



FOR GOD'S GLORY,
WE ARE COMMITTED TO EQUIPPING CHRISTIANS TO
WORSHIP GOD AND TO REACH BIRMINGHAM TO
REACH THE WORLD FOR CHRIST.



Briarwood
Presbyterian Church, PCA

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Morning Services of Divine Worship – June 21, 2026

Worship Leaders

Dr. Scott Redd, Pastor

Rev. Saeyoung Park, Singles Ministry Pastor

Dr. John Haines, Worship Pastor

THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

...in the great assembly I will bless the LORD. Psalm 26:12

Call to Worship & Preparation from the Psalms

Psalm 145:4

All: One generation shall commend Your works to another, and shall declare
Your mighty acts.

Prelude & Time of Meditation & Confession

"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"
Summer Orchestra

O gracious God, my heart is drawn out in thankfulness to You, for Your amazing grace and condescension to me in influences and assistances of Your Spirit, for special help in prayer, for the sweetness of Christian service, for the thoughts of arriving in heaven, for always sending me needful supplies, for raising me to new life when I am like one dead. Give me special grace to fit me for special services, and keep me calm and resigned at all times, humble and solemn and conformed to Your will. –adapted from The Valley of Vision

Invocation

Gospel Word of Salvation

Sacrament of Baptism

Greeting of Grace & Peace*

Hymn of Ascents*

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" Hymn 8

Confession of Truth*

1 Timothy 3:14–17

Pastor: *As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.*

All: All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

Pastor: *The Word of the Lord.*

All: Thanks be to God!

THE PETITIONING OF GOD'S PROVIDENCE
O LORD, in the morning You hear my voice... Psalm 5:3

Ministry Opportunities for Prayer

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession

THE ADORATION OF GOD'S GLORY
Praise the LORD! It is good to sing praises to our God... Psalm 147:1a

Presentation & Consecration of God's Tithe & Our Offerings

The Offertory *"See Him Face to Face"*
Summer Choir & Orchestra

Singing of Psalms, Hymns & Spiritual Songs* *"Thank You Jesus for the Blood"*
Hannah Darlington, Worship Associate

THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD
Blessed are You, O LORD; teach me Your statutes! Psalm 119:12

Prayer of Illumination*

Scripture Reading*† Psalm 78:1–8

Exposition of God's Word Dr. Scott Redd, Pastor

"The Testimony of Our Fathers"
Psalm 78:1–8

THE CONSECRATION OF GOD'S PEOPLE
And now I commend you to God and to the Word of His grace... Acts 20:32a

Pastoral Benediction*

Congregational Affirmation* *"The Doxology with Alleluias"*

Postlude *"This is My Father's World"*

*The congregation is requested to stand, if able.

†K4–3rd grade dismiss to the Children's Auditorium for Children's Worship.

Following the 8:00 service, Children's Worship participants will be escorted to their Sunday School rooms.

Following the 10:55 service, please pick up K4–3rd grade children in the Children's Auditorium.

A Prayer Team is available following both morning services just to the right of the pulpit platform.

The 8:00 a.m. service is "signed" each week in the Worship Center.

Morning services are available live on WLJR 88.5 FM. and online at briarwood.org/livestream.

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FELLOWSHIP OF WORSHIP

Evening Service of Praise and Proclamation – 6:00 p.m.

Prelude

Rev. Daniel Cason, Pianist

Welcome

Rev. Greg Norfleet, Counseling Pastor

Call to Worship

Psalm 107:28–32, selected

Pastor: *They cried to the LORD in their trouble, and He delivered them from their distress. He made the storm be still, and the waves of the sea were hushed.*

All: Let them extol Him in the congregation of the people, and praise Him in the assembly of the elders.

Prayer of Invocation

Song of Praise*

“His Mercy Is More”

“Forever Jesus”

“Jesus, Messiah”

Shane Davis, Worship Associate

Announcements

Offertory Prayer

The Offertory

“Speak, O Lord”

Scripture & Sermon

Dr. Scott Redd, Pastor

“The Sea Storm and Man of the Tombs”
Mark 4:35–5:20

Pastoral Benediction*

Congregational Affirmation*

Dr. John Haines, Worship Pastor

Postlude

WELCOME TO BRIARWOOD

We’re delighted you are worshiping with us today. The entire Briarwood family is eager to greet you, answer any questions you may have, and minister to you in any way. After the service, please stop by the foyer so that we may offer you a small gift to acknowledge your presence with us. We pray that this morning’s worship will be all about Him and not about us and that it will draw you close to the Lord of the universe.

– Dr. Scott Redd & the Briarwood Church Family

FEATURED EVENTS

Christianity in America Celebration | June 28 *

Help us fill the loft as a great Briarwood Family Choir as we celebrate our country's 250th anniversary and honor our veterans! Dr. Redd will be this year's speaker. Sign up to be in the Briarwood Family choir at www.signupforchoir.com.

