

# Second Baptist Church, Suffield

October 25, 2020 – 10:00am

Welcome

Prelude

“At Worship”

Ritter

*Jean Aldrich-Jones, organist*

## **Responsive Call to Worship, based on Psalm 1**

Let us be those who do not follow the advice of the wicked,  
or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;

**We shall delight in the law of the LORD,  
meditating on God’s law day and night.**

Let us be like trees planted by streams of water,  
which yield their fruit in its season, and with leaves that do not wither.

**We shall delight in the law of the LORD,  
meditating on God’s law day and night.**

The Lord watches over the way of the righteous,  
and will do away with the ways of the wicked.

**We shall delight in the law of the LORD,  
meditating on God’s law day and night. Amen.**

Song

## **“The God of Abraham Praise”**

The God of Abraham praise. All praised be the Name,  
Who was, and is, and is to be, is still the same;  
The one eternal God, ere all that now appears,  
The First, the Last, beyond all thought through timeless years!

God has eternal life implanted in the soul.  
God’s love shall be our strength and stay, while ages roll.  
Praise to the living God! All praised be the Name,  
Who was, and is, and is to be, is still the same!

## Lord's Prayer

'Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our **debts**, as we forgive our **debtors**. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Scripture 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 Lois Vormstein-Schneider

Anthem "Another Day In Paradise" Phil Collins

*David & Katherine Battle, vocalists; Evelyne Battle, guitar*

A Time for Children Sue Schneller

Scripture Reading Matthew 22: 34-40

Reflection Reverend Dr. Rachael Lawrence

Prayers of the People

Song **"Lord I want to be a Christian"**

Lord, I want to be a Christian in-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be a Christian in-a my heart.  
In-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be a Christian in-a my heart.

Lord, I want to be more loving in-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be more loving in-a my heart.  
In-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be more loving in-a my heart.

Lord, I want to be like Jesus in-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in-a my heart.  
In-a my heart, in-a my heart,  
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in-a my heart.

Pastoral Blessing

Postlude "All Hail the Power" Broughton, Tune: CORONATION

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