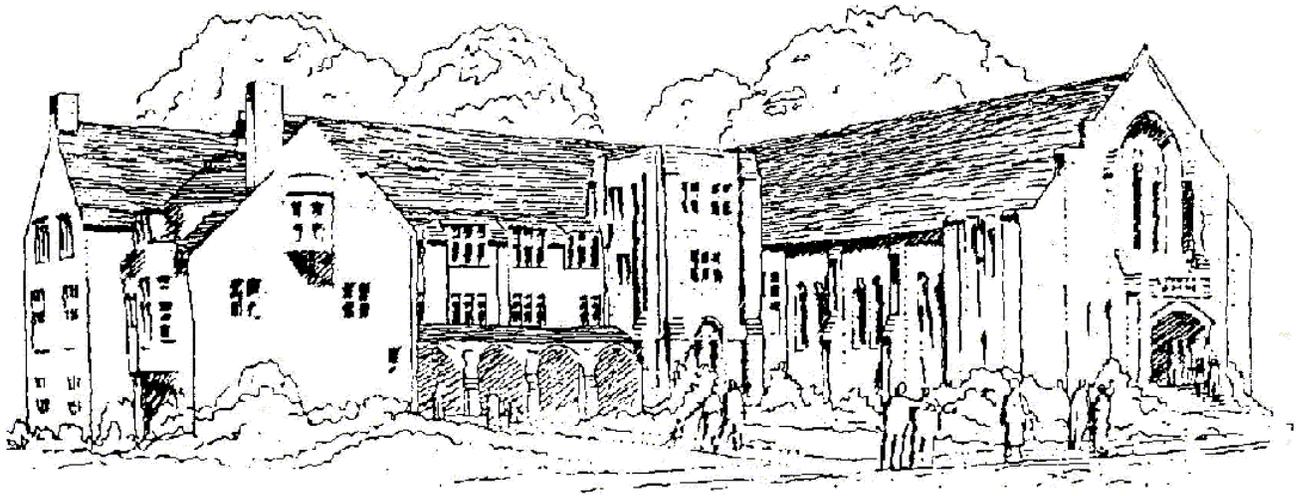


*September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022*



## UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

**Our Mission: to be a loving and inclusive community;  
seeking faith, joy, action; nurtured by the Biblical tradition,  
the teachings of Christ, and God's continuing revelation**



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Jesus said, "Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God." Therefore, this place of sanctuary is free of violence in all its forms, including firearms. University Baptist Church is a member of the American Baptist Churches/USA, the Alliance of Baptists, The Twin Cities Baptist Association, the Association of Welcoming and Affirming Baptists, and the Baptist Peace Fellowship of North America. Our intention at University Baptist Church is to use inclusive language in our worship.

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# University Baptist Church

September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022

*Pentecost XVI*

10:00 am

## GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Through Adam's Fall

JS Bach

*Welcome!*

### CALL TO WORSHIP/LLAMADA A LA ADORACIÓN

One: Jesus, walk beside me!

**Many: I have come here to lose the smog.**

One: I've got to get back to the land.

**Many: I've got to set my soul free!**

One: I feel myself a cog in something turning!

**Many: Maybe it is just the time of year.**

One: Or may it's the time of man.

**Many: You know life is for learning!**

One: We are stardust.

**Many: We are golden.**

**All: And we've got to get ourselves back to the garden.**

-Woodstock, Joni Mitchell

OPENING HYMN

*As Earth Turns Toward Light*

LYONS

A Singing Faith #3

# As Earth Turns Toward Light

3

1 As earth turns toward light, As flowers face the sun,  
 2 You call us to care For jus - tice and peace,  
 3 U - nite us in prayer On this day of days,  
 4 O come and re - joice To - geth - er in prayer.

From morn - ing till night We yearn toward the One:  
 For new ways to dare To work and not cease,  
 And teach us to share In un - num - bered ways,  
 Praise God in one voice, Good news to de - clare,

De - sign - er and Mak - er of crea - tures and sod,  
 Till there comes a dawn - ing that ends the dark night  
 Our skills, strengths, and voi - ces no pro - ject need shirk,  
 For Christ is vic - to - rious in con - quer - ing fear.

