

WELCOME

THANKS FOR JOINING US!

NOVEMBER 20, 2022

OUR MISSION IS INSPIRING PEOPLE TO **KNOW, GROW, GO** IN GOD'S LOVE.

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*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has called all of us here beloved.

People: We are given new names of hope and promise.

Leader: Even though storms and trials have assailed us,

People: God has drawn us through to the time of salvation.

Leader: Thanks be to God for God's victory in Jesus Christ!

People: May Jesus reign in our hearts all of our days. AMEN.

*OPENING HYMN

IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE

UMH 103

**1. IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE,
IN LIGHT INACCESSIBLE HID FROM OUR EYES,
MOST BLESSED, MOST GLORIOUS, THE ANCIENT OF DAYS,
ALMIGHTY, VICTORIOUS, THY GREAT NAME WE PRAISE.**

**2. UNRESTING, UNHASTING, AND SILENT AS LIGHT,
NOR WANTING, NOR WASTING, THOU RULEST IN MIGHT;
THY JUSTICE LIKE MOUNTAINS HIGH SOARING ABOVE THY CLOUDS
WHICH ARE FOUNTAINS OF GOODNESS AND LOVE.**

**3. TO ALL, LIFE THOU GIVEST, TO BOTH GREAT AND SMALL;
IN ALL LIFE THOU LIVEST, THE TRUE LIFE OF ALL;
WE BLOSSOM AND FLOURISH AS LEAVES ON THE TREE,
AND WITHER AND PERISH, BUT NAUGHT CHANGETH THEE.**

**4. THOU REIGNEST IN GLORY; THOU DWELLEST IN LIGHT;
THINE ANGLES ADORE THEE, ALL VEILING THEIR SIGHTS;
ALL LAUD WE WOULD RENDER: O HELP US TO SEE,
TIS ONLY THE SPLENDOR OF LIGHT HIDETH THEE.**

*AFFIRMATION

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.

*GLORIA PATRI

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.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Forgiving God, how many times we have spoken words of commitment and faith and then turned our backs on these commitments to follow the temptations of the world. We wander after the false prophets of greed, selfishness, arrogance, ignorance, hatred, stubbornness, and then shout our displeasure at how we are being treated. We want you to come in and clean up all our messes, excusing us from any responsibility for them. Forgive us for such foolishness. Help us remember the power of your healing love, which has been given for us. Forgive us when we think we know everything and then discover that we have behaved and thought in ignorant ways. Teach us to listen and to place our trust in your abiding power. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

KRISTIN NELSON

*STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

BOLD RESPOND IN UNISON

GIVING

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ANTHEM

FOR ALL THAT IS

BY DAVIS

JOYS & CONCERNS

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 and ever. Amen.

HYMN

COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME

UMH 694

1 COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME, RAISE THE SONG OF HARVEST HOME;
ALL IS SAFELY GATHERED IN, ERE THE WINTER STORMS BEGIN. **GOD OUR**
MAKER DOTH PROVIDE FOR OUR WANTS TO BE SUPPLIED;
COME TO **GOD'S OWN TEMPLE**, COME, RAISE THE SONG OF HARVEST HOME.

2 ALL THE WORLD IS **GOD'S OWN FIELD**, FRUIT AS PRAISE TO **GOD** WE YEILD;
WHEAT AND TARES TOGETHER SOWN ARE TO JOY OR SORROW GROWN;
FIRST THE BLADE AND THEN THE EAR, THEN THE FULL CORN SHALL APPEAR;
LORD OF HARVEST, GRANT THAT WE WHOLESOME GRAIN AND PURE MAY BE.

3 FOR THE **LORD OUR GOD** SHALL COME, AND SHALL TAKE THE HARVEST HOME;
FROM THE FIELD SHALL IN THAT DAY ALL OFFENSES PURGE AWAY, GIVING ANGLES
CHARGE AT LAST IN THE FIRE THE TARES TO CAST:
BUT THE FRUITFUL EARS TO STORE IN THE GARNER EVERMORE.

4 EVEN SO, **LORD**, QUICKLY COME, BRING THY FINAL HARVEST HOME;
GATHER THOU THY PEOPLE IN, FREE FROM SORROW, FREE FROM SIN,
THERE, FOREVER PURIFIED, IN THY PRESENCE TO ABIDE;
COME, WITH ALL THINE ANGLES, COME, RAISE THE GLORIOUS HARVEST HOME.

