

## Announcements

- Wednesday, 7:00 PM - Prayer Meeting
  - Ladies, please plan to gather in the library between lunch-time and the second service for a time of prayer for Jenny Gagliardi and her new baby.
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Our Father which art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth,  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we 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, for ever.

Amen.

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Worship 10:45 AM and 2:00 PM

Visitors/Non-Members: The sacrament of the Lord's Supper is celebrated on the 1st Sunday of each month. Please plan to meet with the session prior to the week of the sacrament's observance in order to be admitted to the table.

# ***Brainerd Hills Presbyterian Church***

December 17, 2023

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Our Lord's Day • December 17, 2023

## Morning Worship Service

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Private Prayer and Meditation

\*Hymn *Father of Mercies, in Your Word* TH 144

Collection of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology: Psalm 113:1-2

Praise Jehovah, praise the Lord;  
Ye His servants, praise accord;  
Bless-ed be Jehovah's name;  
Ever more His praise proclaim,  
Ever more His praise proclaim.

\*Call to Worship Revelation 1:4-8

\*†Invocation†

\*Reading of the Law Proverbs 3:1-12

Confession of Sin† and Assurance of Pardon

\*Hymn BPS 102 B

\*Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer†

\*Sermon Text Mark 5:1-20

\*Prayer for Sermon†

Sermon Pastor Vaughn Hamilton

\*Hymn BPS 25 D

\*†Benediction†

\*Doxology: Psalm 72:18, 19

Now bless-ed be the LORD our God,  
The God of Israel,  
For He alone doth wondrous works,  
In glory that excel.

And bless-ed be His glorious name,  
To all eternity,  
The whole earth let His glory fill  
Amen, so let it be.

\*Congregation Standing †Corporate Amen †Lifting of Hands

## Afternoon Worship Service

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Private Prayer and Meditation

\*Hymn *O God of Love, O King of Peace* TH 712

Collection of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology: Psalm 29A

O give to Jehovah, you sons of the mighty,  
Both glory and strength to Jehovah accord!  
O give to the Lord His name's greatness of glory!  
In splendour of holiness worship the Lord!

\*Call to Worship Psalm 116:1-7

\*†Invocation†

\*Reading of the Law John 15:9-17

Confession of Sin† and Assurance of Pardon

Westminster Shorter Catechism

***Q. 15. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?***

*A. The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created was their eating the forbidden fruit.*

\*Hymn BPS 28 A

Pastoral Prayer†

\*Sermon Text Proverbs 12:21-23

\*Prayer for Sermon†

Sermon Pastor Vaughn Hamilton

\*†Benediction†

\*Doxology: Psalm 72:18, 19

Bless-ed be the Lord,  
The God of Israel,  
Who alone does wondrous things.  
Bless-ed be His glorious name forever.  
Let His glory fill the whole earth.  
Amen, and Amen.

TH=Trinity Hymnal BPS=Book of Psalms for Singing

## Prayer List • December 17, 2023

### Praise:

- Herb Broadwater — Cancer free

### Requests:

- Cindy Goocher (Scott Goocher's sister in law) - cancer
- Becky Ensinger — Cancer
- Hannah Turnbull Schreiner — Health while expecting
- Katie Murphy (wife of Josh) — Health while expecting
- Krisi Roop — Health while expecting
- Jenny Gagliardi — Health while expecting
- Ben Goocher (Scott Goocher's son) — Mental and spiritual health
- Annette Boyd — continuing rehab after stroke & fall
- Salvation for those family members who do not know Christ
- Stable work situations for breadwinners
- President Biden and all in government — repentance, faith, and wisdom
- Encouragement and strength for caregivers of young, elderly, and infirm.

### Our BHPC college students:

Leah Boyd — UTC

Matthew Tumbry — Cleveland State

## Daily Scripture Reading Schedule

Date	First Reading	Second Reading
Today Dec 17	Zechariah 4	John 7
Mon. Dec 18	Zechariah 5	John 8
Tues. Dec 19	Zechariah 6	John 9
Wed. Dec 20	Zechariah 7	John 10
Thurs. Dec 21	Zechariah 8	John 11
Fri. Dec 22	Zechariah 9	John 12
Sat. Dec 23	Zechariah 10	John 13

### December Birthdays

11 Andrea Boyd

6 Betsie Hamilton

18 Phillip Hamilton

22 Linda Murphy

29 Kayla Tumbry