

All Saints

BHUMC.ORG 301-662-1727 Remembrance

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CELEBRATING CHILDREN AT BROOK HILL UMC

TO THE PARENTS OF OUR YOUNG CHILDREN, MAY WE SUGGEST...

Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome!

Sit toward the front where it is easier for your little ones to see and hear what's going on. They tire of seeing the backs of others' heads.

Quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastor, ushers, choir, etc.

Sing the hymns/songs, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you.

If you need to leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."

Remember that the way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, and to one another. Let them know that they are at home in this house of worship.

TO THE MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH

The presence of children is a gift to the Church, and they are a reminder that our congregation is growing.

Please welcome our children and give a smile of encouragement to their parents.

Informal Worship – 9:00am

Song of Welcome

Welcome and Connection Points

Peace Across the Divide

Opening Prayer

Songs of Praise

Children's Message ~ Shelly Evans

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Gerry Burger Rose Marie Martin Carolee Stup
Paulette Irvin Peggy Nazelrod Lolo Wastler

David Johnson Shirley Pritchard

Prayer Time (Anyone is welcome to come forward and kneel at the rail)

Giving to God

Scripture ~ Matthew 22:34-40 NIV ~ Tim Leber

Message ~ Do Unto Others: Love ~ Pastor Dana

Holy Communion

Song of Sending

Blessing

Our worship service has ended. Our service of worship begins.

Traditional Worship – 11:00am

* Stand as you are able

Prelude "All Creatures of our God and King"

Garrett Harmon

(by Ralph Vaughan Williams)

Welcome and Connection Points

Pastor Kathy

* Peace Across the Divide

Special Reading

Craig Morgan & Eric Thomas

Leader: Wait. Pastor Kathy

People: Breathe.

Leader: Let the anxiety take a break for just a moment.

People: Breathe again. Leader: We are not alone. People: Christ is with us.

Leader: Let this moment permeate our souls and let us pass the peace of Christ between us. This peace is meant for all people. The peace of Christ be with you.

People: and also with you.

* Hymn #139

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Opening Prayer

God of us all, we ask you to hover close, for we are a divided world, and we are not sure how to regard one another in this moment. Bind us as your beloved ones and invite us to "do unto others" in ways that build up your kingdom on earth as it is in heaven. We pray this in the name of Jesus, the center that holds, and in the power of the Spirit that transforms. Amen.

Children's Message

Shelly Evans

(Please join in singing "Jesus Loves Me" as the children leave)

Hymn "Jesus Loves Me"

Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tells me so.

Little ones to Him belong; they are weak, but He is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!

The Bible tells me so.

Special Music "Peace in the Presence of God"

Ladies Quintet

(Pete Carlson, arr. Kyle Hill)

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Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Pastor Kathy

(Anyone is welcome to come forward and kneel at the rail)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering Invitation

Offertory "Give Thanks" (by Henry Smith)

Garrett Harmon

- * Doxology Hymn #95 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
- * Offering Prayer
- * **Hymn #378** "Amazing Grace" vs 1-3 & 6

Scripture Matthew 22:34-40 NIV

Sue Everhart

"Hearing that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, the Pharisees got together. One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question: "Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?"

Jesus replied: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments."

Message "Do Unto Others: Love" Pastor Dana

Holy Communion p. 12

- * Hymn #2223 TFWS "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"
- * Blessing
- * Closing Response "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With God our creator, children all are we.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:
to take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

* Postlude "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" Garrett Harmon (by John B. Dykes)

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PASTORAL TEAM:

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