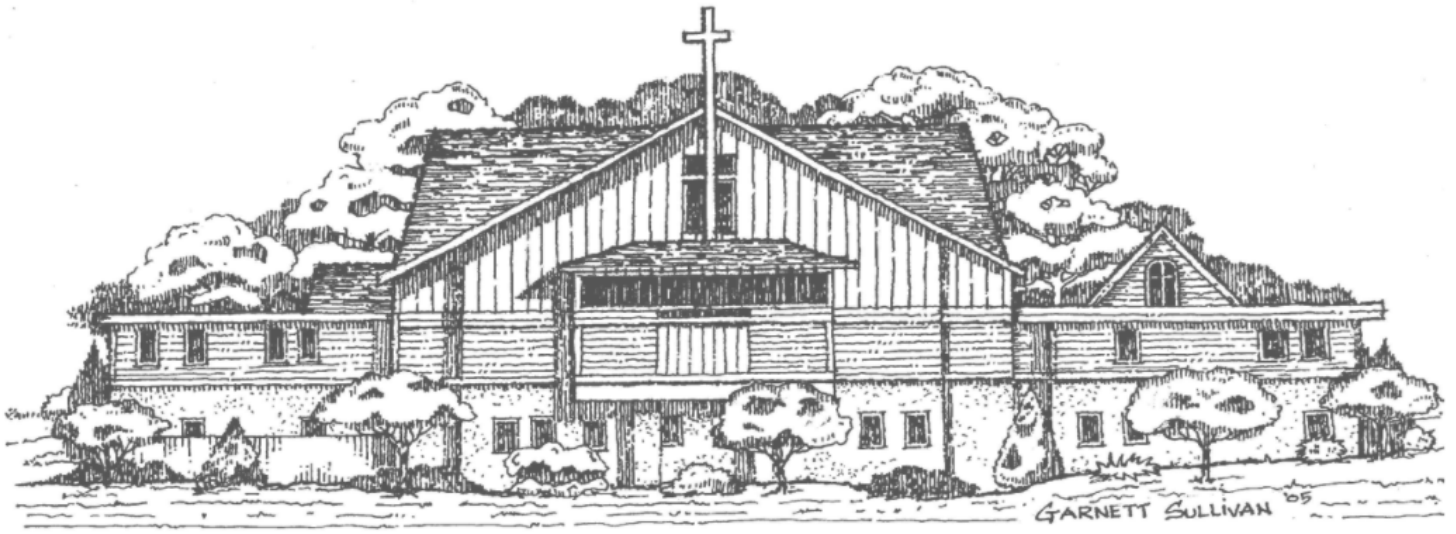


Weekly Worship with Burke UMC



Welcome to Burke United Methodist Church!

We're glad you're here today, because wherever you are on life's journey, there's a place here for you. In your pew or on our worship tab, you'll find information about Burke UMC and QR codes you can scan to join our email list, submit prayer requests, visit Clipboard Alley, and more. If you're with us in person, we invite you to visit the Connection Center after worship if you want more information about the church or have any questions. You are beloved and we are so glad to get to worship with you this morning!

November 12, 2023 | 9:30 am
Twenty-Fourth Sunday After Pentecost



BUMC Worship

November 12, 2023

Bringing The Light Into The Sanctuary

Prelude - Come, Ye Thankful People, Come with Simple Gifts

Linda Brese, piano

Words of Welcome and Call To Worship

***Opening Hymn - For the Beauty of the Earth (UMH #92)**

***Opening Prayer - Barry Burdett**

***Doxology - UMH 94**



Children ages 4-2nd grade who are interested
are invited to depart for Children's Church.

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem - For The Beauty of the Earth

Chancel Choir

First Scripture Lesson - Psalm 123: 1-4

Doug Macherey

Main Scripture Reading - Matthew 25:14-30

Message - Rev. Evelyn Archer-Taminger

***Affirmation of Faith**

Opportunities for Discipleship

Invitation to Offering

Prayer of Dedication

***Closing Hymn - Together We Serve (TFWS #2175)**

*Benediction

*Congregational Response - Make Us One (TFWS #2224)

Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one. Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you. Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one. Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you.

*Postlude - We Gather Together

Linda Brese, organ

Worship with us this Christmas!

December 24, 2023

- Family services - 10:30 am (livestreamed) and 5:00 pm
- Traditional Worship - 7:00 pm (livestreamed) and 9:00 pm



Our family services will include a spontaneous nativity where kids can join in the retelling of the Christmas story! Our traditional services will have a time of Holy Communion and will end with a candlelit hymn. We hope you'll find the type of service that works fits best for you and your family.

**Please stand as you are able*



The decorations on the altar this morning are provided by the Burke UMC Altar Guild. Thanks to everyone who has donated flowers for our 2023 worship services. You can sign up to donate flowers for 2024 at burkeumc.org/flowers. Have questions or need help? Reach out to sonjavandenbergh@burkeumc.org.

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come with Simple Gifts
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For the Beauty of the Earth (UMH #92)
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>> COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS <<



INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE **Tuesday, November 21 (7:30 pm)**

The annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Service is coming up this Tuesday, November 21 at 7:30 pm here at Burke UMC. We will focus on creation care this year as we express gratitude for this earth we live on and for the beauty around us. This year's speaker will be Rev. Dr. Katy Hinman. Not able to make it in person? Join us online at burkeumc.org/interfaith.



CHRISTMAS TREE SALES **Beginning on November 24!**

The United Methodist Men need some help running this year's Christmas tree stand – this is an opportunity for the whole family! Volunteers will help with showing trees, loading trees, and engaging the customers. This vital mission provides our surrounding community with lower cost options for Christmas trees, a chance to support our church, and another way to invite the community to learn about our church.



CAMEL LOT AND ADVENT CELEBRATION **Saturday, December 2 (3:30-6 pm)**

Kick off an afternoon of Advent fun beginning with this year's children's music - Camel Lot - at 3:30 pm. It's a fun journey towards the manger... by camel! Stay afterwards for our Night in Bethlehem Advent Celebration from 4-6 pm. We're looking for volunteers to make this celebration possible! Sign up today!



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