



MYERS PARK BAPTIST CHURCH

OPEN TO ALL

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

13 November 2016 at Eleven o'clock in the morning

THE COMMUNITY GATHERS BEFORE GOD

The Music in Preparation for Worship is intended to draw the people from the outside world into the presence of God. You are invited to remain silent during this time.

Please silence your cell phone.

THE SILENT MEDITATION

Whatever the ill of pressure we face,
Lord, hearten and heal, give insight and grace
to think and make peace with each heartbeat and breath,
choose Christ before Caesar, and life before death!

Fred Kaan, *We Utter Our Cry*

THE RINGING OF THE ANGELUS BELL

The ringing of the Angelus Bell, a three-fold ringing of three, signifies the presence of the triune God: Creator, Christ and Holy Spirit. In ancient practice it was rung as a noontday prayer calling the whole community to prayers for peace.

THE OPENING VOLUNTARY

“Sonata in A Minor”
Siciliana
Andante

G.F. Telemann
(1681-1767)

Hollis Ulaky, oboe

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

At this time, everyone is invited to sign the friendship register found at the end of each pew. If you are our guest today, we welcome you especially and ask that you include your address, phone number, and email. If you are interested in learning more about our Church, we invite you to note this on the register. Following the worship service, all are invited to Coffee Fellowship in Heaton Hall Foyer and Sermon TalkBack in Heaton Hall.

*THE OPENING SENTENCES

Leader: O God, you make all our financial lives possible.

People: We use what we have been given in service to others.

Leader: O Lord, through your death we have been given life.

People: We share with others the life you have given to us.

+ Ushers will seat anyone waiting.

* Please stand if you are able.

*THE PROCESSION AND OPENING OF THE BIBLE
“We praise thee, O God, our Redeemer”

Number 62
Kremsler

*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

THE MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP

Jerry Hoogenakker

+ *During the interlude, 3 and 4 year olds will leave with their teachers. They may be picked up in Room 107 after worship.
We will offer an extended childcare time and a special activity for TK - 5th graders
so parents have the opportunity to attend Sermon TalkBack.*

THE KYRIE ELEISON (*Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.*)

Jonathan Crutchfield

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Chris - te e -
Lord, to me give mer - cy. Christ, to me give
lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.
mer - cy. Lord, to me give mer - cy.

THE INVITATION TO SILENT CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**We come before you, O God, with words and deeds we must confess.
We confess that we have spoken harsh words of division and narrowness.
We confess that we have attitudes of fear and distrust that keep us apart.
We confess that at times we confuse our country with your Kingdom.**

**God of Grace, forgive us when we do not place our trust in you.
Show us the way to wholeness and peace.
Show us the way to lay down our weapons of harmful rhetoric.
Show us the way to be in healthy relationships with one another.
Amen.**

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*THE CANTICLE (*Glory to God in the highest.*)

Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!
Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

*THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Ancient words of greeting and forgiveness may be used when Passing the Peace to those around you, saying either: “The peace of God be with you” or “The peace of Christ be with you.” The response may be: “And also with you.”

THE ANTHEM

“Show Me Thy Ways”

Show me thy ways O Lord, teach me thy paths;
Lead me in thy truth and teach me:
For thou art the God of my salvation.
And on thee do I wait all the day.

The Chancel Choir

Walter L. Pelz
(1926-1997)

Psalm 25

Tim Murray, guitar; Hollis Ulaky, oboe

THE WORD OF GOD IS PROCLAIMED AND HEARD

THE GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 20:20-26

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us.

See page 6.

People: Thanks be to God.

+ *As the interlude begins, children in grades TK-5 are invited to go through the door beside the Lectern to join adult teachers. Parents, if you wish to attend Sermon TalkBack after worship, TK - 5th graders may be picked up on the Labyrinth.*

*THE SERMON HYMN

Number 254

“We give Thee but Thine own”

Schumann

THE SERMON

The Reverend W. Benjamin Boswell

“Holy Taxation”

THE TIME FOR SILENT REFLECTION

THE CONGREGATION RESPONDS TO GOD’S WORD

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father/Mother, 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.

THE OFFERING

Gifts of loose cash in November will benefit Friendship Trays, the Charlotte-area “meals on wheels” program that delivers more than 600 meals daily to elderly, handicapped, and convalescing people who are unable or greatly restricted in the ability to prepare or secure meals.

