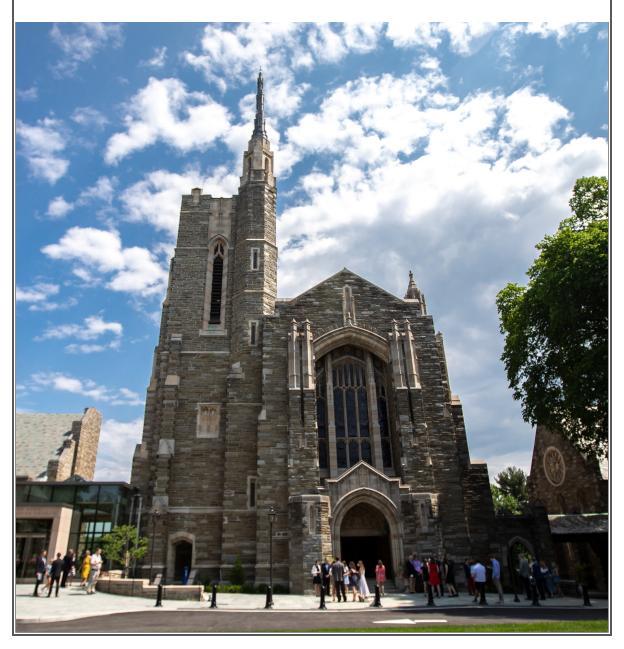
Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church

Sunday, July 10, 2022 | 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary Fifth Sunday after Pentecost



WELCOME

NEW HERE?

We are pleased that you are joining us as we worship God this morning. We invite you to introduce yourself to one of our pastors in the Atrium following the Worship Service. All of our programs, ministries, and opportunities for mission are open to everyone. Come join us!

COVID-19 GUIDELINES

Masks are optional inside church buildings, although masks may be required in some areas of the Education Building. Please maintain physical distance inside, and be mindful that we are an intergenerational community and while COVID vaccines are available for children as young as six months (Pfizer), some children may not have been vaccinated.

LIVESTREAMED CHURCH SERVICES

In addition to in-person worship, the Sunday Worship Services are available to watch live at 10:00 a.m. on our livestreaming page: www.bmpc.org/livestream. For your convenience, the service also will be posted on our Worship Services page on Monday.

CHILDCARE AND SUNDAY SCHOOL

Childcare is available on Sundays from 8:00 a.m. to noon for children ages six months and older. See Sunday School class information on this page. Please contact Childcare Coordinator Rebecca Kellich at childcare@bmpc.org with any questions.

WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER

Subscribe to our BMPC eNews by visiting our website: <u>www.bmpc.org</u>.

Today's Schedule

Childcare

8:30 a.m., Ed. Bldg., Nursery

10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary

Worship Together Sunday

Grades 4 - 12, Sanctuary

Summer Sunday School

10:15 a.m., following the Children's Moment Grades PreK to 3, Ed. Bldg.

Atrium Café

11:00 a.m. Lemonade & Fellowship, Atrium

Bryans - Tuten Art Exhibit

9:00 a.m. – noon Fine Arts Gallery, Ministries Center

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Ave Maria von Arcadelt

Franz Liszt

WELCOME

Rachel Pedersen

† CALL TO WORSHIP

One: To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

All: O my God, in you I trust.

One: Make me to know your ways, O Lord;

All: Teach me your paths.

One: You are the God of my salvation.

All: For you I wait all day long.

† **HYMN** 688

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

MORECAMBE

CALL TO CONFESSION

AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Often, O holy and righteous God,

we dare your justice,

mock your mercy,

jeer your patience,

slight your power,

and show contempt for your love.

We even say "I'm sorry" insincerely and confess our sins flippantly.

We plead your help

to own up carefully to how we have wronged you,

to admit honestly how we have grieved you,

to plead penitently for your mercy and pardon.

