

# COLLEGE BAPTIST CHURCH

JUNE 6, 2021

† Congregation Standing (as able)

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*There are children's activity bags on the white stand in the back, along with clipboards in the red basket for older children.*

*CDs of past services are available in the small filing cabinet on the table in the rear of the sanctuary.*

## MEDITATION

The benefits [the Lord's Supper] confers, are spiritual, not physical. Its effects must be looked for in our inward man. It was intended to remind us, by the visible, tangible emblems of bread and wine, that the offering of Christ's body and blood for us on the cross, is the only atonement for sin, and the life of a believer's soul. It was meant to help our poor weak faith to closer fellowship with our crucified Savior, and to assist us in spiritually feeding on Christ's body and blood. It is an ordinance for redeemed sinners, and not for unfallen angels. By receiving it we publicly declare our sense of guilt, and need of a Savior – our trust in Jesus, and our love to Him – our desire to live upon Him, and our hope to live with Him. Using it in this spirit, we shall find our repentance deepened, our faith increased, our hope brightened, and our love enlarged – our besetting sins weakened, and our graces strengthened. It will draw us nearer to Christ. —J. C. Ryle

## † CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 73:25-26

Whom have I in heaven but you?

And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides you.

My flesh and my heart may fail,

but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.



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## †BE THOU MY VISION

*Byrne, Hull, Evans; Hymn 468*

Be thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart;  
Naught be all else to me, save that thou art  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my Wisdom, and thou my true Word;  
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father, I thy true son;  
Thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,  
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:  
Thou and thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of heaven, my Treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won,  
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

## †INVOCATION

## OFFERTORY

## †DOXOLOGY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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.

## †TITUS 3:4-5

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit.

## †ALL I HAVE IS CHRIST

*Kauffman; CCLI 5174122*

I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way.  
The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.  
I had no hope that you would own a rebel to your will.  
And if you had not loved me first, I would refuse you still.

### CHORUS

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ.  
Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.

But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost,  
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross.  
And I beheld God's love displayed— you suffered in my place;  
You bore the wrath reserved for me; now all I know is grace. **CHORUS**

Now Lord I would be yours alone, and live so all might see  
The strength to follow your commands could never come from me.  
O Father, use my ransomed life in any way you choose  
And let my song forever be: my only boast is you. **CHORUS**

## PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

*Don Westblade, Elder*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## SERMON TEXT: MATTHEW 5: 1-12

Seeing the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.  
<sup>2</sup> And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup> "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup> "Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

<sup>5</sup> "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup> "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

<sup>7</sup> "Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup> "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

*Scripture continued on next page*

<sup>9</sup> “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

<sup>10</sup> “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup> “Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

## SERMON: SPIRITUAL BEGGARS

*Pastor Ben Cuthbert*

O for the wonderful love he has promised, promised for you and for me:

Tho’ we have sinned he has mercy and pardon, pardon for you and for me. **CHORUS**

## THE LORD’S SUPPER *The bread we use is gluten-free.*

The Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, “This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.”

In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

## †IN CHRIST ALONE

*Getty, Townend; CCLI 3350395*

(Please remain seated until instructed to stand)

In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song.

This cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease,

My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe.

This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones he came to save.

Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied,

For every sin on him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay, light of the world by darkness slain.

Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave he rose again.

And as he stands in victory, sin’s curse has lost its grip on me,

For I am his and he is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me.

From life’s first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.

No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from his hand.

Till he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I’ll stand.

## DEACONS’ FUND OFFERING

## †BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

## †SOFTLY AND TENDERLY

*Thomson; Hymn 432*

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me;

Patient and loving, he’s waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.

### CHORUS

Come home, come home,

Ye who are weary, come home;

Earnestly tenderly, Jesus is calling—Calling, “O sinner, come home!”

Why should we linger when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me?

Why should we wait, then, and heed not his mercies, mercies for you and for me? **CHORUS**

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WHO'S WHO? *Boldface indicates board chair. Look inside the attendance pad for more information about board duties.*

PASTOR: Reverend Ben Cuthbert (bcuthbert@collegebaptist.org)

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SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT: Megan Gray

*\*This elder will be available at the front of the church for ten minutes after the service for prayer.*

## SUMMER ACTIVITIES AT COLLEGE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, June 20 from 6:00-8:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School Begins
Sunday, August 15 from 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Worship Service at Michindoh Conference Center with picnic and waterfront activities to follow.
Saturday, August 21	Loaves and Fishes at Hillsdale County Fairgrounds
Sunday, August 22	Sunday School Kick-Off Breakfast

## THE BULLETIN BOARD

Sunday, June 6	6:30 p.m.	O.W.L.S. (Zemaiduk's house)
Sunday, June 13	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
Sunday, June 27	11:30 a.m.	Congregational Meeting

**O.W.L.S. BIBLE STUDY** O.W.L.S. (Older, Wiser, Lives of Service) will meet **tonight at 6:30 p.m.** at Nick and Rose Zemaiduk's house, 1200 S. Lake Wilson Road, Hillsdale.

**SAVE THE DATE** Vacation Bible School will be **Sunday, June 20-Thursday, June 24**. Registration forms are available in the narthex. Please pick up a registration form and join us for VBS this year!

**GRADUATION CELEBRATION** You are all invited to join us in celebration of Joel Mekelburg's graduation on **Wednesday, June 9 from 5:00-8:00 p.m.** at the Mekelburg's home (1929 Wildwood Drive, Hillsdale).

**BABY SHOWER** A baby shower honoring Caroline Greb will be held on **Wednesday, June 16 at 7:00 p.m.** at the Cuthbert's (115 Cold Springs Circle, Hillsdale). Please RSVP to rachelclemens@gmail.com. The Grebs are registered at babylist.com.

**CONGREGATIONAL BUSINESS MEETING** Please mark your calendar to remain following the morning service on the last Sunday of this month, **June 27**, to participate in voting on a number of important items. The building committee plans to propose engaging Church Growth Services as a capital campaign consultant for an initial phase of determining the church's financial readiness to undertake construction of the "4:12 Center." The committee may also be in a position to propose contracting with an architectural firm for the development of a design and master plan for the addition. Full details, costs, and opportunity for questions will be part of the committee's presentation. The meeting will include a recommendation for membership from the Elders as well and approval of some updates to the membership roll.

**CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS** There is scholarship money available for CBC families sending their children to a church camp this summer. If you are interested, please contact Megan Gray at 260-433-8010.

**CAMP MICHINDOH JOB OPPORTUNITIES** Camp Michindoh is seeking Christian applicants to fill various summer staff positions. If you are interested in applying, please contact Jeff Knoll at 517-523-3616.

### FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH MAY 29:

Contributions YTD \$111,200 *minus* Expenses YTD \$113,535 *equals* Net (\$2,335)

Budget YTD \$112,079