

BROADMOOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 4, 2015

10:45 am

The Nineteenth Sunday of Common Time

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

THE PRELUDE “Fairest Lord Jesus” Smith

THE WELCOME AND GREETING
THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE INTROIT: No. 333 “Seek Ye First”

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 26)

Leader: The steadfast love of the Lord is before our eyes.

People: Let us then walk in faithfulness before the Lord, our God.

Leader: Let us tell the wondrous deeds of the Lord to all the nations and sing songs of thanksgiving to our God.

People: We shall stand as equals in God’s love; and as a congregation, we shall give praise to the Lord, our God.

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE: NO. 507 “I Come With Joy”

*THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

God of the kind heart, we gather at your table today as the sisters and brothers of your family, to remember with gratitude all you give to us in Christ. As we remember all you give in Jesus, we often must confess that we are not as generous. We seek to have our own way. We think of the church as a building of our construction, in which we claim ownership, where we work to ensure things will be done as we wish in “our church.” Kindest God, forgive our foolish ways. Feed us today so that we may live in the reality that the church belongs only to our Lord Jesus, for he alone is the Christ. Help us to be faithful and obedient servants, reflecting the humility and lowliness of Christ; for as we share in his humility, so do we share in his glory. Help us to see and experience your presence at your table of grace today, for we pray this in Jesus’ holy and sacred name. Amen.

*THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Luke 18:9)

Leader: The one prayed, “God, I thank you that I am not like others...” for he was contemptuous of those who sinned.

People: The other would not even look up to heaven but prayed: “God, be merciful to me a sinner!”

Leader: This one went away justified, for all who humble themselves will be exalted.

People: The measure of our forgiveness is found in our forgiving others. We rejoice in the Good News that: In Jesus our Christ, we are forgiven! Amen.

*THE RESPONSE: NO. 347 (vs. 4) “Forgive Our Sins As We Forgive”

WE LISTEN FOR GOD’S WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN: “What Are You Singing About?”

FIRST LESSON: Hebrews 1:1-4 & 2:5-12

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM “Come to the Table of the Lord” Sanctuary Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SECOND LESSON: Mark 10:1-16

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON “A Balance of Power”

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S CALL

*THE STATEMENT OF FAITH

In his history with his people in the world, God has often made material things channels through which his grace is understood and powerfully experienced. Out of the life and ministry of Jesus, the church received the Lord's Supper as a special sacrament of God's saving action. We believe that, at the Lord's Supper, the community of believers is renewed by the memory of Christ's life and death, by his real presence in the power of the Holy Spirit, and by the promise of his coming again. He makes himself known to us in the breaking of bread. He offers us his body, broken for our sake, and his blood, shed for the forgiveness of our sins. We accept his promises and gifts and depend on his life to sustain ours. In turn, we offer ourselves in thanksgiving to the risen Lord, who has conquered death. So we celebrate his victory here and now, and anticipate the joyous feast in his coming kingdom. Reunited around one loaf and cup, we receive strength and courage to continue our pilgrimage with God in the world. – A Declaration of Faith (6 §5:94-97 & 133-141)

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

The Offering

Offertory

“Let Us Walk With Jesus”

arr. Beck

Doxology: No 592

THE CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

The Invitation

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us pray...

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving & 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, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Sharing the Bread & Cup

(Please eat the bread when served as a sign of our individual faith in Christ. Please hold the cup until all are served so we may drink in the unity of the Church Family.)

SHARING CHRIST’S PEACE

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

People: And also with you.

WE GO TO BUILD GOD’S KINGDOM

*HYMN OF PARTING: NO. 510 (vs. 1-4)

“Jesus, Thou Joy of Longing Hearts”

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE

“A Psalm of Rejoicing”

Brandon

**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 talk to the Pastor or an elder after the service.

PLEASE TURN OFF all cell phones and ipads when entering the sanctuary.

SERVING US TODAY: Joe Reggin, Interim ... Marti Kent, Liturgist ... Jenny Ampat, Children’s Message ... Judy McGehee, Director/Organist ... Ushers: Haywood Bass, Barbara Beckmann, Joyce Sasser, Karen Zobrist ... Greeter: Pat Robertson, Susan Seifert ... Elders Serving Communion: Susan Chenevert, Carol Haase, Peggy Hammond, Virginia Holloway, Harold Keegan, Dave and Ellen Snyder, Barbara Waugh, George Welsh, Chris Werner.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS are given today in celebration of David and Joanne Bradford’s 35th wedding anniversary. Congratulations!

CHRISTIAN CONCERNS

THIS WEEK: Xiomara Aguirre, Annabelle Armstrong, Linda Barrow, David Bradford, Jerry Ebersbaker, Dot Ethridge, Mike Felder, Al Hogan, Koen Langheinz, Jill Larson, Jim Lockwood, Bill Noonan, Pat Robertson, Syrian Refugees, Pat Tessier, Larry Walters, for the safety of our community and for our schools, for those who are looking for work, for all Sunday School classes, for people to find hope and power in their lives.

ON-GOING: Doris Atteberry, Peggy Berry, Sue Berry, Wally Bounds, Bonnie Boyter, Bob Bradford, Brian Coles, Mildred Dodson, Mildred Feldman, Margaret Fletcher, Joe and JoAnn Glass, Rick Grider, Rev. Joe Hahn, Al Haefner, Megan Iturralde, Don Kirk, Della Lane, Dorthea Lee, Marie McAdams, Ruth McGregor, Rev. Bill O’Neal, Susan Potter, Ted and Judy Roeling, Odette Sallinger, Elizabeth Sierichs, Tim and Amelia Tircuit, Mike Weinstein, Janet and Paul Witherow, for health, strength, and vision to serve; for our BPC Children, Family, and Youth Ministries; for the PSL, and PCUSA; for MITC School in Mexico, for America’s leaders, and service personnel in the Middle East; for the peace of Jerusalem, and the world.

