

First Baptist Church, Kannapolis NC  
May 24, 2020



Prelude	<i>Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart</i>	Carol Cone
Welcome		Tom Cabaniss
The Call To Praise		Jonathan Hale
	One: Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth. <b>All: Sing to the Lord, praise His name; proclaim His salvation day after day.</b> One: Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous deeds among all peoples. <b>All: Splendor and majesty are before Him; strength and glory are in His sanctuary.</b> One: Ascribe to the Lord the glory due His name; bring an offering and come into His courts. <b>All: Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!!</b>	
Hymn	<i>Rejoice, the Lord Is King</i>	DARWALL
	<i>Rejoice, the Lord is King; Your Lord and King adore! Rejoice, give thanks and sing, And triumph evermore: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!</i> <i>Jesus, the Savior, reigns, the God of truth and love; When He had purged our stains, He took His seat above: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!</i> <i>His kingdom cannot fail, He rules o'er earth and heav'n; The keys of death and hell Are to our Jesus giv'n: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!</i> <i>Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord and judge shall come And take His servants up To their eternal home: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!</i>	
Words For Our Children		Candice Carter
Choral Praise	<i>I Will Joyfully Sing</i>	Mary McDonald
Pastoral Prayer		Tom Cabaniss
Scripture Reading	Joy in the Lord (Psalm 126:1-6; Zephaniah 3:16-17; Isaiah 35:1-6)	

Hymn

*Praise Him! Praise Him!*

JOYFUL SONG

*Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer!  
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim!  
Hail Him! hail Him! Highest archangels in glory,  
Strength and honor give to His holy name!  
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard His children;  
In His arms He carries them all day long;  
Praise Him! praise Him! tell of His excellent greatness,  
Praise Him! praise Him! ever in joyful song!*

*Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer!  
For our sins, He suffered and bled and died;  
He our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,  
Hail Him! hail Him! Jesus the crucified:  
Sound His praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows,  
Love unbounded wonderful, deep, and strong:  
Praise Him! praise Him! Tell of his excellent greatness,  
Praise Him! praise Him! ever in joyful song!*

*Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
Heav'nly portals loud with hosannas ring!  
Jesus, Savior, reigneth forever and ever;  
Crown Him! crown Him! prophet and priest and King!  
Christ is coming, over the world victorious,  
Pow'r and glory unto the Lord belong:  
Praise Him! praise Him! tell of his excellent greatness!  
Praise Him! praise Him! ever in joyful song!*

Message

A Bout with Arthritis  
1 Thessalonians 5:16-23

Tom Cabaniss

Hymn

*Take the Name of Jesus with You*

PRECIOUS NAME

*Take the name of Jesus with you, Child of sorrow and of woe;  
It will joy and comfort give you, Take it then where'er you go.  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n;  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n.*

*Take the name of Jesus ever As a shield from ev'ry snare;  
When temptations round you gather, Breathe that holy name in pray'r.  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n;  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n.*

*O the precious name of Jesus! How it thrills our souls with joy,  
When His loving arms receive us, And His songs our tongues employ.  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n;  
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of the earth and joy of heav'n.*

Benediction

Tom Cabaniss

Choral Response

*Go Out and Tell*

PLANO

# **“A Bout With Arthritis”**

I Thessalonians 5:16

## **AN OVERVIEW**

I Thessalonians is a small letter.

I Thessalonians 4:11...

Verses 16-23...

Four big principles...

These seven things are easy to remember, but they can be hard to do or live.

## **TWO OBSERVATIONS**

Today we have to confront and defeat two attacks that Satan makes against us.

The truth is we are as lost and as helpless as can be by ourselves.

## **THE COMMAND**

The command in verse 16 is only three words long...

The Greek word for “joyful...”

Matthew 28:9

John 13-17

James 1:26

This kind of joy comes from the Lord alone.

Nehemiah 8:10...

During the Roman Empire...

## **LIVING JOYFULLY**

Many believers struggle with joy every day.

Philippians 3:3...

Philippians 3:13-14...

John Flavel...

The pathway to joy is looking less at...

Norman Cousins...

## **A POSTSCRIPT**

A lot of things come at us every day...

A realtor...

Upcoming Birthdays

**May 24**

Hannah Cook  
Wayne Trexler

**May 25**

Julie Eberle  
Donna O'Donnell

**May 26**

Troy Day  
Esther Garza  
Don Southard

**May 27**

John Blumreich  
Laura Newsome  
Daniel Wallace

**May 28**

Dan Henderson

**May 29**

Brayden Carter  
Kinley Cesario

**May 30**

Melissa Szakal  
Elaine Bullard

**May 31**

Nikolas Cisneros  
Chey Saunders-Cisneros

**June 2**

Julianne Helms  
Lora Rector  
Avery Yorke

**June 3**

Riley Horn

**Daily Scripture  
for Personal Devotion**

**Monday**.....Psalm 99  
**Tuesday**.....Numbers 16:41-50  
**Wednesday**...1 Kings 8:54-65  
**Thursday**.....Psalm 33:12-22  
**Friday**.....Exodus 19:16-25  
**Saturday**.....Exodus 20:1-21  
**Sunday**.....Acts 2:1-21  
Psalm 104:24-34, 35b  
Numbers 11:24-30  
John 20:19-23

**BUDGET REPORT THROUGH**

**May 17, 2020**

**Receipts**        \$ 308,606.33  
**Budget**         \$ 309,510.53  
**Over/(Under)** \$    (904.20)

Please call the church office at 704-938-4697 or email at [office2@firstbaptistchurch.com](mailto:office2@firstbaptistchurch.com) if you have any needs during the week 8am-5pm. After hours or weekends please email Jim Campbell at [jim@w4bqp.net](mailto:jim@w4bqp.net).

Remember to share any prayer requests you may have with us. We'll be happy to lift you up to the Lord and others as well. We also remind you of the giving options you have available to you. You can easily continue with online bill pay as you have been doing, mail your tithes to our church office, drop them by the church office or take advantage of [tithe.ly](http://tithe.ly). You can use that online option by visiting our church's website at [www.firstbaptistkannapolis.com](http://www.firstbaptistkannapolis.com).