BLESSING OVER THE OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

A THANKSGIVING MEDLEY
MARY CALDWELL

ARR. ANDERSON

*DOXOLOGY

UMH 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SCRIPTURE

COLOSSIANS 1:11-20

SERMON

HOW TO MAKE YOUR CHRIST WISH LIST

DR. WYBRA PRICE

*CLOSING HYMN

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

UMH 327

1 CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS, THE **LAMB** UPON
HIS THRONE. **HARK!** HOW THE HEAVENLY ANTHEM
DROWNS ALL MUSIC BUT ITS OWN. **AWAKE**, MY SOUL,
AND SING OF HIM WHO DIED FOR THEE, AND HAIL HIM
AS THY MATCHLESS **KING** THROUGH ALL ETERNITY.

2 CROWN HIM THE **LORD OF LIFE**, WHO TRIUMPHED O'ER
THE GRAVE, AND ROSE VICTORIOUS IN THE STRIFE FOR
THOSE HE CAME TO SAVE. **HIS GLORIES** NOW WE SING,
WHO DIED, AND ROSE ON HIGH, WHO DIED, ETERNAL LIFE
TO BRING, AND LIVES THAT DEATH MAY DIE.

3 CROWN HIM **LORD OF PEACE**, WHOSE POWER ASCERTER
SWAYS FROM POLE TO POLE, THAT WARS MAY CEASE, AND
ALL BE PRAYER AND PRAISE. **HIS REIGN** SHALL KNOW NO
END, AND ROUND HIS PIERCED FEET FAIR FLOWERS OF
PARADISE EXTEND THEIR FRAGRANCE EVER SWEET.

4 CROWN HIM THE **LORD OF LOVE**; BEHOLD HIS HANDS
AND SIDE, THOSE WOUNDS, YET VISIBLE ABOVE, IN
BEAUTY GLORIFIED. **ALL HAIL, REDEEMER**, HAIL! FOR
THOU HAST DIED FOR ME; THY PRAISE AND GLORY SHALL
NOT FAIL THROUGHOUT ETERNITY.

BENEDICTION

DR. WYBRA PRICE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christmas Poinsettias

You can order poinsettias in honor or memory of a loved one. Deadline to order is November 27th, and the cost is \$15 per poinsettia. All proceeds will go to missions. You can order by filing out the order form in your bulletin or emailing office@broadmoorumc.org.

COOKIE STROLL

Cookie Stroll with real cookies is here TODAY! For \$10, you will be able to fill a box with assorted homemade cookies to enjoy during the holidays.

FESTIVAL DE NOEL

This year Festival 'de Noel on November 27th will be an inspiring beginning to the Advent/Christmas season. Please consider making a contribution to this event-as a family, individual, Sunday school class, small group, etc. Your support is needed and very appreciated. For more information, contact Deborah Griffith at dgriffith@att.net or Ashley O'Quinn in the church office.

Advent Study

Join all three pastors in studying Almost Christmas: A Wesleyan Advent Experience on Wednesdays starting November 30th at either 10 AM or 6 PM in room 200. The cost for this Advent study is \$20. Sign up on your connect card, by emailing office@broadmoorumc.org, or calling the office.

FIRST GIFTS - PRACTICING GIVING TO HONOR THE CHILD

It has been a tradition at Broadmoor United Methodist of giving the first gift of the season to the Christ Child for the work of the church. This holy practice points back to the manger giving shelter, the star giving guidance, the shepherds giving context, and the wisemen giving honor to the Child who gives hope. Your extra financial gift at this time of the year speaks to how special Christ's witness is in your life. Write First Gifts on the memo line of your check or go online to BroadmoorUMC.org and follow the giving prompt. Thanks for your generous FIRST GIFT giving priority to honoring the Holy Child and continuing the ministry of our church.

BOTH/AND HOSPITALITY TRAINING

You're invited to our District-Wide Hospitality Training hosted by Broadmoor United Methodist on Saturday, December 3rd from 9 am to 3 pm. Jason Moore, a consultant serving with the Louisiana Conference, will be teaching us ways to be more hospitable and how our church space can be turned into a more hospitable setting for guests. This is truly a great opportunity to learn the best ways we can welcome people into our church. You are invited to attend! The cost to attend is \$20. Registration and payment is through the Louisiana Conference website: <https://laumc.link/hospitality>