



UNIVERSITY
BAPTIST
CHURCH

March 23, 2025

And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20

Order of Service

Prelude

"Sing We The Song of Emmanuel" page 4

Welcome & Announcements page 16

Call to Worship | Psalm 67:1-4 page 5

"Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery" page 6

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" page 7

Scripture Reading | Romans 15:7-21 page 8

Prayer of Praise page 9

Praising God for the beauty of His character

"How Sweet and Aweful Is The Place" page 10

Pastoral Prayer page 11

Thanking God and bringing our requests to Him

Offertory

Sermon page 11

Proclaiming Christ & Making Disciples: "By Going & Sending"

"By Faith" page 14

Benediction

Preacher | Brad Wheeler

Service Leader | Mike G.

Music Leader | Ryan Berry

Welcome

UBC exists because God, in his infinite love, sent his Son Jesus Christ to live and die in the place of sinners. On the third day Jesus rose bodily from the grave, once and for all victorious over sin and death. Now, through Jesus Christ and by the power of the Holy Spirit, God is reconciling this broken world to himself. We gather in that great hope. We pray it's your hope as well, and that you're encouraged during your time with us.

Note on Children

It's a joy to have your children join us during the worship gathering! At ConnectingPoint in the foyer, we provide activity bags and a "sermon notes for kids" coloring sheet to encourage their engagement during the gathering. If they do get restless however, we have televisions throughout the foyer and in the nursing mother's room (located on the 4th floor of the Main Hall), which carry a live stream of the service. Finally, we also offer classes during the main gathering for all nursery through preschool-aged children. For these classes, you can check your child in at the first floor Randall Hall doors near the front entrance fountain. If you need help locating any of these things, don't hesitate to ask someone around you. Our members love opportunities to welcome you and orient you to our church!

Church Membership

For those interested in membership at UBC, we regularly offer a Discovery Class. In this class, you'll learn what the Bible says about church membership, what we believe as a church, and how we seek to live out the commands of God's Word. Our next Discovery Class will be held on Sunday, April 27th, at 12:15pm following the morning service in the Chapel. Please sign up by scanning the QR code on page 16, or by visiting our website at (www.ubcfayetteville.org/connect-with-ubc/discovery-class).

"Sing We The Song of Emmanuel"

Words & Music: Keith Getty | Matt Boswell | Matt Papa | Stuart Townend © 2015 Getty
Music Hymns and Songs; Getty Music Publishing; Love Your Enemies Publishing;
Messenger Hymns; Townend Songs. CCLI License # 209556

Sing we the song of Emmanuel
This the Christ who was long foretold
Lo, in the shadows of Bethlehem
Promise of dawn now our eyes behold

*God Most High in a manger laid
Lift your voices and now proclaim
Great and glorious Love has come to us
Join now with the hosts of heaven*

Come we to welcome Emmanuel
King who came with no crown or throne
Helpless He lay, the Invincible
Maker of Mary now Mary's son

*O what wisdom to save us all
Shepherds, sages before Him fall
Grace and majesty, what humility
Come on bended knee adore Him*

Go spread the news of Emmanuel
Joy and peace for the weary heart
Lift up your heads for your King has come
Sing for the Light overwhelms the dark

*Glory shining for all to see
Hope alive let the gospel ring
God has made a way He will have the praise
Tell the world His name is Jesus (x2)*

Call to Worship | Psalm 67:1-4

All Scripture readings are taken from the English Standard Version.

¹May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us, Selah
²that your way may be known on earth,
your saving power among all nations.

³Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

⁴Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth. Selah

"Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery"

Words & Music: Matt Boswell, Matt Papa, Michael Bleeker ©2012 Bleeker Publishing.
Getty Music Hymns and Songs. Getty Music Publishing. Love Your Enemies Publishing.
McKinney Music, Inc. CCLI License #209556



1. Come, be - hold the won - drous myst - ry, in the dawn - ing of the King;
2. Come, be - hold the won - drous myst - ry, He the per - fect Son of Man;
3. Come, be - hold the won - drous myst - ry, Christ the Lord u - pon the tree;
4. Come, be - hold the won - drous myst - ry, slain by death the God of life;



He the theme of heav - en's prai - ses, robed in frail hu - man - i - ty.
In his liv - ing, in his suf - fring, nev - er trace nor stain of sin.
In the stead of ruin - ed sin - ners, hangs the Lamb in vic - to - ry.
But no grave could e'er re - strain Him, praise the Lord, He is a - live!



