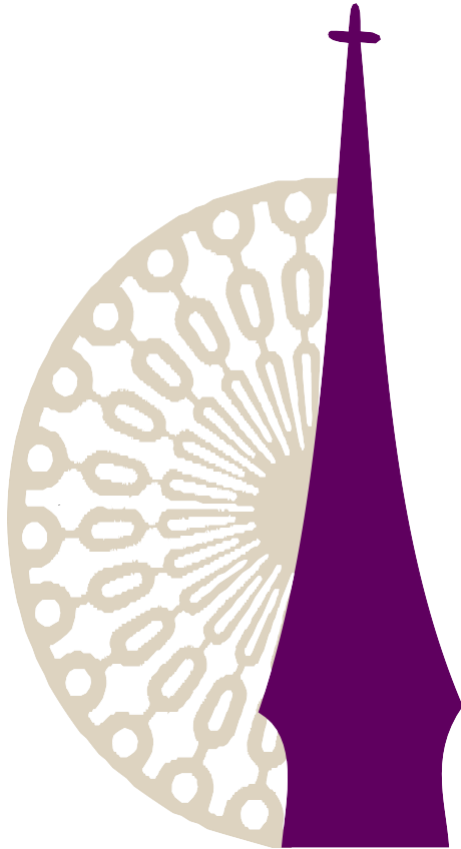


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# The Church In Worship

## *The State of The Church*

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### WE GATHER TO CONNECT WITH GOD AND ONE ANOTHER

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

Three Bells

PRELUDE

*The Servant Song*

Mrs. Fran Wilson

arr. B. Hyatt

PRESENTATION OF THE LIGHT

Elizabeth Perry, acolyte

WELCOME TO THE WORSHIPERS AND WORDS OF PRAISE

Dr. Andy Roby

Responsive Reading of 1 Chronicles 29:11, 13

*Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, and the glory,  
the victory, and the majesty; for all that is heaven and in earth is yours.  
Yours is the kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as the ruler over all.*

**Now, our God, we thank you and praise your glorious name. Amen.**

† Hymn of Praise 122

*Glorious Is Thy Name*

GLORIOUS NAME

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Abbi Mullens

### WE ARE COMMITTED IN OUR GENEROSITY

† HYMN OF DEDICATION

*The Servant Song*

BEACH SPRING

*We are travelers on a journey, fellow pilgrims on the road;  
we are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.  
I will hold the Christ-light for you in the nighttime of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.*

*Sister, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.*

*Brother, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.*

*I will weep when you are weeping, when you laugh, I'll laugh with you;*

*I will share your joy and sorrow till we've seen this journey through.*

*When we sing to God in heaven, we shall find such harmony,  
born of all we've known together of Christ's love and agony.*

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

Dr. Bill Brown

OFFERTORY

*Prayer*

Dr. Catherine Garner

by René Vierne

† DOXOLOGY 815

*Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

OLD HUNDREDTH

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

# WE ARE FORMED BY GOD'S PRESENCE

CHORAL WORSHIP

*Give Us A Vision*

The Chancel Choir

Words and Music by Pepper Choplin

THE STATE OF THE CHURCH ADDRESS

Dr. Brad Smith

## WE ORDAIN AND INSTALL OUR DEACONS

*To Be Ordained: Jamie Bullock, John Gainey, Sharon Lee*

*To Be Installed: Dale Newton*

SERVICE OF DEACON ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

Pastor: Do you trust that you are truly called by God to the ministry of deacon in this church?

**Deacons:** I do so trust.

Pastor: Are you committed to ministering to those in need, where you are able?

**Deacons:** By God's grace, I am so committed.

Pastor: Will you seek to provide an upright example by your total life—your words, your attitude, your behavior and your family life—that will point others to Christ?

**Deacons:** I will by God's help.

Pastor: Are you committed to upholding the fellowship of The Memorial Baptist Church, doing all you can to support, affirm, and undergird its ministry through your presence, your possessions and your witness?

**Deacons:** I am, the Lord being my inspiration and my helper.

Pastor: These are the people you have elected. You have heard their declaration of their readiness to serve in the office of deacon. I ask you, the church, to declare your affirmation by standing. (*congregation please stand*) We are not sufficient in and of ourselves. Our strength comes from God. Do you affirm them in their roles as servant-leaders in the life of this church?

**People: We affirm them and promise to pray for them as they serve to God's glory.**

ORDINATION PRAYER AND LAYING ON OF HANDS

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

† HYMN OF RESPONSE 562

*Be Thou My Vision*

SLANE

SHARING OF DECISIONS

Dr. Smith

## BY FAITH, WE GO INTO THE WORLD

† SENDING OUT

Dr. Smith

† POSTLUDE

*Prelude and Fugue in F Major*

Dr. Garner

by J. S. Bach

† All who are able, please stand.

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### *DEACONS CONTINUING TO SERVE*

*In addition to the three deacons being ordained and one being installed today whose terms expire at the end of 2020, eight deacons continue to serve.*

*Terms expiring in 2018: Bill Brown, Sherry Dendy, Ed Porter, and Dave Taylor.*

*Terms expiring in 2019: Dave Gordon, Richard Murphy, Johnny Brady Sr., and Vickie Carden.*

## Coming Up This Week

### Sunday, January 28—Deacon Ordination

- 9:45 am—Sunday School
- 10:55 am—Worship
- 12:00 pm—Youth Family Meeting and Youth Choir Kickoff
- 2:30 pm—Deacon Council Transition Meeting
- 4:00 pm—Church Conference
- 5:30 pm—Chancel Handbell Choir

### Wednesday, January 31

- 10:00 am—Knitting with Nat
- 6:00 pm—Choirs for children
- 6:15 pm—Adult Prayer Time
- 6:30 pm—Adult and Youth Bible Studies
- 6:45 pm—GLOW Kids/Mission Possible Kids
- 7:30 pm—Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, February 1

- 12:30 pm—Sanctuary Prayer Café
- 7:00 pm—Line Dancing

### Friday, February 2

- 9:00 am—Women's Bible Study

### Sunday, February 4—Parent/Child Dedication

- 9:45 am—Sunday School
- 10:55 am—Worship, Junior Church
- 12:00 pm—Youth Souper Bowl Fundraiser Lunch
- 5:15 pm—Youth Super Bowl Party

Our Deacon of the Week (January 28—February 3) is Bill Brown. We appreciate his leadership in worship today.

Christian sympathy is expressed to Marsha Rehm and family upon the death of her mother, Myrna Nowell on January 24.



**Today at 4:00 pm**



It's time for our Church Directory . . .

*Sign up and Smile!*

Lifetouch Church Directory

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13—FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16**

**2:00 PM—9:00 pm**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17**

**10:00 AM—5:00 pm**

**Sign up for appointments now.**

**Youth Souper Bowl Fundraiser Luncheon**

**Sunday, February 4, after worship**

Help the youth raise funds for their Mission Trip to Belize.



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