



Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church

March 27, 2016
8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary
Resurrection of the Lord/Easter Sunday

Christ is Risen!

WELCOME TO BMPC. We are thankful that we can join together to celebrate the Risen Christ. We hope you find a place of welcome and peace here.

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

TODAY'S SCHEDULE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH:

Childcare: infants - age 5; 7:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Ed. Bldg., Rm. 101 & 102

Grades K - 3: During the 9:30 service, children are invited to a combined Sunday School class in the Ed. Bldg, Rms. 201 & 202

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

Grades 4 - 12: Easter Worship Together, Sanctuary

GETTING 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.

NEW HERE? We invite you to visit the information alcove near the main Sanctuary entrance to learn more about us. Our programs and ministries are open to all and you are welcome to participate according to your interests. Questions? Contact DonnaBarrickman@bmpc.org, ext. 8809.

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP. Stop by the Ministries Center Court for coffee, refreshments and fellowship before and after the Easter services today.

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

Hallelujah!

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Jesus Christ is Risen Today Easter Hymn, arr. Kevin Rogers
Easter Carillon Robert J. Powell
Duke Street John W. Hatton, arr. John Wernega

† INTROIT

“Hallelujah” from *Messiah* G.F. Handel
Sanctuary Choir

Hallelujah! For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. Hallelujah! The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord, and of his Christ; And he shall reign for ever and ever. King of Kings, and Lord of Lords. Hallelujah!

† CALL TO WORSHIP

(at 8:00 & 11:00) Rebecca Kirkpatrick
(at 9:30) Kellen A. Smith

One: Christ is risen!

All: The Lord is risen indeed!

One: Glory to you, O God: on this day you won victory over death,
raising Jesus from the grave and giving us eternal life.

**All: Glory to you, O Christ: for us and for our salvation
you overcame death and opened the gate to everlasting life.**

One: Glory to you, O Holy Spirit: you lead us into the truth.

All: Let us worship God with the joyful Alleluia of praise.

† HYMN 232

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

EASTER HYMN

WELCOME

CALL TO CONFESSION AND

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

Gracious God, we have heard the good news:
how on the third day, Christ rose again.

You rolled away the stone from the tomb.

You sent messengers to proclaim the gospel.

You were faithful to your promise; you have done wonderful things!

Still we come with doubt and disbelief. Forgive us, Lord, we pray.

Teach us to trust your promise and to believe the good news of salvation:

Christ is alive; Jesus is risen from the dead. Amen.

A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.

† Please stand, if able.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† **GLORIA PATRI** (*in unison*)

(*Hymnal 579*)

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.

At 9:30 and 11:00, children are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (at 9:30 & 11:00)

Rachel Pedersen

During the 9:30 service children ages 5 - 9 years are invited to Ed. Bldg. Rm. 202 for a combined Sunday School class.

Childcare from birth - Kindergarten is available at all three services in the Education Building.

SENDING HYMN (at 9:30 & 11:00)



Go now, child-ren with our bless-ing, to love and serve the Lord. May God
Bless you, May God guard you, May the light of God shine u-pon you, and may
God be grac-ious to you. May the pre-sence of God be with you. May the
pre-sence of God be with you, and give you peace.

FIRST LESSON Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 (*p. 565 in pew Bible*)

(at 8:00 & 11:00) Rebecca Kirkpatrick

(at 9:30) Kellen A. Smith

ANTHEM

This is the Day
Sanctuary Choir

Jacobus Gallus

This is the day, the day the Lord hath made: we will all rejoice, be glad in it. Alleluia!

Easter Lilies to the Glory of God

GIVEN IN MEMORY OF...

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Africa

Samuel Craighead Alexander

Grace and Edward Allman

Joan Ramsbottom Andrews

Peter Arrison

Ann Louise Aspinall

Donald B. Aspinall

C. Carolyn Ball

Dr. Agnes W. Barksdale

Frank H. Bassett III

James Clay Bassett

Dr. and Mrs. William Bates

Dr. Arthur C. and Mrs. Grace P. Benson

Gail Bentley

John W. Bickhart, Jr.