THE ANTHEM

The Youth Choir

“Praise the Goodness of the Lord”

Allen Pote
(b. 1945)

I will sing, I will praise and glorify your name,
I will exalt you my God and King!
Every day I will praise and bless your holy name,
I will sing forever and ever.

The Lord is gracious and merciful,
Slow to anger and rich in love.
The Lord is good to everyone,
With compassion for all that has been made.

For great are you Lord, and worthy to be praised.
No one comprehends your greatness Lord,
Every generation shall declare your works.
How wonderful you are!

The Lord is faithful, whose promises are true.
God’s love is over all creation.
The Lord lifts up those who stumble and fall.
Let every creature offer praise!

*THE PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

*As the deacons move down the center aisle, the congregation is asked to stand at the moment the deacons pass their pew.
This presentation to God enacts our self-offering and gratitude to God.*

*THE DOXOLOGY

Old Hundred th

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts;
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE COMMUNITY DEPARTS FOR MINISTRY

*THE PROCESSION INTO THE WORLD AND CLOSING OF THE BIBLE

Number 223

“All things are thine”

Germany

THE BENEDICTION

THE CLOSING VOLUNTARY

“The Rejoicing”

*Charles Callaban
(b. 1951)*

*Following worship, all are invited to Coffee Fellowship in Heaton Hall Foyer
and a Sermon TalkBack in Heaton Hall. We especially invite our guests for a more personal welcome.*

*Parents, if you wish to attend Sermon TalkBack after worship. Children ages 4 and younger
may be dropped off in Room 107; TK - 5th graders may be picked up on the Labyrinth.*

Leading worship today with The Reverend W. Benjamin Boswell, Senior Minister,
are The Reverend Joseph D. Aldrich, Associate Minister,
The Reverend Carrie Veal, Minister of Children,
and The Reverend Debra L. Grosch, Member of the Congregation.

The Youth and Chancel Choirs lead worship through music
with Charlotte C. Judge, Associate Director of Music,
and Dr. Catherine Hicks, Guest Organist.

The acolytes are members of the Myers Park Baptist Church Youth Ministry.

The sound technician is Spencer Rackley.
The webcast technician is Van Wilson.

Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Hinson,
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hinson and Mrs. Rebecca Hinson Mills, and in loving memory of
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ross Brown, Dottie's parents, and Mr. Walter Gary Brown, her brother,
as well as Sgt. David James Smith, nephew of Ed and Dottie.

We give thanks to God for the ministry of Judy Freeman,
Finance Manager, who joined our staff on November 15, 2011.

THE READING FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2016

Luke 20:20-26 (NRSV adapted)

So they watched Jesus and sent spies who pretended to be honest, in order to trap him by what he said, so as to hand him over to the jurisdiction and authority of the governor. So they asked him, “Teacher, we know that you are right in what you say and teach, and you show deference to no one, but teach the way of God in accordance with truth. Is it lawful for us to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?” But he perceived their craftiness and said to them, “Show me a denarius. Whose head and whose title does it bear?” They said, “The emperor’s.” He said to them, “Then give to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.” And they were not able in the presence of the people to trap him by what he said; and being amazed by his answer, they became silent.

THE CHURCH IN WITNESS AND MISSION

TODAY

NOVEMBER 13: THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST;

THE REVEREND W. BENJAMIN BOSWELL PREACHING

- 8:30 Charlotte Community of Mindfulness Meditation Group, Room 27
- 9:15 Stewardship Video and Coffee Fellowship, Heaton Hall
- 9:15 Youth Choir Warm-Up, Sanctuary
- 9:45 Children's Faith Formation, Preschool and Elementary Wings
- 9:45 Youth Faith Formation, Youth Hall Wing
- 9:45 Adult Faith Formation, Education Building
- 9:45 Sunday Morning Yoga, Cornwell Group Exercise Studio
- 10:15 Chancel Choir Warm-Up, Sanctuary
- 11:00 Worship in the Sanctuary
- 12:00 Guest Welcome, Heaton Hall Foyer
- 12:00 Sermon TalkBack, Stewardship Video and Coffee Fellowship, Heaton Hall
- 3:00 Children's Christmas Pageant Rehearsal, Heaton Hall
- 4:00 Youth Choir Rehearsal, Berry Hall
- 5:00 Worship Service with Reverend Dr. William Barber Preaching, Sanctuary
- 6:00 Youth Dinner (\$4) and Fellowship, Youth Hall

SERMON TALKBACK TODAY - Join us in Heaton Hall immediately following worship for an informal conversation about the sermon. We will begin by viewing the 2017 Stewardship Campaign video. Feel free to grab a cup of Enderly coffee on your way and enjoy the conversation. Parents, if you wish to attend Sermon TalkBack after worship, children ages 4 and younger may be dropped off in Room 107; TK - 5th graders may be picked up on the Labyrinth.

