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Barrington United Methodist Church

Sunday, October 20, 2024

WORDS OF WELCOME

Pastor Matthew Johnson, Associate Pastor BUMC

HYMN #463 (UMH)

Lord, Speak to Me
Vocal Ensemble

(1) Lord, speak to me, that I may speak
in living echoes of thy tone;
as thou hast sought, so let me seek
thine erring children lost and lone.

(2) O strengthen me, that while I stand
firm on the rock, and strong in thee,
I may stretch out a loving hand
to wrestlers with the troubled sea.

(3) O teach me, Lord, that I may teach
the precious things thou dost impart;
and wing my words, that they may reach
the hidden depths of many a heart.

(4) O fill me with thy fullness, Lord,
until my very heart oerflow
in kindling thought and glowing word,
thy love to tell, thy praise to show.

(5) O use me, Lord, use even me,
just as thou wilt, and when, and where,
until thy blessed face I see,
thy rest, thy joy, thy glory share.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Matthew Johnson, Associate Pastor BUMC

PRAYER

Pastor Rick Carlson, First UMC West Dundee

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

Amos 7: 7-8

Linda Snyder

⁷This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. ⁸ And the Lord said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said, "See, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by;

Colossians 1: 1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, ²To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

³In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, ⁵because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel ⁶that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. ⁷This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, ⁸and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

⁹ For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, ¹⁰ so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. ¹¹ May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully

¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³ He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

SERMON

"Is and Becoming: Be Fruitful!"
Pastor Chris Winkler, Senior Pastor BUMC

ANTHEM

The Gospel Isn't Written in the Bible Alone
Vocal Ensemble

Music and Lyrics by Elizabeth Alexander

INVITATION TO MINISTRY AND BLESSING

Pastor Chris Winkler, Senior Pastor BUMC

CREDITS:

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Do you have questions about how your pledges and gifts support Barrington UMC, what the difference is between the operating and building funds, or by what other means we receive funds? Gwen Bennett, Chair of the Finance Committee, and Lou Ann Gordon, Director of Finance, will host town hall meetings to provide answers and engage in conversation. We invite you to join them in the Chapel following both services on either Sunday, October 20 or October 27.

“Treats for Troops” Packing Event | Sunday, October 27, following both services

Help us pack care packages for an overseas military unit, offering them a taste of home and treats to share with locals. The service members appreciate these gifts and our encouragement. Your monetary donations offset the cost of shipping. Give in the narthex this morning or online at barringtonumc.com/give and select “Treats for Troops.”



Painting Party | Saturday, November 9, 2:00–4:00 p.m.

Join us for a creative afternoon of fun and fellowship at our Painting Party! Whether you're a seasoned artist or just want to try something new, we'll have pre-printed painting kits and blank canvases and paint ready for you. Refreshments will be provided to fuel your creativity. A \$10 per person donation is requested to help cover materials. We kindly ask that you sign up in advance (online through the QR code or on the sign-up sheet near the Kitchenette) to ensure we have enough supplies for everyone. This event is for youth and adults (age 14+), though children (age 6 - 13) are welcome with adult supervision. Please let us know if you are bringing children so we have age-appropriate painting kits for those under ten. We can't wait to see you there!





CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

Sunday School | Each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.. following Childrens Time

We are loving our “Wonder Women of the Bible” this month. In November, our theme is “Fast Faith; I’m Livin’ It.”

Drop ‘n Shop | Saturday, December 14 *SAVE THE DATE!*

Drop your 3-year-old through 5th-grade kids off for a Grinch themed day of games, crafts, movies and more! Take the day to get a head start on holiday shopping, or just relax and prepare for the Christmas Season. The cost is \$20 per child (\$25 at the door) and includes lunch and snacks.



YOUTH EVENTS

Students grades 6 through 12 are invited to Sunday School in the youth room at 9:00 a.m. and worship together at 10:30 a.m. We will not meet for God’s Squad today. We are going to the Richardson Corn Maze following the 10:30 a.m. worship.

Crafting Days! | Sunday, November 3 and November 10


Mission Market prep days are coming! Join us at 12:00 on November 3 for bath product crafting. Our candle crafting and packaging is November 10 beginning at 4:00 (no school Monday for Veteran’s Day!).

Starlight Showcase | Sunday, December 8 *SAVE THE DATE!*

Come and be amazed by the shining stars in your midst! Congregation members and friends are invited to showcase their talents at the God’s Squad’s Starlight Showcase, an inaugural celebration featuring a talent show and a silent auction. Guests can enjoy entertainment, a delicious meal, and be entered in a drawing for the chance to win a fun door prize! Join us on Sunday, December 8 at noon - after second service - for this special event benefitting the youth group mission trip fund. We welcome your donations of crafted items and acts of service for the silent auction, and/or your offerings of talent on the “stage.” Talk to Ana Kelsey-Powell, akelsey-powell@barringtonumc.com, about performing or donating!

Save the Date for our Mission Trip Meeting | Sunday, December 8 at noon

Join us in Room 111 to help decide the details of our summer 2025 mission trip. We want to hear from you!



Requiem

Fauré

All Saints Sunday, November 3 at 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Sung by the Barrington UMC Festival Choir
under the direction of Patricia Hughes Mangis.

Soloists – Rosalyn Wesley, soprano; Randy Lawrence, baritone

Chamber Ensemble – Stephanie Preucil, violin; Walter Preucil, cello;
Dana Angel, harp; Alex Zintchenko, organ

During worship, loved ones who have been lost this past year will be named, honored and remembered. If you have a loved one you would like honored, please submit the information to Lynn Grant, lgrant@barringtonumc.com, or the office and give it to Elizabeth Schule. If you have a photo you would like included in the worship service, please provide the photo to the church office. If you have a digital image, you can email it to lgrant@barringtonumc.com. Please have all the information to us by Wednesday, October 23rd.

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