

Growing together ...in Faith...Reason...Service...and Love
BOWER HILL
Bower Hill Community Church (Presbyterian U.S.A)

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WORSHIP AIDS

Large print bulletins and listening devices are available in the Narthex. Copies of this week's sermon are available from the ushers for the hearing impaired Please ask an usher for assistance with any of the above.

Children pre-school through fifth grade begins in worship. After a Time with Children, kids meet teachers in the Narthex. Preschool through second graders will be in room 103. Third through fifth graders will head to room 110. Sixth through eighth graders meet directly in their classroom (room 105) at 9:30 a.m. Following worship, children will remain in their respective classrooms until an adult picks them up. Children in grades nine and up are encouraged to remain in worship. Childcare is available for babies and toddlers in the nursery.

NEW TO BOWER HILL? WANT MORE INFO?

Please feel free to pick up a visitor packet in the Narthex (just outside the sanctuary). Contact the pastor, Rev. Dr. Brian Snyder, via the office at 412-561-4114, with any questions.

LEADING IN WORSHIP THIS MORNING

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Brian Snyder

USHER CAPTAIN - Matt Arner

GREETERS

Betsy Hohlfelder, Steve Boisvert
Phyllis Madden

LECTOR - Cynthia Gissin

SEXTON - Alan Hohlfelder

FLOWER DEACON - Phyllis Madden

WEB STREAM - Brian Vertz

SOUNDBOARD - Alan Hohlfelder

OFFERING COUNTERS

Jean Miewald, Matt Arner

SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

Alison Sehgal, Kiri Rising

ATTENDANCE ---09/21/2025

76 total in-person worship /12 children



SANCTUARY FLOWERS / DONATION DEDICATIONS

If you are interested in purchasing flowers or making a donation to the charity of your choice as a dedication in memory/ or in honor of a loved one, please contact the church office to request a form or information.

YOUTH MINISTRIES

What's Happening this Sunday with Children & Youth

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10:30 a.m. Acolyte Training in Narthex immediately following worship. (20 mins)

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Confirmation Class meeting in room 110.

Upcoming Children & Youth

Sunday, October 5

9:30 a.m. Sunday school classes for kids PreK through 5th grade only. Middle-schoolers stay in worship for World Communion Sunday.

10:30 a.m. Acolyte Training in Narthex immediately following worship. (20 mins)

11:00 a.m. Summer Mission Trip Recap (Fellowship Hall).

Faithful Conversations

“Adult Ed” will become “Faithful Conversations” in our new program year. We welcome everyone High School age and older to join us as we learn about and discuss issues of Faith. Our first series of discussions will be about dealing with conflict, starting with a video and discussion guide developed by the Pittsburgh Presbytery. We also will be hearing a report from our youth about the mission trips taken this past summer and are hoping to hear from Chloe Snyder about her internship with the PCUSAs Office of Public Witness. We are open to suggestions for other topics to explore, either with outside speakers or issues that are important to you. If you have ideas for topics, please contact Jean Miewald at miewaldmac@gmail.com

Join us in the Friendship Room at 11:00 a.m. or by Zoom.



Rotary
Upper St. Clair-Bethel Park
Breakfast Club



36th Annual
Chicken BBQ

36th Annual BBQ Chicken Dinner

Saturday, October 11th | 11am – 6pm

Bethel Park High School

Drive Thru Only

**Get a delicious meal & support dozens of
local charities when you buy a BBQ Chicken dinner!**

One dinner includes ½ of a fresh grilled BBQ chicken,
mouthwatering baked beans, zesty coleslaw, roll & dessert!

All for just \$15

Scan Here for Tickets



*Dinner pick-up available from 11am - 6pm
Bethel Park High School, 309 Church Road
Drive Thru only*

Event proceeds benefit dozens of charities each spring at the annual Night of Giving. For more information or to see a list of charities, visit:

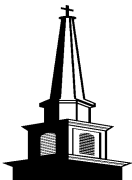
www.uscbprotary.org

Thanks for your support!

Anyone purchasing tickets should reference Susan or Dave Hicks as the Rotary member(s). If you prefer not getting your tickets online, please contact Susan at 412-720-0125 or via email at susiebhicks@yahoo.com. We appreciate your ticket purchases as our Rotary club gives to many of the same groups that BHCC supports.

DISPOSAL OF OLD BIBLES & SACRED TEXTS:

Have you ever wondered how to dispose of worn out Bibles or other sacred texts? The youth group will be conducting a "holy fire" in December, during which they will reverently return worn out holy books to their elements. A book is never holy of itself, but it is fitting to dispose of sacred texts with care and respect. If you have old religious books that you would like to dispose of, please bring them to the church office, and they will be included. This is not your standard book-burning! It's an opportunity to reverently dispose of books that have completed their term of service.



LIGHTING THE STEEPLE DEDICATION

September 24, 2025

In memory and in honor of Jim and Joan McAnulty on their wedding anniversary, with love from their family.



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September 28

9:30am Children's Worship
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10:30am Acolyte Training (Narthex)
10:30am Fellowship (Coffee)
11:00am First Baptist Worship
12:30pm –4:30pm Compassionate Friends
(Rm 101,105,110,FR)
3:00pm –5:00pm Mission Project with
Carnegie Presbyterian (Kitchen & FH)
6:30pm –8:00pm Confirmation Class (Rm.
110)

September 29

September 30

10:00am –11:00am Staff Meeting (Rm
101)
7:15pm –8:15pm OA Meeting (Rm 105)
7:30pm –9:00pm Troop 28 & 9028 (FH)

October 1

9:15am Koinoinia (Rm 110)
6:00pm Bells Rehearsal (Choir Room)
7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
7:00pm Mayfair on Moffett (110,105)

October 2

5:00pm Events & Outreach Committee
(Zoom)

October 3

October 4

Get Outdoors - See weekly E-Blast
1:00pm –3:00pm Hooks & Needles
(Phyllis Yohe's residence)

October 5

9:30am Children's Worship
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11:00am First Baptist Worship

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS OCTOBER 5

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