

Welcome

- **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.
- We will be **collecting prayer cards** during the offering. If you would like your **prayer request** forwarded to the Prayer Chain, please check the appropriate box on the card.

Announcements

- Today is **Commitment Sunday** when we will dedicate to God our individual estimates of financial giving cards/pledges for 2025. Cards are available in the narthex.
- **Trunk or Treat is today at 11:45 am.**
- **The Next Faithful Steps: Wednesday, October 30 at 6:00 p.m. in Knight Hall.** Join Pastor Ian for a discussion about changes made at the recent United Methodist General Conference and what it means to be a Reconciling congregation in a more inclusive denomination.
- **On November 3,** we celebrate All Saints Sunday at 9:00 am and 10:30 am with Holy Communion. We will light a candle and read the names of our beloveds who have joined the great cloud of witnesses since last All Saints Sunday. Please submit any names you would like to remember to the office by **October 28.**
- **ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE** will be held in Fireside from **7:00 AM-7:00 PM on Tuesday, November 5.** There will also be tables of handicrafts that make excellent gifts. It would be helpful if baked goods could be clearly marked and left in the church kitchen by **Monday morning, Nov. 4.** All donations and customers are greatly appreciated!!
- **The Christmas Pageant** - Bring the Christmas Story to life. We are seeking children, youth, and adults to be shepherds and kings, Joseph and Mary, Gabriel, innkeepers, angels and townspeople. Those interested should attend a brief meeting on **Sunday, November 3, at noon** in the sanctuary. **Rehearsals will be on Sunday afternoons, 12:00 to 2:30 pm on December 8, 15, and 22.** (Possible rehearsal Monday December 23rd from 10-12:00 - TBD based on participant conflicts).

- Mary's Haven is a community home for the dying. We have two residents at a time. Catholic Charities funds the house and we look to our community for donations. There is no charge to the families. We have volunteers, paid staff and a Hospice team that cares for the residents twenty-four hours a day. Volunteers are trained to give care for the residents. Please scan the QR code for more information about Mary's Haven located in Saratoga. Please contact Agatha Benton (Director) 518-584-9397.



Our Ministry Today

Lead Pastor: *Amy Gregory*
Associate: *Ian Urriola*
Communication Coordinator: *Robyn Axon*
Custodian: *Nick Adami*
Music Ministers: *Pete Van Keuren & Jill Zygo*
Treasurer: *Dee Lowman*
(treasurer@burnthillsumc.org)
Financial Secretary: *Sue Zoller*
(financialsecretary@burnthillsumc.org)
Prayer Blankets: *Deb Whitehead*
Sunday School Superintendent: *Jodi Facticeau-St. Gelais*
Preschool Teachers: *Stephanie Tope & Angela Barclay*
Sound & Video: *Charles Hartmann*

Lead Pastor, Amy Gregory: revgregorybhunc@gmail.com
Church phone: 518-399-5144 press "1"
Associate, Ian Urriola: iurriola@burnthillsumc.org
Church phone: 518-399-5144 press "2"



October 27, 2024



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.

816 Route 50, Burnt Hills, New York 12027
518-399-5144 burnthillsumc@gmail.com

www.nybhunc.com

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram
www.facebook.com/BurntHillsUMC
[burnthillsumc518](https://burnthillsumc518.com)

