

**The Worship of God
Sunday, January 05, 2020**

Putting Out Into the Deep of a New Year and Calling

Thomas Merton wrote: "Discovering vocation does not mean scrambling toward some prize just beyond my reach but accepting the treasure of true self I already possess." Psalm 100 puts it this way about who we are: "Know that the Lord is God. It is He who made us...." Merton goes on to say: "For each one of us, there is only one thing necessary: to fulfill our own destiny, according to God's will, to be what God wants us to be." As you prepare for worship or even the calling of a New Year, "What is it that God wants you to be?" and "Where is Jesus calling you to 'put out into'?"

Prelude		Beverly Warren
Faces & Places of First Baptist Church		
Welcome		John Moore
Time of Greeting	<i>Lion And The Lamb</i>	
Lighting of the Christ Candle		John Moore
Congregational Call to Worship	<i>This is Amazing Grace</i>	
Morning Prayer		John Moore
Songs of Our Worship	<i>He Hideth My Soul</i> <i>I Must Tell Jesus</i>	CH 611 CH 636
God's Eternal Word for Us Today	<i>Luke 5:1-11</i> <i>Reader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.</i> <i>Congregation: Thanks be to God.</i>	Don Stovall
Offertory Prayer		Roy Dent
Offertory	<i>I Surrender</i>	Sanctuary Choir
Message from God's Word	<i>Asking the Right Question</i>	Phil Christopher
Invitation	<i>Step by Step</i>	
Continuing Acts of Worship		Mike Greenfield
Recognition of Decisions		C. V. Blake
Benediction	<i>This is Amazing Grace</i>	
Postlude		Beverly Warren

Instrumentalist: Beverly Warren

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