



“Seek the Lord your God with all your heart and soul.”
-1 Chronicles 22:19

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 17, 2022

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LAFAYETTE, IN

Prelude	“10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”	M. Redman & J. Myrin
Welcome		Charles Gullion
Hymn of Praise	“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” (verses 1, 3, & 5)	#96

(Verse 1) O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!

(Verse 3) Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease,
'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

(Verse 5) To God all glory, praise, and love be now and ever given
by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.

Call to Worship¹ Charles Gullion

Gathered in this place, we seek the Lord with all our heart and with all our soul.

**Our comfort in life and in death is that we are not our own,
but belong-- body and soul, in life and in death--
to our faithful Creator God.**

¹ Call to Worship adapted from The Heidelberg Catechism, Q & A 1.

By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection,
Christ gave birth to the church and freed us from bondage to sin and death.

**By the Holy Spirit pouring out God's love into our hearts,
we live as those who are redeemed, loved, and fulfilled.**

We will seek the Lord with all our heart and with all our soul.

Children's Sermon

Rev. Kim Brewer

Hymn of Love

"What Wonderful Love Is This"

#257

(verses 1, 3, & 4)

(Verse 1) What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul!

What wondrous love is this, O my soul!

What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss

to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,

to bear the dreadful curse for my soul!

(Verse 3) To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing;

to God and to the Lamb I will sing;

to God and to the Lamb, who is the great I AM,

while millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,

while millions join the theme, I will sing.

(Verse 4) And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on;

and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on.

And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,

and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,

and through eternity I'll sing on.

Invitation to Prayer

Rev. Brewer

"10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

M. Redman & J. Myrin

(Chorus) Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul, worship his holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship your holy name.

(Verse 1) The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning; It's time to sing your song again.

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me, let me be singing when the evening comes.

(Chorus) Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul, worship his holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship your holy name.

(Verse 2) You're rich in love and You're slow to anger,
your name is great and your heart is kind;

For all your goodness I will keep on singing, Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

(Chorus) Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul, worship his holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship your holy name.

(Verse 3) And on that day when my strength is failing,
The end draws near and my time has come;

Still my soul will sing your praise unending, ten thousand years and then forevermore.

(Chorus) Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul, worship his holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship your holy name.

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul, worship his holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship your holy name.

I'll worship your holy name.

I'll worship your holy name.

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Rev. Brewer

Scripture Reading

Minister Pamela Gardner

Worship Arts

Sermon

Min. Gardner

Hymn of Trust

"Grace Greater than Our Sin"

#353

(verses 1 & 3)

(Verse 1) Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!

Yonder on Calvary's mount out-poured, there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

(Refrain) Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;

Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that is greater than all our sin!

(Verse 3) Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace, freely bestowed on all who believe!

You that are longing to see his face, Will you this moment his grace receive?

(Refrain) Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;

Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that is greater than all our sin!

Offering

Charles Gullion

*Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift,
Teach us to give to you all that we have and all that we are,
That we might praise you not with our words only,
But with our whole lives. Amen.*

Offertory

"Prelude No. 1"

J.S. Bach

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Congregational Response to New Members

In response to your decision, we pledge ourselves to be the family of God for you in this place.

We hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you, by God's grace.

Announcements

Rev. Brewer

Benediction

Min. Gardner

Postlude

"Lord, I Need You"

M. Maher

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