

# Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church

June 16, 2019 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary Trinity Sunday

## WELCOME TO BMPC

### TODAY'S SCHEDULE

#### Childcare

7:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Fullerton Room, Ministries Center

10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary

#### **Grades PreK - 3**

10:00 a.m., Worship in Sanctuary 10:15 a.m., Summer Sunday School, Gloucester Room, Ministries Center

#### Grades 4 - 12

Youth & Children in Worship

Lemonade on the Lawn 11:00 a.m., Lawn

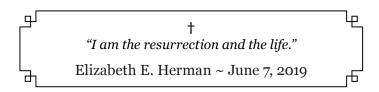
Lessons in Light: Exploring the Stories and Meaning within the Chapel Windows 11:15 a.m., Chapel

Vacation Bible Camp Kick-Off 4:00 p.m., Congregational Hall **NEW HERE?** We are pleased that you are joining us as we worship God this morning. Please stop at our information alcove to the left of 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 coffee between 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. and join us for Lemonade on the Lawn after the 10:00 a.m. worship service (rain location: Ministries Center Court).

**TO ASSIST YOU DURING WORSHIP.** Large print bulletins, back pillows and hearing assistance devices are available; ask an usher. Children's bulletins with crayons may be found near the main entrance.

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL.** We are pleased to offer education opportunities for all ages, listed on the left. **Grades PreK-3** worship with their families in the Sanctuary before being dismissed to classes. If this is your first Sunday, please accompany your child to the Ministries Center.



## GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

**PRELUDE** Two Settings of "Blessed Jesus, At Your Word"

J.S. Bach

WELCOME

Franklyn C. Pottorff

#### † CALL TO WORSHIP

One: O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons,

All: We behold in the splendor of creation your majesty

and our responsibility.

One: O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons,

All: We behold the face of Jesus Christ in your divinity

and our humanity.

One: O Holy Trinity, One God in Three Persons,

All: We behold in the Spirit of truth your glory and our calling.

#### † **HYMN** 1

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

NICAEA

# CALL TO CONFESSION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

God of justice and mercy,

we confess that we disobey your will.

We show neither justice nor mercy to others.

Christ our Savior, love incarnate,

we confess we take your love for granted.

We do not give of ourselves,

nor do we rejoice in all the blessings we receive.

Holy Spirit, power and breath,

we confess we block your movement.

We do not live holy lives of sacrificial love.

Gracious Trinity, forgive us and grant us your peace.

Help us turn from our sins so that we may love you

by joyfully caring for others.

A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† Please stand, if able. Page 3

### † **GLORIA PATRI** (in unison)

(Hymn 581)

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment.

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Franklyn C. Pottorff Elder Cathy Whiteside with Bliss Odiorne

One: Do we, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide

and nurture these children by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging them to know and follow Christ and to be faithful members

of His church?

All: We do.

SENDING HYMN 188 Jesus Loves Me! (verse 1) Jesus Loves Me

During the Sending Hymn, Grades PreK - 3 depart for their Sunday School classes.

FIRST LESSON Romans 10:5-17 (p. 160 in pew Bible) Brian K. Ballard

**SECOND LESSON** Acts 10:34-48 (p. 129 in pew Bible) Rebecca Kirkpatrick

One: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.** 

**SERMON** The Proclamation of the Gospel Rebecca Kirkpatrick

for the Salvation of Humankind

Summer Sermon Series on The Great Ends of the Church

† **HYMN** 298 Lord, You Give the Great Commission ABBOT'S LEIGH

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

### † **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (in unison)

Brian K. Ballard

Jesus Christ is the image of the invisible God,

the firstborn of all creation;

In him all things in heaven and on earth were created,

things visible and invisible.

All things have been created through him and for him.

He himself is before all things,

and in him all things hold together.

He is the head of the body, the church;

He is the beginning,

the firstborn of the dead,

so that he might come to have first place in everything.

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell,

and through him God was pleased to reconcile all things,

whether on earth or in heaven,

by making peace through the blood of his cross. Amen.

