



# ***Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church***

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March 3, 2019  
8:00 a.m., Chapel  
Tranfiguration of the Lord

# WELCOME TO BMPC

## TODAY'S SCHEDULE

### **Childcare (infant - age 5)**

7:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Education Building, Rm. 102

### **8:00 a.m. Worship, Chapel**

#### **Art @ 9**

Age 3 - Grade 5  
8:45 a.m., Ed. Bldg., Rm. 201

#### **Filling the Well**

Women's Study  
8:45 a.m., Ed. Bldg., Rm. 104

#### **Sunday Morning Discussion Group**

Adult Study  
8:45 a.m., Conference Room

#### **Digging Deeper Bible Study**

8:45 a.m., Ed. Bldg., Rm. 205

### **10:00 Worship, Sanctuary**

Sunday School, Adult Education  
*See calendar for a complete schedule.*

**NEW HERE?** We are pleased that you are joining us as we worship God this morning. Information about our programs is available near the main entrance. We invite you to participate in any of our programs, ministries and mission opportunities, as they are open to all.

**JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP.** Stop by the Ministries Center Court for a cup of coffee between 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. and for refreshments and fellowship after the 10:00 a.m. worship service. Families with young children are invited to gather for refreshments in the Education Building Lobby after Sunday School.

**TO ASSIST YOU DURING WORSHIP.** Children's bulletins with crayons may be found near the main entrance. If you are unable to come forward for Communion, please let an usher or server know, and Communion will be brought to you.

Subscribe to our BMPC eNews by adding your email address to the Fellowship Register. For additional information about today's schedule, see the calendar at the back of this bulletin.

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# GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME

David B. Smith

## † CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Come up to the mountain of God's presence.  
Wait for God to be revealed to us.

**All: We are eyewitnesses to God's majesty.  
We have sensed God's presence in the stories of Jesus.**

One: Look up and do not be afraid.  
Jesus, whom you serve, is transfigured before you.

**All: We will follow him with love and faithfulness.  
Let us worship God.**

## † HYMN 190

Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory

GENEVA

## CALL TO CONFESSION

### AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

God of dazzling splendor, we confess we have failed to recognize your glory  
and to notice the wonders of your majesty.

You have revealed yourself to us in Jesus, full of grace and truth;  
and yet, we have not loved as you command.

We have not been good stewards of your creation,  
and we have not cared for our fellow human beings as we should.

We pray for your forgiveness.

We ask you to transform us so that your light may shine in our lives,  
through Jesus Christ.

*A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.*

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

On those who sit in dark - ness the sun be - gins to  
rise, the dawn - ing of for - give - ness up - on the sin - ner's  
eyes. God guides the feet of pil - grims a - long the paths of  
peace. O bless our God and Sav - iour with songs that nev - er cease!

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## HEARING THE WORD

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

Cathy Whiteside

**FIRST LESSON** Exodus 34:29-35 (*p. 81 in pew Bible*)

Cathy Whiteside

**SECOND LESSON** Luke 9:28-36 (*p. 69 in pew Bible*)

Agnes W. Norfleet

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

*Reflections of Glory*

Agnes W. Norfleet

† **HYMN 189**

O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair

DEO GRACIAS

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

David B. Smith

*You are invited to come forward, using the center aisle, to partake of the Lord's Supper by intinction (dipping a piece of bread into the cup); return to your seat using the side aisle. Gluten and casein-free elements are on the center table.*

*You are invited to bring your offering when you come forward.*

## THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION AND THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Agnes W. Norfleet

† HYMN 193

Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain

UNSER HERRSCHER

† SENDING AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

## POSTLUDE

## **Worship Notes**

### **SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

Given to the glory of God and in loving memory of  
Sally Skillman Odiorne

### **CHAPEL GARDEN FLOWERS**

In loving memory of  
Mr. George S. Young  
and those who are forever in our hearts

### **RECEIVING THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM at 10:00 a.m. Service**

Cole Carter Wawszczyk, son of Nicole Black & Al Wawszczyk

### **ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION**

Elder Cathy Whiteside

### **USHERING**

Deacon Brian Kerr

## Announcements

**ART EXHIBIT: THERAPEUTIC ARTS PROGRAM (TAP) FROM THEVILLAGE.** On display through March 10. This colorful and moving exhibit features art of various media by children and youth benefitting from vital programs and services offered by theVillage, a BMPC mission partner. TheVillage serves as a safe haven and a caring, therapeutic center where children, youth and families affected by serious societal problems reside or participate in therapeutic programs.

