

***Bryn Mawr
Presbyterian Church***

June 21, 2015
8:00 a.m., Chapel
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to BMPC

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

NEW HERE? Please introduce yourself to a pastor after the service. Our programs and ministries are open to all and we invite you to participate according to your interests. We hope you will return often!

TODAY'S SCHEDULE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH:

Childcare: 7:45 - 11:15 a.m., Ed. Bldg. Rm. 102

Nursery Care with special activities for age 2 - 3:
10:00 a.m., Ed. Bldg., 102

“Summer Chapel” for age 4 - grade 3: 10:15 a.m., Ed. Bldg.,
Rm. 202

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

If this is your first Sunday, please accompany your child.

Grades 4-12: in worship, Sanctuary.

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 each other after worship. To inquire about membership 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

Richard Wohlschlaeger

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

† CALL TO WORSHIP

One: O Lord, open my lips.

All: and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

One: You created the day and the night, O God;

All: You set the sun and the moon in their places;

One: You set the limits of the earth; you made summer and winter.
Praise the Lord!

All: The Lord's name be praised.

† HYMN 285

God, You Spin the Whirling Planets

AUSTRIAN HYMN

CALL TO CONFESSION

AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

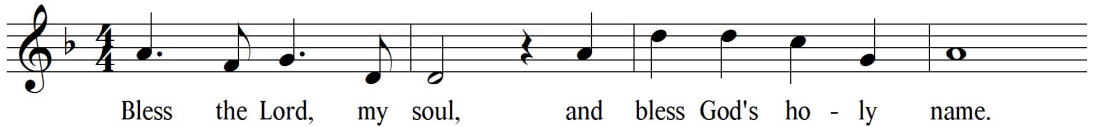
God of our past, present and future, we confess that we feel weak when confronted by the enemies of our souls. You invite us not to fear, and yet our lives are full of fear. As you strengthened your servant David, so embolden us. By your Spirit that descended mightily upon him, so descend upon us that we may be filled with the courage to serve you faithfully, to work for righteousness and justice, and to glorify you in all that we do.

A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† *Please stand, if able.*

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *(sung twice)*



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HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Brad Baturka

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 132:1-5 (*p. 574 in pew Bible*)

Brad Baturka

SECOND LESSON

1 Samuel 17:3-11, 19-23, 32-50
(*p. 260 in pew Bible*)

Agnes W. Norfleet

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

David and Goliath
Second in Summer Series on King David

Agnes W. Norfleet

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

† **HYMN 270**

O God, in a Mysterious Way

DUNDEE

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** 419

How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord

REPTON

† **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
Marian Lum Maguire

RECEIVING THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

AT 10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

Regan Paige Natale, daughter of Jennifer and Jason Natale
David Arthur "Trip" Barrickman III, son of Amy and Bo Barrickman
Vienna Cali "Vivi" Harvey, daughter of Sonia and John Harvey
William Jones Trempe, son of Melissa and Steve Trempe
Assisting are Keller Mardis, representing the children of Bryn Mawr
Presbyterian Church, and Elders Peter & Valerie Craig

PLAYING THE CARILLON

Rob Mygatt

ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION

Elder Brad Baturka

BULLETIN COVER

A pen and ink vignette by Larry Arney of one of the stained
glass windows in the east transept which depicts Psalm 23.

Announcements

NEXT WEEK IS VACATION BIBLE CAMP! On Monday, we look forward to welcoming 127 children, 29 youth helpers, and 47 adult volunteers to our campus to explore “Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus was a Kid!” During this Holy Land adventure, campers will learn what life was like in Nazareth by hearing stories about Jesus’ childhood, and they will grow in God’s love, serve neighbors, and build a community together. All are welcome to the closing celebration on Fri., June 26, at 11:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

SING WITH OUR SUMMER CHOIR. 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.

DONATE OR DEDICATE A NEW HYMNAL. To fill our Sanctuary and Chapel with new volumes, donations of \$20 per hymnal are being accepted until June 30. You may give hymnals as gifts to the church, to acknowledge your favorite ministry area, or to honor or memorialize family and friends. 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.

YOUTH SUMMER TRIPS STILL OPEN. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821

- **Middle School Urban Plunge in NYC.** July 26 – 31, for 6th to rising 8th graders. We’re taking the Plunge to the city that never sleeps! We’ll be hosted by a church in Manhattan and spend the days doing meaningful service with local organizations. At night, we’ll enjoy the sights and sounds of NYC, including a Broadway show. Cost: \$449.
- **Camp Kirkwood 2015.** August 9 – 15. For rising 6th to rising 12th graders. Kirkwood is not just a week away in the Poconos. It’s a week full of fun, friends, and faith! There are opportunities for archery, arts and crafts, high ropes, and free time to hang out with friends. With worship and small groups, Camp is an unforgettable week. Cost: \$599.

