

#### WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST

July 2, 2017 11:00 a.m.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

(This week's Worship Bulletin describes several opportunities through which you may express your love for Christ in current service and ministry projects. There are also occasions of Christian fellowship which many of the congregation find enrich their personal spiritual lives. Please contact any UBC staff or the Church Office should you need more information.)

PRELUDE – On Christ The Solid Rock I Stand......Page

#### LIGHTING THE CANDLES

(We light the two candles on the communion table to remind us of the oneness of Christ with God and with humankind.)

#### **OPENING THE BIBLE**

(We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to the people through the Holy Word.)

#### SETTING THE TABLE

(We prepare the table with a loaf of bread and a cup, symbolizing Christ's atoning death, the Church's identity as the one Body of Christ, and the fullness of salvation in the future of God.)

GOSPEL LESSON ...... Matthew 10:40-42 (NRSV)

<sup>40</sup> "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. <sup>41</sup> Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; <sup>42</sup> and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

\*\* CALL TO WORSHIP .....adapted from Matthew 10:40-42 (NRSV)

Leader: Jesus said that whoever welcomes one of his followers,

welcomes Jesus himself.

People: (Turn to the person beside you and say...) Welcome to

our worship.

Leader: Whoever welcomes Jesus, also welcomes God.

People: (Turn to someone else near you and say...) Welcome to

our worship.

Leader: Whoever offers even a cup of cold water to one of God's

children will be blessed by God.

People: All are welcome here! Let us worship God.

\*\* HYMN 3 – Worthy of Worship......Judson

\*\* INVOCATION

Leader: Holy God, we worship you because you are worthy

of all our praise.

People: We recognize that to you alone belongs our

reverence and gratitude, our love and devotion; you are worthy of all this and much, much more.

Leader: Meet us here and fill our minds with your wisdom and

our hearts with your peace.

People: May our worship today spring forth into life that is

abundant and everlasting.

Leader: This we pray in the Name of the One who is Worthy,

as He taught us...

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and

the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

#### WELCOME

(At this time, please sign and pass the red fellowship book located at the left end of the pew. When everyone has signed, return the book. Take this opportunity to note the names of the members and visitors seated on the same pew with you so you may greet them after the service.)

HYMN 630 – America the Beautiful ...... MATERNA (Stanza 1 ...)

#### CHILDREN'S SERMON

(At the conclusion of the Children's Sermon, all children, kindergarten through grade two, are invited to attend Children's Church.)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON...... I Corinthians 1:10-18 (NRSV)

<sup>10</sup> Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. <sup>11</sup> For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. <sup>12</sup> What I mean is that each of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." <sup>13</sup> Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? <sup>14</sup> I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, <sup>15</sup> so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. <sup>16</sup> (I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) <sup>17</sup> For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power.

<sup>18</sup> For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are

"For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

## People: Thanks be to God!

\*\* HYMN 388 - Our God Has Made Us One...... OLD 134TH

MORNING PRAYER

ANTHEM – We Remember You.....arr. Larson

SERMON

# "Also Sprach Zarathustra"

Rev. Gary Dalton

SHARING THE LORD'S SUPPER

#### \*\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GIVING OF OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY** 

O Brother Man, Fold To Thy Heart Thy Brother......Colvin

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE – Materna ...... Samuel A. Ward

### \*\* GREETING

\*\* THOSE WHO ARE PHYSICALLY ABLE ARE INVITED TO STAND AT THESE POINTS IN THE SERVICE.

#### **WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY**

Gary Dalton, Senior Minister in the Interim Alba Beasley, Associate Minister for Music and Worship Sarah Wilson, Youth Ministry Coordinator Barbara Moore, Organist Sanctuary Choir Readers: Jack Averill, Lynn Martin Lynne Gardner, Medical On-call

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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Monday & Tuesday, July 3 & 4

Church Office closed

Wednesday, July 5

7:00 pm Summer Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, July 6

9:30 am Pre-K Play Group

University Baptist Church, 1223 West Main Street, Charlottesville, Virginia 22903 (434) 293-5106 www.universitybaptist.org

#### WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

We are blessed by your presence with us in worship, and trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

#### **BROADCAST SYSTEM FOR HEARING IMPAIRED**

Our sanctuary is equipped with a broadcast system for the hearing impaired. Please contact one of the ushers to borrow a personal receiver.

#### LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

The worship service of our church is broadcast live every Sunday on WINA 1070 AM, and 98.9 FM.

#### **WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE**

Childcare is available during the worship service for birth through preschool on the ground level. See the ushers for information and directions. The Childcare workers today are Aimee Marshall, Mary Jo Hendricks, Ewing Minor, and Emily Morris.

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a Children's Church for K-2<sup>nd</sup> graders. Children start worship in the sanctuary service with their parents and then, after the Children's Sermon, follow their leaders to Room 210. For parents who wish to have their children stay with them during worship, activity bulletins and crayons are available from the ushers. The Children's Church leaders today are Debby Johnson and Chandler Proffitt.

#### **FLOWERS**

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God, and in memory of her son Benny for his July 3rd birthday, by Sima Brown and family.

# **Upcoming Ministers' Schedules**

Sunday, July 9

Gary's final Sunday in worship

Friday, July 14

Gary's final day in the office

Monday, July 24

Matt's first day in the office

Sunday, July 30

Matt's first Sunday in the pulpit

Copies of the brochure about Matt and his family are available from members of the search committee and in the church office.

For more information about Dr. Tennant, visit his blog at <a href="www.matthewtennant.org">www.matthewtennant.org</a>. You can follow him on Twitter (@theologymatt) or YouTube (<a href="https://www.youtube.com/matthewtennant">https://www.youtube.com/matthewtennant</a>). Baptist News Global publishes articles by Dr. Tennant (available at <a href="https://baptistnews.com">https://baptistnews.com</a>).

#### **UBC Mission Statement**

God has called University Baptist Church to minister to the University Community and to the residents of the Greater Charlottesville-Albemarle Community serving as agents of Christ's love and justice for those in need and offering a vital family of faith.

# Summer Choir Program Sunday, July 9, 11:00 am

# "Anthems of Love"

featuring the anthems of Dan Forrest

Dan Forrest (b. 1978) holds a doctoral degree in composition and a master's degree in piano performance from the University of Kansas. The New York Concert Review described him as having "an undoubted gift for writing beautiful music..." His compositions have received numerous awards, and his choral and instrumental works have been performed around the world, including the World Composer Symposium in Argentina and Osaka, Japan. He has premiered works at Carnegie Hall, the Lincoln Center, the Kennedy Center, and at national ACDA conventions.

We have performed many of his choral works with our Sanctuary Choir and with Jubilate. We hope you will come and join us as we present a service filled with Dan's music that will inspire and challenge us in our walk with Christ!

# Church-wide Reception Summer Covered-Dish Supper

Wednesday, July 19, 5:30 pm

Please plan to join us in saying Farewell to Gary Dalton as our Minister in the Interim and to express our deepest thanks to him for his service to UBC in helping us to "cross the interim bridge."