**INTERGENERATIONAL MISSION TRIP TO DURHAM, NC.** July 14- 20. This year's intergenerational mission trip to North Carolina will include mission-minded adults from the congregation at large, middle schoolers (grades 6-8) serving along with a parent or guardian, and high schoolers (grades 9-12). Farm Church is a Presbyterian congregation that meets on a farm and leverages the resources of that farm to address food insecurity in their local community. Register now: \$900. Full and partial scholarships available for all youth. AmyBauer@bmpc.org.

**CAMP KIRKWOOD.** Aug. 4-10. Our annual weeklong summer camp is a sleep-away experience in the Poconos. This vibrant camp tradition is spearheaded by a caring team of BMPC staff and volunteer leaders. Camp provides an opportunity for youth at all levels of church involvement to build lifelong relationships, experience the joy of the outdoors, and ask bold questions about life and faith in a supportive environment. This year's worship theme, "I.D.R.E.A.M.," reflects on the camp experience through the lens of our current list of core values: Inclusion, Discipleship, Responsibility, Engagement, Affirmation and Mission. Register now: \$499. Full and partial scholarships available for all youth. AmyBauer@bmpc.org.

## Today

**DIGGING DEEPER BIBLE STUDY.** Today through April 14, 8:45 a.m., Ed. Bldg., Room 205. The Rev. Franklyn Pottorff facilitates a discussion of Dean Chapman's book *How to Worship as a Presbyterian*. Books are available in the class or directly from Frank. Barbara Heaton, BarbhHeaton@gmail.com.

**BONHOEFFER 2003 DOCUMENTARY.** 11:15 a.m., Witherspoon Parlor. We begin four weeks of focus on German theologian and activist Dietrich Bonhoeffer by viewing this acclaimed documentary.

**DAILY LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOKLET.** Guide and enrich your journey through the 40 days of Lent using a devotional written by BMPC members, staff and ministry partners. Copies are available in church information racks and the Narthex or you may access the devotional on the Season of Lent page: [www.bmpc.org](http://www.bmpc.org) > Welcome > The Season of Lent.

## Next Sunday

**ONE BOOK ONE CHURCH.** Sun., March 10, 11:15 a.m., Congregational Hall. We welcome Dr. Victoria Barnett to lead us in a conversation on her recently published companion essay to Dietrich Bonhoeffer's *After Ten Years: Dietrich Bonhoeffer and Our Times*. Copies of *After Ten Years* are available in the Book Center for \$5.00.

## This Week

**Y-GROUP CASSEROLE BLITZ.** Tues., March 5, 9:00 - 10:30 a.m., BMPC Kitchen. Join us for a morning of fellowship and service as we prepare casseroles for the Hunger Committee to distribute to homeless shelters and meal programs in Philadelphia. Sarah Reiner, [ygroupbmpc@gmail.com](mailto:ygroupbmpc@gmail.com).

**LABYRINTH WALK.** Tues., March 5, 10:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m., Congregational Hall. On the eve of Ash Wednesday, all are invited to walk in prayer or meditation. Childcare available 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. with two days advance notice. [KikiMcKendrick@bmpc.org](mailto:KikiMcKendrick@bmpc.org).

**LENTEN BOOK STUDY.** Tuesdays, March 5 - April 9, 10:00 a.m., Fullerton Room. The Rev. Drew Mann, Interim Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care & Senior Adults, leads this Lenten book study on *Grateful*, by noted theologian Diana Butler Bass. Books are \$15 and may be purchased in the Book Center.

**HORIZONS BIBLE STUDY.** Wed., March 6, 10:30 a.m., Rosemont Presbyterian Village Ballroom. The Rev. Drew Mann leads our study of *God's Promise: I Am with You* by Amy Poling Sutherlun, Chapter 8. Joyce Malott, [okf405@gmail.com](mailto:okf405@gmail.com).

