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Photo of Pastor Edwin Perry with Mayor Andrew Broaddus holding a time capsule to place in the Broadway Baptist Sanctuary cornerstone, 1959.



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The worship at Broadway Baptist Church has been consciously crafted to reflect and recapture historic and classical worship. Worship is an act of offering and praise to God. Our priority is to worship God according to the model found in Isaiah 6:1-8. Central to our worship is the proclamation of the Word of God through scripture, sermon, and music. We encourage all worshippers to engage in the worship of God; after all, worship is also a verb.

Please silence your cell phones during this time of worship.

**Please stand in body or in spirit.*

The Greeting

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed!**

The Prelude

Jonathan Oblander

Three Variations on LASST UNS ERFREUEN, Charles Callahan

The Call to Worship

Foster Davis and Congregation

For Holy Week Services, No. 223

***The Hymn**

Congregation

Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know, No. 224

The Psalm Lesson

Rev. Dr. Bob Johnson

Psalm 23, p. 388

The Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Dr. Bob Johnson

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.

***The Hymn**

Congregation

My Song Is Love Unknown, No. 202

Stanza 1 Choir, Stanza 2 Congregation and Choir , Stanza 3 Reader,

Stanza 4 Congregation and Choir, Stanza 5 Reader, Stanza 6 Congregation and Choir

*Children, ages pre-K to 5th grade, will leave for their time of worship
and exit through the door located to the left of the pulpit.*

***The New Testament Lesson**

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Acts 4:5-12, p. 92

The Choral Worship

Chancel Choir

Christ is Made the Sure Foundation, arr. Dale Wood

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone; Chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one; Holy Zion's help forever, and her confidence alone.

To this temple where we call thee, Come, O Lord of hosts, today; with thy wonted loving-kindness. Hear thy servants as they pray, and thy fullest benediction Shed within its walls alway.

Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son, laud and honor to the Spirit, Ever Three and ever One, One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.

The Sermon

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

No Other Name

***The Hymn**

Congregation

We Are Called to Be God's People, No. 710

***The Offertory Prayer**

Glenn Davis

The Offertory

Jonathan Oblander

Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense, Karg-Elert

***The Congregational Response**

Congregation

**Christ is alive, and comes to bring good news to this and every age,
till earth and sky and ocean ring with joy, with justice, love, and praise.**

*The Benediction

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

*The Postlude

Jonathan Oblander

Toccata on DUKE STREET, John Behnke

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God.

Prayer Concerns:

Shirley Whittaker Burba, rehab; Dick Brown, health concerns; David Nightingale, health concerns; Edna Bielefeld, hospice care

Looking Ahead

April 21	BAA Recital & Gallery
April 28	Golf Scramble
May 15	Business Meeting
May 19	Graduation Recognition & Reception
May 21	Prayer Time in the Prayer Garden
June 23-28	Passport Kids Camp

Pictorial Directory 2024

A new Pictorial Directory will be compiled in 2024. Say Cheese! Pictures will be May 18, 19, and 22 in the Lower Level Meeting Room (by the office). Reserve your spot by scanning the QR code on the back or by calling the office.

Prayer Time in the Prayer Garden

March to May at noon on the third Tuesday of each month we will have a prayer time in the prayer garden. All ages welcome! You're also welcome to bring a chair, a lunch or snack, and an open heart as we join together in a time of reflection and sharing prayer concerns and praises together. Our time of reflection and prayer will last about 30 minutes and then you are welcome to take as much time as you'd like to enjoy the beauty of God's creation! In case of bad weather, check in at the office for our indoor location. The next date will be May 21.

Recreation Team News

Spring Golf Outing – Our spring golf scramble will be held on Sunday, April 28th with tee times beginning @ 1:30 p.m. Please contact Curtis Barman for more information and availability.

Serving and Growing Together

Wednesday Night Dinner, Bible Study, & Children's Activities

The dinner reservation deadline for each week is Monday at 1:00 p.m. If you are unable to attend, the reservation must be canceled by Monday 1:00 p.m. or you will be responsible for the charge.

April 24

Chicken Tetrazzini

French Bread

Garden Salad

Banana Pudding

Broadway Arts Academy

Our Spring Recital/Gallery will be on Sunday, April 21 at 1 p.m.

As always, church members have an open invitation to attend as we celebrate the accomplishments of our music and art students.

In addition, we will be offering a MAYMESTER opportunity for our current students as well as any prospective students from April 29-June 3. Please contact Robert if you are interested in this additional opportunity.

Creative Arts Camp

It's back! We will offer Creative Arts Camp July 22-26. Participants will have two group choir sessions as well as two specified art medium group lessons each day. If you would like to volunteer to help with crowd control or lead an art form, please contact Robert.

Pickleball

Open gym for pickleball is on Tuesday nights from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. All skill levels are welcome, and we're always excited to see new faces who are interested in the sport. All equipment provided!

A Guide to Worship

Thank you for worshipping with us! We hope that you will find this list of terms useful during the service this morning.

Greeting

A time to welcome all participants to worship and to highlight a few announcements.

Minute for Ministry

A time when a member of our congregation briefly shares insightful information about one of our church's service projects or outreach activities.

Prelude

A piece of music at the beginning of our service that is designed to give us time to set aside other concerns and focus our minds and hearts on worship.

Call to Worship

This call-and-response reading prepares us for worship and demonstrates the significance of corporate participation during the service.

Invocation

This opening prayer calls upon God to bless us and be present with us during our time together.

Hymns

On the last line of the introduction to each hymn (a song sung together by the congregation), please stand in body or in spirit and sing with us using the hymnal from the pew rack in front of you.

Pastoral Prayer/Morning Prayer

This prayer is to bring before God all of the joys and concerns of our church family and global community. This prayer leads directly into the Lord's Prayer.

Lord's Prayer

We recite this prayer to remember the way that Christ instructed us to pray as recorded in the Gospel of Matthew:

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

Gospel Lesson

We stand to honor God's Word as we read the Biblical passage that will be the basis for the sermon. You may follow along in your own Bible or the Bible located in the pew rack in front of you. After the passage is read the pastor says, "The Word of God" and the congregation responds, "Thanks be to God"!

Choral Anthem

Our choir and musicians offer a special hymn, typically highlighting the central message of the service. Lyrics to the anthem are printed in your Worship Folder when we have the space.

Sermon

The pastor or guest preacher applies the Bible to our daily lives.

Offertory

During this time of thanksgiving, church leaders (called "deacons") collect monetary gifts from the congregation. These donations help operate our church, and at least 10% of our annual budget directly goes toward supporting outside community service projects and local charities. In addition, it is a time for individuals to reflect upon their offering of time and talents to God.

Congregational Response/Doxology

This is the congregation's way of celebrating that we have gifts that we can share with God.

Service of Communion

We share communion on the first Sunday of every month to remember the sacrifice Christ made for all of us. We gather at God's table and thus all are welcome! We observe this practice by the method of intinction, the act of dipping the bread into the cup. If you are unable to walk forward, please raise your hand and someone will bring the element to you.

Benediction

This spoken (and sometimes musical) blessing is meant to empower us as we leave the sanctuary and return to life in the world.

Postlude

This is a musical celebration at the end of the service. Some people choose to begin leaving when the postlude starts, however. Some sit and listen to the postlude.

Journal Space: What will you carry from worship into your week?

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Guest Information
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BBC Website
Broadway Arts Academy



Our promise to each other:

We pledge ourselves to be the family of God for you in this place. We offer you our love, our care, our kinship, and our hopes. We hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you by God's grace.

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