

The Worship of God

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH | LUBBOCK, TEXAS

July 9, 2023

8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost



GATHERING MUSIC

Larry Landusky

WELCOME

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Sheryl Gallarneau

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sheryl Gallarneau

Come on ya'll, let's worship the Lord!
Come to Jesus, all you who have suffered a *beat down* this week.

Come to Jesus, all you who have experienced family turmoil this week.

Come to Jesus, all you who are tired of conflict all around, tired of high gas prices, tired of glass ceilings, quotas, minimum wage jobs, and limited family values.

Come to Jesus, all you who have a job that is getting on your last nerve.

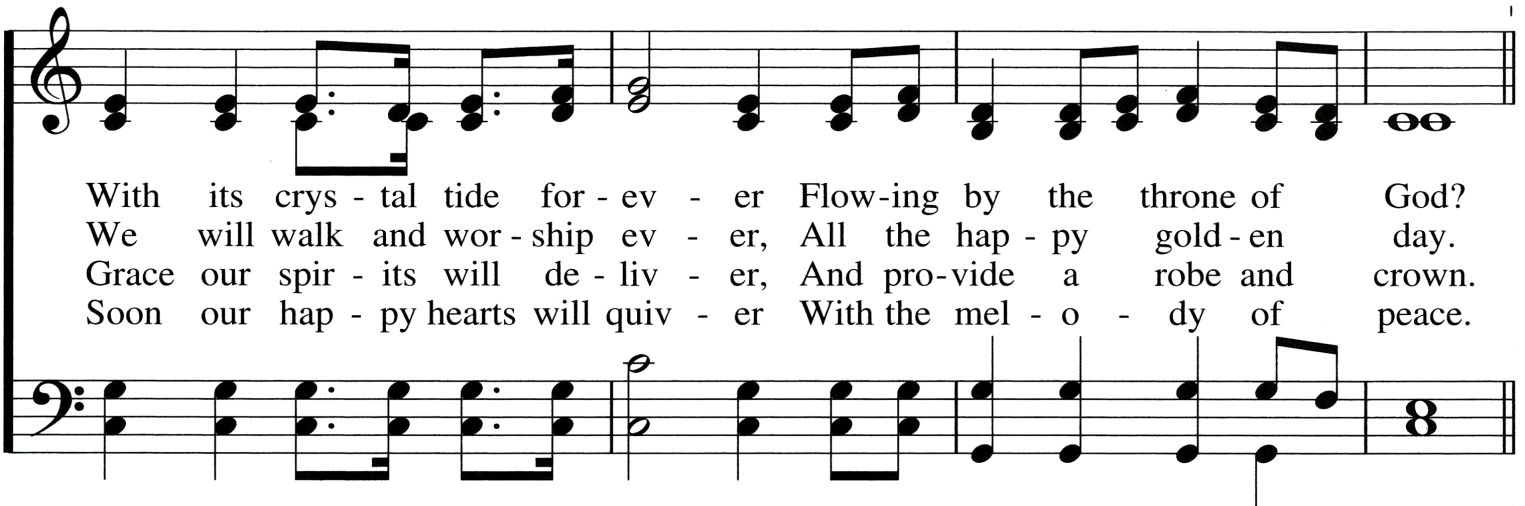
Jesus said, "I'll give you rest. I'll bring you relief.
I'll provide your deliverance. I'll make a way."

And Jesus will give us wonderful rest!

Come on ya'll, let's worship the Lord!

