# Brandon Presbyterian Church

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The Lord's Day, June 21, 2020

During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Prelude "The Old Rugged Cross"

ARR. BY FRED BOCK

Marsha Glover, Pianist

Welcome

Call to Worship 1 John 3:1-2

Leader: See what kind of love the Father has given to [you], that [you]

should be called children of God

People: And so we are!

Leader: The reason why the world does not know you is that it did not

know him.

People: Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has

not yet appeared;

Leader: but we know that when he appears we shall be like him,

because we shall see him as he is.

Hymn of Praise N°. 710

"God of Our Fathers"

1 God of our fathers, whose almighty hand Leads forth in beauty all the starry band Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies, Our grateful songs before thy throne arise. 2 Thy love divine hath led us in the past; In this free land by thee our lot is cast; Be thou our Ruler, Guardian, Guide, and Stay; Thy Word our law, thy paths our chosen way.

**3** From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence, Be thy strong arm our ever sure defense; Thy true religion in our hearts increase, Thy bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

**4** Refresh thy people on their toilsome way, Lead us from night to never-ending day; Fill all our lives with love and grace divine, And glory, laud, and praise be ever thine.

#### Invocation

## Hymn of Praise

N<sup>o.</sup> 691

"It Is Well With My Soul"

1 When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll;
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
It is well, it is well with my soul.

#### Refrain

It is well with my soul; It is well, it is well with my soul.

2 Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, Let this blest assurance control, That Christ has regarded my helpless estate, And has shed his own blood for my soul. [Refrain]

**3** My sin—O the bliss of this glorious thought!— My sin, not in part, but the whole, Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more; Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! [Refrain]

**4** O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled back as a scroll, The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend; "Even so"—it is well with my soul. [Refrain]

# Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Footnotes:

"descended into hell" = descended into the place of the dead, not of eternal punishment.

"catholic church"= the church exists universally, not just in one culture or denomination.

# 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 debts; As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Special Music

LADIES ENSEMBLE (9:30 AM ONLY)

"My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness"

By Getty and Townend

# Reading of Holy Scripture

PSALM 130

- <sup>1</sup> Out of the depths I cry to you, Lord;
- Lord, hear my voice.
   Let your ears be attentive to my cry for mercy.
- <sup>3</sup> If you, Lord, kept a record of sins, Lord, who could stand?
- <sup>4</sup> But with you there is forgiveness, so that we can, with reverence, serve you.
- <sup>5</sup> I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope.
- <sup>6</sup> I wait for the Lord

more than watchmen wait for the morning, more than watchmen wait for the morning.

<sup>7</sup> Israel, put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord is unfailing love and with him is full redemption.

<sup>8</sup> He himself will redeem Israel from all their sins.

Sermon

DR. JOHN K. DAWSON

"Just Wait Til Your Dad Gets Home!"

# Hymn of Response

N<sup>o.</sup> 111

"This Is My Father's World"

1 This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears, All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

**2** This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise, The morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair; In the rustling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me everywhere.

**3** This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet. This is my Father's world: the battle is not done; Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav'n be one.

#### Offertory Prayer

#### Gloria Patri \*

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.

## Benediction

#### Sermon Notes

Psalm 130
"Just Wait Til Your Dad Gets Home"

- I. A Couple of Reasons We Struggle to Wait For the Father
  - A. Guilt
  - B. Impatience
- II. A Couple of Reasons We Must Wait For the Father
  - A. Dependence
  - B. Redemption

We would like to thank all of the volunteers that came to clean up our yard. We were greatly impressed by the number of people that came and the hard work you all did on such a hot day.

> We cannot thank you enough, Jimmy and Lois Carman

Darrin and Tina Tolar, on behalf of the entire Tolar family, would like to thank everyone for all of the prayers, cards, meals, and gifts you have lavished on us during Gloria Tolar's long illness and subsequent passing. We are grateful to God to have such a loving church family to lean on in times of trouble.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Flowers for the Sanctuary: Now that we have started back with services at the church, we are going to put flowers in the sanctuary. If you would like to volunteer to provide flowers, please contact Sonia Jay at (601)-825-7512 or the church office (601) 825-5259.

**Publications Available:** The newest edition of *byFaith Magazine* and *Our Daily Bread* are available in the breezeway.

Online Giving: Here's a reminder from our Treasurer regarding online giving: Your continued giving has been a blessing during these difficult times and I encourage you to continue using any method you prefer. For online giving, simply go to the website below. It's a website that the Presbyterian Church in America's Foundation has set up for us: <a href="https://secure.egsnetwork.com/donate/CAA2067B89F8403">https://secure.egsnetwork.com/donate/CAA2067B89F8403</a>

It is best if you choose ACH (electronic bank transfer) rather than using a credit card because BPC is not currently charged a fee for ACH. If you are not comfortable with the online giving then you can continue to mail your tithes to the church. If you have any questions or have any trouble please contact me via email: luther@brandonpres.com or by phone (601) 209-0231.