Clayton C. and Jean A. Blevins

David Bogle

Josephine and William Bogle

Jim Buck

Sissy Buck

Colin Anderson Campbell

Terry Starr Carrigan

Maurice L. Clancy

James Clifford Clay

Virginia T. Crone

Eloise Bernard and Carmen Crosswell

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sumner Davis

Marjorie and Arch Eglin

Virginia and Richard Eisenhart

Mr. and Mrs. Burton H. Etherington

Mr. and Mrs. Burton H. Etherington, Jr.

Mr. Frederick H. Etherington

Eugene and Helen Evans

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Ewing

Mr. George M. Ewing, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fagan

The Fish Family

Edward A. Flood, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Flood, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Flood

Beverly C. Foster

Margaret and Lewis Freeman

Louise and Claudel Galloway

William C. Galloway, Jr.

Annette and Bill (Henry) Gane

Wallace and Martha Gardner

Doris L. Garner

Stuart Gord

Bayard Mayhew Graf

Ruthann Hemphill Graf

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Graves

Mr. Lawrence F. Graves, Jr.

Mildred and Davis Gregg

Ralph and Irma Gregg

Clifford W. Groll

Mrs. Elizabeth Grosshanten

Easter Lilies to the Glory of God

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Grubbs
Philip and Doris Gunther
Joyce Hackman
Harry Kent Hall
David Stewart Hanna
Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Hastings
Robert Hauptfuhrer
Mr. David T. Hermann
Ralph and Kathryn Himmelberger
Fritz, Clarissa and Frederick Hopf
Reagan Elizabeth Hughes
Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacL. Johnson
Thor and Sarah Louise Johnson
Jack and Gloria Kay
Louise W. van Keuren
C. Milton and Agnes F. Landin
Mae Layton
Elizabeth Tryon and Richard Wiley Ledwith
Eva Lacey Lee
Mary E. Lee
Eric A. Levin
Betty Anne Loser
Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Lowe
William R. Ludwig II
Edward S. and Ann H. Madara
Sis and Jack Magoun
Marian L. Maguire
William G. Maguire
Mr. and Mrs. William Martin
Mr. and Mrs. William Matthai
Robert W. McCahan
Robert E. McDonald
Cdr. George C. McFarland
Esther Ann McFarland
Marian, Ted and Greg McMullan
Elizabeth McMurdoch
Beverly Graf Meaney
Anna E. and Herbert H. Middleton, Sr.
Frances S. and Herbert H. Middleton, Jr.
Margaret Draper Millar
Edward Bingham Miller
Elizabeth B. Moon
John M. and Lois C. Moon
John Martin Moon
Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Moon
Russell and Fayette Moyer
Vivian I. Moyer
Andrew J. Musser, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter and Margaret Navarro
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butcher
and Matilda Navarro-Butcher
Mrs. Rosinda Navarro-Getty
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith
and Ramona Navarro
Sally Skillman Odiorne
Mr. and Mrs. James Paton
Charles Richard Patterson
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Pearson
Henry P. Pendergrass
Mildred E. Plotner

Easter Lilies to the Glory of God

A. Alex Porter
Emilie M. Pyle
Barbara R. Ramsbottom
Alice and Alfred Rauch
Algernon and Elizabeth K. Roberts
J. Paxton Roberts
James P. Roberts
Alice Elizabeth Robinson
Ryan
Don and Helen Saunders
Thomas R. Saunders
Helen L. Schmidt
Ethel and Charles Seltzer
Patricia and John Shaw
Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Sheetz
Isabel and William Sherrerd
John and Kathleen Sherrerd
William Sherrerd III
Ruby McKenna Skillman
Susan Ann Skillman
Sydney Alton Skillman
David Thornton Smith
Patricia Smith
Richard E. Smith
The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Harold T. Smith
Thornton G. Smith
John J. Stetzer, Jr.
Mary Gray van K Stetzer

Thomas S. Stewart
Walter G. Stringer, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. William L. Thorkelson
May Toren
John W. Vassey, MD
Donald A. Warner
Nevin E. Warner
The Rev. Dr. David B. Watermulder
Peggy and Jack Weir
Joyce McLaren West
James D. Whamond, Sr.
Frank Gaines Whittington
Dr. J. Edwin Wood

GIVEN IN HONOR OF...

