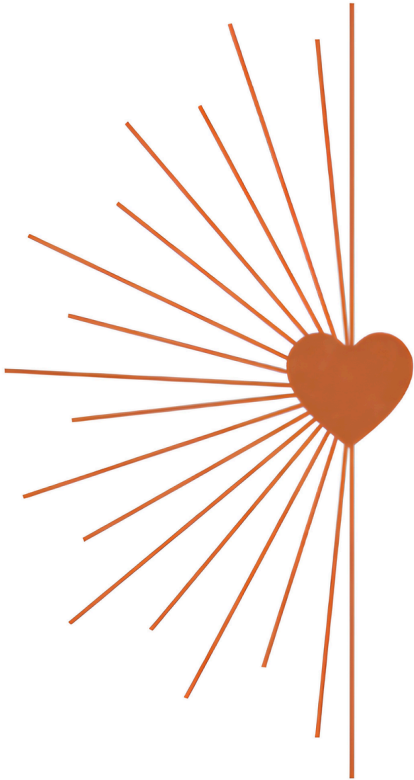


THE KIRK of Bonnie Brae



THERE
OUR
HEARTS
WILL BE

**October 11, 2026
Welcome to Worship**

Order of Worship

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Prelude		Matthew Kingham
Gathering Words		Rev. Selena Wright
*Gathering Song	<i>"Number 40 (New Song)"</i>	On Screen
Welcome & Announcements		Rev. Wright
*Passing of the Peace		Rev. Wright
God makes peace within us; LET US CLAIM IT. God makes peace between us; LET US SHARE IT. <i>Please take a moment to greet those near you.</i>		
*Hymn of Praise	<i>"Be Now My Vision"</i>	NCH 451
Guiding Prayer & Jesus' Prayer		Rev. Lee Zortman
Children's Moment		Rev. Wright
Scripture	<u>Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21</u>	Rev. John Davidson
Message		Rev. Wright
Response	<i>"God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"</i>	On Screen
Stewardship Moment		Rev. Davidson
<i>To donate to the Kirk, there is a plate on the back table. You can also visit the <u>DONATE</u> section of our website or text the amount you wish to give to 833-262-8879.</i>		
Prayer Stations		Rev. Wright
<i>All are welcome to share the bread and the cup and engage in our prayer stations throughout the sanctuary. You can write a specific prayer request that will be read aloud in worship, or click <u>PRAYER REQUESTS</u> to submit a prayer.</i>		
Community Prayers		Rev. Wright
*Closing Song	<i>"Dance Into Joy"</i>	Sing! #205
*Benediction		Rev. Wright
Postlude		Matthew Kingham
<i>*Please rise in body or in spirit</i>		

QUOTES TO INSPIRE

"If, as Cornel West says, 'Justice is what love looks like in public,' then generosity is what deep trust in God looks like in public."

—Rev. Daphne Gascot Arias

KIRK CALENDAR

Sunday, October 11	9:00 a.m.	DIG / Story Circles	Lower Level
	10:00 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary & YouTube
	11:30 a.m.	Social Justice Team Intro Lunch	Lower Level
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group	Lower Level
Thursday, October 15	7:00 p.m.	Kirk Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Friday, October 16	6:30 p.m.	Social Justice / Sign Making	Lower Level
Sunday, October 18	9:00 a.m.	DIG / Story Circles	Lower Level
	10:00 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary & YouTube
	11:15 a.m.	Voting in Community	Lower Level
	11:15 a.m.	Bell Choir Practice	Sanctuary
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group	Lower Level

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Renovations in the Lower Level

As part of our Capital Campaign initiatives, renovations are underway downstairs to replace the flooring in the restrooms and kitchen, and work is also being done on the main-floor men's restroom. Access to basement facilities is limited until mid to late October. The women's main-floor restroom is open. Males should use the restrooms at the south end of the building by the parking lot. Thank you for your patience!

Social Justice Committee Formation Lunch After Worship Today

While most of our meetings will be on Zoom, for our first meeting we have opted to gather in person so we can get to know each other, share our passions, and discuss how we can organize and lead the church's social justice efforts. We'll have a light lunch, a sitter for the kids, and a promise not to run too long.

Social Justice Event: Sign Making

Bring a poster, an appetizer to share and a spirit of hope for a better world as we gather at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, October 16, to make signs for the No Kings protest the next morning. All are welcome, this is a great time to invite friends as well!

Voting In Community

After worship on Sunday, October 18, our Green Justice Team will host a conversation about several ballot issues that reflect the Kirk's values, such as care for creation and human rights. We welcome everyone to bring questions and wisdom as we share insights from community partners and learn with and from each other as we make faithful voting decisions. Snacks and childcare provided upon request.

Kirk Bell Choir

Our Kirk Bell Choir is regathering as we prepare for the holidays, and all are welcome regardless of experience! We will practice after worship on the following Sundays: October 18, November 8, 15, 29, and December 6.

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KIRK OF BONNIE BRAE, UCC

CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission: The Kirk of Bonnie Brae UCC is a progressive church rooted in Christianity and welcoming to spiritual seekers from all backgrounds who are pursuing depth in relationship with God, Earth, and a community through engaged faith and social justice.

OPEN & AFFIRMING STATEMENT

Welcome to the Kirk of Bonnie Brae! We believe that all people are children of God and are created in the image of God. We believe that welcoming all people was and is at the heart of the ministry of Jesus. We find joy in being a diverse community of faith, and welcome everyone to join our spiritual journey. We celebrate people ...

- of all ages, races, and ethnicities;
- of all gender identities and gender expressions;
- of all sexual orientations;
- of all faith backgrounds and no faith background;
- of all viewpoints on the issues impacting our society;
- of differing physical and mental abilities;
- who are single, married, divorced, separated, widowed or partnered;
- who are well-fed or hungry, sheltered or homeless;
- who wonder how a congregation could welcome all of the above.

We welcome and celebrate you!

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