

***Bryn Mawr
Presbyterian Church***

May 31, 2015
8:00 a.m., Chapel
Trinity Sunday

Welcome to BMPC

Lord, Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

NEW HERE? Please sign the Fellowship Register at the end of your pew and introduce yourself to a pastor after the service. Our programs are open to all and we invite you to participate according to your interests.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH:

Childcare: 7:45 - 11:30 a.m., Ed. Bldg. Rm. 102

Children age 2 to PreK: 10:00 a.m. classes, Ed. Bldg.

Grades K-5: 10:15 a.m., classes, Ed. Bldg.

(10:00-10:15 a.m. families worship together in the Sanctuary)

If this is your first Sunday, please accompany your child to the Chapel.

Grades 6-12: 10:00 a.m., Youth in Worship

GET CONNECTED. Please fill out the fellowship register as indicated during worship to let us know that you were here, to provide or update your contact information, and to identify yourself to others in your row so that you may greet one another after worship. To inquire about our next New Member Sunday, June 15, or other opportunities to enrich your life in faith, contact DonnaBarrickman@bmpc.org, ext 8809.

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP. Stop by the Ministries Center Court for a cup of coffee between 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. and join us for refreshments on the front lawn (weather permitting) at 11:00 a.m.

As we gather for worship, please silence your cell phone and prepare your heart and mind for the worship of God.



GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Agnes W. Norfleet

Please fill in the Fellowship Register at the end of your pew.

† CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Our Lord is a great God who says: "I am the Alpha and Omega,

All: the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

One: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;

All: the whole earth is full of God's glory.

† HYMN 138

Holy, Holy Holy! Lord God Almighty!

NICAEA

CALL TO CONFESSION

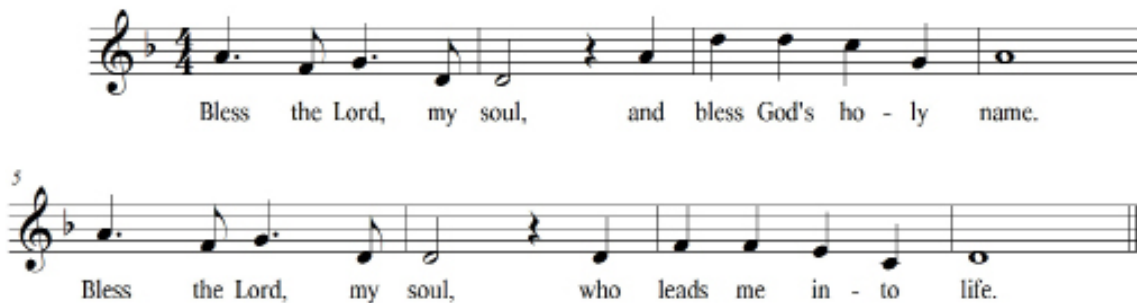
AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

Holy God, revealed to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, yours is a perfect relationship, one God in three persons. We confess that our relationships are not so perfect and whole. We have failed to love one another as you have loved us. We have failed to love ourselves as people made in your image and likeness. We have let sin drive us away from one another and from you. Forgive us and restore us. Draw us toward you with mercy and grace, that we may be reconciled to one another.

A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *(sung twice)*



Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's ho - ly name.

⁵ Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me in - to life.

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HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Elaine Robertson

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 6:1-8 (*p. 635 in pew Bible*)

Elaine Robertson

SECOND LESSON

Romans 5:1-5 (*p. 155 in pew Bible*)

Agnes W. Norfleet

SERMON

God in Three Persons

Agnes W. Norfleet

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

† **HYMN 504**

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

UNION SEMINARY

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Rachel Pedersen

You are invited to come forward, using the center aisle, to partake of the Lord's Supper by intinction (dipping a piece of bread in 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 morning offering to the baskets 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 *(in unison)*

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.

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Agnes W. Norfleet

† HYMN 145

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!

MARION

† 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
Edward S. and Ann H. Madara
Algernon and Elizabeth K. Roberts

FELLOWSHIP AT 11:00 A.M.

Join us at Lemonade on the Lawn (weather permitting) to enjoy
refreshments and fellowship.

PLAYING THE CARILLON

Dianne Heard

ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION

Deacon Elaine Robertson

COMMISSIONING at 10:00 a.m.