Jeffrey Brillhart
David and Naomi Darville
Richard W. Knecht
Owen Yoder
Men and Women of the US Armed Forces

GIVEN IN CELEBRATION OF...

Birth of Nina Himmelberger
Birth of Addison Randall West, Jr.
Birth of Piper Jane Whamond
Lillian Wall 96th Birthday Celebration
Ministry of Rachel Pedersen

Announcements

EASTER FLOWERS AVAILABLE TUESDAY. The Easter flowers and ferns that decorate our Sanctuary will be available in the Ministries Center Court on Tuesday. You are welcome to pick up one for your own use or to share with another.

CHAPEL CLOSING. The Chapel will be closed from Mar. 28 - Apr. 8 to complete work on the stained glass project that was started last October. Worship on Sun., Apr. 3, at 8:00 a.m. will be held in the Sanctuary.

NEPAL VISUAL ARTS EXHIBIT. Following Nepal's 2015 earthquake, BMPC's Worldwide Ministries Council supported a grant request from the Nepal Foundation to help poor, isolated mountain minorities of the Tamang and Rai ethnic cultures. Their handmade material goods, religious artifacts, and musical instruments are on display and for sale in our Ministries Center through Apr. 6. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

APNC WELCOMES INPUT. Our Associate Pastors' Nominating Committee will host a conversation in Witherspoon Parlor on Sun., Apr. 3, from 8:45-9:45 a.m. to hear your input as they begin their search for an Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care and Senior Adults, and an Associate Pastor for Congregational Life and Stewardship. PamLloyd@bmpc.org, ext. 8806.

YOUTH SUMMER TRIPS REGISTRATION. Get ready for summer – sign up for Middle School Urban Plunge in NYC or Camp Kirkwood 2016 (our High School Mission Trip to Peru is full). Search “Summer Camp” at www.bmpc.org. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

This Week

ORGAN RECITAL. Tues., Mar. 29, 12:00 p.m., Sanctuary, sponsored by the American Guild of Organists (final recital in our March series). Spend your lunch hour listening to Kathleen Scheide play BMPC's magnificent Rieger organ. Free admission. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

MISSION CO-WORKER PRESENTATION. Sat., Apr. 2, 4:30 p.m., Witherspoon Parlor. The Rev. Elmarie Parker, liaison to the Synod of Syria and Lebanon, discusses her work with churches and refugees in Syria and Lebanon. Come hear details of the significant grant BMPC is giving to the Synod to support their schools and relief efforts. CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

Upcoming

ONE BOOK, ONE CHURCH. Apr. 3 & 10, 11:15 a.m., Congregational Hall. Author Michael G. Long leads a discussion of his book, *Peaceful Neighbor: Discovering the Countercultural Mister Rogers*. A Presbyterian pastor, Fred Rogers helped to shape children's understanding of community, self identity and inclusion through his television show. Books are available at our Book Center in the Ministries Center Court for \$5. CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

PERSPECTIVES IN MUSIC. Mon., Apr. 4, 1:30 p.m., Fine Arts Center. Pianist Jonathan Jones, a classically trained 16-year-old student at Nelly Berman School of Music in Haverford, performs music of Chopin, Liszt, Rachmaninoff and Debussy and discusses his interest in the 'Mozart Effect,' its methodology and its influence on music education. deannclancy@hotmail.com.

HORIZONS BIBLE STUDY. Wed., Apr. 6, 10:30 a.m., Rosemont Presbyterian Village Ballroom. The Rev. Richard Wohlschlaeger leads ours study of *Come to the Waters* by Judy Record Fletcher (this month: chapter 8). Joyce Malott, OKF405@erols.com, or 610-525-4469.

