Let Us Worship the Lord Together!

Sunday, February 20, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements Moments of Meditation

"I Will Come Again and Take You to Be with Me"

Call to Worship

Scripture

John 14.1-6

Worship Songs

"Lord, I Adore Thee"

"It Is Well with My Soul" (Hymn 410)

Morning Prayer

Prayer Response "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" (Hymn 333)

"I Am the Way and the Truth and the Life"

Message in Music "Standing on the Promises/Higher Ground"

Sanctuary Choir

Song of Preparation "Ancient Words"

Message from the Word of God (See Insert, Pew Bible p. 987-988)

Response to God

Commitment of Life and Tithes and Offerings*

Meditation "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Curtis Powell, Piano

Benediction "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine" (Hymn 334)

* Offering and Communication Card Return:

Please place your offering and Communication Card in the basket at the exit. You may also give and respond online through acbc.churchtrac.com. (Or use the QR code on the back of Communication Card.)



For hearing aid users, we have a hearing loop installed in the Sanctuary. Activate the t-coil in your hearing aid to take advantage of this system.

Welcome to Ancient City Baptist Church! Guests, we are glad you are here! We invite you to join us briefly in Fellowship Hall immediately after worship for light refreshments and an opportunity to introduce ourselves! We also invite you to complete the Communication Card to the right and place it in one of the baskets located at each exit as you leave the Sanctuary. Members and regular attenders, you are also encouraged to use the Communication Card for information updates, prayer requests, and other responses you may have.

"Pray for one another..."

(James 5.16)

Do you desire prayer for yourself or others? Someone will be happy to pray for you or with you following worship. Come to the front of the Sanctuary (near the organ) immediately after the service with your prayer requests. If you would prefer to have special prayer at another time or have a request placed on our Prayer List, please let us know through the Communication Card or by calling the church office.



In our current study of 1 Thessalonians, each week (except the last) a question will be posed and answered. All upcoming and *recent* messages in this series are listed below. *Missed messages can be accessed through our website.*

January 16	What Makes a Great Church?		
January 23	What Makes a Great Leader?		
January 30	How Can I Stand this Suffering?		
February 6	How Can I Please God?		
February 13	What Happens When I Die?		
February 20	When Is the End Coming?		
February 27	Life's Little Instruction Book		

A Community Church

Churches exist in all shapes and sizes, from the house church to the megachurch. While each has its place, God has called us to be a community church, a gathering where people can be surely recognized by face and often by name, a church where members live within the larger St. Augustine community, a church where you can get easily involved in Life Groups and ministries, a church where you can know the pastor and the pastor can know you. Most guests tell us they really feel welcomed, that Ancient City people take the initiative in being friendly. We hope you feel right at home at Ancient City Baptist Church. Everyone needs a church, and we would love to become yours!

COMMUNICATION CARD
Comments or Prover Needs

(Place Communication Card in basket at exit.)

☐ Confidential ☐ For published prayer list

Use QR Code to respond or to give online



COMMUNICATION CARD

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Name(s)			
Address			
City Zip			
Home Phone			
Cell Phone			
Email			
My Response Today ☐ I want to place my faith in Jesus Christ and receive his gift of life,			
abundant and eternal. I would like to learn more about			
what it means to follow Jesus I would like to be baptized. I would like to learn more about			
church membership. ☐ I would like information on Life Groups/Sunday School classes.			
Please add me to ACBC's email list.I would like to speak with a minister			
at a mutually convenient time. I am interested in possibly helping			
with VBS this summer. ☐ Other (please write on other side)			
Guests			
We are glad you are here! Please complete this card and place it in the offering basket this morning.			
This is my \square 1st \square 2nd \square 3rd or more time at Ancient City Baptist Church.			
I was invited by			
Please indicate the number of people in your family in each age category:			
65+ 55-64 45-54 30-44 18-29 Youth (Grade 7-12) Children (Grade 1-6) Preschool			

THIS WEEK'S MINISTRY CALENDAR

Sunday, February 20

9:40 a.m. Life Groups 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Wednesday, February 23

6:30 p.m. Bible Study/Prayer Meeting Fellowship Hall or Zoom https://us02web.zoom.us/j/211387999 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

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The flowers on the altar today are given by Ann Myers in loving memory of her husband, Dick Myers.



OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Precautions: We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us onsite today! For most of our Sanctuary, every pew is available. We are reserving seating to *every other pew in a portion of the Sanctuary.* Ask an usher for assistance. **Mask wearing is optional.** Disposable masks are provided if desired.

Reception for Ann Myers: Immediately after worship today, there will be a reception for Ann Myers in the Fellowship Hall following the recent death of her husband, Dick Myers. All are invited to join Ann for this time of comfort and remembrance.

Vacation Bible School Preview: Join us after worship on Sunday, March 6, for a brief overview meeting introducing this summer's Vacation Bible School (VBS). It will be held June 20-24 from 9 a.m. until noon each day, and during this VBS we will step back in time into the **Jerusalem Marketplace** during Holy Week—a fully immersive adventure as we experience a different time... and walk with Jesus! Use the attached Communication Card to express your interest in helping in some capacity.

Deacons: Our Deacons desire to serve you! Each member and regular attender in the congregation has been assigned a deacon, and you should soon—if you have not already—receive communication from your deacon for this year. Please let them know of any prayer requests you have or any way that as a church we can be of assistance to you. The word *deacon* literally means *servant*, and our deacons take this seriously! If you do not hear from a deacon soon, please let us know in case we have inadvertently left you off our list.

Life Groups (Sunday School): LG's meet on Sundays at 9:40 a.m. In these small group settings, attendees get to know one another better, study the Bible and discuss its application to life, and minister to each other and the community. We have Life Groups for most ages. Use the Communication Card to request more information.

TeamKID: This Wednesday night ministry for children is taking a pause for now. We will announce the restart of it later.

 $\textbf{DEACON OF THE WEEK:} \ \text{Matt Kuhn (904-234-4243) and Ken Mull (904-460-3077)}$

WELCOME CENTER HOSTS: Ken Green and Rick Weedman John Johansen and Judy Johansen

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Pursuing Life in Christ with Passion and Purpose!

In my Father's house are many dwelling places; if it were not so, I would have told you.

I am going there to prepare a place for you.



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Fred O. Pitts, Pastor Curtis Powell, Music Director