YOUTH CHOIR is helping lead in worship today and we are honored to be singing for the 5:00pm service with the Reverend Dr. William Barber. We will rehearse at 4:00pm in Berry Hall.

REVEREND DR. WILLIAM BARBER will preach a National Sermon on Race today at 5:00pm in the MPBC Sanctuary, co-sponsored by the Charlotte Clergy Coalition for Justice. As we journey together in the process of awakening to racial injustice this year, Barber's perspective and prophetic witness offer a unique opportunity for us as listeners to hear from a prominent civil rights leader on this important topic. This service is open to the public. We hope you will plan to attend.

COMMUNITY LIFE

THE MPBC FALL ORIENTATION SERIES will conclude on Sunday, November 20 with a discussion on the Covenant, commitment and Joining Sunday. We will meet in The Cornwell Center Lounge at 9:45am. The full schedule is available at www.mpbconline.org. Please contact Mariah Currin at 704.334.7232 x141 or mcurrin@mpbconline.org for more information.

FAITH FORMATION

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NOVEMBER SERVING OPPORTUNITIES - We invite you to join us to serve our children in Sunday morning Faith Formation (9:45-10:45am). Our preschoolers are learning stories from the Prophets, while our elementary children are learning the 23rd Psalm. Please sign up on the bulletin board in Heaton Hall Foyer or by contacting Carrie Veal at cveal@mpbconline.org or 704.334.7232 x118.

AWAKENING TO RACIAL INJUSTICE SERIES - Booklets on the series are available at the Welcome Desk in Heaton Hall Foyer and the Church reception area. Information is also available online at www.mpbconline.org. Questions? Contact Chrissy Williamson at cwilliamson@mpbconline.org.

- WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 - 6:30-8:00pm in Heaton Hall. Elisa Chinn Gary, Hon. Louis Trosch, Bob Simmons, Nikkeia Wiler, and Jason Williams will discuss U.S. policies and how they benefit some while disadvantaging others.
- SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27 - 9:45-10:45am in Heaton Hall. The series continues with a Sunday Faith Forum led by Revs. Ben Boswell and Chrissy Williamson. All are welcome and invited to join as we discuss personal stories of awakening, biblical narratives, and how our faith informs our lives as we seek to be agents of justice in our world.

COVENANT GROUPS AT MPBC - A new weeknight *Awakening* Covenant Group is forming. This small group (6-10) adults will expand upon the concepts presented and discussed as part of the *Awakening to Racial Injustice Series*, providing a safe space to share personal stories, frustrations, and areas of growth related to the series. Questions? Contact Anne Clarke at aclarke@mpbconline.org or 704.334.7232 x115.

YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE - We always are looking for volunteers for Youth Ministry. Perhaps you can join us to lead discussions during Sunday Morning Faith Formation classes or chaperone an upcoming retreat weekend. We want to connect our youth with Church members. If you are interested in volunteering, please email Allen Davis at adavis@mpbconline.org.

ADVENT AWAKENING - This year for the season of Advent, we want you to talk to one another about things that matter. These conversations could take the form of dinner parties or family meals shared without the distractions of TV and smart phones. We'll provide the discussion guides that will be based on the sermon themes and scriptures read in worship each week. If you're interested in hosting an *Advent Awakening* dinner party, contact Chrissy Williamson at cwilliamson@mpbconline.org or 704.334.7232 x123. More information online at www.mpbconline.org.

OUTREACH

STOCKING STUFFERS FOR THE CENTER OF HOPE - MPBC is partnering with Southminster Retirement Community to fill stockings for 200 children served by the Salvation Army Center of Hope Women's Shelter. MPBC will help with supplies and Southminster will assemble the stockings. Please help us bring the joy of Christmas to our young neighbors at the Center of Hope by donating the following: coloring/activity books, crayons, markers, colored pencils, toothbrushes/toothpaste, hair accessories for girls, hats and gloves, candy and/or snacks that are peanut free, age-appropriate toys for girls and boys ages 3-12. Collection bins will be located in Heaton Hall Foyer and God's Garden. Deadline is Monday, December 5.