HOLY LEISURE. Fri., Apr. 8, 6 p.m., home of Marge Kennedy in Wayne. Courtenay Willcox leads a discussion of "Peering into the Darkness: What We Can Find When the Lights Go Out?" Register with pot-luck donation: Janet White, janetw298@verizon.net.

CONGREGATION WIDE DAY OF SERVICE – STOP HUNGER NOW. Sat., Apr. 9, 8:30 a.m., Gymnasium. A food assembly program for ages 5 & up; enjoy music and fellowship while helping to stop worldwide hunger. Register by Mar. 31 at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations or CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

MIDDLE SCHOOL LOCK-IN. Sat., Apr. 16, 7:00 p.m., Gymnasium. Bring a friend for an overnight of fellowship, games and fun. Cost: \$25. Register at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations or AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

HIGH SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT. Sat., April 16, 8:00 p.m., Congregational Hall. Bring a friend for a night of fellowship, popcorn, and movie watching. Free of charge. Register: AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

HUNGER COMMITTEE LIAISON BRUNCH. Sun., Apr. 17, 11:15 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Congregational Hall. Share brunch and hear Philadelphia hunger leaders speak about food challenges facing emergency food cupboards and shelters. Register: CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM. Sun. Apr. 17, 2:00 p.m., Witherspoon Parlor. Eric Lotke, attorney, journalist, author and advocate for criminal justice will speak. Sponsored by our Peacemaking Committee and the League of Women Voters. CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

ORGAN RECITAL BY PHILIPPE LEFEBVRE. Sun., Apr. 24, 2:00 p.m., Sanctuary. Philippe Lefebvre, renowned organist of Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris, returns for his fourth concert at BMPC. Lefebvre is internationally acclaimed as one of the world's greatest organ improvisers. Tickets: \$10/adults; \$5/students. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

Trips and Outings

TOUR OF JENKINS ARBORETUM. Fri., Apr. 8, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Our Common Ground Committee invites you to tour the budding trees, chirping birds, and blooming ephemerals. Meet at the Arboretum; admission is \$5. Limit of 20 people. Register at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations or CarolSchmidt@bmpc.org, ext. 8819.

WALKING TOUR OF FOUR OF PHILADELPHIA'S SACRED PLACES. Thurs., Apr. 14, bus departs from back parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and returns no later than 3:00 p.m. Sponsored by our Senior Adult Council; space limited to 20 participants. Free of charge. Bring bag lunch to eat along the way. Register at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations or AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT. Apr. 22-24, Jersey shore. A weekend of fellowship, Bible study, and relaxation for those in their 20s and 30s. Cost: \$25. Register at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations. KellenSmith@bmpc.org, ext. 8822.

BUS TRIP TO WASHINGTON, DC. Wed., May 11, 6:30 a.m. departure from back parking lot. Our Senior Adult Council invites you to a guided tour of the National Cathedral followed by time on your own at the National Gallery of Art. Cost: \$45 per person includes transportation and admission to the Cathedral; lunch not included. Register by check payable to BMPC or at www.bmpc.org > Calendar > Open Registrations. AmyBauer@bmpc.org, ext. 8821.

Caring & Sharing

OFFER A RIDE. Drivers are needed to transport members to medical appointments. LorieBenovic@bmpc.org, ext. 8833.

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS. Please pray for Valerie and Peter Craig's son, Staff Sgt. Christian Craig, on his 3rd deployment to the Middle East and Freida Kaniuka's grandson in the Armed Forces. If you have a loved one serving in the Armed Forces, contact Janney Ryan, janneyryan610@gmail.com.

PROVIDE HOSPITAL INFORMATION. Due to current privacy laws, it is more difficult for our pastors to know when BMPC members have been admitted to a hospital. Call the church office at 610-525-2821 if you or any one you know is hospitalized, and let us know if and when you volunteer at any local hospitals.

