

WORSHIP GUIDE – SUNDAY JUNE 20TH – 10:15AM

Our Perfect Father

Welcome & Call to Worship: [Pastor Bernie]

- Father's Day welcome
- Our focus this morning is on our perfect heavenly father, specifically on His character and love for His children.

OUR HEAVENLY FATHER'S PERFECT CHARACTER

Congregational Song: Holy Holy Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky, and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed trinity!

Congregational Chorus: Almighty Father

Almighty Father, You alone are holy.
You are my refuge, I will trust in You.
You are a tower, a mighty fortress.
You are my strength and shield, You are God.

Almighty Father, You alone are holy.
You guide my footsteps that I may not fall.
In joy or sorrow, I will exalt You.
You are my righteousness, You are God.

Almighty Father, You alone are holy.
You are Creator, You are all in all!

Yours is the power, Yours is the glory.
Yours is the majesty, You are God.

OUR HEAVENLY FATHER'S PERFECT LOVE

“The Perfect Father” – Devotional written by Chris Anderson from day #2 of *Gospel Meditations for Father*. [Pastor Steve]

- Psalms 103:13 - *As a father shows compassion to his children, so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.*

Prayer for the Fathers of First Baptist Church [Mike Zajicek]

Congregational Song: The Love of God

The love of God is greater far
than tongue or pen can ever tell;
it goes beyond the highest star,
and reaches to the lowest hell.
The guilty pair, bowed down with care,
God gave His Son to win;
His erring child He reconciled,
And pardoned from his sin.

*O love of God, how rich and pure!
How measureless and strong!
It shall forevermore endure—
the saints' and angels' song.*

Could we with ink the ocean fill,
and were the skies of parchment made;
were ev'ry stalk on earth a quill,
and ev'ryone a scribe by trade;
to write the love of God above
would drain the ocean dry;
nor could the scroll contain the whole,
though stretched from sky to sky.

*O love of God, how rich and pure!
How measureless and strong!
It shall forevermore endure—
the saints' and angels' song.*

Violin Solo: How Deep the Father's Love for Us [Addison Nichols]

How deep the Father's love for us,
How vast beyond all measure,
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss –

The Father turns His face away,
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the man upon a cross,
My sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life –
I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything,
No gifts, no power, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ,
His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer;
But this I know with all my heart –
His wounds have paid my ransom.

Children 3-K5 Dismissed to Junior Church

Message: I Sam 2:22-36 [Pastor Steve]

²² Now Eli was very old, and he kept hearing all that his sons were doing to all Israel, and how they lay with the women who were serving at the entrance to the tent of meeting. ²³ And he said to them, “Why do you do such things? For I hear of your evil dealings from all these people. ²⁴ No, my sons; it is no good report that I hear the people of the Lord spreading abroad. ²⁵ If someone sins against a man, God will mediate for him, but if someone sins against the Lord, who can intercede for him?” But they would not listen to the voice of their father, for it was the will of the Lord to put them to death.

²⁶ Now the boy Samuel continued to grow both in stature and in favor with the Lord and also with man.

²⁷ And there came a man of God to Eli and said to him, “Thus says the Lord, ‘Did I indeed reveal myself to the house of your father when they were in Egypt subject to the house of Pharaoh? ²⁸ Did I choose him out of all the tribes of Israel to be my priest, to go up to my altar, to burn incense, to wear an ephod before me? I gave to the house of your father all my offerings by fire from the people of Israel. ²⁹ Why then do you scorn my sacrifices and my offerings that I commanded for my dwelling, and honor your sons above me by fattening yourselves on the choicest parts of every offering of my people Israel?’ ³⁰ Therefore the Lord, the God of Israel, declares: ‘I promised that your house and the house of your father should go in and out before me forever,’ but now the Lord declares: ‘Far be it from me, for those who honor me I will honor, and those who despise me shall be lightly esteemed. ³¹ Behold, the days are coming when I will cut off your strength and the strength of your father's house, so that there will not be an old man in your house. ³² Then in distress you will look with envious eye on all the prosperity that shall be bestowed on Israel, and there shall not be an old man in your house forever. ³³ The only one of you whom I shall not cut off from my altar shall be spared to

weep his eyes out to grieve his heart, and all the descendants of your house shall die by the sword of men. ³⁴ And this that shall come upon your two sons, Hophni and Phinehas, shall be the sign to you: both of them shall die on the same day. ³⁵ And I will raise up for myself a faithful priest, who shall do according to what is in my heart and in my mind. And I will build him a sure house, and he shall go in and out before my anointed forever. ³⁶ And everyone who is left in your house shall come to implore him for a piece of silver or a loaf of bread and shall say, "Please put me in one of the priests' places, that I may eat a morsel of bread."'''

Song of Response: He is Good

He is good, he is good. His love endures forever.
Give thanks to the Lord for he is good.
He is good, he is good. His love endures forever.
Give thanks for he is good.

For His unfailing love and his wonderful deeds
give thanks, give thanks to the Lord.
He is good, he is good. His love endures forever.
Give thanks for he is good.

Closing Announcements: [Pastor Steve]

Camp Chetek, June 21st – 26th – Junior Week at Camp Chetek

- Parents, have your junior campers to the church tomorrow morning by 8:30am. Provide a sack lunch for them to bring.
- Church, please pray for a spiritually fruitful week in the lives of our Juniors attending camp.

Wednesday, June 23rd from 7:00-8:00pm – Wednesday Night Events

- In home fellowships – Home list is available on table in back
- Evangelism class meets at the church at 7:00pm
- Teens at Community Park from 6:45-8:15 for Summer Devotional Challenge

Next Sunday, June 27th at 10:15am – Annual Church Picnic at Community Park

Wild West Quest – VBS 2021 – July 12th-15th

Father's Day Give Away:

Closing prayer and dismissal: