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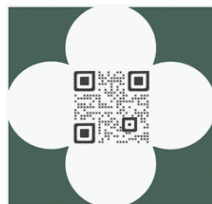
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**Submit articles or event information** for announcements by Tuesday at 4:00pm to editor@seattlefirstbaptist.org. Articles for the monthly newsletter, the Spire, by the 20th of the month.

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# Lent III

## simple joys of grace

LENT 2022  
WITH SEATTLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH



**Sunday, March 20, 2022**

11:00 a.m. *In the Sanctuary*

*Please respect those gathering in prayer before worship.*

Welcome to Worship! We are glad you are here.

Thank you for wearing your mask over your nose and mouth for the entirety of worship.

Children are a treasured part of this community! Please find a Worship Adventure Packet or a Busy Box at the tables in the foyers. Children are free to use these resources during the worship service as they sit in the pews or in the Wiggle Room.

For families who prefer to worship together in a more informal setting, the service may be seen and heard in the Wiggle Room (aka Brawley Room) adjacent to the sanctuary. Arts, crafts, books and other materials are also available there to engage younger children.

Please take a moment to turn your cell phone ringer off. Thank you!



Prelude	<i>Adorn My Soul With Gladness</i> by J.S. Bach	Margie Paynton, organ
Gathering		Pastor Patricia L. Hunter
Hymn	<i>Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise</i>	#1
Time with Children		Pastor Anita Peebles
Reflections on Simple Gifts of Grace		Barbara Steele/Beth Reis
Invitations to Involvement		Karen Carlos
Prayer Hymn	<i>Blessed Quietness</i> vs. 1-3	See insert
Prayer		Pastor Anita Peebles
Anthem	<i>Come, Children of Zion</i> - Lloyd Larson	Sanctuary Choir
Scripture	Luke 13:1-9	Kathleen Southwick
Sermon	Honoring a Season of Preparation	Pastor Patricia L. Hunter
Hymn	<i>In the Bulb There is a Flower</i>	#433
Blessing		Pastor Patricia L. Hunter

\*If it is comfortable for you, please stand where indicated.

Postlude *Prelude in C Major* by J. S. Bach Margie Paynton

Please join in person or Virtual Coffee Hour on Zoom after the service. This is an informal time to connect with our church family.



Notes of Worship: Organ works this morning celebrate the birthday of Johann Sebastian Bach, born March 21, 1685. He was a gifted composer and organist, and a man of deep and abiding faith, known by many as the fifth Evangelist. His compositions for the church always included the inscription Soli Deo Gloria, To God Alone the Glory, at their conclusion.

Our Holy Week services will begin with our Good Friday service on April 15 at 6pm in Fellowship Hall. On Saturday, April 16 our annual Easter Bunny Meet & Greet and crafts at 10am to 1pm on the corner of Harvard & Seneca. We hope that you will join us for our very special Easter Worship service at 11:00am, in the Sanctuary and online. *Invite a friend!*

TODAY, Sunday March 20 Youth Group Lunch & Games, 12:30 to 2:30pm in the Bowling Alley and Youth Room. Scrabble, bowling, apples to apples, tik tok dance challenge and more. Lunch provided ....Contact Pastor Anita to RSVP or with questions.

Today at 4:00 to 5:00pm  
SFBC Black Indigenous and other People of Color (BIPOC) Meeting  
This is Women’s History Month and we will recognize and celebrate the women who have mentored and encouraged us. Please join us by Zoom using computer or smart phone Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85036603078>  
Meeting ID: 850 3660 3078+12532158782,,85036603078#

Parents/Guardians Lenten Creativity gathering on Sundays from 9:30-10:30am. Janet Hasselblad will host space for parents/guardians of kiddos during Godly Play time.

Godly Play in person every Sunday at 9:30-10:30am - Kids in kindergarten-5th grade are invited to join Godly Play Sunday school in person in the Godly Play room (room 210). Contact Pastor Anita with questions.

Lenten Worship in the Style of Taizé Wednesdays at 5:30 pm (3/9 – 4/13) on Zoom  
Worship in the style of Taizé comes from the small ecumenical monastery in southern France, for which it is named. Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86369247250> Meeting ID: 863 6924 7250 | Join via phone +12532158782 then dial code 86369247250#

4th Sunday, March 27 - Lent IV Pastor Anita preaching.  
Lent V, Sunday, April 3, Pastor Anita preaching.  
Sunday, April 3, at 6:00pm Seattle Jazz Vespers is proud to present the Duende Libre Quintet in the Sanctuary.

You’re invited to our Tuesdays Noontime Prayer with Pastor Patricia  
You can join us using this Zoom link on your computer or smartphone: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86776242649> - You may also join us by phone by calling this number 1-669-900-9128 Meeting ID: 867 7624 2649

Please remember to join Thursday Bible Study with Pastor Anita  
On Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86761779225> Join by phone:1-669-900-9128|Meeting ID: 867 6177 9225 March 24: Mark 13:14-22 and Genesis 3:8-21