HOSPITAL VISITORS: The Elders visiting, beginning today and each day this week, are Ann Smith, Pat Robertson, Judi Johnson, Linda Grider, Lee Bruner, Susan Seifert and Sam Haase.

REQUEST FROM REV. JOE REGGIN: If you would like to make contact with our Interim Pastor, Joe Reggin, by **phone**, please call him directly at: (225) 315-8434, or **E-mail**, at ipjoe1147@gmail.com.

OPPORTUNITIES AT BROADMOOR

EVERY MEMBER CANVASS PACKETS are in the narthex today. Please pick your packet up and prayerfully consider your pledge to BPC for 2016.

GROUP BIBLE STUDY, “The First Christmas,” taught by Interim Pastor, Joe Reggin, will continue tonight at 6:00 p.m. in Naylor Hall, and again tomorrow at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN’S CIRCLES will meet this week. Please see the calendar for dates, times and locations of circle meetings.

TUTORING for junior and senior high students is Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00-7:00 p.m. in Naylor Hall. Volunteers tutors are always needed.

CHOIR REHEARSALS: We will rehearse every OTHER Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m. (until we begin preparation for our Christmas music). Of course, we will still sing EVERY Sunday morning. Rehearsal dates for fall: Oct. 7-21, Nov. 4-11-18, Dec. 2-9. We would love to have YOU join the choir!

SOUTHEAST MINISTRIES: Soup is the requested item this week. Please bring to Sunday School, or the office.

LOOK FORWARD TO:

NEW 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** will meet in the Parlor. Annabelle Armstrong and E. J. McCune will lead this class. They will study the book of Acts.

► **Seeker’s Class:** Sam Haase and Mike Zobrist are co-teaching the book of Acts. This class meets in Naylor Hall: N-6.

► **Walking in Faith,** led by Lilian Hahn and Marion Forbes, are studying the book of Romans. They meet in Naylor Hall: N-8.

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

► **Children:** Preschool-Kindergarten, led by Ellen Snyder, in the Education Building. 1st-5th graders, led by Joanne Bradford, Emily Clark and Peggy Wescott, meet in Living Water in Naylor Hall. Extended Session for pre-school and elementary age school children: Peggy Wescott, Julia Palmer, Elizabeth Thornton.

DUTCH TREAT SUNDAY IS OCTOBER 11: Please join us at the Piccadilly on Florida Blvd. at 12:00 noon. Carpooling is available.

SENIOR RESOURCE FAIR, sponsored by St. Luke’s Episcopal Church Health Ministries, will be held Saturday, October 17, 9:00-12:00 noon in Witter Hall. This fair is free and open to the public. Flu and Pneumonia vaccines will be offered.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN FALL RETREAT will be held October 23-24 at the Feliciana Retreat Center. “The Power and Peace of Prayer” is the theme. Registration forms, due by October 1, are on the table in the narthex. All ladies are invited.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2015:

9:30	Church School	
9:30	Liturgist Training	Joe’s Office
10:45	Worship/Communion/Rev. Joe Reggin	Sanctuary
6:00	“The First Christmas” Bible Study	Naylor Hall

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2015:

9:30	PW Circle 1	Parlor
10:00	“The First Christmas” Bible Study	Naylor Hall
7:00	Caledonian Society Dancers	AB
7:00	AA	Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2015

9:30	PW Circle 2-3	Sammie Kirk’s Home
5:30	PW Circle 6	La Madeleine’s
6:00	Tutoring	Naylor Hall
6:30	PW Circle 5	Pat Robertson’s Home
7:00	Claymore Club	AB

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2015

7:00	Choir Rehearsal	Choir
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

6:00	Tutoring	Naylor Hall
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2015

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2015

8:00	Men of Broadmoor Breakfast	Frank’s
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2015

9:30	Church School	
10:45	Worship/Canned Goods Offering/Rev. Joe Reggin	Sanctuary
12:00	Dutch Treat Sunday	Piccadilly/Florida Blvd.
6:00	“The First Christmas” Bible Study	Naylor Hall

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THE STAFF

Ministers
Interim Pastor
Church Secretary
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Staff Assistant
Organist
Director of Children, Family & Youth Ministries
Director of Early Childhood Center
Nursery Supervisor
Custodian

The Whole Congregation
Rev. Joe Reggin
Peggy Hammond
Susan Ortiz
Al Haefner
Judy McGehee
Joanne Bradford
Sherry Beard
Angelika Brown

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

THE SESSION

The Reverend Joe Reggin, Moderator
Mr. Roger Wirth, Clerk of the Session
Mr. Bob Schmidt, Mr. George Thompson
Charitable Giving Consultants

(* Denotes Chair of Ministry Area)

Class of 2015

Virginia Holloway* (Session Train)
Harold Keegan* (Student)
Marti Kent (Cong. Care)
Chad St. Julien (Property)
Michael Wascom (Worship)

Class of 2016

Joanne Bradford* (Children)
Tommy Gautreau* (Property)
Pat Robertson* (Hospitality)
Ellen Snyder* (Fellowship)
Casey Thornton (Leadership)
Dale Tullier* (Worship)

Class of 2017

Lee Bruner* (Leadership)
Marion Forbes (Children)
Barbara Long* (Cong. Care)
Susan Ortiz* (Mission)
Dave Snyder* (Stewardship)
Dick Wuensch* (Adult)