High School Mission Trip: Dominican Republic
July 4 – July 10, 2015

Marcus Beato

Marnie Bowen

Anna Daley-Gibson

Siobhan Daley-Gibson

Libby Dawejko

Catherine Gatti

Ellison Greenhalgh

Will Hoffman

Francis Kennedy

Nathaniel Kennedy

Lynn Martin

Devin McClain

Beck Neely

David Niedzwicki

Brynn Pelletier

Kirk Robinson

Tyler Robinson

Henry Rohrer

Isabella Schneider

Kellen Smith

Andrew Steck

Please keep our team in your prayers as they
make a difference by partnering with a local church and mission projects
for God's kingdom.

Announcements

INTRODUCING OUR ASSOCIATE PASTOR CANDIDATE. Information about the Rev. Rebecca Kirkpatrick, Candidate for Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Mission, is available on church information tables and on our website. You may view a video prepared by the candidate in our Ministries Center Court today.

NOT A BMPC MEMBER? Learn more about this church, our Reformed tradition, and our sense of Christian ministry at our membership orientation on Sun., June 7, 8:45 -10:00 a.m. in the Education Building (childcare available). We look forward to welcoming new members to our community of faith on Sun., June 14. Register: DonnaBarrickman@bmpc.org, ext. 8809.

VACATION BIBLE CAMP. Mon., June 22 to Fri., June 26, BMPC Campus. Students age 3- rising 6th graders grow in God's love, serve neighbors, and build a community together. Volunteers welcome. Register online at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations by June 1. MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

HYMNAL DONATIONS CONTINUE. We are only half way there! Donations of \$20.00 per hymnal are being accepted until June 30 to fill our Sanctuary and Chapel with new volumes. You may give hymnals as gifts to the church, on behalf of your favorite ministry area, or to honor or memorialize family and friends on a bookplate. Visit the hymnal table on the front lawn (weather permitting) after the 10:00 a.m. service, order online via our website, or contact Susan R. Joseph, bibliothekarin@gmail.com.

SUMMER CHOIR. Begins Sun., Jun. 14. All singers (ages 12 to adults) are invited on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. for a short rehearsal in the choir loft, then to stay and sing for the 10:00 a.m. service. Summer choir is simple (one anthem and hymns), and informal (no robes). Come when you can, no need to sign up in advance. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL. Can you help this summer? Choose a date to share a story with our 2-3-year-olds in the nursery or help us worship together at our special chapel service for ages 4 - 10. MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

CHILD AND YOUTH PROTECTION TRAINING. Become a certified volunteer to work with children and youth. Dates for the required training will be offered in the coming weeks and listed on the church calendar. MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

SUMMER ART EXHIBIT. June 2-28. BMPC's Artists who use their creative and collaborative skills in the space and light of Gloucester Room will exhibit their works for a mixed media show. Every Thursday since September, these men and women have transformed Gloucester Room into a studio, and they now will share their artistic achievements with the congregation. Reception Sun., June 7, at 11:00 a.m.

REGISTER FOR YOUTH SUMMER TRIPS:

- **Middle School Urban Plunge in NYC.** July 26 - 31, for 6th to rising 8th graders. Cost: \$449. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.
- **Camp Kirkwood 2015.** August 9 – 15, for rising 6th to rising 12th graders. Join us for a week of fun, friends, and faith! Cost: \$599. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

SAVE HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR RE-STORE. We will have another collection for Habitat for Humanities Re-Store this fall. Clear a space in a corner of your garage when you do that spring clean-out and save items to donate!

VISIT OUR BOOK CENTER. Located in the Ministries Center Court, our Book Center is accessible on weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (the key is available at the Reception Desk). Purchase the perfect book for summer reading! You also may borrow books from our Converse House Library. Kat MacMurray, KatRMac2@gmail.com.

Today

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING. The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sun., May 31, following the 10:00 a.m. worship service, to act on the recommendation of the Associate Pastor Nominating Committee for Adult Education and Mission. Childcare is extended through the Congregational Meeting today.

LUNCH TO SUPPORT OUR YOUTH MISSION TRIP. Today, following the Congregational Meeting. Support our Dominican Republic Mission Team at a festive luncheon in Congregation Hall. Proceeds benefit the construction of a new church building which our youth will help build in the Dominican Republic. Suggested donation: \$10. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

NEW! SUNDAY MORNING DISCUSSION GROUP. Sundays, 8:45 a.m., Conference Room. CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

Upcoming

SUNDAE SUNDAY / TEACHER RECOGNITION. Sun., June 14, following 10:00 a.m. worship. Kick-off summer with ice cream sundaes on the front lawn and an opportunity to thank all of those who have shared their gifts as teachers this year.

BIBLE FOR BEGINNERS. Thurs., June 11, 7:00 p.m. This month's lesson will be led by the Rev. Dr. Agnes Norfleet. Anita Iyengar, aciyengar@gmail.com.

