

It is tradition to begin worship in quiet contemplation accompanied by music. The formal service begins with the singing of a hymn from the Liturgy. You can follow the order of service by turning to the numbers given on the facing page of this pamphlet. These numbers are also displayed on boards hung in various locations.

We do not pass a collection basket during the service. Offertory bowls are located at each entrance for donations to support this church and the useful activities it serves. Donate online at www.brynathynchurch.org.

After the worship service, please join us outdoors in the Cloister for refreshments and conversation. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to approach today's minister or a staff member. We'd love to meet you!

Teachings of the New Church

Because everything in the Word is about loving God and loving our neighbor, and the first tablet of the Ten Commandments contains a summary of everything about loving God while the second tablet contains a summary of everything about loving our neighbor, it follows that the Ten Commandments contain everything to be taught and lived.

If you visualize the two tablets, it is clear how they are connected. God looks at us from His tablet and we look at God from ours. The two tablets are therefore turned toward each other. On God's side it never fails that he is looking at us and doing what has to be done for our salvation. If we accept and do the things on our tablet, a reciprocal partnership [with God] develops.

True Christianity 287



Musician

Hehsun Chun-Smith, organ

Preludes

Concerto in A Minor, BWV 593 - Antonio Vivaldi, arr. J.S. Bach

I. Allegro

II. Adagio

III. Allegro

Allein zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ - Johann Pachelbel

Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier, BWV 731 - Bach

Please rise

Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness 884

Eighth General Office 108

Please kneel

Minister's prayer followed by the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in the heavens, hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, as in heaven so upon
the earth. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our
debts as we also forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Please rise

Recitation 512

Gloria 111

Please be seated

Welcome by the Pastor

Lessons: 1 Samuel 20, *Divine Providence* 329, *True Christianity* 287

Interlude: Beside the Still Waters (Psalm 23) - Dan Locklair

Please rise

Humbly, Lord, We Ask Thy Blessing 852

Please be seated

Sermon: *Friendship*

Please rise

O Praise Ye the Lord! 826

Prayer and Benediction

For the Beauty of the Earth 844

Postludes

Minuet, Grand Choeur in D "alla Handel" Op. 18 - Alexandre Guilmant

Trumpet Tune - Nicholas Bowden

ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMUNITY EVENTS

Pay It Forward Crew Work Day. Saturday, July 31. Looking for willing workers and especially handy people with home improvement skills to help Michael and Stella Evans with various fix-it jobs around their house and yard. Please contact Nina at nina.deweese@brynathynchurch.org if you are able to help or want to learn more.

Sunset Organ Vespers. Sunday, August 8 at 7:30 pm (Bryn Athyn Cathedral). Rev. Michael Gladish will offer readings and Reid Simmons will be on the organ bench. The best seats are indoors but the service will also be broadcast outdoors and livestreamed at www.brynathynchurch.org. Doors open at 7:10 pm. Donations are welcome.

Flower Arrangers for Cathedral Services. Do you enjoy looking at those arrangements whether in person or viewing online? We have a small group of volunteers but we are looking for more to join this team! Choose the time that works for your schedule. To learn more, contact Nina at nina.deweese@brynathynchurch.org or 215-947-6225 x206.

Bryn Athyn Church Small Groups. If you value and support the development of Journey programs and other small groups or are looking to get involved, contact Nina at nina.deweese@brynathynchurch.org or 215-947-6225 x206.

Pastoral Visits. The pastors of Bryn Athyn Church like to visit people who are in the hospital, in crisis or just needing pastoral support, but we may not know of your need if you do not ask. If you or a loved one is facing a spiritual challenge or needs pastoral counsel or support, please call us at 215-947-6225.

Bryn Athyn Cathedral Guided Tours: Tuesday-Sunday, 1:00-4:00 pm. Walk-ins are welcome. There is a suggested donation of \$5 per person. Groups of ten or more need to have a reservation. Call 215-947-0266 x4602. The Cathedral will be closed during religious services, so it is advisable to call ahead for availability.

Red Cross Blood Drive. July 29, 2:00-7:00 pm in Heilman Hall. To register, visit www.redcrossblood.org (enter sponsor code: Bryn Athyn) or email Braden Bostock (bbostock51@gmail.com).

Borough Park Summer Concert Series. Sunday, August 1, 6:00-8:00 pm (Boro Park). Featuring The Hillbillies of Cohesion. Bring a picnic and enjoy live music! Suggested donation \$5 single/\$10 family. Contact Michelle Chapin (mchapin06@gmail.com, 215-910-0586).
facebook.com/BoroughParkSummerConcertSeries



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Welcome to our Worship Service

Friendship
Rev. Derek Elphick
Adult Service – 11:00 am
July 25, 2021