



UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Charlottesville, VA

Welcome, as we join together to Worship God in Christ
October 15, 2023
20th Sunday After Pentecost

Marking the Hour

Barbara Moore

*We mark the hour, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us
to the voice of Christ, and centering us in the embrace of the Holy Spirit.*

Opening Words

Rev. Val Fisk

Prelude

Blessed Assurance

arr. Hebble

Lighting the Candles

*We light these candles to welcome the Spirit, for they represent
how Jesus is the Light of the world which guides us through life.*

Opening the Bible

We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to us through the Holy Word.

Call to Worship (based on Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23)

Glenna Ohlms

Let us praise God, whose goodness and steadfast love are everlasting.

With joy we praise God's wonderful deeds.

Happy are those who act justly and whose lives reflect God's righteousness at all times;

**so look on us with favor, O God, for we rejoice in all your faithful dealings
with those who have gone before us.**

Like them, we have sinned; we fall far short of your goodness.

Like them, we forget you and replace you with idols of our own making.

Yet, as you heard Moses' prayer for his people and delivered them from certain death
and destruction,

so you hear Jesus' prayers for us, and graciously grant us the gift of salvation.

Let us together praise God, whose goodness and steadfast love are everlasting.

*Hymn of Praise

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

HYFRYDOL

*Invocation

Rev. Susan Deal

Greeting

Rev. Deal

*Please take a moment to sign and pass the red booklets found in each row,
so that we have a record of your presence with us today.*

Gospel Lesson	Mark 2:23-28 (p.814)	Larry Johnson
Leader: The Word of the Lord.		
People: Thanks be to God!		
*Hymn	<i>All Things Are Yours</i>	GERMANY
	<i>During the last stanza of this hymn, we invite the children to come forward for the Children's Sermon.</i>	
Children's Sermon		Sheri Owen
	<i>We invite children in grades K-2 to exit and continue worshipping in Children's Church upstairs in Room 210.</i>	
Mission Moment	Venable Food Bags	Jackie Lockwood
Morning Prayer and Blessing		Roy Thomas
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*Doxology		
Old Testament Lesson	Exodus 32:1-14 (p.69)	Lynda Tweel
Leader: The Word of the Lord.		
People: Thanks be to God!		
Anthem	<i>Ubi Caritas</i>	Ola Gjeilo
	<i>Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.</i>	Where charity and love are God is there.
	<i>Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor.</i>	The love of Christ has gathered us together.
	<i>Exultemus et in ipso jucundemur.</i>	Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
	<i>Timeamus et amemus Deum vivum.</i>	Let us revere and love the living God.
	<i>Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero.</i>	And from a sincere heart let us love one another.
	<i>Amen.</i>	Amen.
Sermon	Worship Your Earrings	Rev. Fisk
Meditation		Barbara Moore
Invitation		Rev. Fisk
	<i>If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking with a minister, please come forward as we sing our final hymn.</i>	
*Hymn of Response	<i>Jesus Calls Us</i>	GALILEE
*Benediction		Rev. Fisk
*Postlude	<i>Trumpet Finale</i>	Albinoni

**Please rise as you are able, in body or spirit.*

Instrumentalist:
Barbara Moore: Organ/Piano



Jazz Vespers
Tonight, Sunday, October 15
7:00 pm
Featuring Calvin Brown on piano
and John D'earth on trumpet.

| Church Staff

Senior Minister – Dr. Matthew Tennant
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Carolyn Lowry
Jen May
Laura Morris
Sheri Owen
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Jennifer Wagoner

University Baptist Church

Thank you for joining us in worship today. We are blessed by your presence with us, and we trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

About Us: University Baptist Church is a vibrant community of faith, bringing together university students and area residents in worship, study, and service to our community. We seek to be an authentic community of Christians who love and care for each other as a family, and openly welcome and include all people regardless of age, race, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, disability, or background. We believe that all people have important gifts to share in God's family, working together as the hands and feet of our good and loving God. Learn more at universitybaptist.org.

Newsletter: If you would like to stay updated on all the latest news and events at UBC, please call or email the church office at linda@universitybaptist.org.

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God has called University Baptist Church to minister to the University Community and to the residents of the Greater Charlottesville-Albemarle Community, serving as agents of Christ's love and justice for those in need and offering a vital family of faith.

This Week at UBC

SUNDAY, October 15

8:30 Finance Committee Meeting
9:30 ESOL Class
9:45 Sunday Morning Bible Study
11:00 Morning Worship
5:00 Jubilate Rehearsal
6:30 Jubilate Dinner
7:00 Jazz Vespers

MONDAY, October 16

10:30 Bible Reading Group
1:00 Schleiermacher Reading Group

TUESDAY, October 17

7:00 Voces Laetae Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, October 18

9:00 Work Team
4:00 Communications Team Meeting
5:30 Wed. Night Dinner
6:00 Wed. Night Program
6:00 Handbell Rehearsal
7:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, October 20

Jubilate Retreat

SATURDAY, October 21

10:00 Rise Against Hunger
1:00 Corn Maze Trip

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Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Tune: HYFRYDOL (87 87D) Text: Charles Wesley (†1788)

1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heav'n to earth, come down;
2. Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, Let us all Thy life re - ceive;
3. Fin - ish, then, Thy new cre - a - tion; Pure and spot - less let us be.

Fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing; All thy faith - ful mer - cies crown!
Sud - den - ly re - turn and nev - er, Nev - er more Thy tem - ples leave.
Let us see Thy great sal - va - tion Per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee;

Je - sus, Thou art all com - pas - sion, Pure un - bound - ed love Thou art;
Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts a - bove,
Changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, Till in heav'n we take our place,

Vis - it us with Thy sal - va - tion; En - ter eve - ry trem - bling heart.
Pray and praise Thee with - out ceas - ing, Glo - ry in Thy per - fect love.
Till we cast our crowns be - fore Thee, Lost in won - der, love, and praise.

All Things Are Yours

1. All things are Yours: we make that true when we re - turn our
2. "Give out of love" Your Word com-mands; we are Your head, Your
3. O what a joy to give, and then out of com - pas - sion
4. All things are Yours: we make that true when we re - turn our

gifts to You; and so we give, and so we
heart, Your hands. Your Word you un - der - score with
give a - gain. You have no needs — though that be
gifts to You; and so we give, and so we

share, in Christ's strong name ex - press - ing care.
deeds by us - ing us to an - swer needs.
true, the gifts we share are given to You.
share, in Christ's strong name ex - press - ing care.

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise Christ, all peo - ple

here be - low; praise Ho - ly Spir - it ev - er - more;

praise Tri - une God, whom we a - dore. A - men.

TEXT: Neil Weatherhogg, 1988
MUSIC: Genevan Psalter, 1551
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OLD HUNDREDTH
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Jesus Calls Us

1 Je - sus calls us: o'er the tu - mult of our
2 Je - sus calls us from the wor - ship of the
3 In our joys and in our sor - rows, days of
4 Je - sus calls us: by thy mer - cies, Sav - ior,

life's wild, rest - less sea; day by day his sweet voice
vain world's gold - en store, from each i - dol that would
toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in cares and
may we hear thy call, give our hearts to thy o -

sound - eth say - ing, "Chris - tian, fol - low me."
keep us, say - ing, "Chris - tian, love me more."
plea - sures, "Chris - tian, love me more than these."
be - dience, serve and love thee best of all.