Of calm sea and break - er, our life - giv - ing God!  
 Of ap - a - thy's yawn - ing and sin's grip - ping fright.  
 When each heart re - joic - es in wor - ship and work.  
 The fu - ture is glo - rious! Sal - va - tion is here!

Jane Parker Huber, 1985

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LYONS 10 10 11 11

Adapted from J. Michael Haydn (1737-1806)

## PRAYING TOGETHER

### MORNING PRAYER

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father/Mother 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

Padre/Madre nuestro, que estás en el cielo, santificado sea tu nombre; venga a nosotros tu reino; hágase tu voluntad en la tierra como en el cielo. Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día; perdona nuestras ofensas, como también nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden; no nos dejes caer en la tentación, y líbranos del mal. Porque tuyo es el reino, el poder, y la gloria, por siempre. Amén.

¡San - to, san - to, san - to, mi cor - a - zón te a - do - ra! Mi  
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you! My

cor - a - zón te sa - be de - cir: san - to e - res Dios.  
heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, God.

F C Am F G7 C

## ATTENDING TO THE WORD

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 2:4b-17, 3:20-24

Rev. Doug Donley

SPANISH SCRIPTURE READING

John Medeiros

HYMN

A Singing Faith #12

*Designer, Creator, Most Provident God*

JOANNA

# 12 Designer, Creator, Most Provident God

1 De - sign - er, Cre - a - tor, most prov - i - dent God,  
2 We pray that your peo - ple will find in this place  
3 The mu - sic of si - lence ca - res - sing our ears  
4 You call us to jus - tice, to free - dom and peace,

We praise you for for - ests and moun - tains and sod,  
Full mea - sures, o'er - flow - ing, of love and of grace,  
Re - news us in spir - it and eas - es our fears.  
To work build - ing bridg - es that love may in - crease.

For life - giv - ing wa - ter in riv - er and lake,  
Of chal - leng - ing thought and of nur - tur - ing care,  
We lis - ten, we pon - der, we wait for your voice,  
Stand with us to show us the ex - cel - lent way

For life more a - bun - dant for all the world's sake.  
Of deep - en - ing friend - ships and strength - en - ing prayer.  
And hear - ing, in grat - i - tude, now we re - joice.  
To wel - come, un - hin - dered, your long - prom - ised day.

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JOANNA · 11 11 11 11  
Welsh hymn melody

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

### OFFERING

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### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

#### *Her Virgin Eyes Saw God Incarnate Born*

Arr. Andrew Sims

#### *Anthem text:*

Her virgin eyes say God incarnate born,  
When she to Bethlehem came that happy morn,  
How high her raptures then began to swell,  
None but her own omniscient Son can tell.

2 As Eve, when she her fontal sin reviewed,  
Wept for herself and all she should include,  
Blest Mary with man's Saviour in embrace  
Joyed for herself and for all human race.

3 All Saints are by her Son's dear influence blest,  
She kept the very Fountain at her breast;  
The Son adored and nursed by the sweet Maid  
A thousandfold of love for love repaid.

### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Mediante la fe todos somos hijos y hijas de Dios.  
Porque todos los que han sido bautizados en Cristo,  
se han revistido de Cristo. No hay judío ni griego;  
no hay esclavo ni libre; no hay hombre ni mujer;  
porque todos somos uno en Cristo Jesús.

(adaptado de Gálatas 3:26-28)

**Through faith we are all children of God. For as  
many as were baptized into Christ have put on  
Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek. There is  
neither slave nor free. Neither is there male nor  
female. For we are all one in Christ Jesus.**

(Galatians 3:26-28, adapted)