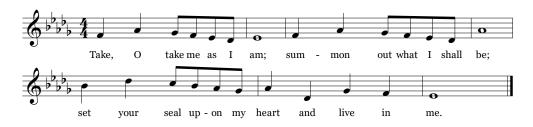
We beg your forgiveness through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SUNG RESPONSE

Take, O Take Me As I Am



PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Rachel Pedersen

One: Do we, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture this child by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging him to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of His church?

All: We do.

BAPTISM HYMN 188

Jesus Loves Me!

JESUS LOVES ME

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong. They are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Leigh DeVries

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 25:1-10 (p. 502 in pew Bible)

SECOND LESSON

Colossians 1:1-14 (p. 199 in pew Bible)

Brian K. Ballard

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

SERMON

Faith Grows Here

Brian K. Ballard

† **HYMN** 305

Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

Darwell's 148th

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

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

Leigh DeVries

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

~ The Apostles' Creed

PASTORAL PRAYER 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.

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The Best of Rooms Summer Choir Charles Wood

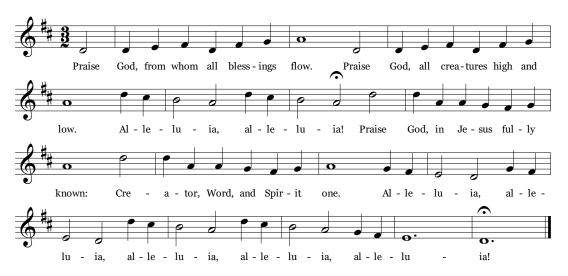
Sandra Stouffer, Guest Conductor

Christ, He requires still, wheresoe'er He comes to feed or lodge, to have the best of rooms: Give Him the choice; grant Him the nobler part Of all the house: the best of all's the heart.

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

† **DOXOLOGY** 609 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Leigh DeVries

† **HYMN** 12

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Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

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† BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

Brian K. Ballard

POSTLUDE

Festal March

William Lloyd Webber

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"I am the resurrection and the life." Elizabeth "Betty" Alexander ~ July 3, 2022

WORSHIP NOTES

RECEIVING THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Rory Cupitt Howard Son of Brooke & Joe Howard

CHAPEL GARDEN FLOWERS

Given to the glory of God and in memory of Lynn Yeakel's birthday

PLAYING THE CARILLON

Rob Mygatt

BULLETIN COVER

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RESPONSE & DOXOLOGY

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Announcements

CHURCH OFFICER NOMINATIONS. Please submit your recommendations by Sept. 18 for Elders, Deacons, Trustees, and Nominating Committee Members-at-Large for 2022-2023 via this nominating form: https://bit.ly/BMPCNominationForm. Paper copies of the nominating form are available in the Narthex. Candidates must be church members for at least two years, faithfully participate in the worship and program life of the church, and regularly contribute to the church.

OFFICE SUITE UPDATES. During July and August the staff office suite in the Ministries Center will be painted, and new carpet and lighting will be installed. Storage containers have been placed in the Radnor Street Parking Lot which will limit how many parking spaces are available. It is recommended that you park in the Sanctuary Parking Lot and enter through the Atrium.

Our Reception Team will be stationed in the Atrium during this renovation project. The staff mailboxes next to the Reception Desk in the Ministries Center will remain accessible if you need to drop off paperwork. Pastors and staff members are now working in various rooms in the Ministries Center or Education Building, so please call the church office at 610-525-2821 before stopping by to meet with someone. For more information, *LizEllis@bmpc.org*.

SUMMER CHOIR. Sundays through Sept. 4, 9:00 a.m., Choir Loft. Each summer, from mid-June through the beginning of September, all singers ages 12+ are invited to come to church any Sunday at 9:00 a.m. for a short rehearsal in the Choir Loft, then stay and sing for the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service. Summer choir is simple (one anthem, hymns, and a closing response), and informal (no robes). No long-term commitment; no need to sign up in advance.

This Week

YOGA206 BONE BOOST SUMMER SESSION. Wednesdays through Aug. 31, 10:00 a.m., Gymnasium (no class on July 20, July 27, Aug. 3). Class packages: three classes for \$39; four classes for \$52, or seven classes for \$91. Packages must be used by Sept. 5, and they are not reimbursable. COVID-19 vaccination required. To sign up or for more information, contact instructor Abby Contract at *YOGA206@icloud.com*.

