

AUGUST 7, 2022

## Welcome to Mountain Brook Baptist Church

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*If this is your first time at MBBC, please take a moment to fill out the "For Guests" card on the opposite page and drop it in the Narthex on your way out. If this is your first time to worship with us via livestream, visit [mbbc.org/guests](http://mbbc.org/guests) to let us know of your attendance. We're thankful you have chosen to worship the Lord with us this morning.*

### Organ Prelude

*Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*  
by Johann Sebastian Bach

Jim Dorroh

### Call to Worship

*Sing Unto the Lord*  
by Linda Spevacek

Sanctuary Choir

Sing to the Lord, give all glory to him, O sing to the Lord, give all honor to him, O sing—unto the Lord, sing—unto the Lord. Sing for joy, shout for joy, sing and shout, give praise to God, O sing unto the Lord. For he is God, the almighty King, sing unto his name. O come and sing, unto the Lord, lift up your song of rejoicing to him. O praise the Lord with joyful song, praise him, evermore.

Sing to the hills, go and tell ev'ry nation, he is the King and the Lord of creations, sing of his power and plan of salvation and about his love and glory. He is the King of eternity. He is the Ruler of all destiny. He made the wonders of creation in perfect unity. He is the King of eternity. He is the Ruler of all destiny. He made the wonders of creation in perfect unity. *(Repeat to first paragraph)*

### \*Opening Sentences of Worship

Kely Hatley and Congregation

Leader: The Lord be with you,

**People: and also with you.**

Leader: The earth is the Lord's, for he made it:

**People: Come, let us adore him.**

Leader: Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness:

**People: Come, let us adore him.**

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is everlasting:

**People: Come, let us adore him.**

Leader: Lord God, open our lips,

**People: and our mouths shall proclaim your praise!**

### \*Hymn of Praise No. 337

Congregation

*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*  
LAUDA ANIMA (Andrews)

### \*Invocation and Welcome to Worshipers

Mark Rector

### Children's Message

Sharon Howard

*(Children 3K-5K meet Mrs. Sharon in the back of the Sanctuary following the Children's Message to go to Preschool Worship.)*

**Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

**Wayne Splawn**

**\*Offertory Hymn No. 431**

**Congregation**

*Jesus Is Lord of All*  
LORDSHIP OF CHRIST

**Offertory Reading**

**Mark Rector**

Ecclesiastes 11:1-2 (NIV)

<sup>1</sup> Ship your grain across the sea; after many days you may receive a return.

<sup>2</sup> Invest in seven ventures, yes, in eight; you do not know what disaster may come upon the land.

**Mission Partner of the Week and Prayer**

**Mark Rector**

**The WellHouse**

*The WellHouse, one of our local mission partners, exists to honor God by rescuing and providing opportunities for restoration to female victims of human trafficking who have been sexually exploited. They provide a safe residential environment to women, offering spiritual, mental, emotional, and physical support services. They welcome all women who have been sexually exploited through human trafficking. Regardless of race, color, creed, or religion, women in pain can be assured they will find love and acceptance at The WellHouse. For information about their ministry, contact Drew Smith (adsmith4@gmail.com).*

**\*We Present Our Offerings to God No. 706**

**Congregation**

*The Doxology*  
Old 100th (altered)

**The Reading of God's Word**

**Mark Rector**

Galatians 2:15-20 (NIV)

<sup>15</sup> "We who are Jews by birth and not sinful Gentiles <sup>16</sup> know that a person is not justified by the works of the law, but by faith in Jesus Christ. So we, too, have put our faith in Christ Jesus that we may be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law, because by the works of the law no one will be justified.

<sup>17</sup> "But if, in seeking to be justified in Christ, we Jews find ourselves also among the sinners, doesn't that mean that Christ promotes sin? Absolutely not! <sup>18</sup> If I rebuild what I destroyed, then I really would be a lawbreaker.

<sup>19</sup> "For through the law I died to the law so that I might live for God.

<sup>20</sup> I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**Choral Anthem**

**Sanctuary Choir**

*Jesus, My Lord, My Life, My All*  
by Bob Borroughs

Jesus, my Lord, my life, my all; hear me blest Savior when I call. Hear me and from thy dwelling place pour down the riches of thy grace. Jesus, too late I thee have sought. How can I love thee as I ought? And how extol thy matchless fame, the glorious beauty of thy name? Jesus, of thee will be my song, to thee my heart and soul belong. All that I have or own is thine, and thou, O blessed Savior, thou art mine. Jesus, my Lord, I thee adore. O make me love thee more and more.

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

**Mark Rector and Congregation**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day he rose from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and now sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whom he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and everlasting life. Amen.

