



Christ

has no body now on earth but yours,  
no hands but yours,  
no feet but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which Christ's  
compassion is to look out to the world.

Yours are the feet with which Christ is to  
go about doing good.

Yours are the hands with which Christ is to  
bless all people now.

*Teresa of Avila*

CELEBRATION OF ORDINATION  
FOR  
JANICE DAYNETTE SNEAD

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2016

3:00 PM

HERALDING OF THE HOUR

Mr. Talton Manning

† PROCESSIONAL

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Richard Seagle, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Van Bawi Ven, First Chin Baptist Church

INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Arnita Snead-Carter

CALL TO WORSHIP

Ms. Sui Par

HALLELUJAH

CONGREGATION: AMEN

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BAWIPA NIH SUNPAR NAK NOKO SEK

CONGREGATION: GLORY TO GOD, AMEN!

MUSIC RESPONSE

The Youth of First Chin Baptist Church

† PROCLAMATION

Rev. Dr. Sharon Bender, Associate Pastor

(based on 1 Cor.9:16, Philem.1:6, Mark 16:15, 2 Cor.4:5, Rom.10:15)

We proclaim the good news to the whole creation.

We proclaim Christ out of love.

We do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord.

We proclaim Christ out of love.

Woe to us if we do not proclaim the gospel!

We proclaim Christ out of love.

As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

We proclaim Christ out of love.

To every nation and tribe and language and people.

We proclaim Christ out of love.

† HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 351

Congregation

"Agnus Dei"

SCRIPTURE READING

Ms. Meriam Hawng

Ms. Daynen Orr

Luke 5:1-11

## Litany of Ordination

Just as many different strands are woven together to create a cloth, there are different gifts and talents, and many ways and places to serve God.

**Congregation:** Today we celebrate the ministry of Daynette Snead among us. The Spirit has led her here to bring us God's message for our family of faith.

Discernment of God's will is the privilege and challenge of all who follow Christ. We ordain Daynette to the ministry of the gospel because of what she is called and committed to say and to do.

**Congregation:** We need among us people dedicated to the work of relationship and reconciliation. We need in our midst individuals who can say what we want to believe but at times cannot articulate. Our fellowship of faith needs persons who can help us envision and embody God's redemption and grace. We rely on our ministers to guide, strengthen, and walk with us as we live out our faith.

In this hour of worship, we reflect that God has chosen Daynette for service as a minister of the Gospel of Christ.

**Congregation:** We celebrate this call, and affirm that Daynette has been gifted and empowered by the Spirit to provide spiritual leadership.

Do you, the members and friends of First Baptist Church and First Chin Baptist Church covenant to encourage and pray for Daynette as she ministers to and with us?

**Congregation:** We do. We pledge to support her, and lay our hands on her as a symbol of our confidence in her and our blessings on her.

Daynette, do you covenant to represent in your ministry, your understanding of God's will?

**Daynette:** I do. I have heard my calling and will follow it. I pledge to be God's faithful minister, using my gifts in the work of God's kingdom.

The Lord loves us, and has called each of us by name. We ask God's blessing on Daynette, and on each member of this family of faith, in the name of Christ, whose people we are.

**ALL:** The Lord weaves us together as a family of faith. Alleluia! Amen.

## **Charge To The Candidate**

Leader: Daynette, before God and this congregation we ask you: Do you believe in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and do you confess Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior?

**I do.**

Leader: Are you persuaded that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments convey the Word of God and are the unique and authoritative standards of the church's life, its worship, witness, teaching, and mission in the world?

**I am so persuaded.**

Leader: Will you be diligent in understanding the faith to which the Church bears witness, and in proclaiming by word and action the truth of the Gospel as God gives you opportunity?

**I will, the Lord being my helper.**

Leader: Do you believe in your heart that you are truly called by God in this sacred ministry, with all of its obligations and opportunities for the service of God and humankind?

**I do so believe.**

Leader: will you faithfully preach and teach the gospel, proclaiming forth the healing of God? Will you give faithful service to the people committed to your care: the poor, the bewildered and oppressed, for Christ's sake?

**I will, the Lord being my helper.**

Leader: Will you endeavor to be a steadfast and prayerful disciple, daily following the rule and teaching of our Lord, to the end that your life and the lives you touch may be fashioned by the gospel?

**I will, by the help of God.**

† CONGREGATIONAL MASS PRAYER

Dr. Seagle

GOD IS NEAR

De Silva

Ms. Jessica Cruz

Rev. Barry Templeton, Associate Pastor

MESSAGE OF THE HOUR

Rev. Dr. Linda M. Jones

Missions Coordinator, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship North Carolina

DEEP WATER

CHARGE TO THE CANDIDATE

Dr. Seagle

† LITANY OF ORDINATION

Mr. S. McKinley Gray, III

Deacon Chair

SONG SELECTION

First Chin Baptist Church Praise Team

PRAYER OF ORDINATION

Rev. Ven

LAYING ON OF HANDS

Dr. Seagle

You are welcome during this time of focused prayer for Daynette to come forward and participate in this ancient rite of blessing and encouragement.

PRESENTATIONS

WITH GREAT LOVE

The Reverend J. Daynette Snead

**WITH GREAT LOVE**

Based on the writings of  
Blessed Teresa of Calcutta

Chris de Silva

We can do no great things, we can do no  
great things, we can do no great things;  
on-ly small things with great love.

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† BENEDICTION OF THE HOUR

Rev. Snead

† RECESSIONAL

† *Congregation May Stand*

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Please join Daynette for a reception immediately following the service.

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## ON ORDINATION

Among Baptists, *ordination* is a congregational act of empowering and commissioning a person for vocational ministry. It is a recognition of a person's sense of call and the congregation's affirmation of a person's call and preparedness for ministry.

After Daynette Snead expressed a desire to be ordained by First Baptist, and following a period of discernment with our Pastor and Diaconate, an Ordination Council was called by the congregation, composed of staff ministers, lay ministers, denominational partners and invited guests. After meeting with Daynette to discuss her theology, vocational identity and call to ministry, the Council unanimously recommended that she be ordained to the Gospel Ministry. The congregation enthusiastically affirmed this recommendation at the Church Conference on February 28, 2016.

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