

**First Baptist Church Lincoln  
July 7, 2024  
Order of Worship**

**Life Together and Welcome**

**Call to Worship** ..... Congregational Reading

(based on Psalm 14)

The foolish say, "There is no God!  
We are alone, on our own."

**We gather to declare  
the glory of God in our lives.**

The foolish say, "It is your life;  
you are accountable to no one."

**We gather, strengthened by the Spirit,  
trusting that Christ dwells in our hearts.**

The foolish say, "Everything I have is mine;  
I owe nothing to any one."

**We gather to praise the One  
who calls us to serve others in love.**

~ written by Thom Shuman (2006), & posted on Lectionary Liturgies.

**Opening Song** ..... Child of Love

**Praise Song** ..... Lord of the Dance

**Prayer Time**

**Congregational Reading** ..... Nehemiah 8:10

10 Nehemiah said, "Go and enjoy choice food and sweet drinks, and send some to those who have nothing prepared. This day is holy to our Lord. Do not grieve, for the joy of the LORD is your strength"

**Praise Song** ..... O Come to the Altar

**Prayer** ..... TWC #307  
..... Rev. Joy Martinez-Marshall

**Message** ..... Rev. Joy Martinez-Marshall  
..... 1 John 1:1 – 2:2

**Communion Hymn** ..... Let Us Break Bread Together

**Communion**

**Offering Prayer**

**Response Song**..... Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee

**Benediction** ..... Rev. Joy Martinez-Marshall