



BROADWAY

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:00 a.m.

August 7, 2016

Living Abundantly: Be Prepared

Welcome! We are glad that you have joined us for worship as we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion today. The United Methodist Church practices “open communion” which means that any and all who respond to the invitation are welcome to share in the Sacrament.

Visitors: Please record your **complete address**, as well as your name, on the registers. We’d like to send you a greeting! If you would like to take a short tour of the church building and grounds, meet one of our greeters at the Welcome Center after the service.

Inclusive Language: Here at Broadway we have an inclusive language policy that recognizes and affirms the full range of diversity among persons engaged in the communication process. We are intentional that our imagery of God as well as our liturgy reflect that inclusiveness. *We use a variety of pronouns for God, just as our community uses a variety of pronouns as we grow and learn beyond the binary. In the spirit of hospitality, please ask others for their preferred pronoun.* The pastors are available to answer any questions you might have regarding the policy. The entire inclusive language policy can be found on the website. A further resource is Paul Smith’s book, *Is it Okay to call God Mother?*

Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.

Prayer/Stewardship Cards: As you worship with the Broadway community today, you are invited to share in a personal way. The orange card that is in the pew pockets is for you to express how you are or might be in service to God and community this week. It is also a place for you to share prayer concerns. Use as much or as little of the card as you like. The cards will be viewed **ONLY** by the pastors. By placing this card in the offering plate you are symbolically acknowledging your gifts of time and talents to the glory of God.

Song numbers with the designation “FS” refer to selections from *The Faith We Sing* books. All other selections are from the *United Methodist Hymnal*.

Giving: Your contributions are needed for everything from special programs to basic operating expenses — both are deserving of your support. Please be as generous as you can in the year ahead. To give online, visit us at broadwaychurchchicago.com/give or scan the QR code at right. Thank you for your commitment to God’s purposes through our faith community!



Words of Centering

It is not often that a [person] can make opportunities for [themselves]. But [they] can put [themselves] in such shape that when or if the opportunities come [they are] ready.

~ Theodore Roosevelt

Music of Gathering

“For the Beauty of the Earth” (by Conrad Kocher)

[Tim Barnes, organ]

Announcements

Special Music

“People Get Ready” (by Curtis Mayfield)

[Bill Dunkley, soloist]

Welcome Statement of Community and Connection

(Please check in on Facebook and/or on Twitter @ChicagoBUMC, wifi password is 7733482679, and pass the friendship pads to register your attendance and any updated contact information.)

Welcome to worship, God’s beloved!

YES, I Am Welcome! Bienvenidas y bienvenidos!

Opening Hymn

“Open My Eyes, That I May See”..... # 454

Opening Prayer

Let us pray. **As we enter into worship, we want every word that is spoken or sung to lift you up, O God! We desire to proclaim your truth, to hear from your Word, and to respond to you with worship. Let us be willing to set aside our own agendas when we sense you leading us. We are so grateful to be able to gather and we look forward with expectancy for what you will do in and through us today. Amen.**

***Scripture Reading**

Luke 12:32-40

[Jesus said to the disciples:] "Fear not, little flock, for it has pleased your Abba to give you the kingdom. Sell what you own and give the money to poorer people. Make purses for yourselves that don't wear out — treasures that won't fail you, in heaven that thieves can't steal and moths can't destroy. For wherever your treasure is, that's where your heart will be. Be dressed and ready, and keep your lamps lit. Be like the household staff awaiting the owner's return from a wedding, so that when the owner arrives and knocks, you'll open the door without delay. It will go well with those staff members whom the owner finds wide awake upon returning. I tell you the absolute truth, the owner will put on an apron, seat them at table and proceed to wait on them. Should the owner happen to come at midnight, or before sunrise, and find them prepared, it will go well with them. Understand this: no homeowner who knew when a thief was coming would have let the thief break in! So be on guard — the Promised One will come when least expected."

Here ends the reading of the Gospel. This is the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

A Time for Young Christians

[During the Time for Young Christians, you are invited to use the Prayer Cards in the pew pockets to indicate prayer concerns you would like lifted up in prayer during this week. They can be placed in the offering plate or posted on the prayer wall. Children are invited to remain in the service following the Time for Young Christians.]

2016 Stewardship: Celebrating Abundant Life

Call to Offering

The Offering of Gifts

[Broadway is committed to the financial support of its identity, vision, and ministry by tithing. Consider making an offering this morning of 10 percent of your income from this past week.]

