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Keeping in Touch

Barrington United Methodist Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2024

WORDS OF WELCOME

Pastor Matthew Johnson, Associate Pastor BUMC

HYMN #340 (UMH)

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy
Vocal Ensemble

- (1) Come, ye sinners, poor and needy,
weak and wounded, sick and sore;
Jesus ready stands to save you, (Refrain)
full of pity, love, and power. (Refrain)
- (2) Come, ye thirsty, come, and welcome,
God's free bounty glorify;
true belief and true repentance,
every grace that brings you nigh. (Refrain)
- (3) Come ye weary, heavy laden,
lost and ruined by the fall;
if you tarry till you're better,
you will never come at all. (Refrain)
- (4) Let not conscience make you linger,
nor of fitness fondly dream;
all the fitness he requireth
is to feel your need of him. (Refrain)
- (Refrain)
I will arise and go to Jesus;
he will embrace me with his arms;
in the arms of my dear Savior,
O there are ten thousand charms.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Matthew Johnson, Associate Pastor BUMC

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Chris Winkler, Senior Pastor BUMC

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

**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.**

SCRIPTURE

Luke 7: 11-17

Lynn Grant

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SERMON

"Compassionate Touch"
Pastor Wendy Witt, First UMC West Dundee

ANTHEM

Something Beautiful/He Touched Me
Patricia Hughes Mangis, soloist

Gloria and Bill Gaither

INVITATION TO MINISTRY AND BLESSING

Pastor Wendy Witt, First UMC West Dundee

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Patti Mangis - Piano

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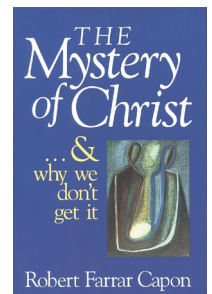


Chili / Guacamole Cook-Off – Today at 11:45 a.m.

Following our 10:30 service, everyone is invited to Fellowship Hall to enjoy Chili and Guacamole. If you brought a dish to share, please bring it to Fellowship Hall before the 10:30 a.m. service; we have several crock pots available for the chili if you need one. If you are bringing your chili already heated, please bring it to Fellowship Hall by 11:30 a.m. Guacamole can be stored in the refrigerator.

Men’s Group Announces New Study

Practical Christianity for Men has announced that its next study, beginning February 24, will be the book *The Mystery of Christ – and Why We Don’t Get It* by Robert Farrar Capon. Widely recognized as a creative intellectual writer, Capon offers provocative insight in this engaging book focused on New Testament lessons. All men are welcome. Practical Christianity for Men meets from 9 – 10 a.m. every Saturday in Room 111 at the church. There is no cost (except the purchase of the book) and free coffee and pastries are provided. Of course, there is no obligation to stay if you want to “check it out” once or twice. If you have questions, contact John Maxson (jsmaxson@aol.com).



Stations of the Cross | Share your creative gifts and artistic talents to inspire visitors and our church community during this special season of the year! We are looking for artists to create original artwork for Stations of the Cross to be displayed in the BUMC Chapel from Sunday, March 17 through Good Friday, March 29. These works can be expressed in the medium of your choice - drawing, painting, fiber arts, sculpture, collage, computer graphics, mixed media, etc. All ages are welcome to participate and create something new and original for this event. Terrie McComb, tlmccomb@msn.com, is coordinating this project. Please let her know two stations you are interested in creating, and she will confirm which one you are assigned, making sure all stations are represented.

Stations of the Cross brings the events of Holy Week to life through art, and will include these stations:

First Station – Jesus enters the city of Jerusalem

Second Station – Jesus is anointed by Mary and washes the feet of his Disciples

Third Station – Jesus and the Disciples celebrate Passover (the Last Supper)

Fourth Station – Jesus prays in the Garden of Gethsemane

Fifth Station – Jesus is betrayed by Judas and arrested

Sixth Station – Jesus is denied by Peter

Seventh Station – Jesus is judged by Pilate, scourged and crowned with thorns

Eighth Station – Jesus bears the cross, with help from Simon the Cyrenian

Ninth Station – Jesus is crucified and promises His Kingdom to the good thief

Tenth Station – Jesus speaks to His mother and the disciple

Eleventh Station – Jesus dies on the cross

Twelfth Station – Jesus is placed in the tomb

Women’s One-Day Retreat | Saturday, April 13 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at BUMC

Celebrating the loving relationships between all women. The cost is \$35 for adults and \$15 per child.





Family Tie-Dye Event and Easter Egg Hunt!
 Friday, March 15 beginning at 5 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

All are invited to create amazing tie-dye shirts, watch a movie and enjoy a pizza dinner. Be sure to bring your own shirt or item to tie-day. The cost is \$10/child

Scan the QR code to say you can come!




Barrington UMC & Trinity Lutheran Church purchase the seeds, fertilizer and fuel

Ottawa farmers donate the land, equipment and labor to produce the crop

Proceeds from the crops support Growing Hope Globally Projects

Growing Hope Globally

Barrington UMC, with Trinity Lutheran Church in Ottawa, have helped nearly 13,500 people escape food insecurity for life through Growing Hope Globally!

To support this mission, scan the QR code and select Growing Hope Globally.



All-Church Event: Discerning our Vision and Values

Sunday, March 10, following the 10:30 a.m. worship | LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

Facilitated by Rev. Gary Shockley and Kim Shockley

Join with your staff and leadership teams to discern where God is leading Barrington UMC now.

Families with children are invited – we will arrange appropriate childcare and nursery care as needed. Children and youth are welcome to be present or participate. Following lunch, the afternoon will include both large group gatherings and breakout sessions. All are invited to gather as we clarify where God is leading Barrington UMC in this liminal time.

Scan the QR code to register for lunch and childcare – we want to have enough seats for everyone!



WORSHIP SERVICES IN LENT

Sunday, February 18, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Keeping in Touch
Sunday, February 25, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Seeing is Believing
Sunday, March 3, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | In Good Taste
Sunday, March 10, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Never Out of Earshot
Sunday, March 17, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Smell the Roses
Sunday, March 24, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Palm Sunday
Thursday, March 28, 7:30 p.m. | Holy Thursday
Friday, March 29, 7:30 p.m. | Good Friday
Sunday, March 31, 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. | Easter



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