

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

January 23, 2022 10:30 AM

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.*

Prelude *God is Here* Taylor

Greeting and Welcome

Call to Worship

We come as the body of Christ,
Each of us a part with meaning and worth.
If one part suffers,
We all suffer.
Jesus spoke in Nazareth,
And called us all to follow likewise.
The Spirit of the Lord is upon us!
God has anointed us to bring good news to the poor,
To proclaim freedom for the prisoners
and recovery of sight for the blind,
To set the oppressed free.
Let us worship the God of justice and peace for all!

Hymn *All Who Hunger* TFWS #2126

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 12:12-26 ; Luke 4:14-21

Hymn *As a Fire is Meant for Burning* TFWS #2237

Message **The Rev. Doug Mackey**

Responding to God's Word

Prayer of Thanksgiving
Doxology #94

Our Church Family in Prayer

Prayer Song *Take This Moment, Sign and Space* Bell/Maule

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.**

Going Forth To Serve

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

Benediction

Postlude *Joy In The Key of B* Van Keuren

Please note: We will not "pass the offering plate;" a plate is available in the foyer as you arrive or leave. We will dedicate our gifts as part of worship – gifts brought to this sanctuary, gifts offered by mail, and gifts donated electronically, all to the glory of God. We thank you for your faithful generosity.

We are glad you are here! At this time, we are asking everyone to please wear a mask while inside the building, and especially while singing during worship. Please also note the self-screening questions as you arrive at worship or church events.

Our Ministry Today

Lead Pastor: *Holly Nye*
Associate Pastor: *Doug Mackey*
Communication Coordinator: *Cindy Peterson*
Music Ministers: *Pete Van Keuren & Jill Zygo*
Treasurer: *Kimberly Spath*
Financial Secretary: *Paula Miller*
Custodian: *Joe Tangrady*
Prayer Blankets: *Karen Lathrop*
Sunday School Superintendent: *Jodi Facticeau-St. Gelais*
Preschool Teachers: *Stacy Herbage & Stephanie Tope*
Sound & Video: *Charles Hartmann*

WEEKLY CALENDAR Sunday, January 23	
10:30 AM	Worship/Sunday School
Monday, January 24	
9:30 AM	Morning Disciples
2 PM	Special K Circle
5:30 PM	Saratoga Soundtrack Choir Rehearsal
Tuesday, January 25	
6 PM	Boy Scouts Troop #3020
7 PM	Boy Scout Troop #56
Wednesday, January 26	
8:30 AM	Fixits
9:30 AM	Explorers
Thursday, January 27	
9:15 AM	Seekers
6:30 PM	Cub Scouts Troop #3020
7 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, January 30	
10:30 AM	Worship/Sunday School
4 PM	Girl Scouts Troop #2658

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

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."*

The World is Our Parish Social Action in the history of Methodism. **Postponed** to Wednesday, February 2, at 7PM. This program and discussion will look at highlights of the history of the people called Methodist over nearly 250 years, specifically in the ways that churches in the Methodist movement have responded to poverty, war, and injustice. John Wesley, whose ministry gave rise to Methodism, famously said, "I consider the world to be my parish." Wesley was deeply concerned with the injustice of slavery and the slave trade, and in the generations since Wesley, Methodists have lived out our faith in responding to human needs and societal injustices: child labor; the effects of alcohol and gambling on children and families; unsafe working conditions; and a host of other human issues. All are welcome to this evening of learning and discussion, as we continue to discern how God leads us to respond to needs in our own time, living out our faith in Jesus Christ.

There will be a **special charge conference** as part of our regular Council meeting on February 15, 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.

Valentine's Day Fundraiser

WHEN: Sunday, February 13th, after the church service

WHERE: A *'Car Trunk Set-Up'* in the church parking lot

WHAT: Seekers Bible Study and Book Group: 1st Annual Trunk Sale Bake Sale and Valentine's Day Gifts Fundraiser for the Sunday School and Cherub Choir. This year we will be honoring the memory of Jane Smith, who had a special love and rapport with children.

ITEMS FOR SALE:

\$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.

Single Long Stem Roses in water vials and wrapped with clear cellophane and fabric bows. (price to be determined)



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

The Re-Opening Team regularly meets to re-evaluate, and will announce any adjustments.

Pastors' Email Addresses

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