

# ABINGDON BAPTIST CHURCH

## 11 AM Worship \* Sunday, October 18, 2020

(preservice begins at 10:45am)

LIVE STREAM WELCOME

Rev. Parke Deans

Video

**We Are the Body of Christ**

Video

Video

**Countdown Light Flow Trivia Prophets**

Video

Prelude & Announcements

**Let There Be Peace on Earth**

Rose Payne & Carol Clifton

Video

**Resilient**

Video

Gathering Song 314

**Let All the World in Every Corner Sing**

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!  
The heavens are not too high, His praises there may fly;  
The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow.  
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!  
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;  
But, above all, the heart must bear the longest part.  
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

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Call to Worship & Invocation

Rev. Deans

Brothers and sisters, the love of God is poured over you.  
**We feel our thirsting souls quenched by God's mercy.**

We are called to share God's love by our words.  
**We are invited to share God's love by our compassionate acts.**

Come, let us worship the Lord!  
**Let us bow down and proclaim God's goodness.**

Hymn 312

**Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart**

Rejoice ye pure in heart; rejoice, give thanks and sing.  
Beneath the standard of your God, the cross of Christ your King.

Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, give thanks and sing!

Bright youth and snow-crowned age, strong men and maidens fair,  
Raise high your free, exulting song, God's wondrous praise declare.

Yes, on through life's long path, still singing as ye go;  
From youth to age, by night and day, in gladness and in woe.

At last the march shall end; the weary ones shall rest;  
The pilgrims find their heavenly home, Jerusalem the blest.

Praise God, who reigns on high, the Lord whom we adore,  
The Father, Son, and Spirit blest, one God forevermore.

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Bill Bryan

A Message for Children

**Pharisees Plot Against Jesus  
Matthew 22:17**

VIDEO Miss Carrie Trivett

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Bryan

Offertory Hymn 286

**O God in Whom All Life Begins**

O God in whom all life begins, who births the seed to fruit,  
Bestow Your blessing on our lives; here let Your love find root.  
Bring forth in us the Spirit's gifts of patience, joy, and peace;  
Deliver us from numbing fear, and grant our faith increase.

Unite in mutual ministry our minds and hands and hearts  
That we may have the grace to seek the power Your peace imparts.  
So let our varied gifts combine to glorify Your name  
That in all things by word and deed we may Your love proclaim.

Through tears and laughter, grief and joy, enlarge our trust and care;  
So bind us in community that we may risk and dare.  
Be with us when we gather here to worship, sing, and pray,  
Then send us forth in power and faith to live the words we say.

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Offertory Prayer

Rev. Deans

Worship Through Music

**There Is a Savior**

Message

**Let the Peace of Christ Rule  
Colossians 3:12-17**

Rev. Bryan

Invitation

Hymn of Commitment

**Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples**

Today we all are called to be disciples of the Lord,  
to help to set the captive free, make plowshare out of sword,  
to feed the hungry, quench their thirst, make love and peace our fast,  
to serve the poor and homeless first, our ease and comfort last.

God made the world and at its birth ordained our human race  
to live as stewards of the earth, responding to God's grace.  
But we are vain and sadly proud; we sow not peace but strife.  
Our discord spreads a deadly cloud that threatens all of life.

Pray justice may come rolling down as in a mighty stream,  
with righteousness in field and town to cleanse us and redeem.  
For God is longing to restore an earth where conflicts cease,  
a world that was created for a harmony of peace.

May we in service to our God act out the living word,  
and walk the road the saints have trod till all have seen and heard.  
As stewards of the earth may we give thanks in one accord  
to God who calls us all to be disciples of the Lord.

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Announcements & Benediction

Rev. Bryan

Postlude & Closing Credits

**Grace Greater than Our Sin**

Rose & Carol

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