Shall We Gather at the River

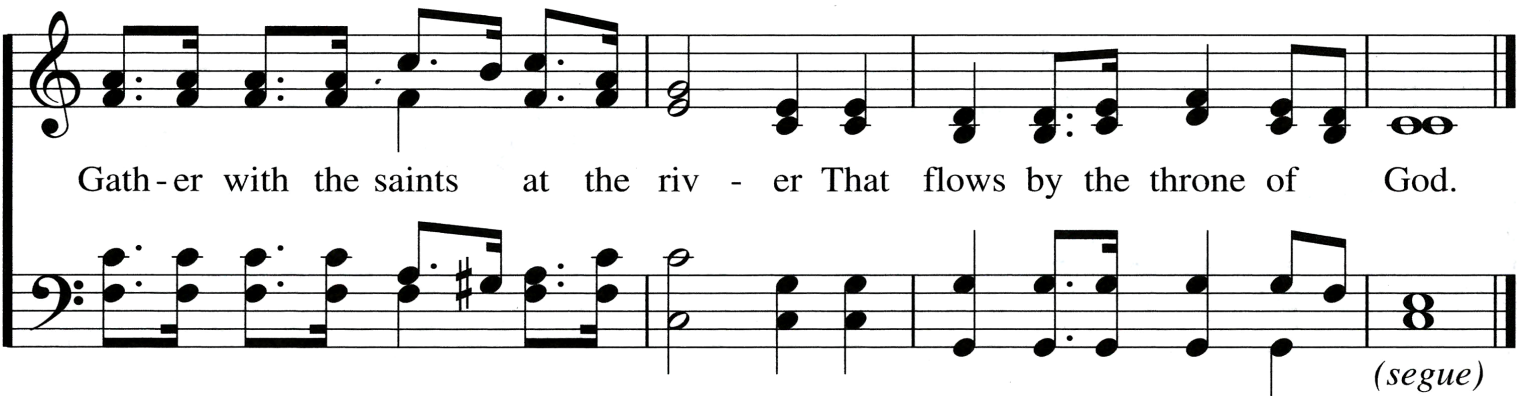

1. Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, Where bright an - gel feet have trod;
 2. On the mar - gin of the riv - er, Wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,
 3. Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, Lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;
 4. Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, Soon our pil - grim - age will cease;



With its crys - tal tide for - ev - er Flow - ing by the throne of God?
 We will walk and wor - ship ev - er, All the hap - py gold - en day.
 Grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, And pro - vide a robe and crown.
 Soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er With the mel - o - dy of peace.

Chorus


Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, The beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



Gath - er with the saints at the riv - er That flows by the throne of God.

(segue)

ANTHEM OF PRAISE

Larry Landusky

*Rejoice in the Lord, Always
with Minute Waltz*

by Chopin
arranged by Sharon Greiner

CHILDREN'S TIME



Sheryl Gallarneau

HEBREW READING

Kathleen Campbell, Dana Taylor

Genesis 24:42-49, 58

⁴²“I came today to the spring and said, ‘O Lord, God of my master Abraham, if now you will only make successful the way I am going! ⁴³I am standing here by the spring of water; let the young woman who comes out to draw, to whom I shall say, “Please give me a little water from your jar to drink,” ⁴⁴and who will say to me, “Drink, and I will draw for your camels also”—let her be the woman whom the Lord has appointed for my master’s son.’ ⁴⁵“Before I had finished speaking in my heart, there was Rebekah coming out with her water jar on her shoulder, and she went down to the spring and drew. I said to her, ‘Please let me drink.’ ⁴⁶She quickly let down her jar from her shoulder and said, ‘Drink, and I will also water your camels.’ So I drank, and she also watered the camels. ⁴⁷Then I asked her, ‘Whose daughter are you?’ She said, “The daughter of Bethuel, Nahor’s son, whom Milcah bore to him.’ So I put the ring on her nose and the bracelets on her arms. ⁴⁸Then I bowed my head and worshiped the Lord and blessed the Lord, the God of my master Abraham, who had led me by the right way to obtain the daughter of my master’s kinsman for his son. ⁴⁹Now then, if you will deal loyally and truly with my master, tell me; and if not, tell me, so that I may turn either to the right hand or to the left.” ⁵⁸And they called Rebekah and said to her, “Will you go with this man?” She said, “I will.”

This is one of our sacred stories.

Thanks be to God!

PASTORAL PRAYER

Jake Maxwell

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

1. I — heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Come — un - to Me — and rest. Lay —
 2. I — heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Be - hold I free - ly give the —
 3. I — heard the voice of Je - sus say, "I — am this dark _world's light. Look —
 down thou wea - ry one, lay down thy — head up - on — My chest." I —
 liv - ing wa - ter, thirst - y one, stoop — down and drink — and live." I —
 un - to Me, thy morn shall rise and — all thy day — be bright." I —
 came to Je - sus as I was, wea - ry and — worn and sad. I —
 came to Je - sus and I drank of — that life — giv - ing stream. My —
 looked to Je - sus and I found in — Him my — Star, my Sun. And —
 found in Him a rest - ing place and — He has made — me glad.
 thirst was quenched, my soul re - vived and — now I live — in Him.
 in that light of life I'll walk till — trav - 'ling days — are done.