Barons Baseball Game — Church-wide Event | July 3

Fellowship together with a night of baseball and fireworks as the Birmingham Barons face the Montgomery Biscuits on July 3 at 6:00 p.m. at Regions Field. We will be sitting in section 114. Tickets are available for \$15. Register at briarwood.org/events.

Catechism Camps — Children's Ministry | July 6–10

Students will spend time each day memorizing catechism questions and taking part in various activities. For details, go to briarwood.org/children.

* Nursery is available for select events upon reservation at briarwood.org/nursery.
Stay up-to-date with upcoming events on the Briarwood App.

PRAYERS & CHURCH FAMILY

Briarwood Prayer Focus — Thank you, God, for the gift of fathers. Pray that our fathers will be drawn closer to You and will be guided by Your Word. Give them the strength to overcome any challenges they may face. May our fathers feel Your presence and be comforted by Your love.

Missions Prayer Focus — Please pray for Taylor and Lizzy Barnes who work with Ekisa Ministries in Jinja, Uganda, serving children with disabilities and their families. They serve in a community that views children born with disabilities as cursed which sometimes leads to families abandoning those children. They help to love and care for those children, as well as reach out to their families and the community with the Gospel. Pray for protection in Uganda as the country is experiencing outbreaks of the Ebola virus. The flag of Uganda is featured in the Worship Center this Sunday.

Church Family — Pray for hospitalized members Janette Beaumont, Jody Bursley, Sharon Huffstutler, Clete Hux, Duff Quenelle, Steve Renfroe, Paul Whitcomb, Missy Keller.

Our love and sympathy to Tim Scott and family on the death of his sister, Becky Webster, on June 10; to Jane and Jeff Bissell and family on the death of their husband and father, member Hal Bissell, on June 11; to Sue Knopf, Amanda Bronner and family on the death of their sister and aunt, Jane Sandlin, on June 12; to Brenda and Kristie Harrick, Dana Cox and family on the death of their brother and uncle, Donell McCord, on June 13, and to Margie Preston and family on the death of her granddaughter, Megan Bean, on June 13.

Receive each day's prayer as a notification through the Briarwood App.
In your Briarwood App settings, enable "Weekly Prayer Guide" notifications.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Summer Soccer Camp — June 22–26 & July 14–16. Soccer Camp for players age 7–14, is open to the public. Register online at briarwoodsoccer.com or call 205.776.5114.

Trailblazers Movie — July 1. Join the Briarwood Trailblazers as we watch “A Great Awakening” at 2:30 p.m. at Cahaba Ridge Retirement Community. No cost. Register online at briarwood.org/events or email sjohnston@briarwood.org.

Briarwood Ballet presents “Encounters with Christ” — July 10 at 7:00 p.m. & July 11 at 1:00 p.m. in the Barbara B. Barker Auditorium at Briarwood High School. Reserved seating. Purchase tickets at briarwood.org/ballet.

Created for a Purpose — July 20–24. Created For A Purpose is a 5-day program that teaches 3rd–8th grade girls that they are masterpieces created by God with unique purposes! Register online at briarwood.org/events.

Trailblazers Music & Dessert — July 28 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in FH-E&F. Let’s go back to the fifties with the Briarwood Trailblazers for music and dessert with John Livingston! Sign up online or email sjohnston@briarwood.org.

Impact Weekend — July 31 – August 2. All 9th – 12th grades, join us for a weekend with speakers and discipleship groups at students’ houses. Come and allow the Lord to Impact your life! Register at briarwood.org/events.

Join the Briarwood Choir — We need you in the choir! We have four Summer “Choir Invitationals”. Go to www.signupforchoir.com for more information.

Active-Duty Military — Update our Active-Duty Military list of members and family members so that we can pray for them. Provide us with name, rank, branch of service, and the relationship to you. Email Patti Claud at pclaud@briarwood.org.

Women’s Summer Bible Study — Join us this summer on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Chapel. This summer the study will be on the book of Hosea and will be taught by eight different women in the church. Nursery is available with registration.

Men’s Summer Study — Men, come this summer for a Wednesday study in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 a.m. We will be discussing Relational Discipleship: Biblical Models for Forming Believers taught by Dr. Scott Redd and Briarwood Pastors.

Super Summer 2026 — Children ages K5 through 6th grade are invited to attend Super Summer at Briarwood. Each weekday, select age groups will meet in the gym and then go out to a fun activity. For details, go to briarwood.org/children.

Job opening: Shepherding Pastor — This role will shepherd and serve as a Community Pastor in Congregational Communities, lead Community Pastors, and work with lay shepherds. Send resume to Patti Claud at pclaud@briarwood.org.

Job opening: Youth Pastor — This position involves responsibility for programming, discipleship, evangelism, outreach opportunities, retreats, and leadership training, and staff development. Send resume to Leigh Ann Reese at lreese@briarwood.org.

Stay up-to-date with events and opportunities with the Briarwood B-Mail newsletter.