

BROADMOOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

January 8, 2017 10:45 am

THE PRELUDE “O Thou of God the Father” J. S. Bach

THE WELCOME AND GREETING OUR CHURCH FAMILY
THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE INTROIT: NO. 369 (vs. 1) “I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”

THE CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 29

Leader: The God of heaven thunders, whose voice in cadent echoes re-sounds above the waters, and all the world sings, “Glory, glory, glory!”

People: **The desert writhes in tempest, wind whips the trees to fury, the lightning splits the forest, and flame diffuses, glory, glory, glory.**

Leader: The Lord shakes the wilderness, and sits enthroned over the flood. He gives strength to his people, crying, “glory, glory, glory.”

People: **The mighty God eternal is to the throne ascended. And we, who are God’s people within these walls cry, “Glory, glory, glory.”**

*HYMN OF PRAISE: NO. 288 “I Sing the Mighty Power of God”

*THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

We come as baptized believers, O God, confessing our sins. You send forth your Spirit, yet we do not respond to your presence. You set us apart, as water is poured over us, yet our behavior in faith does not match our unique status. Christ calls us to follow, yet we disobey his commandment. Evidence of your goodness surrounds us, yet we ignore your gracious ways. Have mercy upon us, and in your love, uphold us. Above all, teach us the meaning of repentance. We pray in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Hear the good news! God said to Jesus, “Thou art my beloved son; with thee I am well pleased.”

People: **We have a high priest who is able to sympathize with our weaknesses.**

Leader: Who has been tempted as we are, yet is without sin.

People: **In Christ’s name, we may draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, and there find mercy and grace to help in time of need.**

*RESPONSE: Hymn No. 579

“Gloria Patri”

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN

“The Happy Puppy”

THE FIRST LESSON—p. 737

Jeremiah 33:3

Leader: The Word of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM “O Lord, Be Merciful”

Jenny Ampat

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SECOND LESSON—p. 241

I John 5:14-15

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Wilhelmina Palmer

“What Has He Done For You, Lately?”

*THE STATEMENT OF FAITH:

We confess and acknowledge one God alone, to whom alone we must cleave, whom alone we must serve, whom only we must worship, and in whom alone we put our trust. Who is eternal, infinite, immeasurable, incomprehensible, omnipotent, invisible; one in substance and yet distinct in three persons, the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. By whom we confess and believe all things in heaven and earth, visible and invisible, to have been created, to be retained in their being, and to be ruled and guided by his inscrutable providence, for such end as his eternal wisdom, goodness, and justice have appointed, and to be the manifestation of his own glory. *(The Scots Confession; BoC; 3.01)*

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

Offertory “Sweet Hour of Prayer” arr. Harris

*Doxology No. 592

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

*HYMN OF PARTING: NO. 316 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE "Praise Ye, the Lord of Hosts" Saint-Saens

**Those, who would like, may stand.*

If you desire to commit or re-commit yourself to Jesus Christ, or to unite with Broadmoor Presbyterian Church, or to share a concern of any kind, please speak with an elder after the service.

SERVING US TODAY: Wilhelmina Palmer ... Barbara Beckmann, Liturgist ... Judy McGehee, Director/Organist ... Jenny Ampat, Children's Message ... Greeter: Monya Crowell ... Ushers: Haywood Bass, Barbara Beckmann, Cathy McRae, Dave Snyder.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS are given today to the glory of God by Barbara Beckmann.

CHRISTIAN CONCERNS

THIS WEEK: Annabelle Armstrong (Eyes), Sue Blackshear, Lee Bruner, Janice Carpenter, Margaret Fletcher, Rick Grider, Cristal Hebert, Jill Larson, Anna Lopez, Jonathan Mahler, Ruth Strohmeier, C. J. Tircuit, Larry Walters, and all our friends and neighbors who are recovering from the flood.

ON-GOING: Doris Atteberry, Jolie Berry, Sue Berry, Claudia Sanchez Boudreaux, Wally Bounds, Bonnie Boyter, Bob Bradford, Brian Coles, Mildred Feldman, JoAnn Glass, Rev. Joe Hahn, Megan Iturralde, Caleb Jones, Don Kirk, Koen Langheinz, Dortha Lee, Marcille MacLauchlan, Marie McAdams, Ruth McGregor, Rev. Bill O'Neal, Pat Robertson, Rev. Ted and Rev. Judy Roeling, Jeanne Shepherd, Jonathan Simmons, Tim Tircuit, Mike Weinstein, Janet and Paul Witherow, Dick and Harriett Wuensch, for our BPC Congregation; for the PSL, and PCUSA; and MITC in Mexico.

