

WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST

January 13, 2019

11:00 AM

Marking the Hour

We mark the hour, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ, and centering us in the embrace of the Holy Spirit.

Please quiet voices, hearts, and cell phones as we prepare to worship.

Opening Sentence Dr. Matthew Tennant

Prelude – “Jesus Has Come, Alleluia” – Behnke Barbara Moore

Lighting the Candles Theo and Calvin Gregg

We light these candles to welcome the Spirit, for they represent how Jesus is the Light of the world which guides us through life.

Opening the Bible Theo and Calvin Gregg

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

Call to Worship Jeannette May

Leader: The world belongs to God,

People: The earth and all its people.

Leader: How good it is, how wonderful,

People: To live together in unity.

Leader: Love and faith come together,

People: Justice and peace join hands.

Leader: If Christ’s disciples keep silent

People: These stones would shout aloud.

Leader: Open our lips, O God,

People: And our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

**Hymn 3 – “Worthy of Worship”

**Invocation Dr. Tennant

Greeting Dr. Tennant

Old Testament Lesson – Isaiah 43:1-7 Debra Bryant

Leader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

Mission Moment – Jubilate & Youth Choir Suppers Rev. Alba Beasley

**Hymn – “Down to the River to Pray” (see insert)

As we sing, all children are invited to come to the front for the Children’s Sermon.

Children’s Sermon Erin Brown

Children in grades K-2 are now invited to attend Children’s Church.

Gospel Lesson – Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 Eddy Tennant

Leader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

**Hymn – “When Jesus Came to Jordan” (see insert)

Morning Prayer Dr. Tennant

Anthem – “Be Not Afraid” – Courtney Sanctuary Choir

Sermon – “Pass Through the Waters” Rev. Brown

Meditation Sanctuary Choir

**Hymn 362 – “Baptized in Water”

If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking with a minister, please come forward as we sing.

Prayer of Dedication Rev. Alba Beasley

Offertory Barbara Moore

“He Comes to Us As One Unknown” - Burkhardt

**Congregational Response 363 – “Jesus, Our Lord and King” (verse 1)

**Benediction Rev. Brown

Postlude Barbara Moore

** Those who are physically able are invited to stand at these points in the service.

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.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a Children's Church for K-2nd graders. Children start the worship hour in the sanctuary with their families and then follow their leaders upstairs to Room 210 after the Children's Sermon. Children are also welcome to stay with their families in the sanctuary, and children's bulletins and activity bags are available from the ushers. Today's leaders are Sally Chewning and Lindsay Marshall.

WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE

Childcare is available during the worship service for newborns through preschoolers on the ground level. See the ushers for information and directions. The Childcare workers today are Judy Gough, Suzanne Smith, and Carter Groff.

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.

WATCH/LISTEN LIVE

To watch the live video of our worship service on YouTube, find the link on the UBC website, (www.universitybaptist.org). Audio of our service is broadcast live every Sunday on WINA 1070 AM and 98.9 FM.

VOLUNTEER

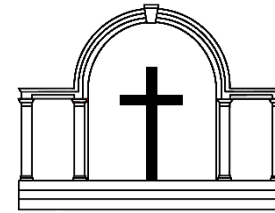
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