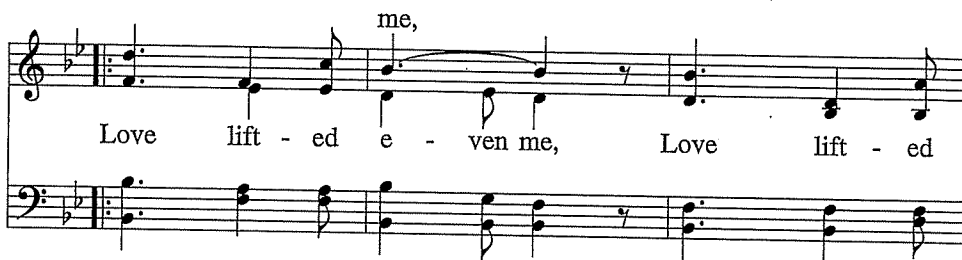
Sink - ing to rise no more; But the Mas - ter
 Ev - er His prais - es sing. Love so might - y
 Out of the an - gry waves. He's the Mas - ter



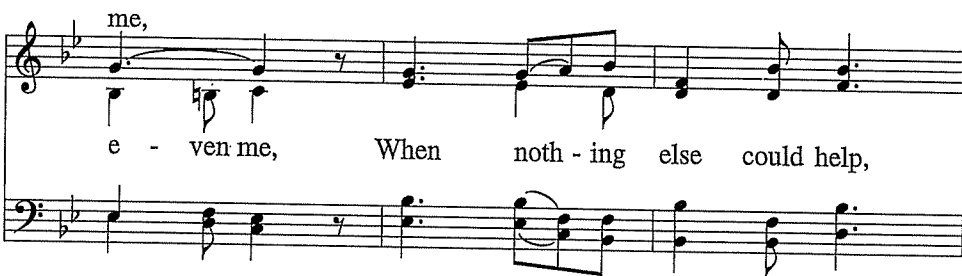
of the sea Heard my de - spair - ing cry,
 and so true Mer - its my soul's best songs;
 of the sea, Bil - lows His will o - bey;



From the wa - ters lift - ed me— Now safe am I.
 Faith - ful, lov - ing serv - ice, too, To Him be - longs.
 He your Sav - ior wants to be— Be saved to - day.



me,
 Love lift - ed e - ven me, Love lift - ed



me,
 e - ven me, When noth - ing else could help,



1. Love lift - ed me; 2. Love lift - ed me.

Text: James Rowe, 1865-1933
 Tune: SAFETY, 7 6 7 6 7 6 7 4 with refrain; Howard E. Smith, 1863-1918

ANNOUNCEMENTS

"YOUR CHURCH NEEDS YOU" The time is approaching for us to elect our 2025 Church Officers. The following officers are needed. Please consider serving or nominating someone (with their permission). Thanks, The Nominating Committee

Church Clerk/Assistant Church Clerk

Financial Secretary/Assistant Financial Secretary

Church Treasurer/Assistant Church Treasurer

Trustees

Nominating Committee

Youth and Children's Ministry is reaching out to the congregation for volunteers who can guide some hands-on activities (games, story hour, crafts, etc.) and give age-relevant "sermonettes" during Youth Church. Please contact Tandeka Boko or Valinda Turner.

The Clothes Closet is in need of toddler clothing for boys and girls sizes 12 months, 18 months, 24 months, 2T - 4T

ATTENTION GOLD STAR MEMBERS

If you will become a "Gold Star Member" this year (50 or more years of continued membership) please leave your name in the church office by Thursday, October 3rd. All Gold Star Members will be recognized on Sunday, October 20th during our 145th Founders' Day Celebration. We look forward to your participation in this special church celebration.

First Baptist Church-Highland Avenue will continue to collect monies for the Education Fund which goes to four different HBCUs. The funds for this quarter will be collected on the fifth Sunday of September. This quarter's funds will be given to Virginia Union University, Richmond, Va. Contributions may be made via all regular means.

CHURCH OFFICERS AND STAFF

Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM & Friday 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Telephone - (336) 722-5605 or 722-4883 Fax - (336) 722-6266
www.fbcwinston.org

PASTOR

ASSISTANT PASTOR

(General Ministry)
Rev. Glenn Pettiford
Phone: (336) 782-8699

BOOKKEEPER/OFFICE MANAGER

Olita Alexander

OFFICE ASST./AFTER SCHOOL

Kennetta Smith

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Charles Hairston
Pamela Switzer, Assistant

CHURCH TREASURER

Danny Freeman
Cynthia Jeffries, Assistant

CHURCH CLERK

Kathleen Ellis
Gloria Kirby-Green, Assistant

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Charlie O. Wall, Superintendent
Jesse Hymes, Assistant

FOOD SERVICE

Ossie Hairston

MINISTRIES AND AUXILIARIES

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Director of Music

Chancel Choir
Yvonne Myrick

Men's Chorus
Jesse Hymes

Hedgley Fellowship Choir
Faye Redd

Youth & Angelic Choirs
Pamela Dockery-Howard

MINISTRIES

Deacon Ministry

Charlie Wall
Phone: 760-4138
Jesse Hymes, Assistant

Trustee Ministry

Ramonda Kyser
Phone: (336) 575-4923
Debora Freeman, Assistant

Deaconess Ministry

Alma Peay
Phone: (336) 661-8861
Sirena Leak-Assistant

Men's Ministry

Linwood Jerald

Youth/Children's Ministry

Tandeka Boko
Valinda Turner
Aalayah Kimbrough

Kids For Christ

Rod Warren

Usher Ministry

Leonard Hairston

Women's Ministry

Wyrine Dorris

Flower Ministry

Sherlane Hill
Marilyn Hanner

Political Action Committee

Gloria Kirby-Green

Senior Adult

Cassandra Tatum, Chairperson
Edith Bailey, Co-Chair

Lay Ministry of Caregivers

Carmen Wigfall, Chairperson
Valinda Turner, Assistant

AUXILIARIES

Addie C. Morris Club

Trina Wilson

Home and Foreign Missionary

Sherri Murrell

Women's Progressive Club

Alma Peay

Women's Service Council

Pam Switzer

Healthcare Ministry

Cynthia Jerald
Sherri Murrell

Historical Committee

Dr. Bill Leonard

SUNDAY AND WEEK -DAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

WORSHIP SERVICE HOUR 10:00 A.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES 8:45AM
NOON-DAY BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY 12:00 NOON

All services are online on Facebook and YouTube.
Bible studies also via Zoom.