

Brandon Presbyterian Church  
**THANKSGIVING SERVICE**

November 24, 2020

*Prelude*

*Jacquelyn Thornell*

*Welcome*

*Pastor Dawson*

*Call to Worship \**

*Psalm 100*

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

People: **Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.**

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!

People: **For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.**

*Hymn of Thanksgiving \**

*No. 715*

“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”

1 Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home: all is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin; God, our Maker, doth provide for our wants to be supplied: come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

2 All the world is God's own field, fruit unto his praise to yield; wheat and tares together sown, unto joy or sorrow grown: first the blade, and then the ear, then the full corn shall appear: Lord of harvest, grant that we wholesome grain and pure may be.

3 For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take his harvest home; from his field shall in that day all offenses purge away; give his angels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast, but the fruitful ears to store In his garner evermore.

4 Even so, Lord, quickly come to thy final harvest home; gather thou thy people in, free from sorrow, free from sin; there for ever purified, in thy presence to abide: come, with all thine angels, come, raise the glorious harvest home.

*Invocation*

*Hymn of Praise \**

*No. 170*

“Fairest Lord Jesus”

1 Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature, Son of God and Son of Man! Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor, thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

2 Fair are the meadows, fair are the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring: Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing.

3 Fair is the sunshine, fair is still the moonlight, and all the twinkling, starry host: Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels heav'n can boast.

4 Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine.

*Celebration & Prayer of Thanksgiving*

*Scripture*

*1 Peter 1:17-19 (NIV)*

<sup>17</sup> Since you call on a Father who judges each person's work impartially, live out your time as foreigners here in reverent fear. <sup>18</sup> For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your ancestors, <sup>19</sup> but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.

*Sermon*

*Dr. John K. Dawson*

“Thankful for His Precious Blood”

*Hymn of Response \**

*No. 520*

“Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness”

1 Jesus, thy blood and righteousness my beauty are, my glorious dress; 'midst flaming worlds, in these arrayed, with joy shall I lift up my head.

2 Bold shall I stand in thy great day; for who aught to my charge shall lay? Fully absolved through these I am from sin and fear, from guilt and shame.

3 When from the dust of death I rise to claim my mansion in the skies,  
ev'n then this shall be all my plea, Jesus hath lived, hath died, for me.

4 Jesus, be endless praise to thee, whose boundless mercy hath for me,  
for me a full atonement made, an everlasting ransom paid.

5 O let the dead now hear thy voice; now bid thy banished ones  
rejoice; their beauty this, their glorious dress, Jesus, thy blood and  
righteousness.

### *Offertory Prayer*

*Pastor Dawson*

### *Doxology*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here  
below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and  
Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

### *Benediction*

\* Congregation Standing



***\*\* The special offering is for the Deacon's Samaritan  
Fund which is used by the Deacons to help  
members and non-members in times of need.***



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