



BRENTWOOD COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Passion for Christ, Compassion for All

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Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany

10:30 am Sunday, February 23, 2025

**You are invited to stand, as you are able. Please mute cell phones!
Let us be in the spirit of worship, centering around God the Creator, Son the Redeemer, & Holy Spirit the Sustainer who invites us into their presence, heal us & mold us into the image of God!*

COMING TOGETHER FOR WORSHIP

Greeter: Cici Kirchner

Ushers: Scott Baxter & Gbenga Olayomi

Assistive Listening Receivers/Headsets are available to anyone requesting them.

ZOOM** host will guide you as you join online worship from 10:15am. **You will find blue buttons on our church website (brentwoodumc.org) to join either **Live Zoom** Worship Service or **YouTube Live** Stream. **Recording** of Sunday Worship Service will be available 7 pm Sunday on church website.

WELCOME (Sound of the Gong)

Heidi Stark

***OPENING HYMN** "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" (#371 UMH, vs 1, 4 & 5) Together

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Heidi Stark

MISSION/MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Heidi Stark

INTROIT

"Be A Light"

BCUMC Choir

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Rev. Hyesung Lee

SING ALONG

"Jesus Loves Me" (UMH #191 vs 1)

Together

LORD'S PRAYER

SUNDAY SCHOOL (Preschool to 5th Grade)

ANTHEM

"They'll Know We Are Christian by Our Love"

BCUMC Choir

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 45:3-11, 15

Heidi Stark

OFFERING of PLEDGES & THANKSGIVING

Heidi Stark

Offertory Music

*Doxology #94 (UMH)

***Special Offering for Fire Victims through U.M.C.O.R. (United Methodist Committee on Relief) January to February**

TIME FOR COMMUNITY (From Zoom & Sanctuary)

Rev. Hyesung Lee

Joys and Concerns



Pastoral Prayer

Passing of the Peace

SONG OF TRUST	"Saranam, Saranam (Refuge)" (#523 UMH vs 1 & 4)	Together
*GOSPEL READING	Luke 6:27-38	Heidi Stark
MESSAGE	"Love Your Enemies"	Rev. Hyesung Lee
*CLOSING HYMN	"Shalom to You" (#666 UMH twice)	Together
BENEDICTION	Rev. David Niu, District Superintendent of the Los Rios District	
POSTLUDE	Sam Penrod	

"Brentwood Community United Methodist Church is a welcoming and reconciling congregation, affirming its ministry with the whole family of God regardless of age, race, ethnic origin, economic situation, gender identity, sexual orientation, or marital status."

DATE	TIME	GROUP	LOCATION
Every Sunday	9:00 am	Adult Bible Study	Youth Theater
Every Sunday	10:30 am	Worship	Sanctuary
Every Sunday	10:45 am	Children's Sunday School	Sunday School Room
Every Thursday	7 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
First Saturday of the month	8am	United Methodist Men's Breakfast	Fellowship Hall
Wed Feb 26 th	10am	CCN	Fellowship Hall
Thurs Feb 27 th	11am	Friends in Faith - Membership Meeting	Fellowship Hall

Bulletin & Friday Email	Weekly	Deadline: Thursday At 10 am	Contact: Michelle Brentwoodcommunityumc@gmail.com
D's and O's	BCUMC Monthly Newsletter	Editor: Bob Clarke Deadline: 28 th monthly	Contact: Church office if you wish to receive a copy 925 634 3093
Prayer Chain	Contact Linda Barnhill 925 628 9018; lindalucy1103@outlook.com with your prayer requests		
Suggestion/ Feedback Box		Let us know how we are doing. You can confidentially leave messages or requests in the box in the back of Sanctuary. Your input is important to us.	
Online Offering		If you would like to donate to BCUMC use the QR code or, you can go directly to our Vanco donation page at: www.brentwoodumc.org/bcumc/make_donation	

THOSE SERVING AT WORSHIP TODAY

Ministers	All Who Follow Christ	Greeter(s)	Cici Kirchner	
Pastor	Rev. Hyesung Lee	Usher(s)	Scott Baxter & Gbenga Olayomi	
Choir Director	Alivia Logan-Kumagai	Accompanist	Sam Penrod	
Worship Leader	Heidi Stark	Audio/Visual	Dennis Buckley	
Attendance from Sunday February 16: 86				
	Adults: 67	Children/Youth: 7	Zoom: 6	YouTube: 6

SCAM ALERT!!!

A widespread text scam, targeted many in our congregation last weekend. It is crucial to remember that I, your pastor, will NEVER contact you directly with an emergency request for cash, gift cards, or any other favors. If you receive a suspicious email or text, please do not respond without verifying its authenticity. You can do this by contacting Michelle in the church office, myself, or one of our Lay Leaders, David Funk or Heidi Stark.

Please be vigilant and share this information with others in our community. Let's work together to protect ourselves and each other from these scams.

May God grant us wisdom and discernment. Pastor Hyesung Lee

SUNDAY NIGHT LIVE

GAMES, POTLUCK & FELLOWSHIP!

WHEN: TODAY!
TIME: 5-7pm
WHERE: Fellowship Hall

**Everyone is invited to come!*


Being Neighbors: Cal-NeV Care for our Migrant, Refugee and Immigrant Neighbors

Zoom Talk on how congregations can create safety protocols, as well as offer more tips and resources for keeping our church campuses safe

Time: Feb 25, 2025 06:00 PM
ALL ARE INVITED
Join Zoom Meeting
<https://cnumc.zoom.us/j/86587611453>
Meeting ID: 865 8761 1453

YOUTH FAMILIES GATHERING

WHEN: March 2nd Sunday at noon
WHO: Families with students from 6th-12th gr.
WHERE: Fellowship Hall with pizza
WHAT: Plan details of a collaboration with Antioch United Methodist's youth group. We want to ensure our teenagers have a safe space for themselves in the church.
RSVP by 2/25 to Jeanette Ruddick (925-963-2543)



Drive Thru Bean Feed! March 22nd at 5pm Proceeds funds scholarships to support our young adults. Please see one of the men of **BCUMC UMM for tickets. Thank you for your support.**

2025 Lent Study: Disciples of Christ in Community		
Facilitator: Rev. Hugh Stevenson		
When: Sunday 9:00 am to 10:00 am (3/9 – 4/13)		
Where: Youth Room		
Lent 1 (3/9)	Temptation	Luke 4:1-11
Lent 2 (3/16)	Widow of Nain's son healed	Luke 7:11-17
Lent 3 (3/23)	Zacchaeus	Luke 19:1-10
Lent 4 (3/30)	Parable of Prodigal So	Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
Lent 5 (4/6)	Woman anointed his feet	John 12:1-6
Lent 6 (4/13)	Palm Sunday	Luke 19:28-40
Everyone is invited No textbook is needed except the Bible. It would be good if we all bring our own copies of the Bible, although copies of the texts will be handed out at each session. We will read a passage of scripture and answer various questions about it. We will explore how they resonate with us		

2025 Lent and Easter Worship Schedule			
LENT	Ash Wednesday	March 5 (Wed)	Worship Service 7:00 pm
	Palm Sunday	April 13 (Sun)	Sunday Worship 10:30 am
Good Friday		April 18 (Fri)	Worship Service 7:00 pm
Easter		April 20 (Sun)	Sunrise Service 6:30 am
			Easter Breakfast 7:00 am
			Morning Service 10:30 am
			Egg Hunt for Kids