

BROWNSON

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
A missional community called to love and live in Christ

January 9, 2022

9 & 11:10 AM In Person

11:10 AM Online

Speak Lord,
for your servant is listening
1 Samuel 3:1-21



Rev. John Hage—senior pastor

Rev. Carolyn Helms—transitional associate pastor

Kelli Garbett—director of children and their families

John Tyson—director of music ministries

Austin Vernon—director of discipleship and missions

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Baptism of the Lord

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Prelude

"Amazing Grace"
David Jesse | Piano

ARR. CURREY

Ritual of Friendship

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

News of the Church Alive

John Hage, *Senior Pastor*

+Call to Worship

God, you call each of us to serve you, and we answer,
"Here I am!"
Jesus, you call each of us to follow you, and we answer,
"Here I am!"
Holy Spirit, you call each of us to worship you this day,
and we answer,
"Here I am!"

+Hymn 463

"How Firm a Foundation"
Verses 1, 3 & 4

FOUNDATION

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

During this time of confession, we invite you to pray in the silence of your own heart....

Kyrie 551



Assurance of Pardon

Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. Christ have mer-cy up-on us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.

Congregational Response "We Are Forgiven"

Hal H. Hopson, 1995

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God. (repeat)

Moment with Children

Kelli Garbett, *Director of Children and their Families*

Anthem

"Do Not Be Afraid"
The Chancel Choir

STOPFORD

Song of Illumination

"Spirit of the Living God"
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

LIVING GOD

Scripture Lesson

1 Samuel 3:1-10
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Called to Listen

John Hage, *Senior Pastor*

+Hymn 69

"Here I Am, Lord"

HERE I AM

+Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

+Gloria

"Gloria Patri"

GREATOR EX

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen. Amen.

Prayers of the PeopleCarolyn Helms, *Transitional Associate Pastor***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 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, forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering**Offertory**

"Give Me Jesus"

ARR. HOGAN

DeNesha McAllister

+Presentation of Gifts

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Dan Neller (9:00) Matthew Bailey (11:10)

+Hymn 838

"Standing on the Promises"

PROMISES

Verses 1, 2 & 4

Benediction**Choral Response**

"Go Now in Peace"

BESIG

Postlude

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

ARR. PAGE

A moment of silence followed by three chimes, signifying the Trinity, concludes Worship.

Announcements

Member Discovery Class: If you are looking to learn more about our vibrant and growing church, join us for Higher Grounds, where you can grab some coffee and a donut and meet with others looking to make Brownson their church home. This will take place on Sunday, January 23 at 10 AM in the Atrium. For more information, contact Marilyn Baxter, Director of Care and Connection, members@brownsonchurch.org.

2022 Chancel Flower Calendar: Please sign up to provide flowers on a Sunday in honor or in memory of a loved one. Contact Sandra Arrington at office@brownsonchurch.org.

Save The Date! You are invited to an afternoon workshop! Beginning Conversations About Our Walk With Members/Loved Ones/Friends with Memory Challenges. Date: Tuesday, January 11, 2022, Time: 1:00-3:00 PM, Where: Conference Room A, Facilitators: Cheryl McNeill & Carolyn Helms. To insure adequate space, please RSVP: carolyn@brownsonchurch.org.

Ways to Connect

Brownson Connects:

The Ligon Bible Class- This class studies *The Present Word* quarterly curriculum. Join us in Conference Room B at 10 AM.

The Living Word Today (hybrid) – This class discusses current events through the lens of our Christian faith, using *The Wired Word* curriculum. Join us in Conference Room A or on Zoom at 10 AM. Meeting ID: 815 7201 6346, Passcode: 058642.

Donuts and Devotionals – Bring your coffee and donuts to Conference Room C at 10 AM **resuming on January 16** as we discuss some of the most important stories in the New Testament!

Adult Studies:

Theology on Tap—The men of the church meet on Wednesday nights at 6 PM at Table on the Green.

Men's Prayer Breakfast - This men's group meets the first and third Tuesday of every month at 7 AM at Sizzlin' Steak or Eggs. Please contact Bill Berger for more information.

Children & Youth: Children: Kids Connect meets every Sunday evening at 5:00 PM for children grades K-5. We kick off tonight with a Parent Meeting and Ice Cream Social. If you are a parent, please make plans to attend - there will be lots of important information covered about our awesome Spring and Summer 2022! Save the date for VBS—June 20-23.

Youth: Youth will meet tonight in Fellowship Hall from 5:00 – 6:30 PM for dinner, fellowship, and games.

Serving Today

Thank you to our Greeters serving today:
9:00 Head Usher—Allan Beck, Lisa Beck, Logan Beck, Dave Devendorf, Ben Eddy, John Eddy
11:10 Head Usher—Frank Dean, Bill Berger, Ryan Ciccone, Don & Brenda Hiscott, Sara James

Prayers and Praise

Hospital/Rehab: Arnold Seawell (St. Joe's Rehab)

Home: Ruth Hellinger

Death of Members: Nicholas "Nik" Pry 12/22, Winston Miller 1/2, Andy Mergins 1/5.