HOSPITAL VISITORS: The Elders visiting, beginning today and each day this week, are Lee Bruner, Susan Seifert, Sam Haase, Brenda Cloy, Mariano Hinojosa, Barbara Long, Alice Hondzinski.

OPPORTUNITIES AT BROADMOOR

GREET-EAT-MEET will meet at 12:00 noon today in the Activities Building. Worship Ministry Area will serve sandwiches (turkey, ham, roast beef), chips, dessert and drinks. Everyone is invited as we make plans for the New Year. Copies of the 2017 Budget will be available.

CHOIR: Our next rehearsal will be on Wednesday, January 11, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in the choir room. Follow up on your New Year's resolution and join the choir! *Judy*

SOUTHEAST MINISTRIES: Spaghetti Sauce With Meat is the requested item this week. Please bring to Sunday School, or the office.

THE 2017 FLOWER CALENDAR is on the table in the narthex. If you would like to give the sanctuary flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one, please sign on the date of your choice. Broadmoor Village Florist will put the flowers in the sanctuary and will send the bill to your home. The cost is \$45 each.

LOOK FORWARD TO:

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES meet at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday morning. Everyone is invited to join one of these classes:

► **Holt-Allen Class** is meeting in the Parlor. E. J. McCune is leading this class. They will study John.

► **Seeker's Class**, led by Sam Haase and Mike Zobrist, will begin the study of II Corinthians.

► **Walking in Faith**, led by Lilian Hahn, Marion Forbes and Virginia Holloway, will begin a study of II Corinthians.

► **Youth Sunday School** (grades 6-12) led by David Bradford in the Activities Building.

► **Children:** Preschool children, kindergarteners, 1st through 5th graders will meet in Living Water. Extended Session for preschool and elementary age school children will meet in F-6 in Fellowship Hall: Julia Palmer, Elizabeth Thornton and Jessy Bradford.

C G & Ts NEXT GATHERING is Wednesday, January 18, at 12:00 noon in Naylor Hall. Dr. Bill Bankhead will be the guest speaker. Please see the bulletin insert for more information and to make your reservation.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2017

9:30	Church School	
10:45	Worship/Wilhelmina Palmer	Sanctuary
12:00	Greet-Eat-Meet Lunch and Committee Meetings	AB
2:00	Runnels Basketball	AB

MONDAY, JANUARY 9, 2017

9:30	PW Circle 1	Parlor
7:00	Caledonian Society Dancers	AB
7:00	AA	Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2017

4:00	Runnels Basketball	AB
7:00	Claymore Club	AB

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2017

10:30	Neighborhood Churches Meeting	Broadmoor Methodist
4:00	Runnels Basketball	AB
7:00	Choir Rehearsal	Choir

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 2017

4:00	Runnels Basketball	AB
7:00	Longsword Group	AB

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2017

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2017

8:00	Men of Broadmoor Breakfast	Frank's
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SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2017

9:30	Church School	
10:45	Worship/Rev. Steve Wallace	Sanctuary
2:30	Runnels Basketball	AB
3:00	Guest House Worship	At the Nursing Home

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 2017

EBRP Schools Closed

Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday

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THE STAFF

Ministers	The Entire Congregation
Church Secretary	Peggy Hammond
Administrative Assistant	Maggie Aillet
Organist	Judy McGehee
Director of Children, Family & Youth Ministries	Joanne Bradford
Director of Early Childhood Center	Sherry Beard
Nursery Supervisor	
Custodian	Clyde Williams

MISSION STATEMENT: The mission of Broadmoor Presbyterian Church is to lead people to become fully devoted followers of Christ.

THE SESSION

The Reverend Rick Pitcher, Moderator
Mr. Roger Wirth, Clerk of the Session

(* Denotes Chair of Ministry Area)

Class of 2017

Lee Bruner* (Admin.)
Marion Forbes* (Christian Ed.)
Barbara Long* (Cong. Care)
Dave Snyder* (Buildings)

Class of 2018

Casey Thornton (Admin.)
Alice Hondzinski (Mission)
Harold Keegan* (Mission)
Michael Wascom* (Worship)

Class of 2019

Susan Chenevert (Worship)
Sam Haase (Christian Ed.)
Mike Zobrist (Property)