In our long - ing, in our dark - ness, now the light of life has come;
See the true and bet - ter Ad - am, come to save the hell - bound man;
See the price of our re - demp - tion, see the Fath - er's plan un - fold;
What a fore - taste of del - iv - erance, how un - wav - er - ing our hope;



Look to Christ, who con - de - scend - ed, took on flesh to ran - som us.
Christ, the great and sure ful - fill - ment of the law, in Him we stand.
Bring - ing ma - ny sons to glo - ry, grace un - meas - ured, love un - told.
Christ in po - wer res - sur - rect - ed, as we will be, when he comes.



"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Words by Charles Wesley (1739; alt. 1961), Music by Carl Gotthelf Glaser (1784-1829) ©
Words & Music: Public Domain. CCLI License # 209556

1. O for a thou - sand tongues to sing
2. My gra - cious Mas - ter and my God,
3. Je - sus the name that charms our fears,
4. He breaks the pow'r of can - celed sin,
5. Glo - ry to God and praise and love

my great Re - deem - er's praise,
as - sist me to pro - claim,
that bids our sor - rows cease;
he sets the pris - 'ner free:
be e - ver e - ver giv'n;

the glo - ries of my God and King,
to spread through all the earth a - broad
'tis mu - sic in the sin - ner's ears,
his blood can make the foul - est clean.
by Saints be - low and saints a - bove

the tri - umphs of his grace.
the hon - ors of thy name.
'tis life and health and peace.
his blood a - vailed for me.
the church in earth and heav'n.

Scripture Reading | Romans 15:7-21

All Scripture readings are taken from the English Standard Version.

⁷Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

⁸For I tell you that Christ became a servant to the circumcised to show God's truthfulness, in order to confirm the promises given to the patriarchs, ⁹and in order that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written,

"Therefore I will praise you among the Gentiles, and sing to your name."

¹⁰And again it is said,

"Rejoice, O Gentiles, with his people."

¹¹And again,

"Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles, and let all the peoples extol him."

¹²And again Isaiah says,

"The root of Jesse will come, even he who arises to rule the Gentiles; in him will the Gentiles hope."

¹³May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

¹⁴I myself am satisfied about you, my brothers, that you yourselves are full of goodness, filled with all knowledge and able to instruct one another. ¹⁵But on some points I have written to you very boldly by way of reminder, because of the grace given me by God ¹⁶to be a minister of Christ Jesus to the Gentiles in the priestly service of the gospel of God, so that the offering of the Gentiles may be acceptable, sanctified by the Holy Spirit. ¹⁷In Christ Jesus, then, I have reason to be proud of my work for God.

¹⁸For I will not venture to speak of anything except what Christ has accomplished through me to bring the Gentiles to obedience—by word and deed, ¹⁹by the power of signs and wonders, by the power of the Spirit of God—so that from Jerusalem and all the way around to Illyricum I have fulfilled the ministry of the gospel of Christ; ²⁰and thus I make it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I build on someone else’s foundation, ²¹but as it is written,

“Those who have never been told of him will see,
and those who have never heard will understand.”

Prayer of Praise

Praising God for the beauty of His character

"How Sweet and Aweful Is The Place"

Words & Music by Keith Getty and Stuart Townend ©2005 Thankyou Music CCLI License #209556

1. How sweet and awe - ful¹ is the place
2. While all our hearts and all our songs
3. "Why was I made to hear Thy voice,
4. 'Twas the same love that spread the feast
5. Pit - y the na - tions, O our God,
6. We long to see Thy church - es full,

With Christ with - in the doors,
Join to ad - mire the feast,
And en - ter while there's room,
That sweet - ly drew us in;
Con - strain the earth to come;
That all the cho - sen race²

While ev - er - last - ing love dis - plays
Each of us cries with thank - ful tongues,
When thou - sands make a wretch - ed choice,
Else we had still re - fused to taste,
Send Thy vic - to - rious Word a - broad,
May, with one voice and heart and soul,

The choic - est of her stores.
"Lord, why was I a guest?"
And rath - er starve than come?"
And per - ished in our sin.
And bring the strang - ers home.
Sing Thy re - deem - ing grace.

¹Awe-inspiring ²1 Peter 2:9

Pastoral Prayer

Thanking God and bringing our requests to Him

Sermon Notes

Proclaiming Christ & Making Disciples: "By Going & Sending"

UBC's Mission Statement: We proclaim Christ from all the Scriptures to make disciples from all the nations.