### CLOSING HYMN

A Singing Faith #4

#### *God of History—Recent, Ancient*

HYFRYDOL

4

God of History—Recent, Ancient

1 God of his - tory— re - cent, an - cient— God of  
 2 You have called us from di - vi - sion In - to  
 3 How are we, then, called to an - swer As we  
 4 God, you point us toward the fu - ture Where Christ

ev - ery yes - ter - day, Still our God in this day's  
 u - ni - ty and hope. Each and all be - long to -  
 work and as we live, Called to jus - tice, called to  
 leads and shows the way. Here and now, work not yet

mo - ments, Where we go or where we stay: You have  
 geth - er In the world's ka - lei - do - scope. Help us  
 mis - sion, Learn - ing to re - ceive and give? Shall we  
 fin - ished Needs our strength and will to - day. Thus we

set us in this con - text, Time, re - la - tion -  
 lis - ten to the voic - es Dar - ing us to  
 build a bridge of prom - ise? Tear down walls that  
 move in - to to - mor - row, Called to live and

ship, and place, Hear our praise and glad thanks -  
 be and do What you plan for church and  
 split, di - vide? Fling wide door - ways, o - pen  
 work and be Rec - on - cil - ers, pil - grim

giv - ing For all signs of pre - sent grace.  
 peo - ple, Lov - ing oth - ers, prais - ing you.  
 win - dows? Let the Spir - it come in - side?  
 peo - ple, Called by Christ, by Christ set free.

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HYFRYDOL 87 87 D  
 Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1855

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

God, the Splendor of Your Light

M. Brosig

JOYS AND CONCERNS

(After the livestream ends)

**Notes on the music:**

This text of the hymn which the chorale prelude by Bach is based on continues ... "When Adam fell, the human race was doomed to condemnation ... But thanks to God from death we have been taken ... As befits the text, this is one of the most dissonant and chromatic of the chorale preludes. Indeed, one commentator remarked, the motif of the descending 7<sup>th</sup> in the pedals is a musical representation of the "fall." Maybe. But then, it might just be an effective compositional device, one used by Bach in many other pieces.

Eve gets equal time in the anthem.

I'm not advocating this theology, merely illustrating some musical renditions of it. --DL

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Today**

**The nursery, room 205, is open but unstaffed during services.** Feel free to watch the service from there via livestream. Please bring your own device if you wish to do this (smart phone, laptop, tablet, etc). A reminder to please make sure that all toys and games are put away when you leave the nursery so that our janitorial staff can keep the space as clean and safe as possible!

**Join us during our zoom events!** See our newsletter for the links. You can find it on our web site [www.ubcmn.org](http://www.ubcmn.org). There are links for the options below.

**If you would like to donate money for hurricane disaster relief in Puerto Rico,** please earmark your donation to One Great Hour of Sharing, our denomination's program to support disaster relief work.

### **This week**

**Spanish Classes** – every Monday and Thursday. Monday's classes are the Intermediate Class is 5-6 pm and Beginning Class is 6:15-7:15 pm. Thursday's Spanish Conversation class is at 4:30 pm. If you are new to Spanish or not yet ready for conversations, the Beginning Class is a great option for you. In the Beginning Class, we focus on vocabulary development and verb conjugation. If you are comfortable with basic Spanish, vocabulary and verb conjugation the Intermediate Class would be a good fit for you. In the Intermediate Class, we read, write, and discuss in Spanish. Please contact Anielka at [anymontiel22@gmail.com](mailto:anymontiel22@gmail.com) or 651-295-4590. If you would like to learn with us from the comfort of your home, these classes will be by Zoom.

**Anti-Racism Discussion and Action Group** – (Sept. 27 at 7 pm). We will discuss next steps for the group. ZOOM INFO: Meeting ID: 831 4584 1908 Passcode: 313775  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83145841908?pwd=djhuSmMwZ1NESXZ5SEExNOURXa2FNQT0>

**Choir Rehearsals** – Wednesday at 6pm in the sanctuary (September 28<sup>th</sup>).

**Bells Rehearsals** Wednesdays at 7:30pm in the sanctuary (September 28<sup>th</sup>).

**Garden Team** – From 9/29-11/3, we will meet Thursdays at 10-12pm (weather permitting). Come help beautify our church gardens! We have tools and gloves available, and will mostly work on weeding, pruning and watering. Park in the Mormon lot or behind the church. Feel free to join us whenever you're available! If you have any questions, please contact Trish Donley at [patricia.donley63@gmail.com](mailto:patricia.donley63@gmail.com).

