

Connexion Worship

November 22, 2020

<i>God So Loved</i>		Toni Whatley
<i>Commission</i>	Orietta Russom and Toni Whatley	
<i>Blessing and Honor</i>		Orietta Russom
<i>Who You Are To Me</i>	Orietta Russom and Adam Pugh	
<i>There Was Jesus</i>	Orietta Russom and Adam Pugh	
Scripture Reading	Matthew 25: 31-46	The Key Family

“But when the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit upon his glorious throne.

“All the nations will be gathered in his presence, and he will separate the people as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. He will place the sheep at his right hand and the goats at his left.

“Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the creation of the world. For I was hungry, and you fed me. I was thirsty, and you gave me a drink. I was a stranger, and you invited me into your home. I was naked, and you gave me clothing. I was sick, and you cared for me. I was in prison, and you visited me.’

“Then these righteous ones will reply, ‘Lord, when did we ever see you hungry and feed you? Or thirsty and give you something to drink? Or a stranger and show you hospitality? Or naked and give you clothing? When did we ever see you sick or in prison and visit you?’

“And the King will say, ‘I tell you the truth, when you did it to one of the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!’ Then the King will turn to those on the left and say, ‘Away with you, you cursed ones, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his demons. For I was hungry, and you didn’t feed me. I was thirsty, and you didn’t give me a drink. I was a stranger, and you didn’t invite me into your home. I was naked, and you didn’t give me clothing. I was sick and in prison, and you didn’t visit me.’

“Then they will reply, ‘Lord, when did we ever see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and not help you?’

“And he will answer, ‘I tell you the truth, when you refused to help the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were refusing to help me.’ All: “And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous will go into eternal life.”

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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What’s Happening @ FBC

NEWS AND EVENTS

Community Thanksgiving Service

Our community Thanksgiving Service will be pre-recorded by leaders in area churches and presented virtually on Thursday, November 26 this year. We hope the accessibility of this recorded service, available on Thanksgiving Day, will be a new and meaningful way for you to worship and give thanks in your homes.

Children’s Ministry Offerings Continue

Childcare for ages 6 weeks - 3 years and children’s worship for children ages 4 through 2nd grade continue. Thank you for registering each week to help us prepare! For more details and to register, go to <https://fbcgriffin.org/together-is-a-wonderful-place-to-be/>.

Advent by Candlelight

Join us for our Advent by Candlelight Worship Service in the Sanctuary on Monday, November 30th at 7:00pm. Come listen to the sounds of the season. Hear stories of hope, love, joy, and peace. This is a time of worship for women of all ages. Registration is required in our effort not to exceed our reduced capacity in the Sanctuary. Register online, call the church office, or get tickets Sunday mornings, 11/22 and 11/29. Come to the FLC Welcome Center after the Celebration Service or before the Connexion Service for tickets on Sunday mornings.

Christmas Toy/Gift Ministry

All the Christmas toy/gift requests have been taken to be purchased, wrapped and labeled! A big thank you to all those who chose a gift to provide Christmas joy for a child in need in our community. If you are purchasing a gift, please return your wrapped and labeled package to the cart in the Welcome Center on or before December 6th. Please call the church office if you have any questions. Your question will be relayed to the Christmas Toy Ministry team members, and one of them will get back in touch with you as soon as possible.

Christmas Poinsettias

The church will be decorated with fresh poinsettias and wreaths. If you would like to make a contribution in memory or in honor of someone to go toward this expense, please place your gift of \$15.00 (per listing) and the name(s) of the person(s) you are remembering or honoring in the offering plate by Sunday, December 6. Donations provide the wreaths, poinsettias, the bows for the wreaths and other supplies.

Daily Lectionary Readings

Year A of the Revised Common Lectionary is coming to an end. If you would like a printed copy of the daily and Sunday lectionary readings for Year B, which begins November 26, please leave a phone message for the Church Library (ext. 130) or contact Brian McCartney.

Thanksgiving Week Closures

- The Library Curb service
- Church Office, November 26 and 27

New Staff Member

Leila Wells Rogers joined as FBC’s Communications Coordinator on November 16.

Offering

At FBC Griffin, we recognize that offerings come in many shapes and sizes. We believe that God has entrusted each of us with resources that are to be used for God’s glory and the bringing of God’s kingdom “on earth as it is in heaven.” Therefore, we encourage you to be good stewards of those resources. Feel free to use the space below for additional offerings that you would like to present back to God during worship and place it in the offering plate.

Gifts of Time: _____

Gifts of Talents: _____

Gifts of Presence: _____

Gifts of Service: _____

Gifts of Prayer: _____

Gifts of Resources: _____
