



# UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

**Welcome, as we join together to Worship God in Christ**  
**May 12, 2024**  
**7th Sunday of Easter**

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 Words

Rev. Susan Deal

Prelude

*On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand*

arr. 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 us through the Holy Word.*

Choral Call to Worship

*O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

arr. Joel Raney

Handbells: Sheri Owen, Peter Ohlms, Melanie Tennant, Hadessah Johnson

Let us sing to the Lord a new song, filled with joy and endless praise;  
to our maker God, and King, a song of love and grace.

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise,  
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of, the triumphs of his grace.

Jesus! the name that calms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease,  
'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace,  
peace, life and health and peace, peace, peace.

He breaks the power of canceled sin, he sets the prisoner free;  
his blood can make the foulest clean; his blood availed for me.

Let us sing to the Lord a new song, let us sing a new song.

Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye mute, your loosened tongues employ;  
ye blind, behold your Savior come; and leap, ye lame, for joy, for joy.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,

to spread through all the earth abroad, the honors of thy name.

Let us sing to the Lord a new song. Let us sing to the Lord a new song, a new, new song!

\*Hymn of Praise 41

*O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!*

LYONS

|                             |  |                     |
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| Invocation                  |  | Sheri Owen          |
| Greeting                    |  | Sheri Owen          |
|                             | <i>Please take a moment to sign and pass the red booklets found in each row, so that we have a record of your presence with us today.</i>  |                     |
| Gospel Lesson               | Luke 24:44-53 (p.861)  | Ponyo Mulcahy       |
|                             | Leader: The Word of the Lord.<br>People: <b>Thanks be to God!</b>  |                     |
| *Hymn 819                   | <i>Be Still, My Soul</i>   | FINLANDIA           |
|                             | <i>During the last stanza of this hymn, we invite the children to come forward for the Children's Sermon.</i>  |                     |
| Children's Sermon           |  | Tommy Deal          |
|                             | <i>We invite children in grades K-2 to exit and continue worshipping in Children's Church upstairs in Room 210.</i>  |                     |
| Special Music (Hymn 377)    | <i>I Want to Walk As a Child of the Light</i>  |                     |
|                             | Adeline, Dorothy, Mary Kate, William, Susan, & Tommy Deal  |                     |
|                             | I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus.<br>God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus.<br><i>In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.<br/>The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.</i>    |                     |
|                             | I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus.<br>Clear Sun of righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father.<br><i>In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.<br/>The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.</i> |                     |
|                             | I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus.<br>When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus.<br><i>In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.<br/>The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.</i>        |                     |
| Morning Prayer and Blessing |  | Kevin Wright        |
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| *Doxology 607               | <i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>  | OLD HUNDREDTH       |
| Epistle Lesson              | Ephesians 1:15-23 (p.949)  | Laura Martindale    |
|                             | Leader: The Word of the Lord.<br>People: <b>Thanks be to God!</b>  |                     |
| Sermon                      | Thou Mastering Me  | Dr. Matthew Tennant |
| Meditation                  |  | Barbara Moore       |
| Invitation                  |  | Dr. Tennant         |
|                             | <i>If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking with a minister, please come forward as we sing our final hymn.</i>  |                     |

\*Hymn of Response 250

*In the Bulb There is a Flower*

HYMN OF PROMISE

\*Benediction

Dr. Tennant

\*Postlude

*Short Prelude in C minor BWV934*

Bach

*\*Please rise as you are able, in body or spirit.*

Instrumentalist:  
Barbara Moore: Organ/Piano

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## This Week at UBC

### SUNDAY, May 12

9:30 ESOL/Seekers Class  
9:45 Sunday Morning Bible Study  
11:00 Morning Worship

### MONDAY, May 13

10:30 Bible Reading Group

### TUESDAY, May 14

11:30 Annie Armstrong Circle  
6:30 Prayer Shawl Group  
7:00 Voces Laetae Rehearsal

### WEDNESDAY, May 15

9:00 Work Team  
5:15 Handbell Rehearsal  
5:30 Wednesday Night Dinner  
6:00 Growing Young Study  
7:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal



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A summer camp adventure with God

June 17-21

9:00 am - 12 noon

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# University Baptist Church

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

**About Us:** University Baptist Church is a vibrant community of faith, bringing together university students and area residents in worship, study, and service to our community. We seek to be an authentic community of Christians who love and care for each other as a family, and openly welcome and include all people regardless of age, race, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, disability, or background. We believe that all people have important gifts to share in God's family, working together as the hands and feet of our good and loving God. Learn more at [universitybaptist.org](http://universitybaptist.org).

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