The Offering of Music

[original composition by Rick Quarles]

* Please rise, in body or in spirit.

Bold type within liturgy indicates congregational response.

***The Presentation of Offerings**

[The gifts of Bread and Wine ^ will be brought forward during the singing.]

***Doxología**

(tune # 95)

**A Dios el Padre Celestial Al hijo nuestro Redentor
Y al eterno Consolador Unidos todos alabad.**

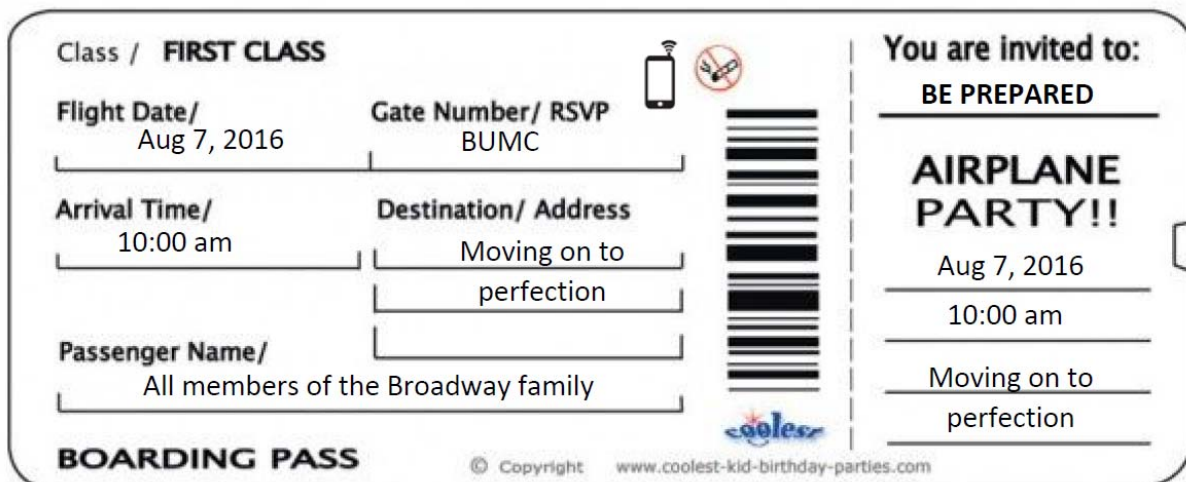
***The Prayer of Dedication**

Let us pray. **Your abundance is without measure and cannot be defined or contained, gracious Lord. It spills out, overflowing into our world and our lives. We thank you and praise you for the wondrous gifts of your Spirit. May these offerings contribute to the peace and wholeness of your creation. Amen.**

Reflection

“Living Abundantly: Be Prepared”

[Rev. Alka Lyall]



[^] We use unfermented grape juice for the Sacrament.

The Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution

The Prayer of Jesus.....# 895

[You are invited to say this prayer in the language of your heart.]

The Breaking of the Bread and the Pouring of the Cup

The Sharing of the Bread and Cup

[You are invited to exit from one end of your pew and return by the other end of the pew at the direction of the ushers. You may bring your food offering⁺ to the Chancel as you come to receive the elements of Communion.]

The Prayer following Communion

***Closing Hymn**

“I Want to Be Ready” # 722

***Sending Forth**

***Greeting One Another**

Music of Sending

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” (by William Bradbury) [Tim Barnes, organ]

+ See “As We Are Fed” under today’s announcements on pg. 8



LITURGICAL RESOURCES

Scripture from *The Inclusive Bible*. Maryland: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc., 2009.

TODAY'S PARTICIPANTS

Ministers: All the People

Pianist: Mark Slima

Environment: Ray Stanton

Celebrating Abundant Life: 2016 — Monthly Update

	Income	Expenses	Difference
Quarter 1	\$44,580.97	\$70,120.72	-\$25,539.75
Quarter 2	\$42,149.87	\$65,686.03	-\$23,536.16
July 2016	\$16,311.30	\$14,829.17	\$1,482.13
YTD TOTAL	\$103,042.14	\$150,635.92	-\$47,593.78

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(scan code for our donation page) or download app (see below).



