

THE INVITATION

THE HYMN 307 – *Just As I Am*.....WOODWORTH
(stanzas 1, 2, 3)

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY – *You Raise Me Up* Held

THE CARES AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

THE BENEDICTION

** THE GREETING

**THE POSTLUDE – *The Will of God is Always Best*.....Kindermann

** THOSE WHO ARE PHYSICALLY ABLE ARE INVITED TO STAND AT
THESE POINTS IN THE SERVICE

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Michael Cheuk, Senior Minister
Hugh Litchfield, Guest Minister
Bob Badgett, Associate Minister for Education
Alba Beasley, Associate Minister for Music and Worship
Phil Woodson, Youth Ministry Coordinator
Barbara Moore, Organist
Sanctuary Choir
Lu Overbeck, On-call Nurse

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WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST
October 13, 2013
11:00 a.m.

THE GATHERING

THE PRELUDE – *From God Will Nothing Divide Us*.....J.S. Bach

THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

The two candles on the communion table are lit to remind us of the oneness of Christ with God and the oneness of Christ with humankind.

THE OPENING OF THE BIBLE

We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to the people through the Holy Word.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 118:19-29)

Leader: This is the day that the LORD has made;

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: Let us rejoice and celebrate for Jesus Christ is Lord!

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever. Amen! Halleluia! Amen!

** THE HYMN 39 – *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*.....MARION

THE INVOCATION

THE WELCOME

At this time, please sign and pass the fellowship book located at the left end of the pew. When everyone has signed, return the book. Take this opportunity to note the names of the members and visitors seated on the same pew with you. Speak to them after the service.

THE HYMN – *Ancient Words* ANCIENT WORDS
(see insert)

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

(At the conclusion of the Children's Sermon, all children, kindergarten through grade two, are invited to attend Children's Church.)

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON.....Mark 15:33-34

³³ At noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. ³⁴ And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?").

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

** THE HYMN – *How Long, O God, How Long* TRENTHAM
(see insert)

THE LITANY.....taken from Psalm 22

Leader: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far away when I groan for help?

People: Yet you are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel. Our ancestors trusted in you, and you rescued them. They cried out to you and were saved. They trusted in you and were never disgraced.

Leader: But I am a worm and not a man. I am scorned and despised by all! Everyone who sees me mocks me.

People: Yet you brought me safely from my mother's womb. You have been my God from the moment I was born. Do not stay so far from me, for trouble is near, and no one else can help me.

Leader: My enemies surround me like a herd of bulls. My life is poured out like water. My heart is like wax, melting within me.

People: O Lord, do not stay far away! You are my strength; come quickly to my aid! I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters. Praise the LORD, for you have not ignored or belittled the suffering of the needy. You have not turned your back on them, but you have listened to their cries for help.

Leader: May all the ends of the earth remember and be glad, future generations sing of your deliverance and say that You have done these things. Amen.

THE MORNING PRAYER

THE ANTHEM – *Be Not Afraid*.....Davis

Be not afraid, for I have redeemed you. Be not afraid, I've called you by name.

My love for you is everlasting, my love for you shall have no end.

When you pass through the waters, I will surround you.

When you pass through the floods, they will not sweep o'er.

When you walk through the fire, you will not be consumed.

You are my child, you are so precious to me.

You are my child, and I'll love you always. Just hold my hand, and I'll lead you home.

When you feel lost, always remember: I am right here, just call out my name.

THE SERMON

"Can God Be Trusted?"

Dr. Hugh Litchfield

WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

We are blessed by your presence with us in worship, and trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

BROADCAST SYSTEM FOR HEARING IMPAIRED

Our sanctuary is equipped with a broadcast system for the hearing impaired. Please contact one of the ushers to borrow a personal receiver.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

The worship service of our church is broadcast live every Sunday on WINA, 1070 AM.

WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE

Childcare is available during the worship service for birth through preschool on the ground level. See the ushers for information and directions. The Childcare workers today are Judy Gough, Amanda Ohlms, Adrienne Canterbury, Catherine Cooper and Wyatt Minor.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a "Children's Church" for K-2nd graders. Children start worship in the adult service with their parents and then, after the children's sermon, follow their leaders to Room 210. For parents who wish to have their children stay with them during worship, activity bulletins and crayons are available from the ushers. The Children's Church leaders today are Cindy Bryant and Javaneh Brown.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God, in loving memory of Helena Harper and for all of those she has touched, from all her friends.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, October 13

6:00 pm Real Life
Jubilate Rehearsal

Wednesday, October 16

5:00 pm Wednesday Night Supper
(Reservations/cancellations required by Monday, 10 am)

6:15 pm Wycliffe Bible Presentation/Intercessory Prayer Time

7:10 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
DVD Series – "Exploring the Roots of Religion" – Room 117

**Children's Church
Volunteers Needed**

If you are looking for a way to serve your church, please consider helping with Children's Church. You would serve (with a helper) during the Sunday worship hour once every three months, working with children in K through Grade 2. Lessons and all materials are provided. For more information or to volunteer, contact Shirley Clark ([434-973-4585](tel:434-973-4585) or saclark@embarqmail.com)

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