

Welcome to Beal Heights Presbyterian Church
a member congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America
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The Elders: John O. Butler, Pastor / Mike Rogers, Clerk / Todd Cobb
Deacon: Michael R. Rogers

BHPC observes the Lord's Supper weekly. We invite all professing Christians whose membership is in good standing with an evangelical, Bible-believing congregation to join with us at the Lord's Table. If you desire to partake of the Supper, please contact one of the elders for a short interview. You may do this prior to Sunday through the church office or via email, or arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the morning worship service. If you have not been interviewed, we ask that you refrain from taking the Supper.

A Few Notes About Our Services

- If you are visiting with us today, please help us to get to know you by filling out one of the blue cards in the pew racks and placing it in the offering plate when the offering is collected.
- When the prelude begins, please curtail conversation and prepare your hearts for worship. Please make sure electronic devices are off or using silent mode.
- We love children in our worship services! For our parents, there is a Cry Room in the back of the sanctuary for calming children in order to return to the worship service. We also offer a Visitors' Nursery for children 3 and under. If you wish to utilize it, please speak with the greeter for directions.
- Hearing assistance devices are available at the taping table.
- If you should need assistance in any way, please speak with our greeter.

Announcements for December 13, 2009

*Our monthly Family Night Supper fellowship will be this Wednesday at 6:30 PM in the fellowship hall. (hosts: WIC—meet briefly after church to coordinate.)

*Our annual Congregational Meeting will be on Sunday, December 27, 2009, after the morning worship service in the sanctuary.

*Mark your calendars for a Fifth Wednesday Hymn Sing & Dessert Fellowship on Wednesday, December 30th, at 7 PM at the church.

Servant's Schedule

This Sunday 12/13/09

Greeter: Steven Tyrone

Lord's Supper: Tammy/Renee

AM Nursery: Rebecca

Next Sunday 12/20/09

Greeter: Michael R. Rogers

Lord's Supper: Marie/Lesha

AM Nursery: Traci

Beal Heights Presbyterian Church **The Morning Worship Service, 10:45 AM** **Sunday, December 13, 2009**

The Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Sharing of Praises and Prayer Requests

We silently prepare our hearts for worship

*The call to worship Almighty God

*Hymn 203 "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

*Prayer of Adoration and Invocation, with The Lord's Prayer

*Confessing the Faith *The Apostle's Creed* page 845

Old Testament Reading: Joshua 4

*Psalm 21B "Because the King Trusts in the Lord"

New Testament Reading: Matthew 10:27-42

Corporate Confession of Sin:

Almighty and all holy Father; we confess ourselves unworthy of Your unspeakable Gift. We have not loved You as we ought; nor have we always been loving to one another; kindhearted, forgiving one another; even as You, for Christ's sake, have forgiven us. We have lived in selfishness and worldly pride, and the good gifts You have bestowed upon us, we have not used to relieve the burdens of others. Pardon and blot out our offenses, we beg You. O merciful Father, who in compassion for Your sinful children did send Your Son Jesus Christ to be the Saviour of the world: Grant us grace to feel and to lament our share in the evil which made it needful for Him to suffer and to die for our salvation. Help us by self-denial, prayer, and meditation to prepare our hearts for deeper penitence and a better life. And give us a true longing to be free from sin, through the deliverance wrought by Jesus Christ our only Redeemer. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

Matthew 1:21

Prayer of Intercession and Thanksgiving

The Sermon

“A True Work of God”

Text:

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

We pray for grace to apply what we have learned

*Hymn 229

“Gentle Mary Laid Her Child”

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

(All those who have been previously approved by our elders are invited to partake of the Supper. Others are invited to watch and pray)

Words of Institution

Fencing of the Table

Prayer of Consecration

Distribution of the Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Offering

*The Doxology (*Hymnal 731*)

*Prayer

*Hymn 214

“Angels We Have Heard on High”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (Seated)

The Postlude: We go forth to glorify God

**the congregation will please stand*

The Evening Worship Service Sunday, December 13, 2009

5:30 PM

Singing of Songs, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs

Prayer

6:00 PM

The Call to Worship

Invocation

Maroon hymnal 165

“Good Christian Men, Rejoice”

Reading of God's Word:

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 41

New Testament Reading: Romans 10

Sermon

“More Reasons”

Text:

Deuteronomy 5:6-21

Red folder 10

“The Ten Commandments”

Closing Prayer

Benediction