OATMEAL DRIVE: HELP US REACH A MILLION - This will be a special year for MPBC's Oatmeal and Staples Food Drive: our 10th anniversary of collecting oatmeal for the homeless in our city. We have donated over 860,000 pounds over the last nine years, and we are only 140,000 pounds away from reaching our goal of 1 million. The Oatmeal Drive runs November 15 through January 15. We need your help to reach this historic number. Drop-off sites will be available in Heaton Hall Foyer and at The Cornwell Center. Monetary donations can be made through *myMPBC* and at www.mpbconline.org. For more information, please contact Bob Bishop at bobbishopuk@gmail.com.

LAKESWOOD ANGEL TREE - Would you like to be an angel for a child in need this Christmas? If so, please visit the Angel Tree for the children of Lakewood neighborhood, located in the Cornwell Center Lobby beginning Wednesday, November 16. You can select a tag for a boy or girl aged newborn through 18 years old, then sign out your choice at the Cornwell Center Welcome Desk. We ask that you return your unwrapped gift (\$50 max) with the selected tag to a staff person at the Cornwell Center Welcome Desk by 5:00pm on Thursday, December 1. Please contact Chini Nichols at 704.651.5620 for more information.

MEN'S SHELTER MEALS - Tuesday, November 22. The MPBC cooking crew purchases, prepares, cooks, and serves approximately 400 men at both shelter locations (North Tryon St. and Statesville Ave.) the

last Tuesday of each month. If you would like to join our team, please contact Bob Bishop at food4thehomeless@gmail.com.

ROOM IN THE INN (RITI) begins December 3 and continues through the end of March. We open our doors on Saturday evenings and provide shelter for our neighbors who are homeless. We need your help. Please volunteer to be an overnight host, provide a meal, or drive the Church van. You may sign up on our website, www.mpbconline.org, or on the bulletin board in Heaton Hall Foyer. Would you like to be more involved in RITI? Consider being a RITI Captain by helping coordinate one (or more) weekends for our RITI ministry. Contact Cher Lindblom at clindblom@mpbconline.org for details.

STEWARDSHIP

DREAM ON! STEWARDSHIP 2017 UPDATE - Pledge packets have been mailed. If you did not receive a 2017 pledge packet, please let Barry Metzger know at 704.334.7232 x116. To learn more about this year's campaign, visit www.mpbconline.org, and look for the Dream On! logo to:

- View our 2017 Stewardship Video.
- Review the Ministry of Financial Resources budget presentation.
- See how 2015 pledge dollars were spent and learn what our Ministries' dreams are for 2017.
- Listen to the MPBC Dream On! music channel on Spotify. To add a song to the Dream On! playlist, email song title and artist to Sharon Bremer at sbremer@mpbconline.org.
- Make a pledge. We are asking for a 5% to 10% increase, but everyone is invited to pledge at any amount.

DREAM ON! ON SPOTIFY - This year's campaign *wants you!* The Stewardship SLG has created a Dream On! music playlist on Spotify and we want everyone to contribute. What song makes you think of your dreams for MPBC? It can be a song about dreams, or it can be a song about the future, or it can be your favorite song that makes you happy. Whatever the song - anyone can contribute. The first song is free; each additional song will cost \$25 with all proceeds going to the 2017 Annual Operating Campaign. Please send song title, artist, and your name to Sharon Bremer at sbremer@mpbconline.org. The Dream On! playlist will be played throughout the campaign.

THANKS-FOR-GIVING FEAST - Please join us for a covered dish lunch on Stewardship Dedication Sunday, November 20, in Heaton Hall immediately following worship. Last names beginning with:

A-F - please bring a salad

G-M - please bring a dessert

N-Z - please bring a vegetable

We'll provide turkey, bread and beverages. You may bring your dish (cooked, cut and ready to serve) to the kitchen serving line on Sunday morning and someone will be there to receive it.

WORSHIP AND MUSIC

MUSIC TOGETHER® WINTER SESSION - Early registration will begin Monday, November 14. MPBC members can register during the early registration period using this code: PREW17. The discount code "MPBC" gives you a tuition rate of \$100 - only at the MPBC location. Classes are available Wednesdays at 4:30pm, and Saturdays at 10:00am and 11:00am. The Winter Session runs January 9 - March 11.

CAROL AND CHAPEL CHOIRS (K-5th Grade) will help lead in worship on Sunday, November 20. We will rehearse at 10:15am that morning in the Sanctuary Basement.