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY — AUGUST 7, 2016

As We Are Fed As part of our celebration of Holy Communion, we will receive an offering of nonperishable food and other requested items. The local area food pantries and shelters then distribute items. Broadway has been asked to consider particularly gifts of 100% Shelf Stable Fruit Juice, Peanut Butter, Canned Beef Stew/Chili, Canned Tuna, Whole Grain Cereals, and Dried Beans . “As we are fed, so we are called to feed.”

THIS WEEK — AUGUST 8 TO 13, 2016

Weekly E-News If you aren't already subscribed to our e-news, click the mailing list link either on our website or on our facebook page, or contact the office.

Pastoral Care Rev. Alka will be out of the office **August 8 to 14**. Please direct all pastoral care needs to the church office or to Sheila Schultz (ssch733@aol.com).

Wednesday Night Live (WNL) Sanctuary Prayer is open to the church and community **each Wednesday at 5:30pm**. Come, enjoy the quiet, and listen to meditative music and the healing sound of water. Rev. Alka is usually available for prayer and consultation.

WNL! Movie Night Wednesday Night Live! for Summer 2016 will feature MOVIES!!!! That are educational! Will challenge us! Will help us understand the intricacies of the different isms in our world! Of your choice!! Please join us on **Wednesdays at 6:30pm**, after the quiet meditation that starts at 5:30pm. Popcorn and lemonade will be provided. **This week's movie: "In the Image: Palestinian Women Capture the Occupation"**

NEXT SUNDAY — AUGUST 14, 2016

Living Abundantly: Be Alert

Preaching: Leigh Goodrich

Lectionary: Isaiah 5:1-7; Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19; Hebrews 11:29-12:2; Luke 12:49-56

Broadway Choir News Choir Potluck & BBQ at Charolette's Home, **New Members Welcome. Sunday, August 14; 12:15-2pm**. The Broadway United Methodist Choir is a dynamic opportunity for anyone who loves to sing to contribute to ministry. The choir welcomes singers of all experience levels, and we pursue a diverse repertoire. If you are interested, please join us for our summer potluck and BBQ to learn more and meet the choir! Contact director Jacqueline Boyd for more details at 630-479-0083 or jacquelineh.boyd1@gmail.com. *Choir rehearsals resume on Thursday, August 25, 7-8:30pm, and the choir will return to services on Sunday, September 11.*

COMING SOON

SAVE THE DATE!! On **Saturday, August 20**, Broadway is having a food drive to benefit Lakeview Pantry. We'll be at the Broadway/Addison Jewel from 10:00am to 2:00pm, distributing shopping lists of the Pantry's most needed items to customers going into the store. We collect their donated items after they've shopped. It's a great opportunity for Broadway to support the Pantry, an important community resource. The volunteer sign-up sheet is on the table outside the sanctuary. Lakeview Pantry distributes food, clothing and household goods at two sites in Lakeview 6 days a week, as well as providing home delivery and case management. And they've just moved to their new home at 3945 Sheridan Road, across the street from the Sheridan/Irving Park el sta-

tion. Stop by to see their beautiful new facility. More information about Lakeview Pantry at www.lakeviewpantry.org. Questions? Contact Susan at sarmstrong400@yahoo.com.

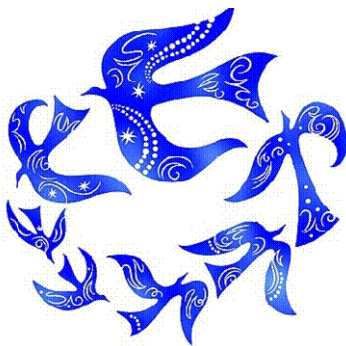
POC and ARWC Bottle and Bottega Event Attention anyone who identifies as a Person of Color or an Anti-Racist White Person. Please join the People of Color group and the Anti-Racist White Caucus for our next meeting at Bottle and Bottega Lakeview. It will be a great way for us to build community, team build, and bring in new BUMC members with a fun activity. To sign up, go to bottleandbottega.com/Chicago-lakeview and look for the "Broadway UMC Justice League" private party on **Sunday, August 21**. Feel free to share! Everyone is welcome, even if you have never attended a POC or ARWC meeting. Cost is \$35/per person, and will take place from 1-4pm. Food, drinks, BYOB, etc. are welcome. No painting experience necessary. The type of painting we'll do this day is non-typical, art masking, which is a pretty cool abstract technique that allows for lots of free time for talking and hanging out. The password to sign up is BUMCBottega (note: Bottega not Bodega). Ask Ines Brookens or Ruthanne Swanson for more information.

