

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Thanksgiving Eve

November 24, 2021

7:00 P.M.

GATHER TO WORSHIP (Please remember to silence your cell phones. Thank you.)

PRELUDE Mark Johnson

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 106:1-2 NRSV

Leader: Praise the Lord! Give thanks to the Lord because he is good, because his faithful love endures forever.

People: Who could possibly repeat all of the Lord’s mighty acts or publicly recount all his praise?

ALL: Praise the Lord!

*OPENING PRAYER

Come Holy Spirit. On this night before Thanksgiving we gather together to honor You, O Lord. We come bringing our gifts to You. Thank You Lord for your many blessings. May we be blessings to others and mindful of those in need around us. Thank You for your amazing grace. In Jesus Name. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” No. 139
Verses 1, 3, 5

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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.

*SONG OF PREPARATION “Forever” With Praise Team

*SCRIPTURE READING II Corinthians 9:6-15 CEB

MEDITATION “Lessons from Paul” Rev. Jan Johnson

BLESSING OF GIFTS “Come Let’s Go Up” Praise Team

*CLOSING HYMN “Spirit Song” No. 347

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Mark Johnson

LEAVE TO SERVE


**Please stand if able.*

Preaching:	Rev. Jan Johnson
Liturgist:	John-Philip Fultz
Worship Leader:	John-Phillip Fultz
Children's Coordinator:	Becky Fultz
Organist:	Mark Johnson
Ushers:	Jerry Taylor
Sound Tech:	Mike Fisher
Camera Tech:	Janet Fisher
Video Tech:	Susan Saul


The flowers on the Altar are given and dedicated to the glory of God.




PLEASE JOIN US
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH
AT 10:00 A.M.
FOR HANGING OF THE GREENS
We will decorate the church and sanctuary for Christmas and listen to Christmas carols! Come and celebrate the beginning of the Advent Season



Becky is planning a special Christmas party and is in need of cookies and sandwich baggies. Please see her for further details!




Horace Mann School has children that are in need of winter coats. Any gently used coats would be greatly appreciated.



I can’t believe that the time is coming again for us to be thinking about our hat, mitten and scarf ministry for our partner school Horace Mann! Please drop off your hats, mittens and scarves to the office, or bring them to church on Sunday.

Also, as a teacher, I know it is about this time of year that I am running out of folders, loose leaf paper, and pencils! Let’s surprise our partner school teachers with some extra support in these areas. As you feel led, grab a pack of pencils or some paper, and maybe a folder to help the teachers! Thanks Becky



BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE
Wednesday, December 15th at 7:00 p.m.
This is a service for those suffering and grieving at this time of year.



FOOD PANTRY HOURS
SATURDAYS 10:00 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.
THE 2ND AND 4TH SATURDAYS
BEGINNING IN JULY

SERVES THE 45420 ZIP CODE
ENTER THROUGH THE BELLAIRE AVE. ENTRANCE.

The food pantry is in need of cereal, soup, rice, beans, crackers, toilet paper and plastic bags are always needed.



CHANCEL CHOIR

We practice on Wednesday nights,
7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Not too late to join choir!

DO YOU HAVE YOUR BELMONT T-SHIRT YET?

T-shirts and sweatshirts can be found on the welcome table, or in the church office. Please see Kathy Batts or call the church office if you do not see a size that you need.



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| Lead Pastor | Rev. Jan Johnson |
| Worship Leader | John-Philip Fultz |
| Children's Coordinator | Becky Fultz |
| Youth Director | Anne Lumpkin |
| Administrative Assistant | Susan Saul |
| Finance | Beverly Taylor/Kathy Batts |
| Organist | Mark Johnson |
| Custodian | Danny Jacques |
| Evening Host | Kevin Wheatley/Gail Long |

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 Read our blog at bumcdayton.wordpress.com

EVENTS

Mark Your Calendar

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES, 9:15 A.M.
TRADITIONAL SERVICE, 10:30 A.M.
BASKETBALL COACHES MEETING, 1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
COVENANT CHURCH, 4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

INTERCESSORY PRAYER, 8:30 A.M.
THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE, 7:00 P.M.
NA, 7:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27

HANGING OF THE GREENS, 10:00 A.M.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES, 9:15 A.M.
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BELMONT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

OUR MISSION

MAKING NEW AND GROWING DISCIPLES OF
JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF
OUR COMMUNITY AND BEYOND.

OUR VISION

BELMONT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH IS A WELCOMING
COMMUNITY OF AUTHENTIC, CHRIST-CENTERED DISCIPLES ON A
LIFE-LONG JOURNEY OF FAITH AND LOVE.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

The holidays will be here before we know it! It's time to order your Christmas Poinsettias. The price is \$11.50 each; your plants will be available for pick up after the Christmas Eve worship service.

Please fill out the order form below, make your check payable to Belmont UM Church and write on the memo line: Christmas flower order. You may put your order form in the offering plate or turn it into the office. If you wish to give your plant to a shut-in, please indicate that on your order form. **The last day to place your order will be Sunday, December 5th.** If you have any questions, please contact Susan at 254-1788.

PLEASE ENCLOSE PAYMENT WITH YOUR ORDER

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Our resources are limited so it is important that only families in need of assistance are accepted. Also, we need individuals or groups within the church to Adopt-A-Family. Gifts will be purchased for children 18 years and younger with a monetary limit up to \$40.00 for each child. If you Adopt-A-Family, you will be provided with a list of needed items along with sizes. Gifts should be wrapped and marked on the outside of the wrappings with the name of the person receiving the gift. The wrapped gifts should be dropped off to the church office or given to Susan by **December 13th.** If you would like to make a monetary donation for the Christmas Adopt-A-Family program, please mark on your donation envelope or check, Adopt-A-Family. Monetary donations should be in by **December 1st.**

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