

The Worship of God
Sunday, November 5, 2017

You are not your own...you were bought at a price.

We build walls. We deny our problems. We conceal our inadequacy. We hide our hurts. We fake it. We struggle with guilt. We might even think we don't matter. We end up becoming prisoners and our own enemy. You aren't sure who you are or why you are here. Fortunately there are two words which offer a way out and they're simply these: "Help me!" Those words are not always easy to say – we have to part with our pride. Simon Peter, the Apostle Paul, and Martin Luther found release in those two words. There is someone you can trust with that plea...Jesus Paid It All.

Prelude *Jesus Messiah* Celebration Orchestra

Faces & Places of First Baptist Church

Welcome Phil Christopher

Time of Greeting *What a Beautiful Name*

Lighting of the Christ Candle Phil Christopher

Celebration of Baptism *Ethan Carter* Cody Favor

Choral Call to Worship Baylor Men's Choir
How Can I Keep From Singing

Congregational Call to Worship *Crown Him (Majesty)*

Morning Prayer Phil Christopher

Message in Song *Laudate Dominum* Baylor Men's Choir
I Will Rise

God's Eternal Word for Us Today *Romans 3:21-28* Lynn Martin
Reader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.
Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Offertory Prayer Maura dela Cruz

Offertory *Jesu Dulcis Memoria* Baylor Men's Choir

Choral Worship *Praise His Holy Name*
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
Injili lende Mbele
Jesus Paid It All

Invitation *Come Just As You Are* CH 481

Continuing Acts of Worship Mike Greenfield

Recognition of Decisions C. V. Blake

Benediction *Traveling Mercies* Baylor Men's Choir

Postlude *Jesus Messiah* Celebration Orchestra

Instrumentalist: Beverly Warren, piano