



THE OLIN T. BINKLEY
MEMORIAL BAPTIST
CHURCH

WORSHIP
JANUARY 22, 2012

BECOMING AWARE OF GOD'S PRESENCE

(Please silence mobile phones.)

CHIMING
PRELUDE
ACOLYTES

Fanfare

N.J Lemmens
Sydney Jernigan, Nia Simpson

INTROIT

Tell the World that Jesus Loves You
(Children's and Youth Choirs)

Michael Card

Please join in the chorus

Chorus: Tell the world that Jesus loves you
Tell them you've found a forever friend
You've opened up your heart's door to him
The love of Jesus has no end.

PRAISING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

John Burton-Crutchfield

Adapted from Psalm 62

Leader: We come before God, our souls waiting in hope.

People: God is a refuge for us.

Leader: We have felt tremors of unrest, the cares of yesterday and tomorrow.

People: Still, God is our rock; we shall not be shaken.

Leader: We pour out our hearts to God, whose steadfast Love endures forever.

All: Yes, God is a refuge to us; we remember and rejoice.

*OPENING HYMN

Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth

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*LORD'S PRAYER

Colby Whittaker

A version of The Lord's Prayer
from The New Zealand Prayer Book

Eternal Spirit,
Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:

The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!
The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom
sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
In times of temptation and testing, strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love,
now and forever. Amen.

#MUSIC INTERLUDE

WELCOME AND BLESSING

Peter Carman

*Members of the Search Committee, Christian Formation Committee,
and Children's Worship Leader*

PASSING THE PEACE

Please exchange the Peace of Christ with your neighbor.

ANTHEM

Look at the World

John Rutter

LISTENING

CONTEMPORARY READING

Anne Thomas Neil

Adapted from *The Spiritual Life* (1936) by Evelyn Underhill

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

The Lord Bless and Keep You

John Rutter

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary

John Stanley

*Please rise in body or in spirit.

#Those arriving after the Prelude may be seated at these times.

Persons wishing for assistance with hearing during the worship service are encouraged to check out an FM receiver in the Narthex just before service begins.

Flowers on the altar are in gratitude for and appreciation of Stephanie Ford and the special gift of Ministry she brings to Binkley.

GRATITUDE FOR TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS:

In addition to the ministerial staff, we appreciate the participation of John Burton-Crutchfield, recent Interim Minister of Christian Education (2010-11); Alice Glover, Chair, and Howard Lee, member, of the Search Committee; Meg Graham and Ashley Nissler, Co-Chairs, and Karen Van Manen, member, of the Christian Formation Committee; Wanda Burton-Crutchfield, Coordinator and Lead Teacher of Worship with Children; and Charles Coble, Moderator of the Church. Anne Thomas Neil, former President of the Alliance of Baptists and retired missionary, has mentored countless women ministers in Baptist life. Mahan Siler, retired Minister of Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, is a personal coach and founder of AnamCara, a network of small collegial circles of clergy who meet monthly for mutual support, growth, and soul care.

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