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John August Swanson, *A Visit: An Excerpt*, serigraph, Los Angeles, CA, 1995.

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The worship at Broadway Baptist Church has been consciously crafted to reflect and recapture historic and classical worship. Worship is an act of offering and praise to God. Our priority is to worship God according to the model found in Isaiah 6:1-8. Central to our worship is the proclamation of the Word of God through scripture, sermon, and music. We encourage all worshippers to engage in the worship of God; after all, worship is also a verb.

Please silence your cell phones during this time of worship.

**Please stand in body or in spirit.*

The Greeting

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed!**

The Welcome

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

The Prelude

Jonathan Oblander

Prelude on LLANFAIR, Raymond Haan

The Call to Worship

Rev. Robert Gammon

One Voice: On the evening of Jesus' resurrection, the disciples gathered in fear, wonderment, and excitement.

Many Voices: Then the risen Christ appeared in their midst and said,

One Voice: "Peace be with you"!

Many Voices: We too, gather this day, some of us filled with joy, some of us filled with fear, and to each one of us Christ says,

One Voice: "Peace be with you"!

Many Voices: Alleluia! Christ is risen,

One Voice: Alleluia! Christ is risen indeed!

***The Hymn**

Congregation

Christ is Alive!, No. 243

The Epistle Lesson

Rev. Susan Reed

I Corinthians 15:12-20, p.135

The Choral Worship

Chancel Choir

In the Bulb There is a Flower, Natalie Sleeth

In the bulb there is a flower; in the seed, an apple tree; in cocoons, a hidden promise: butterflies will soon be free! In the cold and snow of winter there's a spring that waits to be, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see. There's a song in every silence, seeking word and melody; there's a dawn in every darkness bringing hope to you and me. From the past will come the future; what it holds, a mystery, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see. In our end is our beginning; in our time, infinity; in our doubt there is believing; in our life, eternity. In our death, a resurrection; at the last, a victory, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

The Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Alissa Vance

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and ever.

***The Hymn**

Congregation

I Know That My Redeemer Lives, No. 239

As we observe communion by intinction, the children will remain in the service today.

***The New Testament Lesson**

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Acts 4:32-35, p. 93

The Sermon

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

One Heart, One Soul

The Celebration Of Communion

We will observe communion by intinction today. As you move forward, please do so by exiting your pew on the right side and returning to your seat on the opposite side. If you are unable to come forward, please raise your hand and we will bring communion to you at your seat. Please note: All crackers are gluten free.

***The Hymn**

Congregation

As We Gather Around the Table, No. 770

***The Offertory Prayer**

Steve Lin

The Offertory

Jonathan Oblander

"With High Delight", Hugo Distler

***The Congregational Response**

Congregation

**Christ is alive, and comes to bring good news to this and every age,
till earth and sky and ocean ring with joy, with justice, love, and praise.**

***The Benediction**

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

***The Postlude**

Jonathan Oblander

Toccata, Georgi Mushel

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God
by Gene and Ron Falls

Prayer Concerns:

Sympathy to the family of Carolyn Toma, who died on March 31.

Dick Brown, health concerns; Lee Sallee, father of Susan Gammon, health concerns; David Nightingale, health concerns; Edna Bielefeld, hospice care

Looking Ahead

April 7	Hiking Outing
April 13	WOM Spring Luncheon
April 16	Prayer Time in the Prayer Garden
April 21	BAA Recital & Gallery
April 28	Golf Scramble
July 22-26	Creative Arts Camp

Recreation Team News

Hiking Group – Our April hike will take place on Sunday, April 7th at 1:45 p.m. We'll be taking on two trails in West Point, Kentucky. Please contact Curtis Barman (502) 930-6420 for more information. Additional details can be found on the Facebook Meet Me in the Atrium page.

Spring Golf Outing – Our spring golf scramble will be held on Sunday, April 28th with tee times beginning @ 1:30 p.m. Please contact Curtis Barman for more information and availability.

Serving and Growing Together

Pictorial Directory 2024

A new Pictorial Directory will be compiled in 2024. Say Cheese! Pictures will be taken on April 13, 14 & 17, and May 18, 19, and 22 in the Lower Level Meeting Room (by the office). Reserve your spot by scanning the QR Code on the back or by calling the office.