~ from Colossians 1:15-20

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

#### OFFERING AND OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Come, Ye People, Rise and Sing Summer Choir Richard Shephard

Come, ye people, rise and sing praise to God, who made you, and to heaven's eternal King. Bring the prayers He bade you; Bring your praise for mercies past, all His love confessing, and on life, while life shall last, ask your Father's blessing. Praise we God the Father's name for our world's creation, and His saving health proclaim unto every nation; Till, His name by all confessed, every heart enthrone Him, and from farthest east and west all His children own Him. Praise we Son, and Holy Ghost, help us to adore Thee, till, with all the angel host, low we fall before Thee; Till, throughout our early days guided, loved, forgiven, we can blend our songs to praise with the song of heaven!

Please fill in the Fellowship Register at the end of your pew; pass it down your row and back again.

 $^\dagger$  Please stand, if able. Page 5

† **DOXOLOGY** Hymn 606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Franklyn C. Pottorff

† **HYMN** 8 Eternal Father, Strong to Save

Rebecca Kirkpatrick

**MELITA** 

BENEDICTION WITH CHORAL RESPONSE

J.S. Bach

**POSTLUDE** 

Prelude and Fugue in F Major

# **Worship Notes**

### **SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

Given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Marian L. Maguire

### RECEIVING THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Margaret Catherine Arnold, daughter of Molly & Chad Arnold Catherine Laurene Calciano, daughter of Margaret & Drew Calciano Ellie Stephens Casper, daughter of Kelley & David Casper Jack Flint Terranova, son of Anna & Marc Terranova

#### **GREETING AND HOSTING**

Members of our Summer Hospitality Team

#### PLAYING THE CARILLON

**Brian Middleton** 

#### SUMMER SERMON SERIES

The Great Ends of the Church, written in 1910, provide a concise formulation of how we as Presbyterians understand our mission as a church.

the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind; the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God; the maintenance of divine worship;

the preservation of the truth;

the promotion of social righteousness;

the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.

# **Announcements**

**SUMMER WEEKEND FOOD DONATIONS.** BMPC is one of three food collection sites for the Community Partners of Lower Merion and Narberth, an organization that assists those in need during the summer months when food donations are at their lowest. Canned tuna, macaroni and cheese, granola bars, applesauce cups, bananas and apples are just a few of the items needed. Collection bins are in the Ministries Center.

**SUMMER CAFÉ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.** This summer BMPC again joins with 16 other local congregations for the lunch program at Ardmore Presbyterian Church to feed children and youth experiencing food scarcity in Lower Merion Township. To volunteer and sign up for training: RebeccaKirkpatrick@bmpc.org.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT REVOLUTION? The Book Center has a selection of books you might find interesting! *Grounded: Finding God in the World - A Spiritual Revolution*, by Diana Butler Bass, \$18. *Jesus, A Revolutionary Biography* by John Dominic Crossan, \$12. His book is a startling account of what we know about the life of Jesus. *The Irresistible Revolution – Living as an Ordinary Radical* by Shane Claiborne, \$12. Key to Book Center is available at the Reception Desk in the Ministries Center.

**THE CONVERSE HOUSE LIBRARY.** When was the last time you visited the library? Maybe now is the time! Open 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. weekdays throughout the summer. Kat MacMurray, katrmac2@icloud.com.

# Today

**SUMMER CHOIR.** Begins today. All singers are invited to come to church on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. for a short rehearsal in the choir loft, then stay and sing for the 10:00 a.m. service. Summer choir is simple (one anthem and hymns), and informal (no robes). No long-term commitment, no need to sign up in advance. This is a great opportunity to lend your voice to worship and give choir a try. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org.

**LESSONS IN LIGHT: EXPLORING THE STORIES AND MEANING WITHIN THE CHAPEL WINDOWS.** Today through July 7, 11:15 a.m., Catherine Pew Memorial Chapel. Join the pastors for four Sundays as we explore the iconography and themes of the Chapel's stained glass windows. Today: Physical and Spiritual Courage. The windows at the front of the Chapel highlight Jesus and his twelve disciples as well as the biblical themes of courage in the Old and New Testament.

# This Week

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP.** Mon., June 17 - Fri., June 21, BMPC Campus. Camper registration is closed, but we need more volunteers to help recreate the Israelites' adventure through the wilderness. Register as a youth or adult volunteer online at www. bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations. MaryRichards@bmpc.org.

