

WELCOME TO BREVARD FIRST UNITED!

We are glad you are here! Whether this is your regular house of worship or if you are here with a friend for the first time, please sign the red attendance pad. If you are a first-timer, please fill out a Connect Card. Place your Connect Card in an Offering Box, or put it in a black wire basket or hand it to one of our Pastors.

Current Church Directories are available at the Welcome Center Desk.

HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS THIS WEEK:

- TODAY** Organ Foundation Moment at All Three Services
 12:00PM Sunday School Teachers Meeting
 12:00PM **Power Up Soup Luncheon & Sale**
 3:00PM "Four Hands in Motion" at Brevard Davidson River Presbyterian Church featuring, *Tim Shepard and Mike Helman*
 3:30PM Brevard Interfaith Speaker Series *Dr. Morrey Davis - @ St. Philip's Episcopal*
- Mon. Feb. 10** 7:30AM Men's Bible Study @ Sunrise Pescados
 9:45AM Prayer Shawl Group Meeting
 11:00AM Creation Care Meeting
 11:00AM Singing Saints
- Tues. Feb. 11** 10:30AM Prayer Group in the Chapel
 6:30PM Board of Stewards Meeting
- Wed. Feb 12** 9:30AM Jacob Conversations
 4:30 - 5:30PM Children's Choir
NO Praise Team Rehearsal
 5:30PM CHOW-Church Happens on Wednesday
 Soup Bar! **Sign up on Realm** or on the **clipboards in the Welcome Center.**
 6:30PM Chancel Choir Practice
- Thurs. Feb. 13** 9:30AM Centering Prayer
 1:00PM College Walk Communion
 6:30PM Handbell Workshop
- Fri. Feb. 14** *Happy Valentines Day!*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Mon. Feb. 17** 7:30AM Men's Bible Study @ Sunrise Pescados
Tues. Feb. 18 10:30AM Prayer Group
 6:30PM BMS Concert Dress Rehearsal
Wed. Feb. 19 9:30AM Jacob Conversations
 4:30 - 5:15PM Children's Choir
 5:15PM Praise Team Rehearsal
 6:30PM Chancel Choir Practice
Thurs. Feb. 20 9:30AM Centering Prayer
 6:30-8:30PM BMS Black History Month Concert
Sun. Feb. 23 12:00PM Church Read Lunch @ Brevard College

✿ We host the Father Daughter Dance on **Saturday, March 1 from 6-8PM in the Fellowship Hall.** Sign up on Realm to reserve a spot!

TOTAL ATTENDANCE ON SUNDAY 2/2 : 219
 8:30AM - 28, 8:45AM - 70, 11:00AM - 121



IMPORTANT PARKING UPDATE

Starting on Monday, February 3, 2025 our parking will be CHANGING!

February 3 to February 24,

Methodist Drive is undergoing complete re-construction.

NO PARKING on Methodist Drive **apart from SUNDAYS.**

Each Sunday, Beverly-Grant will **move the fence** to make room for Sunday Service Parking. Apart from Sundays, **all parking must be at the Caldwell**

Street Lot (the front handicap spaces are reserved for seniors and families with small children).

*There will be **access** (NOT PARKING)*

through Methodist Drive for drop offs ONLY.

We are planning to have a Pedestrian Officer

monitoring the crosswalk during Sunday Service times

to **provide the utmost safety for this congregation.**

On February 24 (when this phase of construction is completed),

Methodist Drive will **be a gravel lot** where we can park once again.

Beverly Grant and Broad Street Partners have been diligent to ensure efficient timelines and communication with us.

Please make sure to **watch for other parking updates** during this time.

We thank you for your **patience and flexibility** throughout this process!



Each February, we ask you to respond to a question about love and write your answer on a heart.

This year the question we'd like answered is :

"HOW AM I CALLED TO SHARE LOVE?"

Please grab a heart from the **Welcome Center** and **write your answer!**

We will be collecting hearts for the next two weeks!

