

BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CENTER

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THE LORD'S DAY

April 24, 2022 at 8:30 & 10:15 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude	David Schmidt
Piano	Wendy Baldwin
Guitar	Steve Budnack

Congregational Hymns led by Dawn Fraser/ Joy Terian/ Nate Tilkins
Announcements

Prayer

Hymns 3, 11 "Holy, Holy, Holy" "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Scripture – Psalm 63 (opposite page)

Pastoral Prayer

Hymns 147, 184 "How Great Thou Art" "Thy Word"

Message JESUS CHRIST-THE SAME YESTERDAY-TODAY-FOREVER
Matthew 27:51-60 Rev. Calvin VanderMey

Benediction

Postlude

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tuesday at 6:30pm.- Precept Bible study in "Hebrews" via ZOOM
Email Wendy Baldwin at wlabaldwin@gmail.com

Wednesday - Ladies Bible study 10am with Becky Shearer- "Hebrews"

Wednesday Evening Prayer and Bible Study 6:30pm

No Thursday Precept Bible study at 8:15am till **May 5th**- Margaret Was
Saturday from 9-10am Men's Breakfast

The offering box is in the back of the sanctuary

MINISTRY OF MISSION

For the glory of God, Bible Fellowship Center is committed to spreading the Good News of salvation, equipping the believers, that they might become more Christ-like, worship God and enjoy Him forever.

Joy in the Fellowship of God

A Psalm of David when he was in the wilderness of Judah.

Psalm 63 O God, You *are* my God;

Early will I seek You;

My soul thirsts for You;

My flesh longs for You

In a dry and thirsty land

Where there is no water.

² So I have looked for You in the sanctuary,

To see Your power and Your glory.

³ Because Your lovingkindness *is* better than life,

My lips shall praise You.

⁴ Thus I will bless You while I live;

I will lift up my hands in Your name.

⁵ My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness,

And my mouth shall praise *You* with joyful lips.

⁶ When I remember You on my bed,

I meditate on You in the *night* watches.

⁷ Because You have been my help,

Therefore in the shadow of Your wings I will rejoice.

⁸ My soul follows close behind You;

Your right hand upholds me.

⁹ But those *who* seek my life, to destroy *it*,

Shall go into the lower parts of the earth.

¹⁰ They shall fall by the sword;

They shall be a portion for jackals.

¹¹ But the king shall rejoice in God;

Everyone who swears by Him shall glory;

But the mouth of those who speak lies shall be stopped.

Matthew 27:51-60

⁵¹ Then, behold, the veil of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom; and the earth quaked, and the rocks were split, ⁵² and the graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised; ⁵³ and coming out of the graves after His resurrection, they went into the holy city and appeared to many.

⁵⁴ So when the centurion and those with him, who were guarding Jesus, saw the earthquake and the things that had happened, they feared greatly, saying, “Truly this was the Son of God!”

⁵⁵ And many women who followed Jesus from Galilee, ministering to Him, were there looking on from afar, ⁵⁶ among whom were Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James and Joses, and the mother of Zebedee’s sons.

⁵⁷ Now when evening had come, there came a rich man from Arimathea, named Joseph, who himself had also become a disciple of Jesus. ⁵⁸ This man went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then Pilate commanded the body to be given to him. ⁵⁹ When Joseph had taken the body, he wrapped it in a clean linen cloth, ⁶⁰ and laid it in his new tomb which he had hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a large stone against the door of the tomb, and departed.

Isaiah 53:1-9 Who has believed our report?

And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?

² For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant,

And as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness;

And when we see Him, *There is* no beauty that we should desire Him.

³ He is despised and rejected by men, a Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief.

And we hid, as it were, *our* faces from Him;

He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.

⁴ Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows;

Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted.

⁵ But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed.

⁶ All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way;

And the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

⁷ He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth;

He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent,

So He opened not His mouth.

⁸ He was taken from prison and from judgment, and who will declare His generation?

For He was cut off from the land of the living;

For the transgressions of My people He was stricken.

⁹ And they made His grave with the wicked—But with the rich at His death,

Because He had done no violence, nor *was any* deceit in His mouth.