

We are here to: Love God, Love Our Neighbor and Serve the World.
June 4, 2023 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM First Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude *Sing The Praise of God Our Maker* Morris

Words of Welcome

***Call to Worship** (Inspired by Psalm 65)

God of life and love
We rejoice in your abundant gifts
 God of all peoples and all places
We celebrate your generosity and grace
 God of the earth and the heavens
We praise you for your provision
 You visit the earth and water it
Softening it with showers and blessing its growth
 You make springs gush forth in the valleys
From your lofty abode you water the mountains
 God of life and love
We bless your holy name

***Hymn** *I Come with Joy (vs. 1-3)* UMH #617

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Incarnate God
For the times we've hurt you
Forgive us
For the times we've hurt others
Forgive us
For the times we've hurt ourselves
Forgive us
For we are made in your image
and it is very good.
Amen.

Anthem *Wade In The Water/Wayfaring Stranger*
 Trad. Spirituals arr. Purifoy

The Sacrament of Holy Communion Insert

Song *Jesus Loves Me (verse 1)* UMH #191
 Children (and their people) are invited to come forward to the first pew for Young Disciple Time during this song.

Young Disciples Time

Song *Jesus Loves Me (verse 1)* UMH #191

*You are invited to stand as you are able or comfortable

Scripture I Cor 12: 3b-13

Message "Reflections on Annual Conference"

Response Song *Sanctuary* TFWS #2164

Invitation to Generosity: Offering Our Gifts and Our Thanks

Offertory *What Does The Lord Require of You*

Singing Our Praises *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH #94

***Prayer of Dedication**

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song *Touch The Earth Lightly* Murray/Lim

Pastoral Prayer

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

***Benediction**

Postlude *They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love* Scholtes

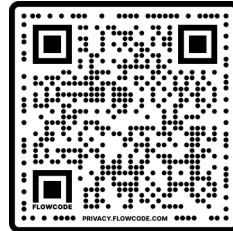
WEEKLY CALENDAR	
Sunday, June 4	Holy Communion
9:00 AM	Worship
10:30 AM	Worship
Monday, June 5	
9:30 AM	Earlybirds
6:30 PM	Scouts
Tuesday, June 6	
6:30 PM	SPRC
7:00 PM	Scouts
Wednesday, June 7	
8:30 AM	Fix-its
9:30 AM	Explorers
5:00 PM	Scouts Workshop/Knight Hall
6:00 PM	Scouts
6:00 PM	Packaging cookies/Kitchen
7:00 PM	AA meeting/Fireside room
7:00 PM	Pub Theology at Pizza Works
Thursday, June 8	
9:15 AM	Seekers
10:30 AM	BH-BL Book Club
6:00 PM	Meet for Parade
7:00 PM	Flag Day Parade
Saturday, June 10	
6:30 PM	Open Mic Night
Sunday, June 11	One Service/Summer Schedule
9:30 AM	Worship
11:45 AM	Parade and Festival in Albany

Please join us for Punch on the Patio, after the service, hosted by Pete Farrell from the Finance Committee.

To find out the latest event information, please regularly check the **Events Calendar on our website at 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. to have one forwarded to you.

Announcements

- **Welcome to worship!** If you are new, please fill out a welcome card found in the pews, if you'd like to receive more information. **Thank you for coming** to spend part of your Sunday with us. We hope you experience a sense of God's love and grace here today.
 - Since we no longer have to sit 6 feet apart, please be mindful that some people have allergies/sensitivities to fragrances such as perfume, cologne and body wash.
 - Please stay **after the second service today to change the altar cloths** from Pentecost to ordinary times.
 - Join us either by walking or riding in the float for the **Flag Day Parade on June 8! Line up is at 6:00 pm and the parade starts at 7:00 pm.** Volunteers needed to:
 - **Bake cookies** (unwrapped by June 7 at 6:00 pm in the kitchen please)
 - **Package cookies**, June 7 at 6:00 pm
 - **Walk in parade**
 - **Sing on the float**Sign up online or by the sheet by Knight Hall. Join the fun helping to spread the word about BHUMC!
 - **Open Mic Night! Friday, June 9 at 6:30 pm.** Sign up to perform outside Knight Hall. Join us for an entertaining evening! There is a **sign up sheet to bring snacks** by Knight Hall or call Cathy Bryson at 518-399-3253 or email catbryson@aol.com.
 - The Social Justice Action Group (SJAG) is organizing our participation in two upcoming Pride events! **Albany Pride**—Sun. 6/11. **Saratoga Pride**—Sun. 6/25. Please see the **sign up sheet for tabling at these events outside Knight Hall.** If you would like to **car pool to Albany Pride**, as parking will be limited, there will also be a **sign up sheet outside Knight Hall.** For more information please see Shelby Bryson, Orion Marchese, or Scott Bryson or call 516-512-1265
 - **Next Steps** is creating a bookshelf **dedicated to gender diversity and other related topics.** Look for 2 shelves outside of Knight Hall. Please feel free to donate and borrow.
- Save the date:**
- **Spud Night 2023—June 8 at River Stone Manor from 4:00-7:00 pm.** **\$20.00 per person** includes a baked or sweet potato with over 20 toppings, beverage, dessert and entertainment by the Salvation Army Youth Music program. **Please RSVP to Spudnight2023@gmail.com.** All proceeds support the Salvation Army in Schenectady.



- **Concerned for the Hungry Golf Tournament on Monday, June 26 at the Schenectady Municipal Golf Course.** Cost is **\$125.00 per person.** To sign up contact Joe Battaglia at jobattaglia2023@gmail.com or Larry Lewis at larrylewisnotge@gmail.com.
- **Confirmation classes are forming now for the fall.** Students entering **8th grade and above** are welcome. We will need **2 leaders** as well as **mentors** to pair up with the youth. Please contact Cathy Bryson, catbryson@aol.com, or Robyn in the office to sign up.

Our Ministry Today

Lead Pastor: *Amy Gregory*
Associate Pastor: *Brendan Fox*
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United Methodist Church

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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.

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