Save the Date

VACATION BIBLE CAMP

Tues., June 21 to Fri., June 24, BMPC campus. Planning is underway for an exciting week when students age 3 - rising 5th graders grow in God's love, serve neighbors, and build a community together. Registration has begun; search "VBC" at www.bmpc.org. Interested in participating or helping? MaryRichards@bmpc.org, ext. 8811.

COMMUNITY FORUM: LIFE IN THE DIGITAL AGE

Wed., Apr. 27, 7:30 p.m., Sanctuary. Catherine Steiner-Adair, psychologist and author of *The Big Disconnect*, encourages a thoughtful approach to technology in school and life. What are families losing with technology's gain, and how can we protect our family relationships in a digital world? Free and open to the public; no reservations needed. Childcare available with three days' notice. PamLloyd@bmpc.org, ext. 8806.

BEETHOVEN'S 9TH SYMPHONY

Sun., June 12, 3:00 p.m., Sanctuary. Featuring our Sanctuary Choir, the Singing City Choir, and the National Music Festival Orchestra. Tickets: \$10/adult; \$5/student. StephanieSpeakman@bmpc.org, ext. 8836.

ALL WELCOME!

This Week's Calendar

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

Today, March 27, 2016 - Easter Sunday

- 6:30 a.m. **Sunrise Easter Worship with Baptism, front lawn**
- 7:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast, Congregational Hall
- 7:45 a.m. Childcare for infants - age 5, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 101 & 102 (to 12:30 p.m.)
- 8:00 a.m. **Worship with Sanctuary Choir and Easter Brass, Sanctuary**
- 8:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room
- 9:30 a.m. **Worship with Sanctuary Choir and Easter Brass, Sanctuary**
- 9:45 a.m. Combined Class for Grades K - 3, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 201 & 202
- 11:00 a.m. **Worship with Sanctuary Choir and Easter Brass, Sanctuary**

Monday, March 28, 2016

Church Campus Closed: *For pastoral emergencies, call 610-525-2821.*

Tuesday, March 29, 2016

- 9:00 a.m. RePose Yoga, Gymnasium
- 10:30 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium
- 12:00 p.m. Organ Recital, Sanctuary
- 1:00 p.m. Dance for Parkinson's Disease, Gymnasium
- 2:30 p.m. Great Decisions, Rosemont Presbyterian Village
- 6:30 p.m. Tutoring, Ed. Bldg.

Wednesday, March 30, 2016

- 9:00 a.m. Walk for Life: Walk More, Live Better!; meet in main parking lot
- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Cup Bible Study, Gloucester Room
- 4:45 p.m. "Wednesdays Together" program for Grades K - 5, Fine Arts Center
- 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner, Congregational Hall
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Chorale, Fine Arts Center
- 7:00 p.m. Student Serve, Loft
Middleton Center Council Meeting, Gloucester Room

Thursday, March 31, 2016

- 10:00 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Gloucester Room
- 7:00 p.m. Bible for Beginners, Gloucester Room
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Fine Arts Center
- 7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts Troop 19, Gymnasium

Friday, April 1, 2016

- 9:00 a.m. Friday Morning Out, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 101 & 102
- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium
- 4:00 p.m. Children's Spanish Class, Ed. Bldg.
- 5:00 p.m. Martin/Danner Wedding Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Saturday, April 2, 2016

- 7:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Men's Group, Converse House Parlor
- 3:30 p.m. Martin/Danner Wedding, Sanctuary
- 4:30 p.m. Syria Mission Co-Worker, Elmarie Parker, Witherspoon Parlor

Sunday, April 3, 2016

- 8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion, Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Worship with Choirs, Sanctuary
The Rev. Dr. Agnes W. Norfleet will preach.
Missionpalooza Sunday School for age 2 - grade 5.
Sunday School for grades 6 - 12.

Worship Staff

Agnes W. Norfleet, Pastor

Rebecca Kirkpatrick, Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Mission

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

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