SUMMER CARILLON CONCERT SERIES. Thursdays, July 14, 21, 28 and Aug. 4, 7:00 p.m., BMPC Campus. Come listen to some of the most talented carillonneurs from Europe and the Philadelphia area. You will hear everything from Bach to Bad Bunny! You're welcome to have a picnic on the lawn or listen to the concert from your car in the Sanctuary parking lot. On July 14, all are invited to enjoy the talents of Geert D'hollander, carillonneur for Bok Towers Garden in Florida. An ice cream truck will be available in the Sanctuary parking lot at 6:30 p.m. mfa@bmpc.org.

<u>Upcoming</u>

BAPTISM BARBECUE. Sat., July 23, 11:00 a.m., Front Lawn. Come celebrate baptism! This is a special barbecue for families who have celebrated a baptism during the past two years. We'll provide burgers, hot dogs, and veggie burgers. Join us for a time of fellowship and fun! RSVP to *MaryRichards@bmpc.org*.

SCAVENGER HUNT. Thurs., July 28, 5:30 p.m., Sanctuary. Children are invited to join us for a Scavenger Hunt throughout the Sanctuary! Climb the tower and find some hidden treasures. You may start the hunt anytime between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. Treat yourself to some Mister Softee ice cream at 6:45 p.m., and enjoy the Summer Carillon Concert which begins at 7:00 p.m.

YOUTH CAMP. July 31-Aug. 5. For rising sixth to 12th graders, our popular camp tradition is spearheaded by a team of BMPC staff and volunteer leaders at Camp Johnsonburg. The cost is \$500 per camper, with scholarships available. To register, contact <u>JackLiskey@bmpc.org</u>.

DEACONS' ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE. Mon., Aug. 1, 1:00-6:00 p.m., Congregational Hall. Volunteers needed to donate blood. Register online: https://bit.ly/2022-Blood-Drive.MonicaDevane@bmpc.org.

Caring and Sharing

LIBRARY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED. Come help organize and catalog books for the Converse Library! While we still need volunteers to shelve books, we are seeking volunteers who can do digital data entry on our new online cataloging system. Volunteers should have their own laptop and be comfortable navigating web-based applications. We hope to have a group of volunteers spend two to three hours on a Sunday to help with adding already-shelved books into our online database. If you are interested, contact *AliciaFranklin@bmpc.org*.

Calendar

Sunday,	July	10
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a.m.	Childcare, Ed. Bldg., Rm. 102
a.m.	Summer Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft
a.m.	Worship with Baptism and Summer Choir,
	Sanctuary or Livestreamed Service on www.bmpc.org
	Grades 4-12 Worship Together with their Families, Sanctuary
a.m.	Summer Sunday School for Pre-K to Rising 3rd Grade,
	Ed. Bldg., Rm. 202
a.m.	Atrium Cafe, Atrium
	a.m. a.m.

Monday, July 11

No events scheduled.

Tuesday, July 12

9:00 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium

Wednesday, July 13

10:00 a.m. Yoga206 Bone Boost, Gymnasium

Thursday, July 14

7:00 p.m. Summer Carillon Concert Series, BMPC Campus

Friday, July 15

No events scheduled.

Saturday, July 16

7:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Men's Group, Converse House Parlor 10:00 a.m. Searching for Still Waters Bereavement Group, Virtual

Sunday, July 17

10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary or Livestreamed Service on www.bmpc.org

The Rev. Brian K. Ballard will preach.

Worship Staff

Agnes W. Norfleet, Pastor

Brian K. Ballard, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care & Senior Adults

Leigh DeVries, Associate Pastor for Youth & Their Families

Rebecca Kirkpatrick, Associate Pastor for Adult Education & Mission

Rachel Pedersen, Associate Pastor for Children & Family Ministry

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

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The Weekday School (Preschool): 610-525-2821, ext. 8840