We are also in need of volunteers to help with picture days! If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Robin Riddle at rtriddle129@yahoo.com

Prayer Time in the Prayer Garden

March to May at noon on the third Tuesday of each month we will have a prayer time in the prayer garden. All ages welcome! You're also welcome to bring a chair, a lunch or snack, and an open heart as we join together in a time of reflection and sharing prayer concerns and praises together. Our time of reflection and prayer will last about 30 minutes and then you are welcome to take as much time as you'd like to enjoy the beauty of God's creation! In case of bad weather, check in at the office for our indoor location. The dates will be: April 16 and May 21.

Wednesday Night Dinner, Bible Study, & Children's Activities

The dinner reservation deadline for each week is Monday at 1:00 p.m. If you are unable to attend, the reservation must be canceled by Monday 1:00 p.m. or you will be responsible for the charge.

April 10

Beef Stroganoff
Parsley Egg Noodles
Sweet Peas & Pimentos
Warm Biscuits
Ooey Gooley Bars

April 17

Roast Pork Loin
Whipped Potatoes & Gravy
Green Beans
Corn Muffin
Pineapple Upside Down Cake

April 24

Chicken Tetrazzini
French Bread
Garden Salad
Banana Pudding

Serving and Growing Together

WOM Spring Luncheon

Spring Luncheon time is here. The Women on Mission event will be on Saturday, April 13 in Friendship Hall. Doors open at 10 a.m. for table-viewing and the program begins at 11 a.m. All Broadway women are invited to attend. Tickets are \$30 per person. Total table cost is \$240. With increased costs and our desire to continue to give generously to selected mission projects, it is necessary to increase the ticket amount. If you are creative or you enjoy setting a beautiful table, then let us know that you will decorate and host a table. We are happy to announce that Gracious Plenty will be catering our salad lunch. If you would like to attend the Women on Mission Spring Luncheon contact Donna Williams at (502) 774-0515.

WOM Spring Luncheon Silent Auction

Now accepting donations for the Women on Mission Spring Luncheon Silent Auction. Some items donated in the past include china, theme baskets, jewelry, Derby hats, etc. Items can be new or gently used. Contact Connie Rogers at (502) 592-9392 or cgordonrogers@aol.com.

Broadway Arts Academy

Our Spring Recital/Gallery will be on Sunday, April 21 at 1 p.m. As always, church members have an open invitation to attend as we celebrate the accomplishments of our music and art students.

In addition, we will be offering a MAYMESTER opportunity for our current students as well as any prospective students from April 29-June 3. Please contact Robert if you are interested in this additional opportunity.

Creative Arts Camp

It's back! We will offer Creative Arts Camp on July 22-26. Participants will have two group choir sessions as well as two specified art medium group lessons each day. If you would like to volunteer to help with crowd control or lead an art form, please contact Robert.

Pickleball

Open gym for pickleball is on Tuesday nights from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. All skill levels are welcome, and we're always excited to see new faces who are interested in the sport. All equipment provided!

Serving and Growing Together

Rehearsal Schedules for Choirs

Preschool Music Activity Group: Sundays at 9:45 a.m in the music suite
Children's Choir: Sundays from 12 noon to 12:40 p.m. in the choir room
Chancel Choir: Wednesdays from 7:00-8:25 p.m. in the choir room
Chancel Bells: Wednesdays from 6:05-6:50 p.m. in the bell room

Love in Action Bins

Each week throughout the school year we pack bags to be sent home on the weekends with students from Chenoweth Elementary who are living with food insecurity. This year we are packing more than 150 bags! Our partnership with Assumption Greek Orthodox Church and the Missions Committee helps offset the cost of food - but we need your help! If you are able - the following food items are useful and can be placed in Love in Action bins around the church:

Ramen noodles, hearty canned soups or ravioli with pull-top lids, granola bars (no nuts or peanut butter), oatmeal packets, individual applesauce or pudding cups, etc.

If you'd like to join the team helping to pack the bags each week, please contact Susan in the church office or at susanr@broadwaybaptist.org

Kroger Community Rewards

If you are not already enrolled, please take a moment to register your Kroger Plus Card with Broadway Baptist Church - Louisville.

Communications

If you need to reach a member of the Broadway staff, you are welcome to contact us via email or call the office line at (502)-895-2459.

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Journal Space: What will you carry from worship into your week?

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Broadway Arts Academy



Our promise to each other:

We pledge ourselves to be the family of God for you in this place. We offer you our love, our care, our kinship, and our hopes. We hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you by God's grace.

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