Upcoming Service Times

Summer services will remain at 9 and 11 am EXCEPT for those Sundays listed below.

Sunday, September 4: ONE service at 10am

FAMILY SUNDAY, September 11: ONE service at 10am



August Mission Minutes

Each month, your donation to the mission minutes will be split between the two monthly projects; at least one is a UMC Rainbow Covenant Advance. If you want your entire donation to go to a particular mission, just mark your check or envelope with the specific name of the mission or advance. In addition: each month we offer an action alert; another way to put your faith in action.

Kristen Brown: UMC Advance 18132, Methodist Liaison Office in Jerusalem.

Those of you who attended General Conference had opportunity to meet and hear from Kristen. Kristen Brown is a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church serving as coordinator of interpretation, education, and advocacy through the Methodist liaison office in Jerusalem. This office is a joint project of Global Ministries, the British Methodist Church, and the World Methodist Council. It relates to ecumenical organizations, churches, and church-related institutions in the Holy Land, and it provides educational venues for Methodist pilgrims to the region. See more at: <http://www.umcmision.org/explore-our-work/missionaries-in-service/missionary-profiles/Brown-Kristen#sthash.UWTmJEo6.dpuf>

Gaza Community Mental Health Center, www.gazamentalhealth.org

The Gaza Mental Health Foundation is an all-volunteer group, which raises funds and provides training to support the critical work of the Gaza Community Mental Health Programme and other independent, non-sectarian mental health and women's empowerment groups in the Gaza Strip. We are based in the United States and area a registered 501c3 nonprofit. The Gaza Community Mental Health Programme, is the longest established organization for mental health services, training and research throughout the Gaza Strip. In addition: GCMHC also supports the work of Aisha, Gaza City women's empowerment program; Al Zahraa, Al Burej Refugee Camp women's empowerment program; Wefaq, Rafah's women's empowerment program; and Afaq Jadeeda, Nesseirat Refugee Camp grassroots community empowerment organization.

Action:

Attend a film, women living under occupation (date/time TBD), or Inner City Muslim Action Network, Takin' It To The Streets 2016, honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., 50 year anniversary on the march in Marquette Park, Saturday August 6, 2016 10 a.m. – 8 p.m. (\$5.00 suggested donation).

You can donate throughout the month – make checks out to Broadway and designate “August Mission Minute” (split between both) or “Kristen Brown” or “Gaza Center.” You can also donate [online](#).

Broadway UMC Calendar: Week of August 7, 2016
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Sunday 10:00 a.m. **Festival Service** [Sanctuary]
August 7 11:30 a.m. **Fellowship Time** [Friendship Hall]
5:00 p.m. Dignity Mass* [Sanctuary and Friendship Hall]
6:00 p.m. CMA Group* [Area C]
7:00 p.m. 12 Step Meditation Meeting* [Room B]

Monday 7:30 p.m. AA Group* [Area C]

August 8

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. AA Group* [Area C]

August 9 7:00 p.m. NA Group* [Wesley Room]

Wednesday 12:15 p.m. AA Group* [Wesley Room]

August 10 5:30 p.m. **Sanctuary Prayer +** [Sanctuary]
6:30 p.m. **WNL! Movie Night +** [Sanctuary]
7:00 p.m. Alanon Group* [Room B]
8:00 p.m. Candlelight AA Group* [Wesley Room]

Friday 6:00 p.m. AA Group* [Area C]

August 12 7:30 p.m. Alanon Group* [Room B]

Saturday 4:00 p.m. **Youth Lounge** [Area C]

August 13



Bold face indicates BUMC sponsored activities

*Community Group

+ see announcements

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BROADWAY'S MISSION STATEMENT

“God calls Broadway United Methodist Church to be a faith community embracing the diversity of our Chicago neighborhood and larger community. We welcome all persons – celebrating the human family’s God-given diversity of race, age, gender, sexual orientation, and physical or mental capacity. We also welcome persons of all social and economic classes and faith backgrounds. At Broadway, we are accepted into God’s nurturing family, which invites us into spiritual growth through worship, study, mission, and social action. We are grateful for the opportunities God gives us to experience and share the love of Christ.”



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