



AUGUST 2ND, 2020 NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The parament colors today are green as we continue in the season of Pentecost. May we be sensitive and surrender to the leading of the Holy Spirit in our own lives every day.

- Piano MeditationMary Rich
- Life of the Church and Opening Prayer..... Allison Sherwood
- PreludeJosh Wall
- *Call to Worship Allison Sherwood

O Lord, how long will You forget me? Forever?
How long will You look the other way?

**The Lord is my Shepherd;
I have everything I need.**

**He lets me rest in green meadows;
He leads me beside peaceful streams.**

How long must I struggle with anguish in my soul,
With sorrow in my heart every day?

He restores my soul.

**He guides me along paths of righteousness
For the sake of His good name.**

How long will my enemy have the upper hand?
Turn and answer me, O Lord my God!
Restore the sight to my eyes or I will die.

*Indicates to stand if able.

Even when I walk through the dark valley of death,

I will not be afraid,

For You are close beside me.

Your rod and Your staff protect and comfort me.

Don't let my enemies gloat, saying, "We have defeated him!"

Don't let them rejoice at my downfall.

You prepare a feast for me right in front of my enemies.

You welcome me as a guest, anointing my head with oil.

My cup overflows with blessings.

But I trust in Your unfailing love.

I will rejoice because You have rescued me.

I will sing to the Lord

Because He has been so good to me.

Surely Your goodness and unfailing love will pursue me

All the days of my life,

And I will live in the house of the Lord forever.

Taken from Psalm 13 and Psalm 23

**Opening Hymn No. 57 If You Will Only Let God Guide You*

If you will only let God guide you,

And hope in Him thro' all your ways,

Whatever comes, He'll stand beside you,

To bear you thro' the evil days;

Who trusts in God's unchanging love

Builds on the Rock that cannot move.

Only be still and wait His leisure

In cheerful hope, with heart content

To take whate'er the Father's pleasure

And all discerning love have sent;

Nor doubt our inmost wants are known

To Him who chose us for His own.

Sing, pray, and swerve not from His ways,

But do your part in conscience true;

Trust His rich promises of grace,

So shall they be fulfilled in you;

God hears the call of those in need,

The souls that trust in Him indeed

Prayers of the PeopleRev. Jeff Pethel

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*Hymn No. 279 *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee*

O Master, let me walk with Thee

In lowly paths of service free;

Tell me Thy secret, help me bear

The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move

By some clear, winning word of love;

Teach me the wayward feet to stay,

And guide them in the homeward way.

Teach me Thy patience; still with Thee

In closer, dearer company,

In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,

In trust that triumphs over wrong.

In hope that sends a shining ray

Far down the future's broad'ning way,

In peace that only Thou canst give,

With Thee, O Master, let me live.

MessageRev. Jeff Pethel

“Unvarnished Honesty”

Jeremiah 8:18-9:1

*Hymn of Decision No. 269 *There Is a Balm in Gilead*

***Refrain* There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole;**

There is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged, And think my work's in vain,

But then the Holy Spirit Revives my soul again.

Refrain

If you can't preach like Peter, If you can't pray like Paul,

Just tell the love of Jesus, And say He died for all.

Refrain

Closing Thoughts and BlessingRev. Jeff Pethel

PostludeJosh Wall

ABOUT MEMBERSHIP: Welcome to The Baptist Church of Beaufort. Your presence is a gift! If you have not already done so, we invite you to consider serving God with us as a member of our family of faith in any of the following ways: 1) upon profession of faith in Jesus and baptism; 2) by promise of a letter of recommendation from another Baptist or other similar church; 3) by statement of a prior profession of faith and baptism in a Baptist or other like-minded church; 4) by reaffirmation of a previous profession of faith in Jesus and a request for baptism.

ABOUT CHILDREN: Childcare and children's church is available across the street at the Preschool entrance of Bldg. B for Kindergarten and under. Special children's worship guides are provided and reusable worship resource bags are available at the portico.

ABOUT STEPHEN MINISTRY: Congregations equip and empower lay caregivers—called Stephen Ministers—to provide high-quality, confidential, Christ-centered care to people who are hurting. Need to talk to a Stephen Minister or learn more about this ministry? Contact Renee Dugger; 812-573-9146 or brence.dugger@gmail.com.



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