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HEBREW READING

Kathleen Campbell, Dana Taylor

Genesis 24:61-67a

⁶¹ Then Rebekah and her maids rose up, mounted the camels, and followed the man, and the servant took Rebekah and went his way. ⁶² Now Isaac had come from Beer-lahai-roi and was settled in the Negeb. ⁶³ Isaac went out in the evening to walk in the field, and, looking up, he saw camels coming. ⁶⁴ And Rebekah looked up, and when she saw Isaac, she slipped quickly from the camel ⁶⁵ and said to the servant, "Who is the man over there, walking in the field to meet us?" The servant said, "It is my master." So she took her veil and covered herself. ⁶⁶ And the servant told Isaac all the things that he had done. ⁶⁷ Then Isaac brought her into his mother Sarah's tent.

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Thanks be to God!

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

OPEN OUR EYES

Open Our Eyes, Lord

Open our eyes Lord, we want to see Jesus
 To reach out and touch Him and say that we love Him
 Open our ears Lord and help us to listen
 Open our eyes Lord, we want to see Jesus

*“Lighthouse”***INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

If you wish to make a public profession of faith in Christ, join Second Baptist Church or answer a calling from God to do some work of ministry, come forward during the hymn of response and share that decision with the pastor who extends the invitation.

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**

NYLAND

O Jesus, I Have Promised

1 O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;
 2 O let me feel you near me! The world is ev - er near:
 3 O let me hear you speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still,
 4 O Je - sus, you have prom - ised to all who fol - low you



be now and al - ways near me, my Mas - ter and my friend;
 I see the sights that daz - zle; the tempt - ing sounds I hear.
 a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self - will;
 that where you are in glo - ry your ser - vant shall be too.



I shall not fear the bat - tle if you are by my side,
 My foes are ev - er near me, a - round me and with - in;
 O speak to re - as - sure me, to has - ten or con - trol;
 And, Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;



nor wan - der from the path - way if you will be my guide.
 but, Je - sus, draw still near - er and shield my soul from sin.
 O speak, and make me lis - ten, true guard - ian of my soul.
 now give me grace to fol - low, my Mas - ter and my friend.

***THE MORNING OFFERING**

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OFFERTORY PRAYER

Bob Howell, Bobby Ebeling

OFFERTORY

Quin Shelton and Larry Landusky

There is a Balm in Gilead

arranged by Mark Hayes

... TO REMEMBER AND CELEBRATE TOGETHER AT THE LORD'S TABLE ...

- *At Second Baptist, all are welcome at the Lord's Table
- *Please hold the wafer and cup until we all take communion in unison
- *Gluten-free wafers are included in the sealed containers
- *The cups contain no alcohol
- *Please place your empty cup in the holder on the seat back in front of you

***DOXOLOGY**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose pow'r uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PREPARING THE TABLE

Deacons

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION ANTHEM

How Deep The Father's Love For Us

Stuart Townend
arranged by Jason D. Payne

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION

GO WITH GOD

Go with God

Go with God into the world.
There may be someone
Who will find the Lord through you.
What you say and what you do
Can show the world that our Savior lives.
We're His heart and we're His hands,
And in His name let us go forth to share His love.
As we go into the world may we be called
And may we all go with God.
Go with God.

*POSTLUDE

WELCOME TO THE 2B FAMILY!

We're ALL Family Here! Let's get to know one another!

We are a community of faith made up of followers of Jesus Christ who are diverse in backgrounds and perspectives but are united in our mission to love and serve God and the world God loves.

Interested in Becoming a Member Second Baptist Church?

People join Second Baptist in one of two ways:

By confessing their faith in Jesus Christ and being baptized.

By transferring their membership from another Christian church.

If you are ready to make one of these decisions, please come forward during the hymn of response and share that decision with the pastor. If you wish to visit with a pastor about becoming a Christian, joining Second Baptist Church, or any other spiritual decision, pastors will be available in the foyer following the worship service or in the church office during the week.

Assistive Listening devices are available. Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship. Please place **prayer cards** and **offerings** in the box on the wall at the entrance to Worship Hall or in the offering plate as it is passed during the service.

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