

*First Baptist Church
of Wollaston
August 28, 2022*

Faith is not knowing what the future holds.
It's knowing who holds the future.



Prelude

April Gardiner

(Please meditate quietly during the prelude)

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Join us in person at **81 Prospect Ave, Wollaston at 10:30am Service**

Join us on Zoom (Sunday 10:30)

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***Call to Worship in unison:**

We, the people of God, gather to worship You who gave us life, redeemed us in Christ, and because of redemption, have the right to lay claim to our lives. We give back to you our skills, our experience, our service, and our money that both directly and indirectly we may help those in need. Lord, show us all that you want us to do, in your church and throughout the world. Remind us again that what we do for others, we do for you. **AMEN**

***Hymn of Praise: Blue Hymnal #523 "Trust and Obey"**

1. When we walk with the Lord
in the light of his Word,
what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will,
he abides with us still,
and with all who will trust and obey.
Refrain:
***Trust and obey, for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.***

2. Not a burden we bear,
not a sorrow we share,
but our toil he will richly repay;
not a grief nor a loss,
not a frown nor a cross,
but is blest if we trust and obey. **(Refrain)**

3. But we never can prove
the delights of his love
until all on the altar we lay;
for the favor he shows
and the joy he bestows
are for them who will trust and obey.
(Refrain)

4. Then in fellowship sweet
we will sit at his feet,
or we'll walk by his side in the way;
what he says we will do,
where he sends we will go—
never fear, only trust and obey.
(Refrain)

***Invocation and Lord's Prayer (Using Debts and Debtors)**

***Gloria Patri**

Scripture Lesson: Psalm 46 (Jan)

God is our refuge and strength,
an ever-present help in trouble.

²Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way
and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,

³though its waters roar and foam
and the mountains quake with their surging.

⁴There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,
the holy place where the Most High dwells.

⁵God is within her, she will not fall;
God will help her at break of day.

⁶Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall;
he lifts his voice, the earth melts.

⁷The LORD Almighty is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.

⁸Come and see what the LORD has done,
the desolations he has brought on the earth.

⁹He makes wars cease
to the ends of the earth.

He breaks the bow and shatters the spear;
he burns the shields with fire.

¹⁰He says, "Be still, and know that I am God;
I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth."

¹¹The LORD Almighty is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Offertory Please place your offerings in the plate at the front of the church after the service.

***Doxology: Blue Book #809** Followed by a prayer for the offering.

Joys & Concerns

- Let us please keep our neighbors in and around the world in our prayers, especially the recent flooding in the midwest.
- Prayer List: Barbara & Bob Sealund, Susan Shack & Vicki Saunders, Laurie & Paul Ricciardi, Trina, Gail George, and Tom Daly, Alfred (friend of Lori Thomas) and Caleb Baliton in Boot Camp, George Gardiner and Louise and Vinny Mina.
- **Are there any other special prayer requests?**

Pastor's Prayer

Hymn of Preparation: Blue Book #516 "Be Still and Know"

1. Be still and know that I am God. Be still and know that I am God. Be still and know that I am God.	2. I am the Lord that healeth thee. I am the Lord that healeth thee. I am the Lord that healeth thee.	3. In thee, O Lord, I put my trust. In thee, O Lord, I put my trust. In thee, O Lord, I put my trust.
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Sermon: "What Would God Say About Your Faith?"

Dr. Andre" Morgan

Text: James 1:2-6

² My brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of any kind, consider it nothing but joy, ³ because you know that the testing of your faith produces endurance; ⁴ and let endurance have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete, lacking in nothing.

⁵ If any of you is lacking in wisdom, ask God, who gives to all generously and ungrudgingly, and it will be given you. ⁶ But ask in faith, never doubting, for the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, driven and tossed by the wind;

Parting Hymn: Blue Book #669 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

1. God of grace and God of glory, on your people pour your power; crown your ancient Church's story, bring its bud to glorious flower. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.	3. Heal your children's warring madness, bend our pride to your control; shame our wanton, selfish gladness, rich in things and poor in soul. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage lest we miss your kingdom's goal, lest we miss your kingdom's goal.
2. Lo! the hosts of evil round us scorn your Christ, assail his ways! Fears and doubts too long have bound us— free our hearts to work and praise. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage for the living of these days, for the living of these days.	4. Save us from weak resignation to the evils we deplore; let the gift of your salvation be our glory evermore. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, serving you whom we adore, serving you whom we adore.

Benediction

Postlude

April Gardiner

* means please stand

Thanks to Rev. Dr. Andre" Morgan, Assoc. Pastor of Concord Baptist Church of Milton for being with us the past four weeks! We are blessed.

Please stay for the cookies and lemonade today in the chapel.

Happenings on the Hill!

"Rally Day" is coming up soon-September 11th.

"Ice Cream Social" outdoors following church.

If anyone wants to put anything in the Bell for September please submit to the office by Sunday August 28th. Thanks.

Sermon Schedule

August 2022					
	Sermon	Text	Pastor	Scripture	Reader
8/7	<i>God is Baking It For Your Good</i>	Genesis 41:14	Pastor Andre'	Psalm 25:4-7	Beverly
8/14	<i>It's in the House</i>	II Kings 4:1-7	Pastor Andre''	Psalm 150	Gary
8/21	<i>Do You Believe in You?</i>	Exodus 4:1-5	Pastor Andre''	Phil. 4:13	Lewann
8/28	<i>What Would God Say About Your Faith?</i>	James 1:2-6	Pastor Andre'	Psalm 46	Jan

Weekly Online Schedule:

Sun	10:30 am	Sunday Worship (link above)
Thu	6:30 pm	Thursday Bible Class (on Hold)
Fri	11.00 am	Prayer Meeting-all invited

Zoom Link for Bible study & Prayer Group

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