

# UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH



"Jesus Heals"" by Kendra Burton

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.

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#### **WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST**

February 10, 2019 11:00 AM

Marking the Hour

Barbara Moore

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** 

Rev. Will Brown

Prelude – "All Creatures of Our God and King" (Larson)

Barbara Moore

Lighting the Candles

Caroline, Charlotte, and Emily Centofante

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

Caroline, Charlotte, and Emily Centofante

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

Choral Call to Worship - "Praise Ye the Name of the Lord"

Call to Worship (based on Psalm 138)

Laura Faye Groff

Leader: Come and worship, all you who love and serve our God.

People: Our God surrounds us with unfailing love, and answers us when we call;

Leader: Our God cares for the humble and lowly, and never abandons those in need.

People: This is our God, worthy of our worship and praise!

\*\*Hymn 3 - "Worthy of Worship"

\*\*Invocation Rev. Alba Beasley

Greeting Rev. Beasley

\*\*Hymn 31 - "Praise Him, All Ye Little Children"

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

Old Testament Lesson - Psalm 138

Larry Groves

Leader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

<sup>\*\*</sup>Hymn – "With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring"

### With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring



MUSIC: Henri F. Hemy (1818-1888)

TEXT: The New Version of Psalms, 1909

Gospel Lesson - John 4: 46-54

The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

\*\*Hymn 330 - "Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"

**Morning Prayer** 

Rev. Brown

Daniel Harper

Leader:

Anthem – "God's Promises" (arr. Schmidt)

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon - "Trusting Jesus"

Dr. Matthew Tennant

Meditation

Barbara Moore

\*\*Hymn 542 – "In Loving Kindness Jesus Came"

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

Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Brown

Offertory – "God Himself Is With Us" (Page)

Barbara Moore

\*\*Congregational Response - "Worthy of Worship" (refrain only)

Choral Benediction - "God Be With You"

Sanctuary Choir

Postlude Barbara Moore





#### 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.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make worship possible.

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a Children's Church for K-2<sup>nd</sup> 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 Shirley Clark and Vito Pallini.

#### Worship Hour Childcare

Childcare is available during the worship service for newborns through preschoolers on the ground level. The Childcare workers today are Aimee Marshall, Morgan Wagoner and Connor Marshall.

#### 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.

#### **F**LOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God, and in memory of Betty Jenkins by Colleen Baber and family. Today would have been her 94th birthday.

#### GIVE

If you haven't already, submit your 2019 pledge and help us plan for the new year.

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Ushers: Ian Pallini, Ed Barker, Melvin Spicer, Mildred Spicer and Ron Tweel

Greeters: Pam Hallissy and Jim Hallissy

Deacons: Donna Marshall, Bill Jesser, Carolyn Lowry, Ed Lowry, John Buchanan and Sarah Buchanan



## Our next Family Worship Service is February 24th at 9:45 AM. All are welcome, this service will meet upstairs in the children's area.

11:00 AM Worship will be held as normal in the Sanctuary following the Family Worship Service and Bible Study classes.

The University Baptist Lecture Series is coming to our Lecture Suite! February 26, 27, and 28 we will host Marie Griffiths. Marie will be speaking on facing history and restoring our deepest values. Come find out "Can a fractured nation make peace?"

