

**We are here to: Love God, Love our Neighbor and Serve the World.**

*June 16, 2019 9:30 AM*

*Trinity Sunday, Fathers Day, Peace with Justice Sunday*

## Gathering in God's Presence

*All are welcome to this time of worship, and in this faith community.  
If you are visiting today, please visit the Welcome table at the entrance*

### Announcements and Welcome

### Greeting One Another

### Prelude

### Call to Worship<sup>1</sup>

We gather to meet with God  
**Parent, Son and Holy Spirit**

To be aware of your presence in our day

**For you, Lord, are here now;**

Your Spirit dwells within us

**To bring you our worship and offer you our praise**

To be conscious that you walk beside us

**And we do not make the journey alone**

Parent, Son and Holy Spirit, draw near to us

**As we draw near to you**

**Amen.**

**\*Opening Hymn** *Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty* UM Hymnal #64

## Proclaiming the Word

**Scripture Reading** Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; John 16:12-15

**Young Disciples' Time** Please join us in singing a verse of  
*Jesus Loves Me*

### Anthem

**Welcoming of New Members** – *Martin and Nicole Rodgers* (See Insert)

**Baptism** – *Sydney and Ainsley Rodgers*

**Hymn of Response** *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise* UM Hymnal #611  
vs 1 & 4

## A Litany for Father's Day<sup>2</sup>

Our relationships with our fathers are complicated.

**For some of us, our father's love is like God's love -- too deep, too long, too wide, too strong to measure.**

Some of our dads are here; some are no longer near, and some were never here.

**For some of us, God's love fills in the empty spaces our fathers left behind or shines through the men we know.**

All of us are shaped by the relationship or lack of relationship with our fathers.

**On this day when we remember what it means to have a father or be a father, we recognize the importance of fathers in our communities. We pledge as a congregation to love and nurture the fathers among us so that they will manifest the love of God in all that they do. Amen.**

**\*Proclaiming Hymn** *Bring Forth the Kingdom of God* TFWS #2190

### Message

The Rev. Doug Mackey

## Responding to God's Word

### Our Tithes and Offerings

### Offertory

**\*Singing Our Praises** *Doxology* UM Hymnal #94

### \*Prayer of Dedication

### Our Church Family in Prayer

**Prayer Song** *Spirit of the Living God* UM Hymnal # 393

### Pastoral Prayer

### 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 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.**

\*You are invited to stand if you are able or comfortable

## Going Forth To Serve

**\*Hymn of Going Forth** *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve* TFWS #2241

### \*Benediction

### Postlude

1. Adapted from "Sunday Mid-day Prayer," by Dot Woods, posted on **Lighting Beacons**.  
<http://lighting-beacons-liturg.com/>

2. Adapted from *A Call to Worship for Father's Day*, by The Rev. Dr. LaGretta Bjorn,  
published at <https://www.umcdiscipleship.org/resources/call-to-worship-and-opening-prayer-for-fathers-day>

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, June 16

9:30 AM

### Father's Day

Worship/Summer Funday School  
followed by Coffee Hour

### Monday, June 17

9 AM

Earlybirds

5 PM

Stampin' Up

6 PM

Daisy Scouts

6:30 PM

SPRC

6:30 PM

Saratoga Soundtrack Rehearsal

7 PM

Trustees

### Tuesday, June 18

8 AM

Soup Kitchen

1:30 PM

BHBL Women's Book Club

7 PM

Boy Scouts

### Wednesday, June 19

8:30 AM

Fixits

10 AM

Prep Community Lunch

12 PM

"Thursday" Circle Picnic Lunch

6 PM

AA Meeting

6 PM

Daisy Scouts

7 PM

Pub Explorations in Theology

### Thursday, June 20

9 AM

Seekers-Sisters in Christ

12 PM

Community Lunch

### Sunday, June 23

9:30 AM

Worship/Summer Funday School  
Coffee Hour after Worship

# Announcements

## **TODAY** Coffee Hour is hosted by Outreach

**Today is Red Wagon Sunday** Please consider donating a non-perishable food item to the red wagon that will be in the Narthex during the service. All items are greatly appreciated!

**Join Seekers - Sisters in Christ-** on Thursday mornings at 9 AM beginning June 20, as we begin a new study on Shane Claiborne's book *The Irresistible Revolution*, where the author challenges us to live out an authentic Christian faith and invites us to change the world with Christ's radical love. Books have been ordered; pick one up in the office a few days before the study begins. This is an open, safe and welcoming group. Come learn and have some fun with us!

**LAF Update** We are pleased to have found a chairperson for the Welcome Booth! There is still, however, a need for a co-chair for games; the youth enjoy helping with this but we need some adult support as well. We also still need someone who can find a team for the pizza booth on the Friday of the fair (9/6). Please feel free to contact anyone on the steering committee if you are able to volunteer for these or any other parts of the fair: Greg and Nancy Adams, 399-5875; Gerry and Cheryl Brady, 885-3268; Pete and Mary Jo Farrell, 399-7976; Libby Horn, 399-3856; Bert and Sally Longbotham, 399-4490; and Kathy Pirigyi, 399-4284.

**Our summer Hymn Sing Tradition** will start again next week. This year we are asking you to send in your suggestions early. Please leave your requests on a card in the basket in the Narthex (cards available there).

**Celebration of Graduates** During Worship on June 23, we will recognize those who are graduating and beginning a new phase in life.

**The Memorial Committee** will be presenting their annual scholarships on June 23.

**Summer Lunch Program** There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board, outside of Knight Hall, to help prepare lunches at Our Lady of Grace Church for the Summer Lunch Program. Help is needed from July 1 through August 9. To make this much-appreciated lunch program successful, volunteers are needed each day to help prepare or deliver the lunches to the designated Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake Schools.

**Preschool Registration** The BHUMC Preschool is now accepting registrations for the fall of 2019, for both the 3 and 4-year-old classes. Registration forms can be found on the Preschool website, [www.bhpreschool.com](http://www.bhpreschool.com), as well as on the BHUMC website. For more information on the Preschool, you can also view their Facebook page, Burnt Hills Methodist Preschool.

**We are now in our summer  
Worship Schedule, with one service only  
at 9:30 AM**

*To find out the latest event information, please regularly check the Events Calendar on our website at [www.nybhmc.com](http://www.nybhmc.com). The calendar is constantly updated. To add something your group would like to share, please fill out a Calendar Request Form located in the Main Office or email us at [burnthillsumc@gmail.com](mailto:burnthillsumc@gmail.com).*

*If you have a notice you'd like to put in the weekly bulletin, please email the church office by Tuesday to ensure inclusion. Anything received after Tuesday will be put in the following week.*

*There will not be a July Methodist newsletter. The next issue will be in August, and it will be a Lord's Acre Fair edition.*

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