Sermon Notes

Next Week's Sermon | March 30

Haggai 1 | Colby Harper

Major Hopes in Minor Prophets: "The Concern for God's Priorities"

"By Faith"

Words & Music by Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend ©2009 Thankyou Music I
Getty Music Publishing CCLI License #209556

By faith we see the hand of God
In the light of creation's grand design
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness
Who walk by faith and not by sight

By faith our fathers roamed the earth
With the pow'r of His promise in their hearts
Of a holy city built by God's own hand
A place where peace and justice reign

*We will stand as children of the promise
We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward
Till the race is finished and the work is done
We'll walk by faith and not by sight*

By faith the prophets saw a day
When the longed-for Messiah would appear
With the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death
And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go
In the pow'r of the Spirit to the lost
To deliver captives and to preach good news
In ev'ry corner of the earth

Chorus

By faith this mountain shall be moved
And the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail
For we know in Christ all things are possible
For all who call upon His name

Chorus

Elders and Deacons

Elders/Pastors

Wes Burgess
Scott Bielinski
Christian Dennett
Mike G.
Nolan Helder
John Henderson
Sam Knecht
Jon M.
Stephen Martin
Dan Paul
Nick Roark
Brad Wheeler

Deacons

Brett Arent (Children's Ministry)
Hayden Beckwith (Parking)
Alex Davis (Ordinances)
Frank Hannon (Member Care: Hospitalizations)
Nathan Harris (Children's Ministry)
Chris Hsiao (Bookstall)
Cory Meyer (Building & Grounds)
Caleb Pond (Sound)
Evan Smith (Greeting)
Davey Stallings (Member Care)
J.J. Tartaglia (Member Care: Benevolence)
Jonathan VerHoeven (Safety)
Tim Ward (Ushering)
Danny Wright (Member Care)

Visit ubcfayetteville.org to find more info for each elder and deacon.

Ministry Staff

Lead Pastor | Brad Wheeler

Associate Pastors | Mike G., John Henderson, Stephen Martin, Nick Roark

Assistant Pastors | Scott Bielinski, Jon M.

Pastoral Assistants | Anthony Aviles, Ryan Berry, Colby Harper

Operations Director | Joe F.

College Ministry | Jacob Killion, Taylor Sheffield, Casey J., Parker Lipetska,
Kellan G., Aaron C., Emma Claire C.

Children's Ministry Coordinator | Leah Smith

Women's Ministry Coordinator | Erika Dennett

Women's Counseling Coordinator | Anna Nunn

Youth Ministry | Brandon M., Kelsy Minga, Zach R.

Visit ubcfayetteville.org to find a comprehensive list of our staff.

Get Connected

Sunday Mornings

8:30am – 8:55am | Pre-Service Prayer Meeting | Chapel

9:00am – 10:15am | Equipping Classes & Sunday School

10:30am – 12:00pm | Worship Service | Main Hall

Wednesday Evenings

4:30pm – 5:30pm | Prayer Gathering | Chapel

6:00pm – 7:30pm | Youth Ministry (5th – 12th Grade) | 2nd Floor Fellowship Hall

7:00pm – 8:30pm | College Midweek | U of A BCM (944 W. Maple)

News and Events

VBS 2025 Volunteer Request

We are currently seeking volunteers to help with VBS 2025. This will be a fun-filled week of sharing the Good News of Jesus with children from pre-k 4 to 4th grade. If you are interested in serving, please scan the QR code below sign up!

Members' Meeting | Next Sunday | 3.30 | 5pm | Chapel

Members of UBC, please make plans to gather next Sunday night, March 30th for our upcoming family meeting to hear updates on the life of the church and to vote on new member candidates.

UBC Women's Retreat | 4.11-12 | New Life Ranch

Ladies, please join us for UBC's 2025 Women's Retreat, April 11th-12th, at New Life Ranch. We hope this will be a wonderful time of fellowship and encouragement together while studying the book of Colossians led by our guest speaker, Natalie Brand. Open to all women 9th grade and up. Please register by scanning the QR code below or visit our website!

College Volunteer Appreciation Lunch | 4.6 | Fellowship Hall

UBC College Ministry would like to honor those who have faithfully served in College Ministry activities, such as hosting events, volunteering at Midweek, or mentoring college students by inviting you to attend an appreciation lunch in the Fellowship Hall after the morning service on April 6th. The RSVP link for the lunch is in an email sent to you by the college staff!

Contact Info

333 W Maple Street Fayetteville, Arkansas 72701 | 479.442.5312
Office Hours | Mon–Thurs 8:30am–5pm and Friday 8:30am–12pm

Website | ubcfayetteville.org

Email | info@ubcfayetteville.org

Podcast | University Baptist Church (Pastor Brad Wheeler)



More information on events and ministries can be found at ubcfayetteville.org, at ConnectingPoint in the foyer, or by subscribing to the weekly FOCUS e-newsletter. Find sermon audio archives on our website.