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WE ARE THE BODY OF CHRIST

Welcome to Buncombe Street United Methodist Church. You may find additional information at either of the Information Centers or on our website at www.bsumc.com. One center is in the office lobby by Sisk Hall, and the other center is in the main lobby just behind the Sanctuary. The centers are open before and after each of the worship services. Information about Sunday school is available at each center. If you would like to become a member of our church family, contact Stacy Phillips in the church office at 864-371-6084. We are happy to help you find your place here!

8:45AM & 11:00AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP (SANCTUARY) 8:45AM & 11:00AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP (SISK HALL) 10:00AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

THOSE SERVING TODAY

Greeters

8:45 AM Mike Maston, Christine Maston, Ken Troutman, Earl Grubbs, Gary Daniels, Muriel Taylor, Molly Maloney, Avon Smith

11:00 AM Dawn Brown, Sue Tompkins, Michael Middleton, Mel Middleton, David Merline, Barby Merline, Ivan Brewington

Ushers

8:45 AM Ken Troutman, Steve Thrailkill, Dottie Pittman, Joel Brandon

11:00 AM Chip Fogleman, David Koontz, Miles Loretta, Matt Shouse, Nate Manning

Offering Tellers

Michael Herlong, Capers Easterby, Tom Whitted

Offering Steward

8:45 AM Liz Philpot

11:00 AM Fred Suggs

Crucifer

8:45 AM Parker Stambaugh

11:00 AM Margaret Shaughnessy

Acolytes

8:45 AM Clark Sponseller, Davis Sponseller

11:00 AM Charlotte Wilson, Reece Hensley

Children's Nursery

BSUMC's nursery, staffed by paid, trained, & caring employees, depends on church member volunteers to assist in each room during each of the services. Contact Gayle Quay (gayle.quay@bsumc.com, 864-371-6089).

ONLINE GIVING

Manage your *giving to God* through the church from the church website and the Online Giving tab (<https://secure.accesssacs.com/access/login.aspx>).

HOSPITAL LIST

"Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them. . ." James 5:13-14

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

We are called upon to do good. We need always to remember that Jesus died for the world and not for the Church. Your offering this morning will be shared and do good in the world caring for God's children. Thank you.



If you are interested in making any special gifts to your church, feel free to discuss this with your pastor. The pastor will help put you in touch with appropriate advisors.

For more information about gifts to the Endowment Fund, contact Julia Sibley-Jones (864-720-1634; julia.sibley-jones@bsumc.com).

THIS WEEK AT BSUMC

Sunday, June 24, 2018

10:00 AM Children's Ministry (Truluck)
10:00 AM Confirmation Informational Meeting (217)
10:00 AM New Beginnings Class (Memorial Chapel)
10:00 AM Young Adults (District Office)
5:00 PM Leisure Ministry Committee (102)

Monday, June 25, 2018

8:30 AM Basketball Camp (Drake, Sisk)
10:00 AM Worship Staff (115)
12:00 PM Emmanuel's Hammer (102)
12:00 PM Ministries Leadership Team (217)
6:00 PM Men's Basketball (Drake)

Tuesday, June 26, 2018

8:30 AM Basketball Camp (Drake, Sisk)
9:30 AM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)
1:15 PM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)
7:00 PM Young Adults Dinner (One Plaza)
8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous (217)

Wednesday, June 27, 2018

8:30 AM Basketball Camp (Drake, Sisk)
12:00 PM CDC Board (102)
5:30 PM Circles (Sisk, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217)
6:00 PM CDC CPR/First Aid (Truluck)
6:30 PM BSA Troop 9 (Scout Hut)

Thursday, June 28, 2018

8:30 AM Basketball Camp (Drake, Sisk)
9:30 AM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)
10:00 AM John's Gospel by Michael Card (217)
12:00 PM What Happens When Women Pray (217)
1:15 PM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)
2:30 PM CDC Soccer Shots (Drake)

Friday, June 29, 2018

8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous (217)

Saturday, June 30, 2018

4:00 PM Worship Set-Up (Sisk)
5:00 PM Moyer/Simmons Duo Recital (Sanctuary)
To learn more about future events planned at BSUMC, visit our website at www.bsumc.com and click on the calendar link.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

During the 8:45 AM traditional service, **Wells Elizabeth de Roos** will be baptized. She is the daughter of Ashley and Kristiaan de Roos. During the 11:00 AM service, **Michael Coleman Hunter** will be baptized.

NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

During the 11:00 AM traditional service, **Heather & Cole Hunter** and **Jared McGaffee** will join the church.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Attention, Adults. Explore the topics of depression, suicide, and addiction at a **special Sunday school class** to be held **today** in Memorial Chapel at 10:00 AM. Member Joel Shaw will share insights, strength, and hope based on experience. Joel's message to all who struggle: "You are not alone."

We are excited about our new **Confirmation class**. Informational meetings will be held **today** or **August 12** at 10:00 AM in Room 217. If your child is a rising sixth grade student, please plan to attend one of these meetings. Contact Gayle Quay (gayle.quay@bsumc.com) with any questions.

With grateful hearts, the Music Ministry is pleased to share that funding has been received for all the Trinity Campus and Downtown Campus **choir robes**. The robes should arrive in late July.

Take a little bit of Buncombe Street on **vacation with you this summer!** Stop by the main lobby, the office lobby, or Sisk Hall to pick up a fan with Dr. Bob's face on it. (One per family, please.) Take Dr. Bob with you on your travels, and then post pictures on social media with the hashtags #bobonboard, #BSUMC, #churchisfun.

The **Sacrament of Baptism** is considered a high moment in the life of our church. If you would like for your child to be baptized, we ask that you first attend one of our baptism classes. These one-hour classes are taught by BSUMC senior pastor Dr. Bob Howell and explore the meaning, purpose, and practice of baptism in the United Methodist Church. We will offer our next Baptism class from 6:00 to 7:00 PM on **Sunday, July 15**. Child care will be offered upon request. To register, contact Stacy Phillips in the church office (864-371-6084).

Attention, Parents of rising third grade children. The church will **present Bibles to rising third graders** on Promotion **Sunday, August 26** at both of the 8:45 AM worship services. Please submit your child's full name and the location of the service you will be attending (contemporary or traditional) to Gayle Quay (gayle.quay@bsumc.com) by **July 9**.

Join Rev. Howell for a **10-day trip to the Holy Land** during 2019 from April 24 to May 4. The group will visit many holy places from the Sea of Galilee to Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Bethany, Nazareth, Jericho, and many other places. An informational meeting will be held on **Monday, July 9**, at 6:30 PM in the Truluck Dining Room. Please attend if you are interested and learn about the details. The per person cost is \$3,850 and the group size will be limited to 40. Email Tom for more information (tom.buchanan@bsumc.com).

Two exciting Leisure Ministry outings are planned this summer. If you have ever wanted to **zipline or kayak down a river**, now is your opportunity! We'll meet up in Saluda, NC, at 11:00 AM on **Saturday, July 14**, for a great experience. All of the details can be found on the church website and registration is now open (www.bsumc.info/the-gorge-trip-to-saluda). Then, on **Sunday, August 12**, we'll head to Georgia by chartered bus for an **afternoon baseball game** between the **Atlanta Braves and The Milwaukee Brewers**. We'll leave from the church after the 8:45 AM worship hour and have plenty of time to arrive and purchase food and refreshments before we get to our seats. All of the details can be found on the church website (www.bsumc.info/atlanta-braves-game) and registration is now open.

Happy Days Camp, a four-day camp, will be held **August 6-9** at Asbury Hills Camp and Retreat Center. This camp is for under-resourced children from the Greenville community. Would you please sponsor a child? It only takes \$75 to sponsor one. Online giving is available through the church website or checks may be made payable to BSUMC with Happy Days Camp noted on the memo line. Contact Anna Thompson with questions (864-419-1126; thompsontigers@att.net).