CASSEROLE BLITZ: FINAL UNTIL FALL. Sat., June 13, 8:30-10:30 a.m., Main Kitchen. A family-friendly event where we prepare nutritious casseroles to be delivered to Philadelphia area food cupboards and homeless shelters. Sandie Nicholson, sandiekev@verizon.net.

BMPC Online

BMPC ONLINE. Visit our website, www.bmpc.org, for updated information and our complete calendar, including open registrations for events and camps. Under “News & Media,” you’ll find pastors’ columns, archives of sermons, and other church publications. Our “search box” on the top right of our home page should help you find what you need.

STAY UP-TO-DATE WITH ENEWS. Subscribe to our weekly BMPC eNews or to monthly ministry-specific newsletters by adding your email address to the fellowship register or by searching “subscribe to eNews” on bmpc.org.

SOCIAL MEDIA. “Like” us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/BrynMawrPC or “Follow” us on Twitter at www.twitter.com/BrynMawrPres.

WIRELESS NETWORK. We now have WiFi in all buildings on our campus.

Care & Concern:

FEEDING THE HUNGRY. Your contributions to the white hunger envelopes in the pews provide food for emergency food cupboards, homeless shelters, and hunger relief organizations.

PASTORAL CARE. If you (or someone you know in our community) are going through a difficult time, our Care Team is available for home and hospital visits and prayer. You may submit prayer requests on the cards found in the pew racks or visit www.bmpc.org/prayer. LorieBenovic@bmpc.org, ext. 8833.

GET INVOLVED. We offer volunteer opportunities through our local mission partners, Saturday Service Days, casserole blitzes, tutoring program, driving corps, knitting ministries and more. Visit “outreach” on our website or contact SueGibbons@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

This Week's Calendar

For more information visit our website at www.bmpc.org, call the church office (610-525-2821), or contact communications@bmpc.org.

Today, May 31, 2015

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.

7:45 a.m. Childcare, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 102 (through 11:30 a.m.)

8:45 a.m. Art @ 9, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 201

Couples Bible Study, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 209

Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room

10:00 a.m. Sunday School ages 2, 3, &4, Ed. Bldg.

10:15 a.m. Sunday School K - 5th grade, Ed. Bldg.

11:00 a.m. Lemonade on the Lawn (Parents pick up children in Ed. Bldg.)

11:05 a.m. Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary

11:15 a.m. Luncheon Fundraiser, Congregational Hall

Monday, June 1, 2015

9:30 a.m. DanceFit, Gymnasium

4:00 p.m. Vacation Bible Camp Volunteer Training, Fullerton Room

Tuesday, June 2, 2015

8:30 a.m. Tuesday Morning Study Group, Converse House Parlor

10:30 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

8:00 a.m. Weekday Contemplative Prayer Group, Chapel

9:00 a.m. Walk for Life: Walk More, Live Better!, meet in Main Parking Lot

9:30 a.m. DanceFit, Gymnasium

1:30 p.m. Boost Your Brain & Memory, Gloucester Room

Thursday, June 4, 2015

9:00 a.m. Thursday Morning Prayer Group, Chapel

9:30 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Gloucester Room

11:00 a.m. Child and Youth Protection Training, Fullerton Room

3:00 p.m. Baldwin School Commencement, Sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 19, Gymnasium

Friday, June 5, 2015

9:15 a.m. Toddler / Parent Play-Date, Ed. Bldg. Nursery

9:30 a.m. DanceFit, Gymnasium

Saturday, June 6, 2015

7:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Men's Group, Converse House Parlor

Sunday, June 7, 2015

8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion, Chapel

10:00 a.m. Worship with Sanctuary Choir, Sanctuary
The Rev. Dr. Agnes W. Norfleet will preach.
Grades 6 - 12 in worship with their families.
Sunday School for ages 2 - grade 5.

Worship Staff

Agnes W. Norfleet, Pastor

Rachel Pedersen, Associate Pastor for Children and Family Ministry

Kellen A. Smith, Associate Pastor for Youth, Their Families and College Ministries

Richard Wohlschlaeger, Interim Associate Pastor for Senior Adults & Pastoral Care

Jeffrey Brillhart, Director of Music and Fine Arts

Edward L. Landin, Assistant Director of Music

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www.bmpc.org (for program information, calendar, and staff directory)

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24/7 Answering Service for Pastoral Emergencies: 610-525-2821

Main Line Adult Day Center: 610-527-4220

The Middleton (Counseling) Center: 610-525-0766 • JoyceKrajian@bmpc.org

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