



FEBRUARY 28TH, 2021 SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

The parament colors today are purple as we continue in the season of Lent. We are reminded of Jesus's chief purpose on Earth as the perfect sacrifice and blood payment for our debt. May we find restoration through forgiveness and healing made possible by our Savior's redemptive work on the cross.

- Piano MeditationCindy Duryea
- Life of the Church and Opening Prayer.....Rev. Jeff Pethel
- Prelude Josh Wall
- *Call to WorshipRev. Jeff Pethel

Pilgrims, we are invited to journey through this season of Lent
Towards the One who calls us each by a new name.

Disciples, we walk with Jesus wherever He leads us,
Leaving our fears, our doubts, our longings behind us.

Believers, we seek to trust the God who always surprises us,
**Whose promises take on flesh and blood
 in the good news called Jesus.**

We praise His name.

Written by Thom Shuman

*Opening Hymn No. 34 *The God of Abraham Praise*

**The God of Abr'ham praise, All praised be His name,
 Who was, and is, and is to be, For aye the same!
 The one eternal God, Ere aught that now appears;
 The First, the Last: beyond all tho't His timeless years!**

**His Spirit floweth free, High surging where it will:
In prophet's word He spoke of old, He speaketh still.
Established in His law, And changeless it shall stand,
Deep writ upon the human heart, On sea or land.
He hath eternal life Implanted in the soul;
His love shall be our strength and stay While ages roll.
Praise to the living God! All praised be His name,
Who was, and is, and is to be, For aye the same!**

Stephen Ministry Moment..... Paul Hamilton

**Hymn Christ Our Hope in Life and Death*

What is our hope in life and death?

Christ alone, Christ alone.

What is our only confidence?

That our souls to Him belong.

Who holds our days within His hand?

What comes apart from His command?

And what will keep us to the end?

The love of Christ, in which we stand.

***Chorus* O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;**

O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul?

God is good, God is good.

Where is His grace and goodness known?

In our great Redeemer's blood.

Who holds our faith when fears arise?

Who stands above the stormy trial?

Who sends the waves that bring us nigh

unto the shore, the rock of Christ? *Chorus*

Unto the grave, what shall we sing?

"Christ, He lives! Christ, He lives!"

And what reward will heaven bring?

Everlasting life with Him.

There we will rise to meet the Lord,

Then sin and death will be destroyed,

And we will feast in endless joy,

When Christ is ours forevermore. *Chorus*

**Hymn Ancient Words*

Holy words long preserved

for our walk in this world,

They resound with God's own heart;

**O let the ancient words impart.
Words of life, words of hope
give us strength, help us cope;
In this world where'er we roam
God's ancient words will guide us home.**

***Chorus* Ancient words ever true,
changing me and changing you;
We have come with open hearts,
O let the ancient words impart.**

**Holy words of our faith
handed down to this age,
Came to us through sacrifice;
O heed the faithful words of Christ.
Holy words long preserved
for our walk in this world,
They resound with God's own heart;
O let the ancient words impart. *Chorus***

Litany of Confession.....Rev. Jeff Pethel

We have not loved You with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.

We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We have not forgiven others as we have been forgiven.

Lord, have mercy.

We have neglected prayer and worship.

We have not hungered for Your Word or sought You desperately.

We have failed to commend the faith that is in us.

Christ, have mercy.

We have been deaf to Your call to serve.

We have been unfaithful, proud, and hypocritical.

We have not been burdened by the destiny of the lost.

Lord, have mercy.

We have been blind to human need and suffering.

We have been indifferent to injustice and cruelty.

We have been prejudiced toward those who differ from us.

Christ, have mercy.

Merciful Father, we have sinned in

what we have thought and said,

In the wrong we have done and in the good we have not done.

We have sinned in ignorance, in weakness,

And through our own deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry.

We repent and turn to You.

Forgive us, for our Savior Christ's sake,

And renew our lives to the glory of Your name. Amen.

Message.....Rev. Landon Collins

“The Name Game”
Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

*Chorus *Step by Step*

**O God, You are my God, and I will ever praise You.
O God, You are my God, and I will ever praise You.
I will seek You in the morning
And I will learn to walk in Your ways;
And step by step You’ll lead me,
And I will follow You all of my days. Repeat**

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

PostludeJosh Wall

*The flowers today are given in memory of Shirley Mixson by Her Friends in the
Winsome Sunday School Class.*

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 brenee.dugger@gmail.com.



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