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PRESERVICE MUSIC

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WELCOME

Skyler Daniel

PRELUDE

Suite No. 1 in G Major: Prelude
J. S. Bach

Cameron Grimes, *cello*

BAPTISM OF BRODIE BUCHANAN

Pastor Herring: And do you, the people of West Main Baptist Church, promise to support Brodie as he grows in the gospel, to help him know all that Christ commands, and, by your fellowship, to strengthen his family ties to the household of God?

People: We do.

HYMN

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

**'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take Him at His word;
just to rest upon His promise, just to know, "Thus saith the Lord!"**

(Refrain) **Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er!
Jesus, Jesus, previous Jesus! O for grace to trust Him more!**

**I'm so glad I learned to trust Him, previous Jesus, Savior, Friend;
and I know that He is with me, will be with me to the end. *(Refrain)***

***REAFFIRMATION OF OUR BAPTISM**

Jennifer Clatterbuck

Brothers and sisters in Christ, as witnesses of this baptism, we now reaffirm our commitment in faith to Jesus Christ. Who is your Savior and Lord?

Jesus Christ is our Savior and Lord.

Do you trust in him?

We do.

As his disciple, do you recommit yourselves to obey his word, to show his love and to serve as he served?

We do.

Will you be faithful members of God's church, giving of yourselves in every way and will you seek the fellowship of the church wherever you may be?

We will.

Hear the good news! In baptism you were buried with Christ and in baptism you were raised to life in him. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation, the old life has passed away, a new life has begun to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

***EPIPHANY RESPONSE**

Christ Be Our Light

**Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts, Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today!**

CHILDREN'S LESSON

Jennifer Clatterbuck

MUSIC MEDIATION

Largo from Sonata in e minor, Op. 14, No. 5
Antonio Vivaldi

Cameron Grimes, *cello*

PRAYERS

Skyler Daniel

SERMON

Beloved
Mark 1: 4-11

Drew Herring

MUSIC MEDITATION

Sicilienne
Maris-Theresia von Paradis

Cameron Grimes, *cello*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Ann Evans

RESPONSE

Christ Is the World's Light

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**Christ is the world's light, Christ and none other, born in our darkness, He became our brother.
If we have seen Him, we have seen the Father: glory to God on high!
Give God the glory, God and none other; give God the glory, Spirit, Son, and Father;
give God the glory, God with us, our brother: glory to God on high!**

BENEDICTION

Drew, Skyler & Jennifer

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune on March of the Kings
(Based on *Farandole from L'Arlesienne Suite*) Georges Bizet; Gordon Young, arr.

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We ask that worshipers in the Sanctuary wait to be dismissed by an usher and please exit the building before socializing.

Thank you to Cameron Grimes for playing the cello during worship this morning. Cameron is a British-American cellist who has established himself as an enterprising chamber and orchestral musician. Among the many orchestras he has played with are the Maryland Symphony Orchestra, North Carolina Symphony Orchestra, and Royal Academy Symphony. Cameron studied at the Peabody Institute, and then continued his studies at East Carolina University in Greenville, NC where he was accepted on music scholarship. He recently completed a Master of Arts degree from the Royal Academy of Music in cello performance, with a second study in Baroque cello.