## Season of Lent

### **ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6**

**5:30 p.m.** Family Service in the Chapel with Imposition of Ashes. The Rev. Rachel Pedersen preaching.

**5:30-7:30 p.m.** Wednesday Night Dinner served in Congregational Hall. \$8/adults, \$5/students and children. All welcome.

**7:30 p.m.** Service in the Chapel with Imposition of Ashes. The Rev. Rachel Pedersen preaching.

## Upcoming

**LENTEN EVENING PRAYERS.** Wednesdays, March 13, 20, 27, April 3, and 10. Gather in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m. for a simple service of music, prayer, scripture and silence led by the pastors.

**Y-GROUP MEETING.** Tues., March 12, 9:15 - 11:00 a.m., Ed. Bldg. Join us for a morning of purposeful fellowship. We will be writing cards of encouragement and preparing goody bags for middle school girls from North Philadelphia attending a career seminar at St. Raymond's School. Sarah Reiner, Ygroupbmpc@gmail.com.

**THE THEOLOGICAL LEGACY OF BONHOEFFER.** Sun., March 17, 11:15 a.m., Witherspoon Parlor. Come hear about the theological legacy of Bonhoeffer with Dr. Katie Day, professor of Church and Society at United Lutheran Seminary.

**THOMAS LLOYD'S "BONHOEFFER."** Sun., March 17, 4:00 p.m., Sanctuary. The Bryn Mawr Chamber Singers present a groundbreaking oratorio featuring the writings of Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Tickets: \$20 for adults; \$5 for students with ID.

**"ANGST" DOCUMENTARY.** Tues., March 19, 7:00 p.m., Main Line Reform Temple, 410 Montgomery Ave., Wynnewood. Parents of youth ages 10 and up are invited to watch this award-winning documentary on teen anxiety. A discussion facilitated by Minding Your Mind representatives follows the screening. Register: AmyBauer@bmpc.org.

**BONHOEFFER: AN ECUMENICAL YOUTH PASTOR.** Sun., March 24, 11:15 a.m., Witherspoon Parlor. Bonhoeffer's extensive service as a youth pastor and his ability to form ecumenical partnerships were central to his identity and critical to his influence on the church of his day. The Rev. David B. Smith will explore these formative elements of Bonhoeffer's witness and consider their relevance for the church today.

**WORKSHOPS SPONSORED BY ANTI-RACISM TASKFORCE.** Sundays, March 24, 31, and April 7, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m., Gloucester Room. Anita Friday, educator and activist, leads a three-week workshop entitled Racism. Power. Privilege. Poison and Promising Possibilities. Participants will develop their own historically-based definitions of racism and engage in exercises that explore such questions as How Did We Get Here? Is it Over? What Can be Done? Registration is required; space is limited. The workshop cost is on a sliding scale for participants. RebeccaKirkpatrick@bmpc.org.

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP.** Mon., June 17 - Fri., June 21, BMPC Campus. VBC begins with a kickoff on Sun., June 16. This year: help recreate the Israelites' adventure through the wilderness. Registration is open now through June 1. Register online at [www.bmpc.org](http://www.bmpc.org) > Calendar > Open Registrations. Calling all volunteers! MaryRichards@bmpc.org.

## ***Caring & Sharing***

**CASSEROLE BLITZ.** Sat., March 16, 8:30 a.m. Volunteers are welcome including parents and children over the age of 4. Bring your own apron or wear clothes appropriate for kitchen work. Register: SandieNicholson.sandiekev@verizon.net.

**RISE AGAINST HUNGER.** Sat., April 6, 8:00 a.m. - noon, Gymnasium. Save the date for our sixth annual meal-packing event!

