

Growing together ...in Faith...Reason...Service...and Love

BOWER HILL

Bower Hill Community Church (Presbyterian U.S.A)

Find us on the web at www.BowerHillChurch.org

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.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

During the summer months, kids will begin in worship. After Passing the Peace, kids will go to room 110 (downstairs lounge) for games, crafts, and playground fun. Parents should pick up their children from room 110 following worship. Summer Sunday school is for completed preschool through 5th grade. Older youth are also invited to join us as junior helpers. The nursery will be open for babies and toddlers.

NEW TO BOWER HILL? WANT MORE INFO?

Please feel free to pick up a visitor packet in the Narthex (just outside the Sanctuary) or scan the QR code below to request more information. Contact the pastor, Rev. Dr. Brian Snyder, via the office at 412-561-4114, with any questions.



ATTENDANCE ---5/24/2026

53 total in-person worship 9 children

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Reginald Myers
First Baptist Church

MUSIC DIRECTOR

Anne Smith

USHER CAPTAIN

Matt Arner

GREETERS

Jil Simon, Phil Neusius
Phyllis Madden

LECTOR - Jean Miewald

SEXTON - Glenn Child

FLOWER DEACON

Doris Olinger

WEB STREAM

Caroline Smith/Andy Smith

SOUNDBOARD

Peter Morgan

OFFERING COUNTERS

Valerie Watterson, Lynn Sirinek



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.

What's Happening this Sunday with Children & Youth

Sunday, May 31

10:00 a.m. Summer Sunday school format begins for kids K - 8th grade in room 110.

11:00 a.m. Potluck lunch following worship in Fellowship Hall.

New opportunity for mission: Casa San Jose Emergency Food Program

We have a new opportunity to be the hands and feet of Jesus by grocery shopping for our neighbors who are clients of Casa San Jose and who are afraid to do it themselves. Every 5 weeks we will be ordering food from Aldi, delivering it to Bower Hill, repacking it into individual bags, and delivering it to the Casa San Jose offices. Casa will deliver these bags to their clients.

This project will involve food for over 25 families; between 40 and 50 cases of nonperishables. Because of the quantities, we are going to need younger and stronger folks than is our usual cohort of volunteers.

Here is how you can help.

1. Volunteer to be trained and on the team for placing the Instacart order with Aldi.
2. Volunteer to be one of our grocery couriers who would arrive at Aldi on Friday or Saturday of our assigned week with enough vehicle space and muscle to load up and deliver 40 to 50 cases of food to Bower Hill Church. We may need more than 1 vehicle to do this.
3. Volunteer to be at Bower Hill Church when the food arrives to stack it ready for putting into individual grocery bags.
4. Volunteer to be trained to be part of the team that puts the groceries into individual bags using Casa's packing schema. We need between 6 and 8 people for this. We will probably do this after church on our assigned Sunday.
5. Volunteer to take the filled grocery bags to the Casa headquarters (currently on Pioneer Avenue) by about 1:30 p.m. on our assigned Sunday. We may need multiple vehicles for this or someone with a big truck.

Our first week for doing this starts on June 15 with the food packed and delivered on June 21. If you are interested in helping with this, please see Jean Miewald or email her at miewaldmac@gmail.com

Bower Hill's Jr. Day & Day Camp – Registration is Open!

July 27-31st, for Bower Hill's week-long camp, where kids discover that Jesus' love is one-of-a-kind. Some cool upgrades are planned for the best week of summer – including an all-new service-learning track for kids in 3rd-5th grade, plus new options for older youth volunteers.

To register, scan the QR code or go to www.bowerhilldaycamp.com.



Sponsor Pepper Plants for SHIM

124 plants of seven different pepper varieties will be planted in the church's SHIM Garden this year. Plants were purchased from Dean's Greenhouse to support the youth group, and we'd love your help offsetting the cost. Each plant is \$2.00; 77 plants have been donated so far.

To donate on-line, scan the QR code. You can also drop a check made out to BHCC - note pepper plants in the memo. Thank you for supporting our SHIM garden and Bower Hill youth.



Unity Food Pantry Collection Date - June 14

As they prepare to give families with children more food for the summer since kids won't be having school breakfast and lunches, their greatest need right now is for jelly, boxes of mac & cheese, and pouches of tuna fish. But as always all non-perishable food items are welcome!



LIGHTING THE STEEPLE DEDICATION

June 3

In honor of the Graduates of the Mt. Lebanon High School
Class of 2026, by the Wetzel Family.



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May 31

10:00am Joint Worship with First Baptist
11:00am Fellowship (Coffee)
12:30pm –4:30pm Compassionate Friends (Rm 101,105,110,FR)

June 1

7:00pm Worship Committee (Rm 101)

June 2

8:00am Men's Breakfast Group - Denny's
7:15pm –8:15pm OA Meeting (Rm 105)
7:30pm –9:00pm Troop 28 & 9028 (FH)

June 3

7:00pm Mayfair on Moffett (110,105)

June 4

5:00pm Events & Outreach Committee (Zoom)
6:30pm –8:00pm Cub Scout Pack 28 (FH)

June 5

June 6

Get Outdoors - See weekly E-Blast
Session Retreat
1:00pm –3:00pm Hooks & Needles (FR)

June 7

9:00am –12:00pm Session Retreat (Rm 110)
9:30am Worship
10:30am Fellowship (Coffee)
11:00am First Baptist Worship

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

JUNE 7

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