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Annual Meeting Sunday



Sunday, January 22, 2023

11:00 a.m.

In the Sanctuary

Please respect those gathering in prayer before worship.

Welcome to Worship! We are glad you are here.

Masks are recommended but not 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.

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>Be Thou My Vision</i> - arr. Mark Hayes	Christian Broughton
Gathering	Megan Walker, Council of Ministries President	
*Hymn	<i>All Are Welcome</i>	see Insert
Time with Children	Joanne Hjort, Small Group Leader	
Invitations to Involvement	Karen Thomas, Choir President	
Call to Giving/Call to Prayer	John Benner, Stewardship Chair	
*Prayer Hymn	<i>Blessed Be the Tie that Binds</i>	#393
Prayer	Pastor Anita Peebles	
Anthem	<i>In This Very Room</i> - Ron and Carol Harris	Sanctuary Choir

In this very room, there's quite enough love for all of us,
And in this very room, there's quite enough joy for all of us.
And there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power to chase away any gloom,
For Jesus, Lord Jesus, is in this very room.

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

Scripture	1 Cor. 3:10-17	Dick Johnson
Sermon	Forward Together	Rev. Samuel Kim
*Hymn	<i>In the Midst of New Dimensions</i>	#391
Benediction	Pastor Anita Peebles	
Postlude	<i>Festive Trumpet Tune</i> - David German	Christian Broughton

VIRTUAL COFFEE HOUR DRAWING TO A CLOSE
This change goes into effect today, Sunday, January 22nd.



Notes for Today's Worship: Please stay for the **Annual Meeting** held in the sanctuary immediately following worship.

Jack Merner Memorial Service will be held on **Friday, January 27th at 11:00am** in the Sanctuary. Reception to follow in Fellowship Hall.

Next Sunday, January 29 - Pastor Anita Peebles preaching.

Communion Sunday, February 5th Pastor Anita Peebles preaching,

February Spire deadline is **February 13th** by Noon,

Lost and Found - If you have recently lost or misplaced an item be sure to check the lost and found in the front office. We have several pairs of eyeglasses that have been turned in. Call Judy at 206.325.6051.

MARK your calendars and plan to be in attendance!
Larry Green & his Band at Jazz Vespers February 5, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.
A special note to Seattle First Baptist friends from our beloved brother Larry Green... Larry retired last year after thirty-nine years of federal service. He and his husband Paul are moving to Paul's native Belgium. Larry has truly enjoyed his time of fellowship at Seattle First Baptist, which has made him part of the type of blessed community he and Paul had longed to find. Larry has thoroughly enjoyed participating in music ministry as well as selection committees and commissions. He fondly cherished opportunities to present "A Time with Children" because it brought out the uncle in him. And lastly, he is most delighted to be invited to perform for SFBC Jazz Vespers as he prepares his heart to say farewell to his beloved church community.

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