

PRIDE SUNDAY



JUNE 30, 2024
11AM WORSHIP

SEATTLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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Welcome to Worship at Seattle First Baptist. All are Welcome.

Children are a treasured part of our community. Please find a Worship Adventure Packet or a Busy Box at the tables in the foyer. Children are free to use these resources in the pews or the Wiggle Room.

We gather on the unceded ancestral lands of the Coast Salish people, past and present. With gratitude, we honor the land itself and the legacy of the First People of Seattle, the Duwamish Tribe. May we remember that the oppression of Native peoples is not a relic of the past but continues today. And may we, through God's Spirit, repent and walk forward together, changing systems that discriminate as we live into authentic diversity and healing.

**If it is comfortable, you are invited to stand.*

Announcements		Pastor Anita Peebles
Prelude		Margie Paynton
Gathering		Pastor Leigh Curl-Dove
*Hymn 11	“Bring Many Names”	WESTCHASE
Time with Children		Pastor Anita Peebles
Song	“Singing For Our Lives” HOLLY NEAR	Ben Luedcke, Aaron Burkhalter, and Brooke Rolston
<p>We are a gentle, angry people and we are singing, singing for our lives. We are a justice-seeking people and we are singing, singing for our lives. We are gay and straight together and we are singing, singing for our lives. We are old and young together and we are singing, singing for our lives. We are a gentle, angry people and we are singing, singing for our lives.</p>		
Scripture	GENESIS 2:4b-7	
<p>In the day that the Ageless One, God, made the earth and the heavens, before any plant of the field was in the earth and before any herb of the field had sprung up—for the Author of Life, God, had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was no human to till the humus—yet a stream rose from the earth and watered the entire surface of the humus. Then the Maker of All, God, crafted the human from the dust of the humus and breathed life into its nostrils the breath of life and the human became a living being.</p>		
<p>Reader: For the word of God in scripture, for the word of God among us, and for the word of God within us, All: Thanks be to God.</p>		
Call to Giving		Bob Sittig
*Hymn 506	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”	CONVERSE
Prayer		Pastor Anita Peebles
Anthem	“A Place at the Table” SHIRLEY ERENA MURRAY & MARY McDONALD	Summer Choir

For everyone born, a place at the table, for everyone born, clean water and bread, a shelter, a space, a safe place for growing, for everyone born, a star overhead. And God will delight when we are creators of justice and joy, compassion and peace: God will delight when we are creators of justice, justice and joy! For young and for old, a place at the table, a voice to be heard, a part in the song, the hands of a child in hands that are wrinkled, for young and for old, the right to belong. For everyone born, a place at the table, to live without fear, and simply to be, to work, to speak out, to witness and worship, for everyone born, the right to be free.

Scripture

PSALM 139:1, 7-14

Source of Life, you have searched me and known me.
Where can I go from your spirit?
Or where from your presence can I flee?
If I ascend to the heavens, there you are;
if I recline in Sheol, see, it is you!
If I take up dawn's wings
if I settle at the farthest reaches of the sea,
even there your hand shall lead me,
and your right hand shall hold me fast.
If I say, "Surely darkness shall cover me,
and night will become light behind me,"
even darkness is not dark to you;
night is as daylight,
for dark is the same as light.
For it was you who crafted my inward parts;
you wove me together in my mother's womb.
I praise you, for I am awesomely and marvelously made.
Wonderous are your works;
that my soul knows full well.

Reader: For the word of God in scripture, for the word of God among us,
and for the word of God within us,

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon	"Awesomely and Marvelously Made"	Pastor Leigh Curl-Dove
*Hymn (insert)	"Draw the Circle Wide"	MARK A. MILLER
Benediction		Pastor Leigh Curl-Dove
Postlude		Margie Paynton

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for coffee hour.

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The scripture texts are from *A Women's Lectionary for the Whole Church: Year B*, translated by Dr. Wil Gafney.

SFBC CALENDAR THIS WEEK

For Zoom links, see our online calendar at seattlefirstbaptist.org

Sunday 6/30 **Small Group Leader Gathering** 12:30pm in the Parlour

Sunday 6/30 **Seattle Pride Parade** 11am 4th Avenue from Westlake Park to Seattle Center

Sunday 6/30 **PrideFest Seattle Center** 12-8pm at Seattle Center

Tuesday 7/2 **Building Lasting Bridges: Part 2** 6pm on Zoom

Thursday 7/4 **Independence Day** Church Office Closed

Saturday 7/6 **Men's Group** 11am on Zoom

Saturday 7/6 **Play Reading Circle** 3pm on Zoom

Sunday 7/7 **Summer Choir Rehearsal** 10am in the Sanctuary

Sunday 7/7 **Worship: Pentecost 7** 11am in the Sanctuary

Sunday 7/7 **Baptist Women in Ministry Focus Group** 12:30pm in the Peacemaker's Room

Please see This Week in your email and on our Facebook page for further information and other announcements.

Email contact@seattlefirstbaptist.org to reach any of the following people.

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