INTRODUCING THE REV. REBECCA KIRKPATRICK. Rebecca was elected as our Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Mission at a congregational meeting on May 31. We look forward to welcoming Rebecca and her family in July.

SUMMER ART EXHIBIT. Through June 28, Witherspoon Parlor and the Conference Room. View a mixed media show by BMPC’s artists who use their creative and collaborative skills in the space and light of Gloucester Room on Thursdays. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

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 at the Book Center or borrow books from our Converse House Library. Kat MacMurray, KatRMac2@gmail.com.

Today

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL. Care is available for infants through 3-year-olds in the nursery at 10:00 a.m. with special activities and a story, while children age 4 – grade 3 worship together in Ed. Bldg. Rm. 202 at 10:15 a.m. (after the Childrens’ Moment in the Sanctuary). Please pick up your children in the Ed. Bldg. at 11:00 a.m. before “Lemonade on the Lawn.” MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

TED TALKS CLASS. Today through August 5 (excluding July 12), 11:15 a.m., Conference Room. View and discuss 18 minute TED Talk videos designed to spread ideas and encourage a deeper understanding of the world. Today, Bob Martin leads the discussion about *The Death Penalty: Dying of Natural Causes*. Next week we will discuss *Income Inequality: The Growing Gulf Between Rich and Poor in the United States and the Search for Answers to It*. CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

Save the Date

SEARCHING FOR STILL WATERS - BEREAVEMENT GROUP. Sat., July 11, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Converse House Parlor. On-going support group for those coping with the loss of a loved one, whether recent or many years ago. All welcome. info@middletontcenter.org, 610-525-0766.

BIBLE FOR BEGINNERS. Thurs., July 16, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m., Gloucester Room. Led by the Rev. Dr. Agnes Norfleet. Reading assignment: Exodus Chapters 1-19. Anita Iyengar, aciycngar@gmail.com, 610-645-6044.

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.

Caring & Sharing

ASSIST WITH THE INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK. IHN guests will arrive at BMPC on July 12 and stay until July 19. If you are able to assist by preparing and serving dinner or spending the night, contact Barbara Heaton, BarbaraHHeaton@gmail.com, 610-667-2197.

VOLUNTEER FOR SUMMER UPWARD BASKETBALL. As an extension of our basketball ministry for children and youth with special needs, “Upward Summer Nights” provides a structured but laid-back environment to focus on teamwork, social skills, relationship building, physical fitness, and the game of basketball. Youth and adult volunteers are needed on Tuesday evenings in our Gym in July. Sarah Smith, upward@bmpc.org.

HELP WITH SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL. Choose a date to share a story with our 2 and 3-year-olds in the nursery or help us worship together at “Summer Chapel” for ages 4 - 10. MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

SAVE FURNITURE OR HOME GOODS FOR ReSTORE. We will collect again for Habitat for Humanities Re-Store this fall. Clear a space in a corner of your garage for home goods and furniture you can donate. A list is available at www.habitatphiladelphia.org/restore.

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

REQUEST PASTORAL CARE. 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.

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, June 21, 2015

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

9:00 a.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft

10:00 a.m. Worship with Baptism and Summer Choir, Sanctuary

The Rev. Dr. Agnes W. Norfleet will preach.

7:45 a.m. Childcare for infants - age 3, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 102 (through 11:00 a.m.)

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

Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room

10:00 a.m. Sunday School ages infant - 3 years, Ed. Bldg.

Grades 4 - 12 in worship, Sanctuary

10:15 a.m. Sunday School: "Summer Chapel" age 4 - grade 3, Ed. Bldg.

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

11:15 a.m. TED Talks Discussion, Conference Room

11:30 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp Volunteer Training, Fullerton Room

Monday, June 22, 2015

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp Begins, Ministries Center

Tuesday, June 23, 2015

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Ministries Center

Wednesday, June 24, 2015

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Ministries Center

Walk for Life: Walk More, Live Better!, meet in Main Parking Lot

Thursday, June 25, 2015

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Ministries Center

Thursday Morning Prayer Group, Chapel

10:00 a.m. Memoir Writing Group, Conference Room

Friday, June 26, 2015

9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible Camp, Ministries Center

1:30 p.m. Vacation Bible Camp Clean-Up, Ministries Center

Saturday, June 27, 2015

No scheduled activities.

Sunday, June 28, 2015

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

9:00 a.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft

10:00 a.m. Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary
The Rev. Dr. Agnes W. Norfleet will preach.
Grades 4 - 12 in worship with their families.
“Summer Chapel” for age 4 - grade 3.

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

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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