

## WORSHIP NOTES

We welcome guests worshipping with us. Learning experiences for preschool children and infants are offered during the worship hour in the children's building. Large print bulletins with hymns and enhanced hearing aids are available for use in this service. An usher can assist you with these and any other needs you might have. We are very glad you are here.

To learn more about the life and ministry of First Baptist Church of Asheville, guests are invited to connect with one of the ministers at the doors of the sanctuary following the service. Guests may also complete the *Connect Now* card in the bulletin and place it in the plate during the offertory. The ministry staff will be in touch in writing or by phone this week. We want to know you and share more about this congregation with you.

The season of Eastertide is a fifty day celebration of the resurrection of Jesus (sometimes referred to as "The Great Fifty Days"). The color white represents the eternal light of Christ who lives and reigns over the world.

Leaders in worship include the Middle School and High School Chorales of the Asheville Youth Choirs directed by Clark Sorrells and Robert Summerell, and the FBCA Youth Handbell Choir.

You may view today's and past sanctuary worship services at [www.fbca.net](http://www.fbca.net) on the *Video* page accessed through the *Worship* tab. Audio files of sermons are available on our website, and sermons on CD may be ordered through the church office.

### MINISTRY LEADERS

Mr. Tate Addis	Organist
Rev. David Blackmon	Coordinating Pastor
Rev. Tommy Bratton	Minister of Christian Formation
Rev. Leah Brown	Minister with Senior Adults
Dr. Casey Callahan	Minister with Students
Dr. Mack Dennis	Pastor
Rev. Eddie L. Morgan	Ministry Associate
Rev. Clark Sorrells	Minister of Music
Rev. Karen Sorrells	Associate Minister of Music
Rev. Amy Stertz	Minister with Children and Families



Freedom

Friendship

Faith

Sanctuary Worship  
First Baptist Church of Asheville



**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ASHEVILLE**  
**April 29, 2018 11:00 a.m.**  
**Fifth Sunday of Eastertide**

Chiming of the Hour

**Who Do We Worship?**

Scripture Psalm 33 Anna Bashor, Collin Brown, James Sills

Call to Worship *Sing to the Lord a New Song* Joseph Haydn

\*Invocation Catherine Davis

**How Can We Know God's Plan for Us?**

Question of Faith Emma Grace Kiser

\*Hymn of Praise 33 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* CWM RHONDDA

**Why Do We Tend to Ignore Certain Bible Stories?**

Question of Faith Matthew Roebke

Scripture *Questions of the Disciples* Olivia Stacey, Banks Totten

**How Do Our Questions Make Faith More Real?**

Question of Faith Will Gilkeson

Confession of Faith *I Believe* Mark Miller  
Elyse Cedeño, soprano

**How is Spiritual Growth Affected by Church Community?**

Responsive Reading 257 Emily Eldridge

\*Sharing Peace Madison Wommack

Question of Faith Montana Williams

**How Should Christians React to Tragedy?**

Anthem *How Can I Keep from Singing* arr. Walker

Question of Faith Elizabeth Sills

Celebration of the Lord's Supper  
Prayer of Consecration Casey Callahan and Elizabeth Sills

Sharing the Meal Together  
*Reflection on BEACH SPRING*  
*Improvisation* arr. Martin Tate Addis

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, the power, and the glory,  
Forever. Amen.

**Who Do We Serve?**

Invitation to Discipleship  
\*Hymn of Response 466 *Jesus, at Your Holy Table* BEACH SPRING

Response through Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory *Rhythmic Rondelle* Cynthia Dobrinski

\*Hymn *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* LASST UNS ERFREUEN  
Praise God from who all blessings flow,  
Praise him all creatures here below. *O praise him, Alleulia!*  
Praise him above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

\*Prayer of Dedication Jordan Miller

Opportunities for Continued Response

Choral Postlude *Let Everything that Hath Breath* Jeffrey Ames  
Alex Harvey, tenor

Benediction Will Gilkeson

\*Those who are able will stand.