

BHUMC Welcome Statement

At Burnt Hills UMC, we aspire to be a community of grace and unconditional love, where all people will find hospitality, compassion and mercy.

We seek to welcome all on the journey, to grow together in faith and to go out to serve the world.

We welcome people of any age, culture, race, nationality, ability, marital status, economic status, sexual orientation and gender identity, as full participants in the life of our congregation.

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we seek to be part of Jesus' movement of love and justice for all of God's children.

All are welcome to worship, grow and serve with us.

Announcements

TODAY: Trunks and Kisses Valentine's Day Fundraiser

Seekers Book Study 1st Annual Gift and Bake Sale Fundraiser for the Sunday School and Cherub Choir. This year we will be honoring the memory of Jane Smith, who had a special love for children.

Cars will be in the parking lot with their trunks full of gifts to buy:

\$4. Decorated Bags EACH with a DOZEN assorted Homemade Cookies and a few Chocolate Kisses.

\$20. Hand crafted Valentine Table Top Glass Vases with silk flowers.

\$20. Mary Kay *Satin Lips* gift bags.

And single long stem roses in water vials and wrapped with clear cellophane and fabric bows.

Morning Disciples Study meets on Mondays at 9:30 AM. We are studying 1 Corinthians.

Explorers Bible Study is usually held every Wednesday at 9:30 AM. Each week, we watch a 30-minute video on some aspect of Christianity. The current program is "*Reading Biblical Literature: Genesis to Revelation.*" Contact Pastor Doug for more information.

Seekers, the Women's Book Study, meets every week on Thursday morning at 9:15 AM. We are reading "*The Difficult Words of Jesus.*"

There will be a special Charge Conference as part of our regular Council meeting on February 15 at 7 PM, to consider removal of individuals from official membership. These are people that we have not been able to contact for several years and this is part of the official process laid out by the UMC for such cases.

Church Photo Directory Reminder to please submit your photos for the Directory by February 28. See the article in this month's Methodist for details.

Ash Wednesday is March 2. Plan to attend an in-person service of worship March 2 at 7 PM in the sanctuary!

Lent Study is planned: an ONLINE experience, studying the Sermon on the Mount (book and video by AJ Levine). Please call or email the church office to register, and to request a book if you'd like us to get you one. Wednesday evenings beginning March 9.

Today's Scripture: Luke 6:17-26

¹⁷ He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon.

¹⁸ They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured.

¹⁹ And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. "Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

²² "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man.

²³ Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴ "But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. "Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets."

For the time being, there will be ONE service on Sunday, at 10:30 AM.

The 9 AM service will return for Lent and Easter, beginning March 6.

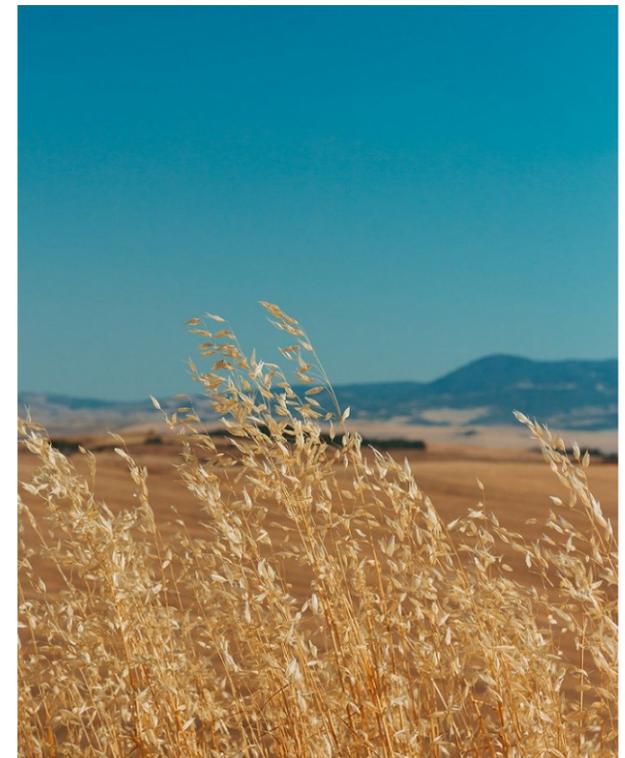
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