

Welcome to Worship at FBC, Elon

Sunday, May 12, 2024

Mother's Day

Prelude *Worthy of Worship* Bert Powers, Mark Rumley
Welcome & Announcements David Durham

Song of Praise *Faith of Our Mothers*

Scripture Acts 1:1-11 David Durham
Invocation & Lord's Prayer

Song of Praise #507 *Would You Bless Our Homes and Families*

Recognition of Mothers

Responsive Reading & Presentation of Gifts

Offertory Prayer Brian Carroll
Special Music Mark Rumley

Sermon **"Moses' Mother – Rising to the Occasion"** David Durham
Exodus 1:22-2:10

Closing Hymn *The Family Prayer Song*

Benediction David Durham
Postlude

Ministry Opportunities

Today

Morning Worship – 11 am
No PM Ministries

Monday – Fellowship Hall reserved - 5:30-8 pm

Tuesday – Fellowship Hall reserved for Election (all day)

Wednesday – Choir Rehearsal – 6:30 pm

Thursday – "Thursday Book Chat" @ Barnes & Noble – 11 am

The deacon nominating ballots for 2024-25 are available in the foyer & Sunday school classes.

Missions Ingathering for May: Our Food Pantry

Our shelves are getting low! Items requested: ramen noodles, breakfast cereal, canned soup, baked beans, spaghetti O's, canned tomatoes, peanut butter, mac and cheese, canned chicken and tuna, canned fruit, spaghetti sauce, pasta, rice, canned vegetables (except for corn and green beans). Collection bins located in the Communications Center and Fellowship Hall.

Welcome to all visitors worshipping with us today. If you would, please fill out a visitor card located in the pew and drop in the offering plate as you leave. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Next Sunday, May 19

"rooted" Prayer Time – 9:20 am
Sunday School – 9:45 am
Worship – 11 am
Church Council – 4 pm
Adult Study – 5 pm
Youth & Children – 6 pm
June newsletter articles due

Faith of Our Mothers

Verse 1

Faith of our mothers, living still,
In cradle song and bedtime prayer;
In nursery love and fireside love,
Thy presence still pervades the air:
Faith of our mothers, living faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

Verse 2

Faith of our mothers, loving faith,
The fount of childhood's trust and grace,
Oh, may thy consecration prove
The well spring of a nobler race:
Faith of our mothers, loving faith,
We will be true to thee till death.

Verse 3

Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,
For youthful longing, youthful doubt,
How blurred our vision, blind our way,
Thy providential care without:
Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,
We will be true to thee till death.

Verse 4

Faith of our mothers, Christian faith,
In truth beyond our manmade creeds,
Still serve the home and save the Church,
And breathe thy spirit through our deeds:
Faith of our mothers, Christian faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

Would You Bless Our Homes and Families

Verse 1

Would You bless our homes and fam'lies,
Source of life who calls us here;
In our world of stress and tension
Teach us love that conquers fear.
Help us learn to love each other
With a love that constant stays;
Teach us when we face our troubles,
Love's expressed in many ways.

Verse 2

When our way is undemanding,
Let us use the time that's ours
To delight in simple pleasures,
Sharing joys in gentle hours.
When our way is anxious walking
And a heavy path we plod,
Teach us trust in one another
And in You, our gracious God.

Verse 3

From the homes in which we're nurtured,
With the love that shapes us there,
Teach us, God, to claim as fam'ly
Ev'ry one whose life we share.
And thro' all that life may offer,
May we in Your love remain;
May the love we share in fam'lies
Be alive to praise Your name.

Verse 4

Let us reach beyond the bound'ries
Of our daily tho't and care
'Til the fami'ly You have chosen
Spills its love out ev'rywhere.
Help us learn to love each other
With a love that constant stays;
Teach us when we face our troubles,
Love's expressed in many ways.
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The Family Prayer Song

Come and fill our home with Your presence
You alone are worthy of our rev'rence
As for me and my house
We will serve the Lord
As for me and my house
We will serve the Lord
As for me and my house
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We will serve the Lord
We will serve the Lord

Repeat

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