BREVARD FIRST STAFF TEAM

Lead Pastor Veranita Alvord

Associate Pastor of Faith Formation Sarah Grace Montgomery

Associate Pastor Sharad Creasman

Organist/Director of Music Timothy Shepard

Praise Service Worship Leader Dan Toot

Music Assistant Sarah Lee Myracle

Cantor Bart Gilleland

Finance Administrator Christy Stansel

Weekday Children's Program Director Sabrina Tyler

Operations Manager Brittany Ingold

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Brevard First
United Methodist Church
5th Sunday after
the Epiphany



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2025

11:00 IN THE MORNING

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828-833-9025

OPENING VOLUNTARY Tim Shepard
"Trumpet Tune" arr. by Robert Powell

+ CALL TO WORSHIP Harold Barnette
People read **BOLD**
Psalm 138:2, Isaiah 6:8

We come from different backgrounds on various roads to get here.
We are all here seeking an experience of the holy.
Listen for the promise of God's steadfast love and God's faithfulness.

We are listening for God's call in our lives.
Speak, Lord! Your servants are listening!

+ HYMN RED UMH #344
"Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore"

OPENING PRAYER IN UNISON Harold Barnette
Holy One, earth and heaven revere with your glory!
Humans and angels alike sing your praises!
Open our minds to your breathtaking work in the world,
as you call us to spread the good news of Jesus the Christ,
in whose name we pray. AMEN.

*As the children come forward and their song is played once through,
Please pass the Peace & Forgiveness of Christ with each other!
Come together to sing.*

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES Rev. Montgomery
"Jesus Loves Me!" Verse 3 (UMH# 191)
Jesus loves me still today, walking with me on my way,
wanting as a friend to give light and love to all who live.
(Refrain)
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

PSALTER RED UMH# 853
Psalm 138

BEULAH MCMINN ZACHARY ORGAN FOUNDATION

Sarah Moser

+ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING IN UNISON Harold Barnette
Jesus, you ask us to use what we have for the communication of your word. Then you ask us to risk ourselves even more by going into the deep. Give us the courage to risk our resources for the sake of others. You will multiply what we have beyond all measure! AMEN.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS Rev. Montgomery
Please use the Offering boxes in the Narthex or Welcome Center or scan the QR code below.



OFFERTORY Tim Shepard
"Come Join the Dance of the Trinity"
arr. by Michael Burkhardt

+ DOXOLOGY RED UMH #95
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. AMEN.

+ GOSPEL LESSON Rev. Alvord
Luke 5:1-11
The Word of God, for us the People of God.
Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM Chancel Choir
"This Little Light of Mine" arr. by Mark Hayes

MESSAGE Rev. Alvord
"Into the Deep"

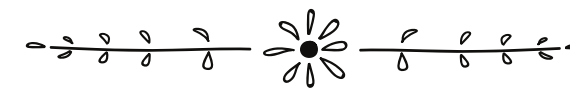
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Montgomery

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. AMEN.

+HYMN RED UMH # 261 sts. 1,2,3,5
"Lord of the Dance"

+ BLESSING Rev. Alvord

CLOSING VOLUNTARY Tim Shepard
"Fugue in G Minor (Little)" arr. by J. S. Bach



"The altar flowers for today are given by the Beulah McMinn Zachary Memorial Foundation to the glory of God and in memory of Beulah May Zachary, the donor of the sanctuary organ."

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Greeters Rick and Judy Thomas
Readers Harold Barnette
Crucifer Burgon Gibbs
Acolytes Tripp Canter (Bible)
Reid McCall (Candle)
Audio Ed Brackney
Streaming Steve Kiser & Hank Welter

*Please accept our apologies for any oversights or mistakes in the program.
The responsive readings and unison prayers come from
Feasting on the Word Worship Companion.*

+ Please Rise in Body and Spirit
UMH= RED United Methodist Hymnal
URWB = BLUE Upper Room Worship Book



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has trained Stephen Ministers to help when times are hard.
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