



UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome, as we join together to Worship God in Christ
April 14, 2024
3rd Sunday of Easter

Marking the Hour

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.

Barbara Moore

Opening Words

Rev. Susan Deal

Prelude

We All Believe in One God

Gounod

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.

Choral Call to Worship

Ubi Caritas (Live in Charity)
Virginia Women's Chorus

Jacques Berthier

Live in charity and steadfast love.
Live in charity God will dwell with you.
Your love, O Jesus Christ, has gathered us together.
May your love, O Jesus Christ, be foremost in our lives.
Let us love one another as God has loved us.
Let us be one in love together in the one bread of Christ.
The love of God in Jesus Christ bears eternal joy.
The love of God in Jesus Christ will never have an end.
It is your love, O Jesus Christ, which gathers us together.
The love of God in Jesus Christ surpasses everything.
It is your love O Jesus Christ, that brings us to joy eternal.
O Lord, keep us as one. Maintain us in your love.

*Hymn of Praise 611

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

*Invocation

Dr. Matthew Tennant

Greeting

Dr. Tennant

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.

Virginia Women's Chorus
Director: Katherine "KaeRenae" Mitchell
Accompanist: Mary Edith Plunkett

We welcome the Virginia Women's Chorus, UVA's oldest women's music organization. They are committed to excellence in the performance of classical, contemporary, and diverse music from the challenging choral literature for treble voices.

The Chorus seeks to inspire and enrich others through the choral art form. The Chorus is unique in that it is a student-run organization with a hired professional conductor. It is comprised of undergraduate and graduate students from numerous degree programs. Several singers from the Charlottesville community participate in the Chorus as well. For more information, see their website at www.viriniawomenschorus.org.

This Week at UBC

<p>SUNDAY, April 14 9:30 ESOL/Seekers Class 9:45 Sunday Morning Bible Study 11:00 Morning Worship 5:00 Jubilate Rehearsal 6:30 College Dinner</p> <p>MONDAY, April 15 10:30 Bible Reading Group 1:00 Theology Reading Group</p>	<p>TUESDAY, April 16 7:00 Voces Laetae Rehearsal</p> <p>WEDNESDAY, April 17 9:00 Work Team 5:15 Handbell Rehearsal 5:30 Wednesday Night Dinner 6:00 Wednesday Night Program 7:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal</p>
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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.

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