

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

❖ **Gathering Song: Holy is the Lord**

ENTERING HIS PRESENCE

***Call to Worship**

Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Psalm 95:6-7

***Prayer of Invocation**

❖ **Song of Praise**

Your Great Name We Praise

Kauflin

Immortal invisible God only wise
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes
Most holy, most glorious, the Ancient of Days.
Almighty victorious
Your great Name we praise

Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light.
Not wanting or wasting you rule us in might
Your Justice like mountains
High soaring above
Your Clouds which are fountains
Of goodness and love

*Most holy, most glorious the Ancient of Days
Almighty, victorious
Your great Name we praise*

All life comes from you Lord
To both great and small
In all life you live Lord the true life of all
We blossom and flourish but quickly grow frail
We wither and perish but you never fail

Great Father of Glory, pure Father of Light
Your angels adore you all veiling their sight
All praise we will render, oh Father of Grace
Till one day in splendor we see face to face

RECEIVING HIS ASSURANCE

Confession of Sin

Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name; deliver us, and atone for our sins, for your name's sake!

Psalm 79:9

Assurance of Pardon

To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

from Acts 10:43

SINGING HIS PRAISE

O Come to the Altar

Brown, Brock, Furtick, Joye

Are you hurting and broken within
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well
Jesus is calling

*O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ*

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born
Jesus is calling

Oh what a Savior
Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen
Bow down before him
For he is Lord of all
Sing alleluia Christ is risen

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

Revelation Song

Riddle

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain;
Holy, holy is he;
Sing a new song to him who sits on
Heaven's mercy seat.

*Holy, holy, holy
Is the Lord God Almighty.
Who was and is and is to come;
With all creation I sing
Praise to the King of kings;
You are my ev'rything
And I will adore you.*

Clothed in rainbows of living color
Flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder;
Blessing and honor, strength and
Glory and power be
To you, the only wise King.

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder,
At the mention of your name;
Jesus, your name is power,
Breath and living water,
Such a marv'lous mystery.

❖ *(Children ages 4 – 3rd grade may leave for Children's Church)*

PRAYING FOR HIS KINGDOM

Pastoral Prayer

Jim Brady

GIVING HIS TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Before the Throne of God Above

Bancroft, Cook

LISTENING TO HIS WORD

***Scripture Reading**

Daniel 5

Sermon

A Feast of Folly

Matt Morrison

RESPONDING TO HIS WORD

***Song of Response**

I Need Thee Every Hour

Hawks, Lowry

I need Thee every hour
Most gracious Lord
No tender voice like Thine
Can peace afford

*I need Thee O I need Thee
Every hour I need Thee
O bless me now my Savior
I come to Thee*

I need Thee every hour stay
Thou nearby
Temptations lose their power when
Thou art nigh

I need Thee every hour
In joy or pain
Come quickly and abide or
Life is in vain

I need Thee every hour
Most Holy One
O make me Thine indeed
Thou blessed Son

***Benediction**

***Doxology**

***Greeting One Another**

** Please stand, but feel free to sit when needed.*

All Songs: CCLI #275827

VISITING FPC? WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

If you're new to our church and would like more information, please pick up a visitor packet at the Welcome Center and check out our website at faithgainesville.org.

FOOD DRIVE FOR GAINESVILLE COMMUNITY MINISTRY

We're hosting a food drive for GCM today. Please place all non-perishable food or personal items in the box at the Welcome Center. Thank you so much for your contributions!

GET CONNECTED WITH A SMALL GROUP!

Small groups are an incredible tool for diving deeper into our community at Faith. Please take a look at our small group information cards in your bulletin or at the Welcome Center in the lobby. Questions? Contact our office at faith@faithgainesville.org. We hope you decide to join in!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday school has started back! We have classes for all ages. One of our adult classes will be a DVD series presented by Dr. Derek Thomas from **The Book of Job**. He will address the question, "Why does God allow suffering?". The other adult class will be a study on the **Miracles of Jesus** in the Gospels. Each class we will examine a new miracle and investigate how these miracles give us sustaining grace to face our daily challenges. If you weren't able to make it this morning, join us next Sunday at 9 AM. All are welcome!

PARENTING BY PAUL TRIPP

We had our first session yesterday and it was a blast! If you missed out you can still join us on October 12th from 6-9 pm. We will be studying the topic of Identity. Sessions will be held at the Scheer home: *1619 SW 86th Terrace 32607*, and child care at the Isastia home: *1612 SW 76th Terrace 32607*. We will begin with dinner and a time of fellowship. Then we will view the session and have time for discussion after. Please sign up online so we can plan food and child-care. See Tasha Scheer (tscheer1013@gmail.com) or Teresa Isastia (teresa@faithgainesville.org) for more info!

COLLEGE STUDENTS

We hope you will feel at home and will participate in any ministries of the church you can. Be sure to check out Reformed University Fellowship (ruf.org) on campus and Adopt-A-Student at Faith. Adopt-A-Student entails things like occasional casual meals, prayer, and receiving encouragement from your church family. Interested? Contact Michelle Carter at mcarter3829@gmail.com.

HELP WITH BREEZE

Today following the service, we will be having a time for anyone who needs help navigating through our Breeze App. If this is you, please join us so that our staff can answer any questions you have.

SIRA VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Volunteers are vital for the daily function of the pregnancy center. This may be the opportunity you have been praying for. Sira Pregnancy Center in Gainesville is having a one-evening volunteer training session. It will be held at Sira Pregnancy Center, 912 NW 13th Street on Tuesday, September 18th from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Dinner will be provided each evening. In-house training will follow during office hours. If you are interested, please contact Marlene Gardner via email at MarleneGardner@siragainesville.com or by phone at 352-377-4947.

OUR SCHEDULE THIS WEEK
(NOT INCLUDING SMALL GROUPS)

Sunday **9-16-2018**
9:00AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Worship
Following Service Breeze Set-up
Following Service GCM Food Drive

Wednesday **9-19-2018**
11:00 AM Empty Nesters

Thursday **9-20-2018**
7:00 PM Prayer Meeting

For more information and details about these events, please visit our website at faithgainesville.org/whats-happening

Budgeted Weekly Tithes/Offerings: \$7,827
Last Week's Tithes/Offerings: \$6,619
This Year's Average Tithes/Offerings: \$7,676
Last Week's Attendance: 187

Local Efforts

Presbytery of North Florida
Florida Church Planting Network
Church Plant in Gainesville
RUF at UF

RUF Intern at UF
RUF at UNF
Service and Mercy
Gainesville Community Ministries

ELDERS

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