41ST ANNUAL CITYWIDE INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE - Tuesday, November 22, 7:00pm at Providence Baptist Church (4921 Randolph Road, 28211). Everyone is invited to this citywide event to give God thanks and praise through the beauty and the rich tapestry of faith traditions in our region. Sponsored by Mecklenburg Ministries, this celebration invites Charlotteans of different races, cultures and faiths to join together as one in gratitude. There will be a canned goods collection to benefit Loaves and Fishes. For more information visit www.meckmin.org/thanksgiving-interfaith-service/.

SANCTUARY DOOR DECORATING FOR ADVENT – Saturday, November 26, at 9:00am in front of the Sanctuary. Join us as we continue our annual tradition of decorating the doors with beautiful greenery and nandina berries. Experienced or newbie, we'd love your help! If you're coming, wear appropriate clothing for working outdoors, garden gloves, and bring clippers and needle-nosed pliers (if you have them). We especially need lots of nandina berries. Questions or nandina berry donations? Contact Carol Pearsall at cp.carolp@gmail.com or 704.562.3100.

ADVENT LOVEFEAST will be celebrated Sunday morning, November 27, during the 11:00am worship service. We will again bring in the Advent season through the singing of Christmas carols, the sound of children's voices, the sights of lit beeswax candles, the smells of tea and cookies, the reading of scripture and a homily by the Rev. Ben Boswell.

CORNWELL CENTER

BIG BAND SWING DANCE AND BENEFIT - Saturday, November 19. The Cornwell Center is teaming up with CharlotteSwingDance.com and the Salisbury Swing Band for a military appreciation swing dance. All profits go to the Charlotte Bridge Home, a local veteran non-profit group that helps connect veterans with jobs and services needed to transition from active duty to civilian life. Admission is \$10 (cash only at the door) and veterans are free. Free lessons will be given from 7:00-8:00pm (with paid admission) and open dance will be 8:00-11:00pm. Dress is casual, period, or dressy.

YOUTH SERVICES – Register now for Tiny Tots Basketball Clinics and Holiday Sports Camp for children ages 3-5 years. Clinics run Mondays and Wednesdays, November 14 through February 8. Holiday Camp will be held Monday - Friday, December 19-23. Space is limited. Register at the Cornwell Center Welcome Desk or call 704.927.0774.

ART CLASSES - GET YOUR CREATIVE ON! Join Cornwell's resident artist, Greg Scott, for a variety of Winter art experiences for teens and adults. Choose from Beginner Wheel, Beginner Clay and Holiday Hand Building. Classes begin this week and run through the spring. Visit www.cornwellcenter.org/Art page for class descriptions, fees, and session dates and times.

COMPASSIONATE LEADERSHIP SERIES – Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00pm. The Authentic Conversation Panel Series: *What is Compassionate Leadership?* hosted by Enneagram Charlotte continues through December 20. To register, call 704.927.0774 or visit the Cornwell Center Welcome Desk.

LOOKING AHEAD

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10:15 Carol and Chapel Choirs (K-5th Grade) Warm-Up, Sanctuary Basement
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6:00 Youth Dinner (\$4) and Fellowship, Youth Hall
6:30 Motet Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary and Berry Hall

DRAW NEAR TO GOD

THE MYERS PARK BAPTIST CHURCH COVENANT

We, the members of the Myers Park Baptist Church, are a people on a journey of faith. By God's grace we are experiencing God's love through Jesus Christ and in the community of the faithful. We are discovering in this experience our freedom to become new creatures and our responsibility to be faithful stewards of our lives and of this world.

We will be open to all new light, strengthened by God and each other in our faith. We will sustain a critical examination of Scripture, belief and ritual as interpreters of God's active presence in the world. We will accept controversy as a reality of life together and an opportunity for growth toward maturity. We covenant to be a community of God's new creation and affirm that we are open to all and closed to none.

We covenant to nurture this church as a community of faith and as an instrument for reconciliation in this world: by worship, by Christian education, by the dedication of our personal and material resources and by all the other ways we express the significance of our lives with God and one another.

We covenant together to be priests celebrating God's presence in community and in the world, believing we are participants in God's kingdom on earth.

THE 2016-2017 BOARD OF DEACONS

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MINISTERS

As priests to one another, all members of the congregation are ministers. Some are called out for particular places of service:

THE REVEREND MR. W. BENJAMIN BOSWELL, *Senior Minister*

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