#### **ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES**

Worship Services (9:30/11:00): June 14	44/17
Live Views	23
Total Online Views	36
Children's Sunday School	12
Last Week's Offering:	\$ 7,038.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:	\$ 7,194.00
Year-to-Date Giving:	\$ 154,208.00
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving	\$ 172,656.00 (-\$18,448)



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#### IN PRAYER

- MTW Missionary of the Week: Clay and Darlene Quarterman (Ukraine)
- Ministry of the Week: Monroe, LA Church Plant (Harris Bond)
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Scotty Dickey and Andrew Rush
- Child(ren) of the Week: Jack, Kate, Lara May, and Daisy Inman
- College Student of the Week: Brittany Wade
- God would bless us with new conversions, visitors, families, & members.

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## Weddings and Babies:

- Holly and Tim Williams: expecting a baby girl, Georgia, July 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Laura and Wilson Whitten: expecting a baby boy July 15<sup>st</sup>.
- Lacey and Dominic Avioli: expecting a baby girl in August.
- Terry and Jackson Pullen: expecting a baby Sept 28<sup>th</sup>
- Sarah Carpenter and Thad Moody: to be married in October 17<sup>th</sup>.
- John Stowers and Anna Kate Carter: to be married Nov 14<sup>th</sup>.

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- Greenwood Families: Matt and Stephanie Avant lost their 15 year-old son, Pullen, in a four-wheeler accident. Hank and Ginny Pantin lost their 17 year-old son, Gram, when he lost control of his vehicle causing it to flip. Please pray for these families and their young friends
- Jacquelyn Thornell: broken ankle, returning to the doctor July 9<sup>th</sup>.
- Ken Bramlett: having dizzy spells, fell and injured knee but doing ok.
- Frank Clayton: receiving physical therapy, walking without a walker, next spinal injection will be June 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Kathy Smith: fractured elbow from a fall, healing nicely, goes back to doctor in July.
- Margaret Christine Presley Davis (Ellie Word's grandmother): passed away on June 8<sup>th</sup>.
- **Bob Booth:** neurological disease, going for EMG (nerve test), arms continue to be very adversely affected.
- Gloria Tolar (Darrin Tolar's Mother): passed away on May 28<sup>th</sup>.
- **Bill Glover:** Parkinson's, may have Shy-Drager syndrome as well, blood pressure normalized, problems with rapid pulse rate, debilitating fatigue.
- Lois Carman: severe back pain from scoliosis.

#### Loved ones battling cancer:

- Charles Watkins (Sharon Nicholson's brother): at Hospice Ministries, cancer may have spread to his brain.
- Will Glover (Marsha & Bill Glover's Son): Last MRI was clear, still having problems with nausea and vomiting.
- Jim Smith: pancreatic cancer, next scan is June 25<sup>th</sup>.
- **Kelly Langford** (Jacquelyn Thornell's Daughter): good report in May, cancer has not spread, will return to MD Anderson in July.
- Steven Bell (Tiffany Glover's brother): liver/colon cancer, doing well, just finished second round of chemo.
- Robin Marbury Morris (Jeanne Monsour's Niece): liver & colon cancer, continuing chemo biweekly.
- **Gib Vredeveld** (Julie Rogers' Father): esophageal cancer, doing good, next appointment scheduled for July.
- Leah Herbert (Ainslie Curtis' teacher): stage 4 cervical cancer, single Mom of a 6<sup>th</sup> grader, check-up showed no treatment is needed right now, will return in 2 months for follow-up.
- Andrew Gerrard (Jo Stanford's Nephew): Desmoplastic round cell tumor; last scan showed cancer has not spread, continuing treatment.
- Presbyterian pastors in MS fighting cancer: Alan Stanton, Pinehaven in Clinton (brain tumor); Richard Owens, Westminster Pres, Greenwood (brain tumor); Jerry Long, Batesville Pres (kidney cancer).
- Anna Taylor (wife of Jim Taylor, Pastor of The Pointe): cancer in her back.
- Andrew McCall (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia.
- Terry McGinty (Kerri Matthews' Uncle): prostate cancer.



 Service members: Isaac Jay (Army, Fort Polk; grandson of Elton & Sonia Jay); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Matthew Hellier (Japan); S.T. Heath; Joey Brown (nephew of Barbara Fowler)



 Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Dr. John Adams, Martha Baker, Joe Berryhill, Ken Bramlett, Evelyn Culpepper, Elsa Davis, Bob & Jody Nelson, Edsell and Laverne Parks, Laverne Roberts