

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Here's what's coming up at Bellaire UMC.
Visit www.bellaireumc.org/stayconnected for additional details.

SUMMER CAMP AND VBS REGISTRATIONS

Registration for Summer camps and VBS are still open! Scan the QR code in the flier below or use the link to register!



STUDENT MISSION WEEK REGISTRATIONS

Registration for Student Mission Week is currently open for all 6th-12th graders, Jr. High June 21-24 and Sr. High June 21-27. We also need adults and college-aged young adults to help ensure the success of this trip. Both full-week and partial-week volunteer opportunities are available. Scan the QR code to register.



SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING - MAY 3

Safe Sanctuary Training will be held on Sunday, May 3, at 12:15 PM in the Parlor, following the second service. If you are interested in volunteering with our Children's Ministry, or Student Ministry, please mark your calendar and plan to attend this important training.



WORSHIP NOTES

Altar flowers today are given by Hal and Debbie Sharp in celebration of Merideth and Rose Murray birthdays. Our CCLI license number is 1042243.

SUNDAYS AT BELLAIRE

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY MORNINGS

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP | 9:00AM

Modern music with a special time for children and communion each week.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP | 11:05AM

Classical music with choir and traditional liturgy and hymns.

ADULT CLASSES + SMALL GROUPS

Connect with a Sunday school class or small group to build faith-forming friendships and grow as a disciple. Talk with a pastor after worship to learn more, or visit the Welcome Center for a list of classes.

CHILDCARE + CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Children are welcome in all worship services.

Age-level Sunday school classes meet at 10:00am in the children's wing.

Loving childcare is provided for children under 5 from 8:50am-12:15pm.

Questions, see Eva Focke, Nursery Coordinator, in room 101

STUDENT MINISTRY

Bellaire Student Ministry is open to students in grades 6-12 and meets for Sunday School at 10:00am on Sunday mornings, and for dinner, games, and learning on Sunday evenings from 5:00-7:00pm. Contact seimodee@bellaireumc.org for info.



QUESTIONS? ASK US.

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Answering Questions People Really Ask

BELLAIRE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 19, 2026

WELCOME HOME!

We are so glad you're here! Whether this is your first time worshipping at Bellaire, or you're here every week, we want to help you take your next step in faith.

I'M NEW HERE

We're so glad that you've come! We hope that you'll feel at home here, and we want to help you connect with God, with others, and with service in ways that deepen your faith and nourish your life. If you have any questions, our pastors and ministry leaders would be happy to chat with you in the Welcome Center after worship. We'd love to meet you and welcome you to Bellaire!

BUMC KIDS

bellaireumc.org/children | [Mingo Williamson | mwilliamson@bellaireumc.org](mailto:MingoWilliamson@bellaireumc.org)

When we worship God on Sundays, we worship as a family. Your whole family is invited, and if you have children who make a little extra noise, don't worry. Activity packs for children are available at the back of the Sanctuary. Nursery care is available during each service, and changing tables are located in all restrooms.

BELLAIRE STUDENT MINISTRY

bellaireumc.org/students | [Ebiye Seimode | seimodee@bellaireumc.org](mailto:EbiyeSeimode@bellaireumc.org)

Bellaire Student Ministry works to build community for junior high and high school students on Sundays and throughout the week. Student discipleship groups meet on Sundays at 10:00am in the Student Center. All are welcome.

TAKING MY NEXT STEP

LEARNING + GROWING | CONNECT WITH A SMALL GROUP

bellaireumc.org/groups | [Reverend Jordan Payne | jpayne@bellaireumc.org](mailto:jpayne@bellaireumc.org)

Begin building faith-forming relationships by connecting with a Sunday class, a small group bible study, or a service group. Check the Welcome Center for a list of classes.

READY TO JOIN? | MEMBERSHIP

[Reverend Nathan Lonsdale Bledsoe | nathan@bellaireumc.org](mailto:nathan@bellaireumc.org)

Ready to call Bellaire UMC home? We're so glad to have you as part of the family. Talk with one of the pastors on Sunday or contact Nathan throughout the week to learn more about how to join.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PHILIPPIANS 4:4-9

9 AM SERVICE

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Confession and Pardon

Passing of the Peace

Video Announcements

Opening Song
Salvation's Tide

Song of Praise
Cornerstone

Prayers of the People + The Lords Prayer

Children's Message

Invitation to Give

Song of Praise
Broken Vessels

Scripture Reading
Philippians 4:4-9

Sermon | Nathan Lonsdale Bledsoe

Holy Communion

Communion Music

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Song
What a Beautiful Name

Benediction

11:05 AM SERVICE

Prelude | Elenor Coursey
The Trumpets of Heaven – David Paxton

Words of Welcome

Video Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn

Affirmation of Faith – Apostle's Creed

Passing of the Peace

Gloria Patri
Glory Be to the Father – UMH 70

Prayers of the People + The Lords Prayer

Children's Message

Invitation to Give

Offertory
Resurrection Canticle – Lloyd Larson

Doxology
Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow – UMH 94

Hymn of Preparation
My God, I Love Thee – UMH 470

Scripture Reading
Philippians 4:4-9

Sermon | Nathan Lonsdale Bledsoe

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Hymn
In the Garden – UMH 314

Benediction

Postlude
Fanfare and Statement on "Llanfair" – Edward Broughton

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. ⁵ Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. ⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. ⁸ Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. ⁹ As for the things that you have learned and received and heard and noticed in me, do them, and the God of peace will be with you.

