The Worship of God

January 12, 2020	First Sunday	after the Epiphany	Hymn No. 618	"Give to the Winds Your Fears"	DIADEMATA
The Gathering			Morning Prayer		
We gather with a sense of expectancy today, for God may decide to surprise us with His power and presence. We come to this service just as we are, but we dare not leave just as we came. It is an awesome thing to be in the presence of God. With hopeful hearts, we gather to worship.			Gospel Lesson		Mark 4: 35-41
Prelude	" Issue Shell Deign"	C S Lang	Hymn No. 520	"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"	TRUST IN JESUS
Choral Introit	"Jesus Shall Reign"	C.S. Lang	Offertory Prayer		Lane Gilliam
Opening of the Bible		Elaine Allen	The Offertory	"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"	C.S. Lang
Call to Worship		Grace Myers	Doxology		OLD HUNDRENTH
Leader: We gather to worship God in this space. People: For we are brothers and sisters in Christ. Leader: We gather to pray and praise, to reflect and wonder.			Anthem	"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"	Wilberg
People: We gather to pray and praise, to reflect and wonder. People: We gather to remember our call to love one another as God loves us. Leader: We are part of the family of God.			Sermon	"Keep Calm and Carry On"	Dr. Ray Howell III
People: We are called to see all people as Christ sees us. Leader: Come, let us worship the Christ whose kingdom spreads from shore to			Hymn No. 422	"O God of Every Nation"	LLANGLOFFAN
shore. People: Let us worship Jesus who reigns where're the sun!			Choral Benediction		
Hymn No. 745 Lighting the Christ Candle	"Jesus Shall Reign"	DUKE STREET	Postlude	"Maestoso"	Fr. Walczynski
				Today's Lay Reader is Deb Watson	
The Children's Time				Musicians for Today's Service	
Christian Greetings			Beverly Khemlani, Organist		Sanctuary Choir
Old Testament Lesson		Psalm 107: 23-32			

This Week at First Baptist

Today at 9 a.m. Today at 9:30 a.m. Today at 3 p.m. Today at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 7:15 p.m.

Prayer Ministry in the Conference Room Coffee and fellowship on the Second Floor Book Lovers meeting in Library Snack supper followed by Youth Group Sanctuary Choir in Music Suite

Birthday Banquet

Join us for the annual Birthday Banquet on Wednesday, January 29. The Hall Sisters from Raleigh will provide entertainment. The cost is \$10. Sign-up in the hallway behind the Sanctuary following the service.

"SOUPER" Bowl Sunday

Joyce will be making her homemade vegetable soup for the Soup and Sandwich Lunch on Sunday, February 2. The cost is \$8 and pre-paid reservations can be made following the worship service. This is a fundraiser for our summer youth Belize mission trip.

Junior/Senior Chili Meal

The chili supper for January 18 has been rescheduled for Valentine's Day at 2 p.m. Please contact Sharon Palmer at 336-798-1369 for more information.

January 12th Bed Babies- Jen Fuller-Allen/Brooke Williams

2-4 Year Olds- M/M Thomas Jolly

January 19th **Bed Babies- M/M Greg Briggs**

2-4 Year Olds- M/M Dave Thornhill

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