

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](http://www.brynathynchurch.org).

After the worship service, please join us in the Social Hall 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

Whatever a man wills, and whatever he understands, enter into him by influx from without; the goods of love and charity, and the truths of wisdom and faith enter from the Lord, and everything contrary to these from hell. The Lord has provided that a man may inwardly feel as his own what thus enters from without, and consequently give it forth from himself as his own, although nothing of it is his. Nevertheless, it is imparted to him as his own on account of his Free Will, in which reside his will and thought, and also on account of the knowledge of good and truth imparted to him; for from these he can freely choose whatever is conducive to his temporal and to his eternal life.

*True Christian Religion 362.2-3*

### Musician

Leah Martin, organ

### Preludes

Es ist das Heil uns kommen her - Johann Philipp Kirnberger

Allein Gott in der höh' sei ehr - Georg Böhm

Prelude in C - Charles Callahan

### Postludes

Go Forth in Praise - Eugene Englert

Te Deum - Marc-Antoine Charpentier, arr. Sue Mitchell-Wallace

### Please rise

*With Songs and Honors Sounding Loud*..... 842

### 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

Hagios..... 1137

Recitation ..... 423

Therefore, know this day, and consider it in your heart, that the Lord Himself is God in heaven above and on the earth beneath; there is no other. You shall therefore keep His statutes and His commandments which I command you today, that it may go well with you and with your children after you, and that you may prolong your days in the land which the Lord your God is giving you for all time. Deuteronomy 4:39, 40

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: Judges 1:10-15, Luke 18:1-8, *True Christian Religion 362.2*

### Please rise

*The Voice of One Crying in the Wilderness*..... 1121

### Please be seated

Address: *Be Pushy?*

### Please rise

Offertory

*O Word of God Incarnate* ..... 893

### Remain standing for the closing of the Word

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*..... 860

## ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS

### **Community Supper: October 6, 6:00-8:00 pm (Heilman Hall)**

**Topic:** “Artificial Intelligence from a New Church Perspective”

**Speakers:** Rev. Stephen Cole and Zach Odhner

Join us for a community supper. Bring your own meal. Paper products, beverage and desserts are provided. Children 7<sup>th</sup> grade and up are also invited.

RSVP is not required but helpful with planning: Email

[churchoffice@brynathynchurch.org](mailto:churchoffice@brynathynchurch.org) or call 215-947-6225 (include the number of people). For more info, visit

[www.brynathynchurch.org/community-supper](http://www.brynathynchurch.org/community-supper).

### **General Church Assembly: June 27-30, 2024**

Would you like to lead an Assembly workshop? Apply by November 1, 2023 at <https://forms.gle/2qACrZyhh89Wninu6>.

Registration for the event for members and friends begins February 2024.

For questions, contact Emily Hasen at

[gcassembly2024@newchurch.org](mailto:gcassembly2024@newchurch.org).

### **Bryn Athyn Church General Mailbox**

Questions or comments relating to Bryn Athyn Church news/events/services, can be directed to [churchoffice@brynathynchurch.org](mailto:churchoffice@brynathynchurch.org).

### **Gift Card Rewards Program**

The Church Office has Giant and Weis gift cards for sale. For every card purchased, they donate 5% to Bryn Athyn Church and School. This is a great way to support our organization without spending extra money. For questions, call 215-947-6225 x200.

### **Community Calendar**

Visit [www.brynathynchurch.org/calendar](http://www.brynathynchurch.org/calendar)

### **Emergency Contact for Pastors**

Derek Elphick (248-840-4816 – cell)

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# Bryn Athyn Church

Welcome to our Worship Service

“Be Pushy?”

Rev. Scott I. Frazier

Family Service – 9:30 am

October 1, 2023

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