



***Bryn Mawr  
Presbyterian Church***

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July 17, 2016  
8:00 a.m., Chapel  
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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# GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

## PRELUDE

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Rachel Pedersen

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## CALL TO CONFESSION

### AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

Gracious God, in mercy and goodness you sustain us  
through all the seasons of life.

You have provided for us, healed and restored us.

When we forget your providential care,  
we pray that you will forgive our ingratitude.

When we fail to discern the leading of your guiding hand,  
we pray that you will forgive our self-centeredness.

Help us to receive your abounding love and grace,  
and to share our gifts of faith with others; we pray in Jesus' name.

*A moment of silence for personal reflection and confession.*

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE



Musical notation for the Congregational Response, consisting of two staves in 4/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of the response, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Spir-it of the liv-ing God, fall a-fresh on me. Spir-it of the liv-ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me. Spir-it of the liv-ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

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## HEARING THE WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Brad Baturka

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Agnes W. Norfleet

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

### SERMON

*Moses: Leader of the Exodus*

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### † HYMN 52

When Israel Was in Egypt's Land

GO DOWN MOSES

# RESPONDING TO THE WORD

## SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Rachel Pedersen

*You are invited to come forward, using the center aisle, to partake of the Lord's Supper by intinction (dipping a piece of bread into the cup); return to your seat using the side aisle.*

*Gluten- and casein-free elements are on the center table.*

*You are invited to bring your morning offering to the offering plates when you come forward.*

## THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION AND THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER *(in unison)*

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.

## THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Agnes W. Norfleet

† HYMN 37

Let All Things Now Living

ASH GROVE

† SENDING AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

## POSTLUDE

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**CLIP AND SAVE FOR THEVILLAGE.** Clip the UPC codes or save clean lids from participating General Mills products and General Mills box tops and place them in our collection box located on the bookcase next to the Receptionist Desk in the Court. You also may register your Giant Food Store Bonus Card to have a portion of your purchase donated to theVillage. <https://www.giantfoodstores.com/aplus/index.html>.



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**SHARE HOSPITAL INFORMATION.** Due to current privacy laws, it is more difficult for our pastors to know when BMPC members have been admitted to a hospital. Call the church office at 610-525-2821 if you or any one you know is hospitalized, and let us know if and when you volunteer at any local hospitals.

**SUPPORT OUR TROOPS.** Please pray for Staff Sgt. Christian Craig, Valerie and Peter Craig's son, on his third deployment to the Middle East, and also for Frieda Kaniuka's grandson in the Armed Forces. If you have a loved one who is serving in the Armed Forces, contact Janney Ryan, janneyryan610@gmail.com.

**NEED A RIDE?** We can help you with some of your transportation needs. For rides to medical and other appointments call Lorie Benovic, ext. 8833. Volunteer drivers welcome.

**SERVE WITH OUR PASTORAL CARE TEAM.** Provide rides for older adults, meals to those recuperating, prayer shawls for those in need of prayer, or visits to the homebound. LorieBenovic@bmpe.org or ext. 8833.

# **This Week's Calendar**

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- 8:00 a.m. **Worship with Communion, Chapel**
- 8:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room
- 9:00 a.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft
- 10:00 a.m. **Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary**
- 10:15 a.m. Summer Sunday School for age 4 - grade 3, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 201
- 11:00 a.m. Lemonade on the Lawn (rain location: Ministries Center Court)
- 11:15 a.m. Reclaiming Evangelism, Witherspoon Parlor

## **Monday, July 18, 2016**

- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium

## **Tuesday, July 19, 2016**

- 10:15 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium
- 5:30 p.m. Summer Upward Basketball, Gymnasium

## **Wednesday, July 20, 2016**

- 8:00 a.m. Stewardship Meeting, Conference Room
- 9:00 a.m. Walk for Life: Walk More, Live Better!; Meet in Main parking lot
- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium
- 7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting, Conference Room

**Thursday, July 21, 2016**

10:00 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Gloucester Room

6:00 p.m. Personnel Committee Meeting, Fullerton Room

**Friday, July 22, 2016**

9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium

**Saturday, July 23, 2016**

10:00 a.m. Bereavement Group, Converse House Parlor

**Sunday, July 24, 2016**

8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion, Chapel

10:00 a.m. Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary  
The Rev. Rebecca Kirkpatrick will preach

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## ***Worship Staff***

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**Agnes W. Norfleet**, Pastor

**Rebecca Kirkpatrick**, Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Mission

**Rachel Pedersen**, Associate Pastor for Children and Family Ministry

**Kellen A. Smith**, Associate Pastor for Youth, Their Families and College Ministries

**Richard Wohlschlaeger**, Interim Associate Pastor for Senior Adults & Pastoral Care

**Jeffrey Brillhart**, Director of Music and Fine Arts

**Edward L. Landin**, Assistant Director of Music

## ***Contact Information***

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The Middleton Center: 610-525-0766 • [KikiMcKendrick@bmpc.org](mailto:KikiMcKendrick@bmpc.org)