# *This Week's Calendar*

*For more information, visit our website at [www.bmpc.org](http://www.bmpc.org), call the church office, or contact [communications@bmpc.org](mailto:communications@bmpc.org).*

## Today, March 3

- 7:45 a.m. Childcare, Ed. Bldg., Rm. 102  
8:00 a.m. **Worship with Communion, Chapel**  
8:30 a.m. Call time for Tintinnabulators  
8:45 a.m. Filling the Well, Ed. Bldg., Rm. 104  
Digging Deeper Bible Study, Ed. Bldg., Rm. 205  
Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room  
Art @ 9, Ed. Bldg., Rm. 201  
9:00 a.m. Children's Choir, Youth Chorale, Bryn Mawr Chamber Singers  
Call Time, Sanctuary Choir Loft  
10:00 a.m. **Worship with Baptism and Choirs, Sanctuary**  
Sunday School for age 2 - PreK, Ed. Bldg.  
Grades K - 5 begin worship in the Sanctuary  
Worship Together Sunday for Children & Youth in Grades 6 - 12  
10:15 a.m. Sunday School for Grades K - 5, Ed. Bldg.  
11:00 a.m. Café in the Court, Ministries Center  
11:15 a.m. Bonhoeffer Documentary, Witherspoon Parlor  
11:15 a.m. Preparing for Lent: Family Ministry Event, Ed. Bldg.

## Monday, March 4

- 7:00 p.m. Discover BMPC Class, Fullerton Room

## Tuesday, March 5

- 9:00 a.m. Repose Yoga, Gymnasium  
9:15 a.m. Y-Group Casserole Blitz, Main Kitchen  
10:00 a.m. *Grateful: Transformative Power of Giving Thanks*  
Book Discussion, Fullerton Room  
10:30 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium  
Labyrinth Walk, Congregational Hall  
1:00 p.m. Dance for Parkinson's Disease, Gymnasium  
7:00 p.m. Deacon's Meeting, Gloucester Room  
7:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 19 Committee Meeting, Fullerton Room

## **Wednesday, March 6**

- 9:00 a.m. Lenten Labyrinth, Children's Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Women's Coffee Cup Bible Study, Gloucester Room
- 10:30 a.m. Horizons Bible Study, Rosemont Presbyterian Village Ballroom
- 4:45 p.m. Call time for Children's Choir, Fine Arts Center  
Childcare, Ed. Bldg.
- 5:30 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship, Chapel  
Wednesday Night Dinner, Congregational Hall
- 6:45 p.m. Call time for Youth Chorale, Fine Arts Center
- 7:00 p.m. Student Serve, Loft
- 7:30 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship, Chapel

## **Thursday, March 7**

- 9:00 a.m. Lenten Labyrinth, Children's Chapel
- 9:15 a.m. Senior Exercise Class, Gymnasium
- 9:30 a.m. Singing for Life, Fine Arts Center
- 10:00 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Gloucester Room
- 6:00 p.m. Refugee Support Committee Meeting, Gloucester Room
- 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir, Fine Arts Center  
Boy Scouts Troop 19, Gymnasium
- 8:15 p.m. Bryn Mawr Chamber Singers - men only, Fine Arts Center

## **Friday, March 8**

- 9:00 a.m. Lenten Labyrinth, Children's Chapel
- 4:00 p.m. Children's Spanish Class, Ed. Bldg.
- 4:30 p.m. Bergsteinsson/Grimes Wedding Rehearsal, Sanctuary

## **Saturday, March 9**

- 7:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Men's Group, Converse House Parlor
- 8:00 a.m. Cub Scout Pack 110 Pinewood Derby, Gymnasium
- 8:30 a.m. CPR Training for Ushers, Congregational Hall
- 10:00 a.m. BMPC Community Orchestra, Fine Arts Center
- 4:00 p.m. Bergsteinsson/Grimes Wedding, Sanctuary

## **Sunday, March 10**

- 8:00 a.m. **Worship with Communion, Chapel**
- 10:00 a.m. **Worship with Communion and Sanctuary Choir, Sanctuary**  
The Rev. Dr. Agnes W. Norfleet will preach.  
Sunday School for age 2 - Grade 12.

## ***Worship Staff***

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**Agnes W. Norfleet**, Pastor

**Rebecca Kirkpatrick**, Associate Pastor for Adult Education & Mission

**Andrew H. Mann, Jr.**, Interim Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care & Senior Adults

**Rachel Pedersen**, Associate Pastor for Children & Family Ministry

**Franklyn C. Pottorff**, Associate Pastor for Congregational Life & Stewardship

**David B. Smith**, Interim Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry

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