

1879 "THE FORTY-THIRD YEAR OF OUR SECOND CENTURY" 2022

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

**3310 E. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78220
ROBERT L. JEMERSON, D. MIN., PASTOR**

THE 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

APRIL 24, 2022

Enter to Worship

Depart to Serve

**Only one life
It'll soon be past**

**Only what's done
For God will last!**



"God make this house of worship we have raised to Thee wide enough to receive all who need human love, fellowship and the Father's care and narrow enough to shut out envy, pride and hate. Make its threshold smooth that it may be no stumbling block to childhood weakness or straying feet, but rugged and strong enough to turn back the tempter's power. God make this house of worship the gateway to Thy eternal Kingdom."

The Preparation for Worship “Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot.” 1 Peter 1:18-19

The Prelude “Because He Lives” Arr. Chris Tomlin Mrs. LaFaye Duren, Organist
The Welcome, The Call To Worship and The Invocation Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson

WORSHIP IN PRAISE

***The Opening Hymn of Praise** “I’d Rather Have Jesus”

I’d rather have Jesus than silver or gold; I’d rather be His than have riches untold; I’d rather have Jesus than houses of lands. I’d rather be led by His nail pierced hand. **Refrain: Than to be the king of a vast domain And be held in sin’s dread sway. I’d rather have Jesus than anything This world affords to-day.**

I’d rather have Jesus than men’s applause; I’d rather be faithful to His dear cause; I’d rather have Jesus than world wide fame. I’d rather be true to His holy name. **Refrain: Than to be the king of a vast domain And be held in sin’s dread sway. I’d rather have Jesus than anything This world affords to-day.**

He’s fairer than lilies of rarest bloom; He’s sweeter than honey from out the comb; He’s all that my hungering spirit needs. I’d rather have Jesus and let Him lead. **Refrain: Than to be the king of a vast domain And be held in sin’s dread sway. I’d rather have Jesus than anything This world affords to-day.**

***The Responsive Reading/Scripture** Psalm 25:1-2, 5; 18:1-3 (NIV) Rev. Angela Jackson

Minister: In you, Lord my God, I put my trust. I trust in you; do not let me be put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph over me. Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long.

People: I love you, LORD, my strength. The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. I called to the LORD, who is worthy of praise, and I have been saved from my enemies.

***The Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, As it was in the Beginning is now and ever shall be world with out end. Amen, Amen.

WORSHIP IN MEDITATION

The Silent Meditation and The Morning Prayer Rev. Dawarren Ennis

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Offertory Sentence and Prayer Rev. Cornell Evans

The Offertory Music and Offering Mrs. LaFaye Duren, Organist

***THE DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
 Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WORSHIP IN PROCLAMATION

The Music of Preparation “How Great Thou Art” Mrs. Cristal Smith-Byrd, Soloist

The Sermon “Milestones” Rev. Keith Jackson

Text: “And Joshua said unto them, Pass over before the ark of the LORD your God into the midst of Jordan, and take you up every man of you a stone upon his shoulder, according unto the number of the tribes of the children of Israel: That this may be a sign among you, that when your children ask their fathers in time to come, saying, What mean ye by these stones? **Then ye shall answer them, That the waters of Jordan were cut off before the ark of the covenant of the LORD; when it passed over Jordan, the waters of Jordan were cut off: and these stones shall be for a memorial unto the children of Israel for ever.**” Joshua 4:5-7

The Invitation to Discipleship “Lord I Want To Be A Christian” Mrs. Cristal Smith-Byrd, Soloist
Benediction Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr.

The Postlude “Hallelujah Chorus” Handel Mrs. LaFaye Duren, Organist

***Please Stand**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU: Rev. Jemerson sends out a special “thank you” to the Second Baptist Church Breakfast Crew and the Mid-Week Food Service Volunteers who assisted with the preparation of the wonderful food served at the Second Baptist Church Easter Sunday Family Meal. Everything was outstanding. Thanks go out to **Deacon James Frye, Deacon James and Mrs. Karen Hudson, Mr. Christopher Hester, Mr. Andrew and Mrs. Barbara Zeigler, Mrs. Jacqueline Jemerson, Mrs. Yolanda Bean, Mr. Thomas Vann and Mr. Anthony Martin.**

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