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**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

† **GLORIA PATRI** (*in unison*) (Hymnal 581)

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the  
beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

*Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment.*



# PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

## CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rachel Pedersen

## SENDING HYMN      Go now, Children, with our Blessing

*During the Sending Hymn, children depart for their Sunday School classes.*



Go now, children with our blessing, to love and serve the Lord. May God  
Bless you, May God guard you, May the light of God shine upon you, and may  
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# RESPONSE TO THE WORD

## † AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *(in unison)*

Rebecca Kirkpatrick

We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father.  
In sovereign love God created the world good  
and makes everyone equally in God's image, male and female,  
of every race and people, to live as one community.  
But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator.  
Ignoring God's commandments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves,  
accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature,  
and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care.  
We deserve God's condemnation.  
Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation.  
In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people  
to bless all families of the earth.  
Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage.  
Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant.  
Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child,  
like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.

~ From *A Brief Statement of Faith*, 1983

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## OFFERING AND OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Be Thou My Vision  
Summer Choir

arr. Alice Parker

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; Nought be all else to me, save that thou art. Thou my best thought by day or by night, waking or sleeping thy presence my light. Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word; I ever with thee and thou with me Lord. Thou my great Father, I thy true son; Thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one. Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise. Thou mine inheritance, now and always. Thou and thou only first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure thou art. High King of heaven my victory won, may I reach heav'n's joys, O bright heaven's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall. Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

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pass it down your row and back again.*

† Please stand, if able.

- † **DOXOLOGY** (*in unison*) *(Hymnal 606)*  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
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**SHARE HOSPITAL INFORMATION.** Due to current privacy laws, it is more difficult for our pastors to know when BMPC members have been admitted to a hospital. Call the church office at 610-525-2821 if you or any one you know is hospitalized, and let us know if and when you volunteer at any local hospitals.

**SUPPORT OUR TROOPS.** Please pray for Staff Sgt. Christian Craig, Valerie and Peter Craig's son, on his third deployment to the Middle East, and also for Frieda Kaniuka's grandson in the Armed Forces. If you have a loved one who is serving in the Armed Forces, contact Janney Ryan, [janneyryan610@gmail.com](mailto:janneyryan610@gmail.com).

**NEED A RIDE?** We can help you with some of your transportation needs. For rides to medical and other appointments call Lorie Benovic, ext. 8833. Volunteer drivers welcome.

**SERVE WITH OUR PASTORAL CARE TEAM.** Provide rides for older adults, meals to those recuperating, prayer shawls for those in need of prayer, or visits to the homebound. [LorieBenovic@bmmpc.org](mailto:LorieBenovic@bmmpc.org) or ext. 8833.

## **This Week's Calendar**

*For more information, visit our website at [www.bmmpc.org](http://www.bmmpc.org), call the church office, or contact [communications@bmmpc.org](mailto:communications@bmmpc.org).*

### **Today, July 17, 2016**

7:45 a.m. Childcare for infants - age 5, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 102  
8:00 a.m. **Worship with Communion, Chapel**  
8:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Discussion Group, Conference Room  
9:00 a.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal, Choir Loft  
10:00 a.m. **Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary**  
10:15 a.m. Summer Sunday School for age 4 - grade 3, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 201  
11:00 a.m. Lemonade on the Lawn (rain location: Ministries Center Court)  
11:15 a.m. Reclaiming Evangelism, Witherspoon Parlor

### **Monday, July 18, 2016**

9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium

### **Tuesday, July 19, 2016**

10:15 a.m. Tai Chi, Gymnasium  
5:30 p.m. Summer Upward Basketball, Gymnasium



### **Wednesday, July 20, 2016**

- 8:00 a.m. Stewardship Meeting, Conference Room
- 9:00 a.m. Walk for Life: Walk More, Live Better!; Meet in Main parking lot
- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium
- 7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting, Conference Room

### **Thursday, July 21, 2016**

- 10:00 a.m. Artists' Gathering, Gloucester Room
- 6:00 p.m. Personnel Committee Meeting, Fullerton Room

### **Friday, July 22, 2016**

- 9:30 a.m. Dance Fit, Gymnasium

### **Saturday, July 23, 2016**

- 10:00 a.m. Bereavement Group, Converse House Parlor

### **Sunday, July 24, 2016**

- 8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion, Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Worship with Summer Choir, Sanctuary  
The Rev. Rebecca Kirkpatrick will preach
- 10:15 a.m. Summer Sunday School for age 4 - grade 3, Ed. Bldg. Rm. 201

## ***Worship Staff***

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**Agnes W. Norfleet**, Pastor

**Rebecca Kirkpatrick**, Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Mission

**Rachel Pedersen**, Associate Pastor for Children and Family Ministry

**Kellen A. Smith**, Associate Pastor for Youth, Their Families and College Ministries

**Richard Wohlschlaeger**, Interim Associate Pastor for Senior Adults & Pastoral Care

**Jeffrey Brillhart**, Director of Music and Fine Arts

**Edward L. Landin**, Assistant Director of Music

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