### **Loaves & Fishes — Friday, September 30.**

Like the past few times we'll be at Peace House Community. It's a few blocks northeast of St. Stephen's. It's smaller but will be similar to what we were doing at St. Stephen's. We expect that we'll have about 200 guests come to pick up meals. Peace House is at 1816 Portland Avenue South in Minneapolis (55404). Parking is available on the street or in a small lot off the alley to the west side of the building. Enter the building on the west side. We'll be preparing the food from 2:00 to 5:00, making to-go boxes from 4:45 to 6:15, and cleaning up until about 7:00. We need to have about four people volunteer for preparation, about six for making the to-go boxes, and a couple for clean-up. We will wear masks and keep our distance while working. There won't be any dining at Peace House for now, all carry out. Let Steve Lee know if you'd like to help out by either emailing him at [steven.lee@thrivent.com](mailto:steven.lee@thrivent.com) or calling him at 612-844-8194 or 763-645-9499.

### **Homecoming Parade –Friday, September 30.**

The homecoming parade will once again be on University Avenue and pass right in front of UBC. Gather on the lawn to cook s'mores and enjoy the festivities. The parade begins at 6:30pm, but note that University Avenue will be closed off at least an hour before the start of the parade.

## Looking Ahead

**Memoir Writing Group** – every other Tuesday at 7pm (October 4<sup>th</sup>). All are welcome! New prompts include first awareness of racism/whiteness, abortion, mental health, and people who've influenced you, or whatever else you feel moved to write about. Contact Trish Donley if you have any questions.

**Grace in Contemporary Literature by Women Book Group** – October 8<sup>th</sup> at 1pm. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Follett at [chrisf2828@yahoo.com](mailto:chrisf2828@yahoo.com).

**UBC/FCC Knitting Group** – every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday at 7pm (October 17<sup>th</sup>). The group is made up of stitchers from UBC and First Congregational Church. All are welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Chris Follett at [chrisf2828@yahoo.com](mailto:chrisf2828@yahoo.com).

## Volunteer Opportunities

### Every Meal

UBC participates in Every Meal, a program that distributes meals over weekends and school breaks for families of children who receive free and reduced meals when school is in session. The distribution schedule at Marcy Open school for UBC takes place on the first Friday of each month. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Denise Roy.

### Little Free Pantry

UBC is looking for volunteers to keep our Little Free Pantry on University Avenue stocked (once/week).

*Suggested items to donate to the Little Free Pantry include:*

Toiletries (toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo(small)/body wash/hand sanitizer, razors, feminine hygiene products)

Boxed mixes that only require water to prepare - Bars/cracker packs - Ramen/instant soups in cups - Rice/pasta/quinoa - Canned items with pop tops - Boxed Mac & cheese - Protein shakes -

Tuna packets - Individually wrapped utensils with napkins

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Trish Donley, our Little Free Pantry coordinator.

### Afghan Evacuee Resettlement

Alight (formerly the American Refugee Committee) has received funding to place Afghan families in the Twin Cities and our very own Trish Donley is spearheading the UBC volunteer effort toward that endeavor, which will involve arranging items that are brought to homes by others (i.e., staging the home for families, setting up kitchens, arranging furniture, making beds, etc.). Volunteers can sign up at [volunteer@wearealight.org](mailto:volunteer@wearealight.org). If you have any questions, please contact Teresa Janicke Devick (with Alight) at [trjdevick@yahoo.com](mailto:trjdevick@yahoo.com), or Trish Donley. COVID vaccines and background checks are required.

## MISSION OFFERINGS

Each month we lift up one of our mission partners. If you want to earmark a donation to this mission, please indicate that on your payment (online or by check). See “Offerings” in the Announcements section below for details on how to donate. Here’s the information for this month’s special mission offering:

**Special Offerings for September and October highlight ministries that promote racial justice and understanding. We believe that the church is for all people, and that God calls us to help heal the pain caused by the injustices of racism around us. These special offerings will go toward ministries which promote racial justice and help create a world that dismantles white supremacy and its acts of institutional racism. This past year, we supported Alight (formerly, the American Refugee Committee), CAIR (Council on American-Islamic Relations), and the Minnesota Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice. We are always happy to hear about organizations which you think we might consider for additional funding. Please consider a gift to our September/October special offering to support our work to promote racial equity and justice.**

- Kim Donley and Deidre Druk, Outreach co-chairs