

SING TOGETHER!

A Hymn Festival
featuring the congregations from

First Baptist Church of Rome
Garden Lakes Baptist Church
North Broad Baptist Church
Second Avenue Baptist Church

Sunday, February 4
4:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
100 East Fourth Avenue
Rome, Georgia



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A HYMN FESTIVAL FEATURING CONGREGATIONS IN ROME, GEORGIA
AFFILIATED WITH THE COOPERATIVE BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP

First Baptist Church
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Chiming of the Hour

Prelude.Tim Rowell
Pianist, Second Avenue Baptist Church
“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”...arr. Glenda Austin

Welcome.Rev. Keith Reaves
Senior Associate/Minister of Worship, First Baptist Church

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all you lands!
Serve the Lord with gladness:
Come into God’s presence with singing.
Enter the courts of the Lord with praise.
Let us praise God remembering the old songs.
Let us create new songs to praise our God.
Let us worship God together.

Hymn No. 1 NICAIA
“Holy, Holy, Holy”
Stanza 1: Men Only
Stanza Two: Women Only
Stanzas 3 and 4: All Sing
Joan Hill, First Baptist Church, organ
Beverly Harris, First Baptist Church, organ

Reflection.Dr. Jimmy Gentry
Pastor, Garden Lakes Baptist Church

Hymn IntroductionDr. Alan Wingard
Minister of Music, Garden Lakes Baptist Church

Hymn of Grace No. 587. NEW BRITAIN
“Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound”
Rev. Tunnell, leader
Beverly Harris, First Baptist Church, piano
Joan Hill, First Baptist Church, organ
Stanzas 1, 2, 4, 5 Unison
Stanza 3: Men Only

Closing Remarks/Benediction. Rev. Dr. Jody Long
Executive Coordinator, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Georgia

Congregational Response. “God Be with You Till We Meet Again”

God be with you till we meet a - gain; by His coun-sels guide, up-hold you, with His sheep se-cure-ly

fold you; God be with you till we meet a - gain. Till we meet, (till we meet, till we meet, a - gain) till we

meet at Je - sus' feet; (till we meet) till we meet, (till we meet, till we

meet, a - gain) God be with you till we meet a - gain.

We Believe in the Church,
instituted by God, through Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit.
It is a place to sing God’s praise;
and when united in purpose,
it enables us to proclaim the good news
to the deafened ears of a needy world.
Thanks be to God! Amen.

Choral Anthem.Combined Choirs
“God of Grace and God of Glory”...arr. Paul Langston
Dr. Wingard, Conductor
Gina Hicks, Garden Lakes Baptist Church, organ
God of grace and God of glory,
on thy people pour thy power;
crown Thine ancient church's story;
bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
for the facing of this hour!
Lo! the hosts of evil round us,
scorn thy Christ, assail His ways!
Fears and doubts too long have bound us,
free our hearts to work and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
for the living of these days!
Set our feet on lofty places;
gird our lives that they may be
armored with all Christlike graces
in the fight to set men free.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
that we fail not man nor Thee!

A Spiritual Song.Dr. Harold Newman
North Broad Baptist Church, Pianist
“Go Down, Moses”...arr. Mark Hayes

Hymn No. 7.JUDSON
“Worthy of Worship”
Gina Hicks, Garden Lakes Baptist Church, organ
Beverly Harris, First Baptist Church, piano

Reflection.Rev. Jacob Roberts
Pastor, Second Avenue Baptist Church

Hymn Introduction.Ann Hicks
Director of Choral Programs, Second Avenue Baptist Church

Hymn No. 627HARTFORD
“Victory in Jesus”
Tim Rowell, Second Avenue Baptist Church, piano
Joan Hill, First Baptist Church, organ

Reflection.Rev. Micah Pritchett
Pastor, North Broad Baptist Church

Hymn Introduction.Rev. Priscilla Tunnell
Minister of Music and Children, North Broad Baptist Church

Choral AnthemCombined Choirs
“There’s A Wideness in God’s Mercy”...arr. John Purifoy
Rev. Tunnell, conductor
Kim Tunnell, First Baptist Church, piano
Joan Hill, First Baptist Church, organ

There’s a wideness in God’s mercy, like the wideness of the sea;
There’s a kindness in God’s justice, which is more than liberty.
There is welcome for the sinner and more graces for the good;
There is mercy with the Savior, there is healing in His blood.

But we make His love too narrow by false limits of our own,
And we magnify His strictness with a zeal He will not own.

For the love of God is broader than the measure of one's mind,
And the heart of the Eternal Is most wonderfully kind.
If our love were but more simple we could take Him at His word,
And our lives would be more loving in the likeness of our Lord.

Reflection.Rev. David Brooks
Pastor, First Baptist Church

Hymn Introduction.Rev. Reaves

Hymns of Heaven

“When We All Get to Heaven”

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus, Sing His mercy and His grace;
In the mansions bright and blessed He'll prepare for us a place.

When we all get to heaven, What a day of rejoicing that will be!
When we all see Jesus, We'll sing and shout the victory!

Onward to the prize before us! Soon His beauty we'll behold;
Soon the pearly gates will open; We shall tread the streets of gold.

“There's a Land That Is Fairer Than Day”

There's a land that is fairer than day, and by faith we can see it afar;
For the Father waits over the way to prepare us a dwelling place there.

In the sweet by and by we shall meet on that beautiful shore.
In the sweet by and by we shall meet on that beautiful shore.

We shall sing on that beautiful shore the melodious songs of the blest,
And our spirits shall sorrow no more, not a sigh for the blessing of rest.

“When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder”

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound and time shall be no more,
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright and fair.
When the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore,
And the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

When the roll is called up yonder, when the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun,
Let us talk of all his wondrous love and care;
Then when all of life is over and our work on earth is done,
When the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

Affirmation of Faith. Dr. Wingard, leader

We Believe in God, the Creator;
**who brought together the elements of rhythm, melody, and harmony, in
the creation of music.**

We Believe in Jesus Christ,
whose birth sparked the song of the angels;
whose life modeled how we should live;
whose death paid the price for our redemption;
and whose resurrection gives us the hope of life eternal.

We Believe in the Holy Spirit,
The Spirit which inspires preaching, art, music, and all gifts.
The Spirit who brings cosmos to chaos, sense to the senseless,
and destination of the destitute.
