



SEPTEMBER 27TH, 2020 SEVENTEENTH 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 Meditation	Glenn Ragsdale
Life of the Church and Opening Prayer.....	Rev. Jeff Pethel
Prelude	Josh Wall
*Call to Worship	Rev. Jeff Pethel

We come to worship this morning from different places.

O God, do not be far from us.

We come to worship this morning for different reasons.

O God, do not be far from us.

We experience the presence of the Spirit in different ways.

O God, do not be far from us.

We hear Jesus' words with different ears.

O God, do not be far from us.

“Deny yourselves.”

O God, do not be far from us.

“Take up your cross.”

O God, do not be far from us.

“Follow me.”

O God, we thank You for drawing near to us

In this place, in our lives.

Amen.

Based on Psalm 22 and Mark 8:31-38, Written by Joanna Harader

*Opening Hymn 209 *Great Redeemer, We Adore Thee*

**Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
God of mercy, love, and grace;
Warm our hearts with Thine own being,
May we see Thy kindly face!
Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
God's great love to man Thou art;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Reign supreme in ev'ry heart.**

**Great Redeemer, we implore Thee,
Drive our doubts and fears away;
Cause Thy face to smile upon us,
Shine on us Thy light today!**

**Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
Highest hills proclaim Thy fame;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Men and angels praise Thy name.**

**Life and love from Thee are beaming,
Sin and sorrow melt away;
King of kindness, God of glory,
Fill us with Thyself today!**

**Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
Life and liberty are Thine;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
Fill us with Thy love divine.**

**When we see Thee in Thy beauty,
As Thou art, so we shall be;
In Thy image Thou hast made us,
Great Redeemer, we love Thee!
Great Redeemer, we adore Thee,
In Thy likeness we shall be;
We adore Thee, Great Redeemer,
God of life eternally.**

Prayers of the PeopleRev. Landon Collins

*Hymn No. 285 *Wherever He Leads I'll Go*
"Take up thy cross and follow Me,"

**I heard my Master say;
"I gave My life to ransom thee,
Surrender your all today."**

***Chorus* Wherever He leads I'll go,
Wherever He leads I'll go,
I'll follow my Christ who loves me so,
Wherever He leads I'll go.**

**He drew me closer to His side,
I sought His will to know,
And in that will I now abide,
Wherever He leads I'll go.**

Chorus

**It may be thro' the shadows dim,
Or o'er the stormy sea,
I take my cross and follow Him,
Wherever He leadeth me.**

Chorus

**My heart, my life, my all I bring
To Christ who loves me so;
He is my Master, Lord, and King,
Wherever He leads I'll go.**

Chorus

Message in Song..... Dawn Bates, soloist; Glenn Ragsdale, piano
Knowing You with My Jesus, I Love Thee arr. by Michael Lawrence

Message..... Rev. Landon Collins

"You Want Me To Do What?!"

Mark 8:27-35

*Hymn of Decision No. 538 *Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know*

**Ask ye what great thing I know
That delights and stirs me so?
What the high reward I win?
Whose the name I glory in?
Jesus Christ, the crucified.**

**What is faith's foundation strong?
What awakes my lips to song?
He who bore my sinful load,
Purchased for me peace with God,
Jesus Christ, the crucified.**

**Who is life in life to me?
Who the death of death will be?
Who will place me on His right
With the countless hosts of light?
Jesus Christ, the crucified.**

**This is that great thing I know;
This delights and stirs me so:
Faith in Him who died to save,
Him who triumphed o'er the grave,
Jesus Christ, the crucified.**

Closing Thoughts and Blessing.....Rev. Landon Collins

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 brencee.dugger@gmail.com.



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