**Message**

**Wayne Splawn**

**“Life in the Son”**

1 John 5:1-21  
pg. 864 (pew Bible)

**\*Hymn of Response No. 509**

**Congregation**

*Trust and Obey*  
TRUST AND OBEY

**Closing Words**

**Wayne Splawn**

**\*Choral Benediction**

**Sanctuary Choir**

*Go Forth Into the World in Peace*  
by John Rutter

Go forth into the world in peace; be of good courage; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be upon you and remain with you forever. Amen.

**Organ Postlude**

**Jim Dorroh**

*Now Thank We All Our God*  
by Johann Sebastian Bach

**\*Congregation standing**

Amplified-hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please see an usher for assistance.

*The flowers on the altar have been given with love and in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Splawn by Betty and Ralph Jenkins, cousins from South Carolina.*

**Ways to Give**



**IN PERSON**

Place your gift in the designated spot in the Narthex.



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# Prayer List

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## IN LOVING MEMORY

Lena Wilson - great-grandmother of Drew Smith

## MBBC MEMBERS

Mary Anderton, Anne Peyton Baker, Larry Bearden, Sally & Bob Berryhill, Betty Bowen, Chris Burch, Dot Burnett, Dot Carroll, Billie Cope, Kay Davidson, Greg Dobbins, Will Dobbins, Jerry Edwards, Sandy Eichelberger, Judy Ellis, Chad Fooshee, Anne Gibbons, Wayne Gowens, Moon Head, Spencer Hinson, Martha Isom, Anna Belle Johnson, Geoff Johnson, Joyce Johnson, Furnie & Jo Johnston, Marion Jones, Margaret Langston, Nancye Lawrence, Nancy Lewis, Mackey McDanal, Billy McDonald, Ann McGuire, Lovie & John Montgomery, Glaydell Pinson, Roger Pugh, Marjorie Randleman, Beverly McGill Shaffer, Holli Simon, Irene Stutts, Judy Taylor, Wayne Thorn, Mark Tucker Jr., Harryette Turner, Sarah Beth Wagner, Rachel Walton, Jim Watkins, Doris Wayman, Lamar White, Winford Yarbrough, Marcella Zeigler

## HEALTH CARE CENTERS

Eugenia Anderson, Johnnie Bell, Bob Compher, Betty Noe Gonder, Rachel Hubbard, Bill Johnson, Neal Moore, Earlene & Troy Mohon, Sarah Moler, Carolyn Reich, Juanelle Strain

## MINISTER ON CALL: AUGUST 12-14

Mark Rector – (205) 568-2743

## PROJECT 119 BIBLE READING PLAN

### Sunday, August 7 - Saturday, August 13

Sunday, August 7	Deuteronomy 22:13-30   Psalm 72   2 Thessalonians 2:13-17
Monday, August 8	Deuteronomy 23:1-14   Psalm 73   2 Thessalonians 3
Tuesday, August 9	Deuteronomy 23:15-25   Psalm 74   1 Timothy 1:1-11
Wednesday, August 10	Deuteronomy 24:1-9   Psalm 75   1 Timothy 1:12-20
Thursday, August 11	Deuteronomy 24:10-22   Psalm 76   1 Timothy 2
Friday, August 12	Deuteronomy 25:1-10   Psalm 77   1 Timothy 3:1-13
Saturday, August 13	Deuteronomy 25:11-19   Psalm 78:1-31   1 Timothy 3:14-16

# This Week

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Offices are open Monday – Friday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

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- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Sanctuary
- 10 a.m. Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Sanctuary

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 9

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- 7:45 am ACTIVE Day Trip to Aliceville/POW Museum
- 9:15 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 321

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

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- 7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal | Choir Room

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

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- 9:15 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 321

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 14







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- 9 a.m. Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 10 a.m. Combined Worship & Called Church Conference | Sanctuary
- 4 p.m. End of Summer Celebration | Lower Parking Lot & Heritage Hall

## CHURCH STAFF

- Dr. Wayne Splawn, Senior Minister
- Mr. David Bryan, Deacon Chair
- Mr. Vince Blackerby, Director of Operations
- Mr. Joel Burks, Associate Minister of Contemporary Worship
- Dr. Jim Dorroh, AAGO, Organist
- Mr. Chris Farley, ACTIVE Christian Living and Music Ministries Associate
- Dr. Kely Hatley, Minister of Music and ACTIVE Christian Living
- Mrs. Amy Hirsch, Associate Minister of Family Ministries
- Mrs. Sharon Howard, Minister to Children and Family Ministries
- Mrs. Katie Johnson, Communications Coordinator
- Mr. Mark Rector, Associate Minister
- Ms. Cathy Spence, Pianist
- Mrs. Mary Splawn, Minister of Connections



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