**LOOKING FOR A CHURCH HOME?** Consider learning more about being in community here by attending our two "Discover BMPC" orientation classes on Mondays, June 17 and June 24, at 7:00 p.m. in the Ministries Center. These classes provide an opportunity to become acquainted, ask questions, and learn more about our church, our Presbyterian heritage, and our mission. Inquirers welcome, and childcare available with advance notice. Register online at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations. FranklynPottorff@bmpc.org.

**URBAN SUBURBAN BOOK GROUP.** Tues., June 18, 7:00 p.m., Overbrook Presbyterian Church. Discussion of *Proud*, a memoir by Ibtihaj Muhammad. Joannehanna3@comcast.net.

# Next Sunday

**LESSONS IN LIGHT: EXPLORING THE STORIES AND MEANING WITHIN THE CHAPEL WINDOWS.** June 23, 11:15 a.m., Catherine Pew Memorial Chapel. The Church in Mission and Service. The north-facing windows center on Jesus' call to love our neighbors and to go out into the world making disciples of all nations, using images that trace the history of mission and service in the American church and around the world.

# **Upcoming**

**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. Register now: \$499. Full and partial scholarships available for all youth. AmyBauer@bmpc.org.

# Caring & Sharing

**BATTERY RECYCLING.** The Environmental Justice Committee covers the cost of sending batteries for recycling, so bring your dead batteries to the Ministries Center and put them in the container on the bottom shelf of the bookcase next to the Reception Desk. Hint: You can reduce your need to dispose single-use batteries by purchasing rechargeable batteries. These can be used more than 1,000 times and recycled at no cost to you.

**HUNGER DONATIONS.** Baskets for donations of food are located in the Narthex. Donations tend to drop off in the summer when the need for food increases. High protein soups and canned goods are needed. To make financial donations to the Hunger Committee for the support of area food cupboards and shelters, use the white Hunger Envelopes in the pew holders or note Hunger on the memo line of your check.

#### **BULLETIN COVER**

Church Window, Chapel ~ Joseph Elliott, Photographer

# This Week's Calendar

For more information, visit our website at www.bmpc.org, call the church office, or contact communications@bmpc.org.

### Today, June 16

		Childcare, Fullerton Room
8:00	a.m.	Worship with Communion, Chapel
9:00	a.m.	Summer Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary Choir Loft
10:00	a.m.	<b>Worship with Baptisms and Summer Choir, Sanctuary</b>
		Worship Together Sunday for Children & Youth in Grades 4 - 12
10:15	a.m.	Summer Sunday School for Grades PreK - 3, Gloucester Room
11:00	a.m.	Caring Corner, Front Lawn
		Lemonade on the Lawn, Front Lawn (Rain location: Ministries Center Court)
11:15	a.m.	Lessons in Light: Exploring the Stories and Meaning within the Chapel
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### Monday, June 17

9:00	a.m.	Vacation Bible Camp, Congregational Hall
6:00	p.m.	IT Committee Meeting, Fine Arts Center
7:00	p.m.	Discover Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Class, Converse House Parlor

### Tuesday, June 18

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Congregational Hall

### Wednesday, June 19

8:00	a.m.	Stewardship Committee Meeting, Converse House Parlor
9:00	a.m.	Vacation Bible Camp, Congregational Hall
7:00	p.m.	Trustee Meeting, Congregational Hall

4:00 p.m. Vacation Bible Camp Kick-Off, Congregational Hall

### Thursday, June 20

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Congregational Hall 10:00 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Fine Arts Center

### Friday, June 21

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Congregational Hall 12:00 p.m. Vacation Bible Camp Closing Ceremony, Sanctuary

### Saturday, June 22

No scheduled activities.

### Sunday, June 23

8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion, Chapel 10:00 a.m. Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary

The Rev. Franklyn C. Pottorff will preach. Summer Sunday School for Grades PreK - 3.

Worship Together Sunday for Children & Youth in Grades 4 - 12.

# **Renovations Update**

Fullerton Room, Gloucester Room, Witherspoon Parlor and the Conference Room are no longer available as meeting spaces in the Ministries Center.

Childcare takes place in Fullerton Room, and Summer Sunday School is in Gloucester Room.

June & July: Enabling work and preconstruction begin in June.

August 1: Education Building closes for construction.

This box will be updated regularly to keep you informed about how the renovation process is impacting our ministries and programs.



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