

REJOICE, GIVE THANKS, AND SING

a Community Hymn Festival
presented by the Chattanooga Boys Choir

October 29, 2017

First Baptist Church, Chattanooga

featuring the Hymn Festival Choir comprised of singers
from churches and choirs from across the greater Chattanooga community

The Chattanooga Boys Choir and the participating choir members welcome you to this service of song and word. Your participation is requested as we lift expressions of praise in song. Members of the congregation are asked to stand as they are able for the Litany, Congregational Hymns, and Sending Forth (as indicated with the symbol •)

Welcome

• Litany

Psalm 150

*The congregation on the left side (piano) of the sanctuary will read the italicized print.
The congregation on the right side (organ console) of the sanctuary will read the normal print.*

ALL: Praise the Lord!

Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty firmament!

Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his surpassing greatness!

Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp!

Praise him with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe!

Praise him with clanging cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

ALL: Praise the Lord!

• Congregational Hymn

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

LOBE DEN HERREN
setting by Eric Nelson

Anthems

Laudamus Te (Gloria)

Antonio Vivaldi

We praise you, We bless you, We adore you, We glorify you.

Children of the World

Terre Johnson

Hine Ma Tov

Allan Naplan

How good it is for all of us to dwell together in peace. (*Psalm 133*)

- Chattanooga Boys Choir -

• Congregational Hymn

A Mighty Fortress

EIN FESTSE BURG
Martin Luther, setting by John Ferguson

Commemorating the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation beginning with Martin Luther's posting of The 95 Theses to the door of the Wittenberg Castle church in October 1517.

Anthems

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

arr. Roland Martin

There Is a Balm in Gilead

arr. William Dawson

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ

arr. Bradley Ellingboe

- Festival Choir -

Reading

Colossians 3:12-17

• Congregational Hymn

Cuando El Pobre (When the Poor Ones)

EL CAMINO
J.A. Olivar and Miguel Manzano

Offertory Prayer

Offertory	All Creatures of Our God and King <i>- Organ and Brass -</i>	LASST UNS ERFREUEN
Reading		Psalm 100
Message	Dr. Eric Nelson	
• Congregational Hymn	Ukuthula <i>Peace...Redemption ...Praise ...</i> <i>Faith...Victory ...Comfort ...</i> <i>Peace ...</i>	trad. South African
Anthems	My Lord, What a Morning ¡El Cielo Canta Alegria! <i>- Chattanooga Boys Choir -</i>	arr. Sue Ellen Page Pablo Sosa, arr. Bergs
	Children of the Heavenly Father <i>- Combined Choirs -</i>	arr. Eric Nelson
• Benediction	Dr. Eric Nelson	
• Sending Forth	Praise the Lord, His Glories Show	LLANFAIR arr. Mack Wilberg
<i>The congregation is invited to remain standing and sing on the first and fourth verses.</i>		
• Postlude		