## Words of Welcome

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.

Opening

Dr. Matthew Tennant

Prelude

Barbara Moore

Bill Cromwell

"For the Beauty and the Love" - Hustad

Lighting the Candles

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

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

Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the I

Praise the Lord!

Children: Praise the Lord from the heavens!

Youth: Praise him from the skies! Young Adults: Praise him, all his angels!

Adults: Praise him, the armies of heaven!

Leader: Praise him, sun and moon!

People: Praise him, all you twinkling stars!

All: Let them, let US all praise the name of the

Lord. For his name is very great; his glory

towers over the earth and heaven!

\*\*Hymn 14 – "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

\*\*Invocation Rev. Will Brown

Greeting Rev. Brown

## Words of Faith

Hymn 384 - "The Bond of Love"

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

Children's Sermon

Erin Brown

Gail Ellen

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

New Testament Lesson – Acts 11:1-18

Pages 895 in the pew Bible

Leader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

\*\*Hymn 329 - "Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

Gospel Lesson – John 13: 31-35

Johnny Ellen

Pages 877 in the pew Bible

Leader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

\*\*Hymn - "They'll Know We are Christians" (see insert)

**Morning Prayer** 

Rev. Will Brown

Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

"This is My Commandment" - Shackley

Sermon – "God's Commandment to Love"

Dr. Tennant

Meditation - "This is My Commandment" - Shackley

## **Words of Commitment**

\*\*Hymn 604 – "Come, All Christians..." (stanza 1, 3)

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 – "Immortal Love..." – Haan

Barbara Moore

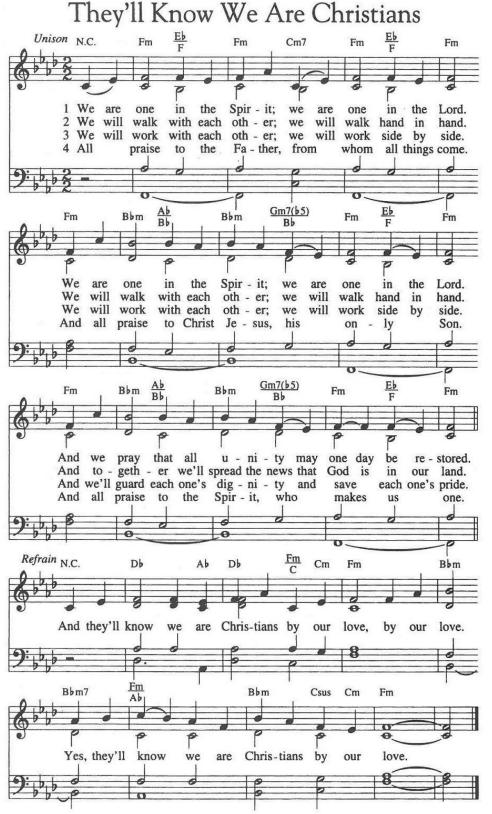
Congregational Response – "They'll Know We are Christians" (sing refrain)

# Words of Blessing

Benediction - "Hallelujah!"

Alice Parker

Postlude Barbara Moore



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# **Next Steps**

# connect

#### **Wednesday Community Dinners**

In the coming weeks, we will discuss our missions engagement in Haiti and have a time of conversation with representatives of our denominational partners. All are welcome to join us for dinner at 5:15, no reservation required! Here is the upcoming schedule:

May 22: Cookout in our front parking lot

# grow

#### **Sunday Bible Study**

With groups for every age and interest, there is a place for you here! Our classes meet each Sunday before worship and you are always welcome to visit any class. Find a full list on our website, or talk to Rev. Brown to learn more about our current class options.

## serve

Interested in helping out around the church? Not sure how to get engaged? Reach out to Pheobe Brown

pbrown@universitybaptist.org.

# did you know?

Rev. Alba Beasley will be taking a six week sabbatical this summer. Please pray for Alba and Pam as they prepare for this well deserved sabbatical.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make today's worship possible.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Erin Brown and Matteo Pallini

**CHILDCARE:** Judy Gough, Catherine Cooper and Jen Bates

USHERS: Shirley Clark, Sally Chewning, Martha Wood, Joyce Martin

and Jack Wilkerson

**G**REETERS: Sue Sears and Jackie Lockwood

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Moore and Johnny Ellen

#### 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.

#### WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE

Childcare is available during the worship service for newborns through preschoolers on the ground level.

#### 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.

#### **FLOWERS**

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God, in thanks for the life of Georgia Anne Wood, and in appreciation for her UBC family upon her ceremony of dedication, by her parents.

#### GIVE

Join us in supporting God's work through UBC. To find out more visit our website: universitybaptist.org.

## This week at UBC..

#### SUNDAY, May 19

9:30 Seekers Bible Study 9:45 Bible Study Classes, ESOL 11:00 Worship Service 6:00 Real Life (Youth)

#### **MONDAY May 20**

10:30 Rosewood Bible Study

## TUESDAY, May 21

9:00 UBC Work Team 9:00 Painting Group

## WEDNESDAY, May 22

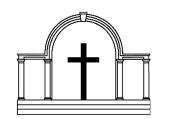
10:00 PBJ Bible Study 5:15 Cookout at UBC

# FRIDAY, May 24

8:00p Softball Game

#### SUNDAY, May 26

9:30 Seekers Bible Study9:45 Bible Study Classes, ESOL11:00 Worship Service



# UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH



Jesus appears to the Disciples by the Lake Tiberius Raphael (1515)

# **WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST**

May 19, 2019 11:00 AM

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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