



Brookwood
BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, October 10, 2021

Sunday Morning Worship

Brookwood Baptist Church

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Who is My Mother? Who is My Brother?
Shirley Erena Murray

Who is my mother, who is my brother? All those who gather 'round Jesus Christ:
Spirit blown people, born from the Gospel sit at the table, 'round Jesus Christ.

Differently abled, differently labeled, widen the circle 'round Jesus Christ:
Crutches and stigmas, cultures' enigmas all come together 'round Jesus Christ.

Love will relate us - color or status can't segregate us 'round Jesus Christ:
Family failings, human derailing's - all are accepted, 'round Jesus Christ.

Bound by one vision, met for one mission, we claim each other 'round Jesus Christ:
Here is my mother, here is my brother, kindred in Spirit, through Jesus Christ.

Worship Destination:
The Christian community follows Christ in redefining family.

Prelude

Anna Williams

Welcome to Worshippers

Keith McLeod

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

The Dedication of Virginia Mae McCutcheon

Sylvia Page & Dr. Blake Dempsey

Hymn of Praise

Because He Lives

Words and Music by Gloria and William Gaither

Choral Praise

Total Praise

Words and Music by Richard Smallwood

Sanctuary Choir

Community Prayer

Judy Bryant

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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
Forever. Amen.

Modern Hymn

Psalm 150

Words and Music by Matt Boswell and Matt Papa

Scripture Reading

Matthew 12:46-50

Steve Greenwalt

⁴⁶ While Jesus was still talking to the crowd, his mother and brothers stood outside, wanting to speak to him. ⁴⁷ Someone told him, "Your mother and brothers are standing outside, wanting to speak to you."

⁴⁸ He replied to him, "Who is my mother, and who are my brothers?" ⁴⁹ Pointing to his disciples, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. ⁵⁰ For whoever does the will of my Father in heaven is my brother and sister and mother."

One: This is the Word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God**

Sermon

COMMUNITY: THE POWER OF TOGETHER

Dr. Blake Dempsey

"The Surprised Community"

Hymn of Response

Thank You Jesus for the Blood

Words and Music by Charity Gayle, Ryan Kennedy and David Gentiles

Benediction

Dr. Blake Dempsey

Postlude

Toccata in Seven

Melinda Dressler

John Rutter

Today's flowers are placed in loving memory of Barbara Brice, given by her children and grandchildren.

The rosebud is in honor of the birth on October 6th of Mary Spencer Humphries. The proud parents are Kinsey and Clayton Humphries and her BBC grandparents are Nancy and Jody Martin.



Virginia Mae McCutcheon

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, ³⁵ and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. ³⁶ "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" ³⁷ He said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' ³⁸ This is the greatest and first commandment. ³⁹ And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' ⁴⁰ On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Matt. 22:34-40

Parent/Child Dedication Service

Leader: The family has been a part of God's plan since Creation. And, in the fullness of time, God Himself chose a family to nurture and guide His only Son. Recognizing the importance of the family, do you promise to cherish and preserve your family as God has commanded?

Parents: We do.

Leader: God has entrusted this special life to you who is being dedicated today. Do you accept Virginia Mae as a gift from God and do you trust God to lead her and protect her?

Parents: We do.

Leader: Do you promise to rely on God's strength and wisdom as you daily lay the foundations for her faith in Christ?

Parents: We do.

Leader: As the teachers in the temple both learned from and taught the young Jesus, will you, members of the church family, support Virginia Mae and her parents in prayer, seek to minister to their needs, and share the responsibility of teaching and training?

Church: We commit to support the McCutcheon family through prayer, love, friendship, leadership, ministry, and Godly example.

Leader: Will you as a church family and as a tribe of Christ serve this child from this age through adulthood, that she might grow in grace and in the knowledge of Christ Jesus?

Church: We will serve this child and her entire family in all the ways that they might grow as followers of our Savior and Lord.

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Every member of the church

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Upcoming Events

- **Deacon Nominations begin Sunday, October 17th!** There will be an email sent out later this week with more details.
- **Fall Festival – October 24th at 3:30 pm! Fun for all the family!** Judy and Sylvia need our help to make this year's festival a success. Sunday School classes, look for more information in your folder.
- **Children's Ministry Family Movie Night – October 29th at 6 pm on the front lawn of BBC!** Bring the family and your lawn chairs or a blanket and enjoy a movie, popcorn, and candy.

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