

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!



Chancel Flowers
Suzanne Bernhardt

Musician
Terry Schnarr, organ

Preludes
Prelude on "Ave Verum Corpus" - W.A. Mozart
Allegro - G.F. Handel
Sonatina from "God's Time is Best," BWV 106 - J.S. Bach, arr. A. Guilmant
Hymne - Vangelis
Prelude in Classic Style - Gordon Young

Postludes
Psalm 19 (The Heavens Declare) - Benedetto Marcello
Now Thank We All Our God, BWV 79 - J.S. Bach, arr. Virgil Fox

Please rise
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord! 825
Remain standing for the opening of the Word

Please kneel
Priest: I will lift up my eyes to the mountains—from whence comes my help?
People: My help is from the Lord, who made the heavens and the earth.

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.

Priest: O Lord, forgive us our trespasses.
People: As we forgive those who trespass against us.
Priest: Amen.

Please rise
Jesus, Savior, Mighty Lord 784
Recitation 425

For this commandment which I command you today, it is not too mysterious for you, nor is it far off. It is not in heaven, that you should say, "Who will ascend into heaven for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it?" Nor is it beyond the sea, that you should say, "Who will go over the sea for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it?" But the Word is very near you, in your mouth and in your heart, that you may do it.

Deuteronomy 30:11-14

All that the Lord Has Spoken..... 813



All that the Lord has spo - ken, we will do and hear.

Please be seated
Welcome by the Pastor
Lessons: John 9, *Apocalypse Explained* 815

Please rise
For the Beauty of the Earth 844

Please be seated
Address: *A Man Born Blind*

Please rise
Teach Us, O God, to Listen to Your Word 894

Remain standing for the closing of the Word
Only in God 1035

ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS

Bryn Athyn Church Special Meeting: October 13, 7:30 pm (Society Building) Voting on building project. All are welcome to attend, but only official members can vote.

Stephen Ministry Commissioning Service: October 17, during Informal Service (Heilman Hall) Our new Stephen Ministers are Suzanne Bernhardt, Dean Holmes, Mary Jane Jungé, LynnEllen King, Peter Mergen, Val Rogers, and Monica Sellechia. The commissioning will occur within the Informal Service in Heilman Hall.

Fall Journey Series “Tell Me More:” October 17-November 17. Join us as we build and expand our capacity to be present with and supportive of one another through the intentional development of our ability to listen compassionately.

Seeking Journey and Moms’ Group Leaders: We are looking for volunteers to lead and/or host the small group meetings. Host in your own home, partner with someone else to host at their home, or use a public space. To learn more or if you want to get involved, please 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.

Seeking Ushers for Cathedral Worship Services: If you are willing to serve this use, please contact Julia Schmucker (215-947-0266 x4600 or julia.schmucker@bacathedral.org).

Updated Church Office Phone Extensions:

Derek Elphick’s office is 215-947-6225 x208.

Eric Carswell’s office is 215-947-6225 x207.

Cairnwood Village Craft Crawl: October 16, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm Food items for sale, as well as craftmade cards and pictures, painted clothing, quilted and crocheted items, etc. Held outdoors if the weather is good; inside if it rains.

Sacred Arts Festival: October 24, 1:00-5:00 pm (Glencairn Museum)

Featuring the creation of a sand mandala, live music and more! For information on all programs and to purchase tickets, visit GlencairnMuseum.org or call 267-502-2600.



Bryn Athyn Church

Welcome to our Worship Service

A Man Born Blind

Rev. Derek Elphick

Family Service – 9:30 am

October 10, 2021

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