Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 30
9:45 a.m. Virtual Sunday School (Zoom)
11:00 a.m. Worship Service (livestream)

Monday, August 31
No Regular Activities

Tuesday, September 1
No Regular Activities

Wednesday, September 2
6:00 p.m. Virtual Prayer Time and Bible Study (Zoom)

Thursday, September 3
12:00 p.m. Virtual Men's Bible Study
3:00-5:00 p.m. Drive-thru Food Bank

Staff

Kenny Gannon……..……..Choir Director
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Timothy L. Kelley……...Pastor for Congregational Ministries
Shannon Martin……....Church Assistant
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SOUTHSIDE
BAPTIST CHURCH

A Service for the Lord's Day

August 30, 2020

Welcome!

We are a caring congregation, where Christ transforms lives,
and all seek to grow in faith and love.



Piper, John. "Symbols of Peter," 1966.

"Building an Inclusive Community of Grace"

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Please take your seat and remain quiet as the Prelude begins our worship service and silence your cellphone for the worship hour.

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

Introit — McDonald

"Be Still"
Frank Jones, piano
Be Still, and know that I am God..

†Call to Worship

Leader: When we stumble and our faith falters, God's faithfulness bears us along. When our spirits soar and our faith grows strong, God's faithfulness lifts us to new heights of devotion. When our daily duties distract, and our visions grow fuzzy, God's faithfulness pierces the fog to beckon us. God's faithfulness endures forever! We lift our hearts in praise to the One who is our God his day and forever more!

† Hymn of Praise No. 339 — CORONATION

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostate fall; bring forth the royal diadem and crown Him Lord of all; bring forth the royal diadem and crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at His feet may fall! We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all; we'll join the everlasting song and crown him Lord of all.

Greetings and Welcome — Timothy L. Kelley

†Hymn of Affirmation No. 649 — IN BABILONE

"Christ, You Call Us All to Service"

Christ, You call us all to service, call us all who follow You; plant in us a deep commitment all your work and will to do. Fire a passion for Your justice, in us kindle love of peace; help us heal the brokenhearted, to the captive bring release.

Let us be a servant people, reconciling, ending strife; seeking ways more just of sharing and of ordering human life. Fill us with a glowing vision of this world as it should be; send us forth to change that vision into blest reality.

Scripture Lessons

First Reading — Psalm 105:1-6, 45b

Choral Response — da Siena

"Come Down, O Love Divine"
Frank Jones, piano
Come down, O Love divine,
Seek thou this soul of mind,
And visit it with Thine own ardor glowing.

† Second Reading — Matthew 16:21-28

Gloria Patri

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.
Sing: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem — Gaither

"Because He Lives"
Frank Jones, piano
Because He lives, I can face tomorrow.

Homily — Timothy L. Kelley

"Misunderstanding the Mission"

†Hymn of Promise No. 490 — HENDON

"Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated"

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord to Thee; take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of Thy Love, at the impulse of Thy Love.

Take my love, my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store. Take myself and I will be ever, only. all for Thee, ever, only, all for Thee.

Words of Grace and Peace

†Benediction

Choral Benediction — Schwoebel

"The Love of God"
Frank Jones, piano
There is nothing you can ever do to make God love you more than he does right now.

Postlude

Who We Are At Southside

Southside Baptist Church is a community of believers in the Living God, as revealed in the person of Jesus Christ. We affirm the authority of Holy Scripture and the guidance of the Holy Spirit, which instructs us in the way of Christ, teaches the value and equality of all persons, celebrates unity in diversity, and requires that we love and serve others as Christ has loved us. Acknowledging our rich heritage as Baptists, we embrace and hold firmly the principles of the autonomy of the individual congregation, the priesthood of the believer, the separation of church and state, and the freedom to minister in conjunction with other communities of faith. Southside Baptist's mission is "building an inclusive community of grace" first in our own community and then in the world.