You are invited to join in a discernment of how God is calling us to work for justice and reconciliation. Buncombe Street UMC is partnering with Just Faith Ministries for a **pilgrimage to Koinonia Farm, Stewart Detention Center, Jubilee Partners, and El Refugio**. The group will leave from the church the morning of **Friday, August 10**, and return the following evening on **Saturday, August 11**. Contact Rev. Kristin Dollar to sign up or to request additional information (kristin.dollar@bsumc.com).

Ladies, you are invited to join a **video series study** by Michael Card. No preparation is necessary and there's no book to purchase, just bring a Bible! The group will meet at the church from 10:00 AM until 11:30 AM from **June 21 through August 16**. Contact Jane Peden for more information (janepeden@patmosinc.com).

Enjoy the weekly **Par 3 Twilight Golf** on **Mondays** at 6:00 PM at the Cross Winds Par 3 course. The 9-hole fee is \$9 per player. Play will go through September 24, but will pause on September 3 (Labor Day weekend). This year we're planning to grab a bite to eat at Tippy Taco after play. Come join in and invite a friend.

There is still time to secure your spot to **"Fill the Chancel"** during the month of July. **On July 1**, we have openings at both 8:45 AM and 11:00 AM Downtown as well as for the Trinity 11:00 AM service. The remaining Sundays in July all have openings for 8:45 AM Downtown and 11:00 AM at Trinity. Contact Rosemary Hughes (864-371-6092; rosemary.hughes@bsumc.com).

8:45AM & 11:00AM

*As you begin your worship, you are invited to study the bulletin for persons and
Remember the volunteers and staff members who make our corporation
musicians, clergy, and yourself; so that in our*

PRELUDE

GREETING

CHIMING THE HOUR

VOLUNTARY

I Will Magnify the Lord

Williams

We ask for your prayerful silence during the Voluntary as you prepare your hearts for worship.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

O Church of God, United

UMH 547

*The cross symbolizes the Gospel message, Christ crucified and risen.
Fire and light are Biblical symbols for the presence of God, here present with his people.*

*COLLECT OF THE DAY

Caleb Punt, *Duke Divinity Intern*

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your lovingkindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (8:45 AM)

INTRODUCTION

Dearly Beloved, baptism is an outward and visible sign of the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, through which grace we become partakers of his righteousness and heirs of life eternal. Those receiving the sacrament are thereby marked as Christian disciples and initiated into the fellowship of Christ's Holy Church. Our Lord has expressly given to little children a place among the people of God which holy privilege must not be denied them. Remember the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, how he said, "Let the children come to me, do not hinder them; for to such belongs the Kingdom of God."

COMMENDATION AND WELCOME

Members of the household of faith, I commend to your love and care **Wells Elizabeth de Roos**, whom we this day recognize as a member of the family of God. Will you endeavor so to live that she may grow in the knowledge and love of God the Father, through our Savior Jesus Christ?

With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that Wells Elizabeth, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

FIRST LESSON

Psalms 133

Pew Bible, OT p. 575

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

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.

TRADITIONAL SERVICES

and activities to include in your silent prayers of intercession and thanksgiving.

Prayer action possible: ushers, acolytes, custodial and support staff,

in common worship, God may be glorified.

*OFFERTORY HYMN Christ, from Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 550

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

ANTHEM In Christ Alone arr. Koerts

*In Christ alone my hope is found. He is my light, my strength, my song:
this Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease,
my Comforter, my all in all; here in the love of Christ I stand.
In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe,
this gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones he came to save,
'til on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied,
for every sin on him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.
No guilt in life, no fear in death, this power of Christ in me,
from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from his hand!
'Til he returns, or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.*

SECOND LESSON 1 Corinthians 12:12-30 Pew Bible, NT p. 174

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON "One Body, One Church" Dr. Gilreath

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed UMH 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*RECESSIONAL HYMN Blest Be the Tie That Binds UMH 557

The cross and light lead us out — God's presence going with us to proclaim the Gospel.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP (11:00 AM)

*BLESSING OF THE PEOPLE

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*CHIMING THE TRINITY

POSTLUDE Praise! Martin

