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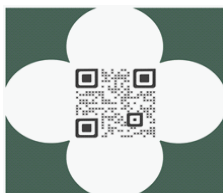
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Submit articles or event information for announcements by Tuesday at 4:00pm to editor@seattlefirstbaptist.org. Articles for the monthly newsletter, the Spire, by the 20th of the month.

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Sunday Worship



Our Mission Statement

We are a community of faith united in exploring what it means to follow the way of Jesus Christ, to be a people of God, and to love and care for our neighbors. As a church we will know no circles of exclusion, no bridges we will not cross, and no loyalties above that which we owe to God.

Sunday, September 25, 2022

11:00 a.m.

Please respect those gathering in prayer before worship.

Welcome to Worship! We are glad you are here.

Masks are encouraged but not required.

Please notice and abide by signage around the church that designates areas where masks are required.

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.

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

Prelude	<i>Prelude on Pescador de Hombres</i> arr. Michael Emmerich	Christian Broughton
Gathering		Sam Jangam
*Hymn	<i>Cantemos al Creador</i> Sing verses 1, 2, and 1 in either Spanish or English	#39
Time with Children		Brooke Rolston
Song	<i>Santo Santo Santo</i>	Ben Luedcke and Gerald Seminatore
¡Santo, santo, santo, mi corazón te adora! Mi corazón te sabe decir: santo eres, Señor. Holy, holy, holy, my heart adores you. My heart knows how to say to you, holy are you, Lord.		
Invitations to Involvement /Call to Giving		Martha Hopler
*Prayer Hymn	<i>Sois La Semilla</i> Sing verse 1 in Spanish, again in English, and then repeat in Spanish	#528
Prayer		Serena Sullivan
Anthem	<i>Pues si Vivimos</i>	Sanctuary Choir and Teddy Wiggins, violin
Scripture	Psalm 146	Serena Sullivan
Sermon	“The Eternal Return: We Fail but God is Always Love” Pastor Mario Seth Morales	
*Hymn	<i>When Peace Like a River</i> Sing all verses in either Spanish or English	See insert
Benediction		Pastor Mario Seth Morales

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

Postlude *Presto (from Concerto in G Major)* - J.S. Bach Christian Broughton

Please join coffee hour in person in the Parlor or Virtual on Zoom after the service.



Worship Notes: Born in Linares, Nuevo León, Mexico, **Carlos Rosas** wrote the hymn tune to “Cantemos al Creador,” and he is a pioneer and expert in Hispanic liturgical music. Cesáreo Gabaraín is not from Central or South America, but was a Spanish priest and hymnwriter. Having composed and published over hundreds of singable melodies - including our heritage hymn “Tú has Venido a la Orilla” and “Sois la Semilla” - his sacred music has been popularized all over the globe and appears in many English and Spanish hymnals. “Santo, Santo, Santo” is an Argentinian folk hymn, and “Pues si vivimos” is a Mexican folk hymn both arranged by Ben Luedcke. We offer *special thanks* to **Teddy Wiggins** for being in worship with us today.

Next Sunday, October 2nd Sunday Worship with **Pastor Anita** preaching.

Next Gen Sunday begins Sunday, October 2 at 9:30am.

HEALING Journeys with Virgil and Sara Tollefson Sunday, Oct. 2 at 9:30am. Healing Journeys Encore - *For those who cannot attend in-person*, each Sunday’s recorded sessions will be offered via Zoom on the following Thursday <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86779019626> starting September 29th

New season begins, Seattle Jazz Vespers at 6:00pm featuring the **Greta Matassa Quintet**. ”She can give Ms. Streisand a run for it! —Seattle Times. “Her scatting is as confident, nimble an energetic as Ella’s and her phrasing is hip like Nancy Wilson’s” — Earshot Jazz.

INTERFAITH Climate Action -First Hill with Keith Ervin - Regular schedule is **4th Sunday of each month at 6:30 on Zoom**. HOWEVER, this Fall there will *only* be meetings on 10/2 and 11/28-Zoom link for 10/2 <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85168353493>. For more information, contact **Cindy Ervin** at cynthervin@msn.com

Bible Study with Pastor Anita resumes on Thursday, October 6 Noon to 1pm on Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86761779225>

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE with Marsha Ulmer 2nd Sunday of each month 1:30-2:30pm on Zoom (ongoing) This ongoing group is for women who meet together for mutual support. Sessions include socializing, business and spiritual support. The group supports a missionary and local charitable efforts.

Celebration of Life for Roxana Harper on Saturday, October 8th at SFBC at 9:30 - 10:30am; **Please RSVP to Elena Harper:** elena@durango.net (206) 720-6647.

Young Adult Fall Retreat October 28th thru 30th, Cle Elum, WA. RSVP and Register by September 25 to secure your spot. **Fill out registration form** <https://forms.gle/BKFwkdGZ25rEVrDj8> - Sliding scale \$50-\$150, scholarships available. Contact **Pastor Anita** for more information.

***Brave Space** - Weekly on Mondays, 7-8 p.m. ***Noon Prayer on Tuesdays!** Join in on Zoom.