



blaine memorial
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY
Oct. 15, 2023

Worship

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Camping Ministries

SUNDAY

**How can we nurture
the spirit of our young people?**



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Order of Worship

*Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost
Camping Ministries Sunday
October 15, 2023, 10 am
Hybrid Worship*

Faith Sharing of Camp Experiences

Blaine Youth Group

Prelude

*The Summons
Traditional Scottish;
arr. by John Bell, words by John Bell
Kathy Onishi*

JHC and Asian Camp Video

Blaine Youth Group

Welcome of Grace and Greeting

Rev. Karen Yokota Love

Introduction to the Offering

Marisa I.

***Call to Worship**

*(Based on Psalm 106)
Jordan L.*

***Doxology**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
(UMH #94)
Eugene and Kathy Onishi*

***Opening Hymn**

*Sanctuary (TFWS #2164) x 2
Eugene and Kathy Onishi*

***Prayer of Dedication**

Tala C.

Opening Prayer

Jordan L.

Announcements

Rev. Karen Yokota Love

Scripture Reading

*Philippians 4:1-9 (NRSVUE)
ピリピ人への手紙 4:1-9 (JLB)
Mia I., Tsutomu Nagoya*

***Closing Hymn**

*Pass It On
(UMH #572)
Eugene and Kathy Onishi*

Children's Message

Rev. Mia MiKyung Park

***Benediction**

Rev. Mia MiKyung Park

Special Music

*Draw the Circle Wide
Blaine Memorial Choir*

Postlude

*He is God
Words and Music by Wes Terasaki,
arr. by Randy Way
Kathy Onishi*

M. I. L. E.

*Laity Enhancement
Rev. Karen Yokota Love*

Passing of the Peace

Rev. Karen Yokota Love

About Junior High Camp

Junior High Camp is geared toward incoming 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th graders. We strive for our youth to leave with a sense of relationship to Christ through tangible and practical life applications. In addition, we encourage their growth towards outreach through their local churches and leadership in their own communities.

About Asian Camp

The United Methodist Church Asian American Summer Camp, in its 49th year history of empowering and inspirational ministry, has developed a reputation amongst its participants as a family-like community, yielding lifelong relationships and faithful servants of God. Asian Camp is a camp geared towards incoming 10th, 2nd year college.

Daily Lectionary Readings

Monday, October 16, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 97;
Exodus 32:15-35; Jude 17-25
Complementary: Psalm 34; Exodus 19:7-20;
Jude 17-25

Tuesday, October 17, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 97; Exodus 33:1-6;
Philippians 3:13-4:1
Complementary: Psalm 34; Amos 9:5-15;
Philippians 3:13-4:1

Wednesday, October 18, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 97; 2 Kings 17:7-20;
John 6:25-35
Complementary: Psalm 34; Song of Solomon
7:10-8:4; John 6:25-35

Thursday, October 19, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 99; Exodus 33:7-11;
3 John 9-12
Complementary: Psalm 96:1-9; Judges 17:1-6;
3 John 9-12

Friday, October 20, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 99; Exodus 31:1-11; 1
Peter 5:1-5
Complementary: Psalm 96:1-9; Deuteronomy
17:14-20; 1 Peter 5:1-5

Saturday, October 21, 2023:

Semi-continuous: Psalm 99;
Exodus 39:32-43; Matthew 14:1-12
Complementary: Psalm 96:1-9;
Isaiah 14:3-11; Matthew 14:1-12

Announcements



Choir members needed!

Tues. at 7pm, Sun at 9am, 11:45am

Join us as we bring musical messages to the Blaine family each week. If you sing, or if you would like to learn to sing, please come join! Whether you sing in public or just in the shower or are available "full-time" or "part-time," all are welcome! Contact Eugene Onishi (eaonishi@hotmail.com).

Free Hearing Tests! Sunday Oct. 15 in the Library



Do you have trouble understanding conversation in noisy places? Do you ask people to repeat themselves? Have people told you to get your hearing checked? If you are experiencing any of these concerns, there will be an opportunity immediately after worship to have your hearing checked.

Offerings include a free screening of your hearing, a free cleaning of your ears. If you use hearing aids, you can have those checked, as well. **Please go to the Blaine Library to have your hearing checked!**

Pastor's Appreciation Celebration Lunch Sunday, Oct. 22 after worship in the Social Hall



Donations needed for Harvest Festival! Saturday, Oct. 28, 11am-2:30pm

Donations are needed!

- 3 bags of Hot Dog Buns (24 per package)
- 2 packages of Kirkland Bun Size Hot Dogs (12 per package, 3-package bundle)
- 2 bags of Pirate's Booty or something similar (contains no dairy or nuts and gluten-free)
- 2 bags of Family-sized Chips
- 1 bag of Cash & Carry Salad
- 1 bag of Red Delicious Apples
- 4 containers of grapes (red and green)



Questions? Please contact Susan Lee at susanslee@comcast.net.

All-Church Conference Meeting • Tuesday, Nov. 14, 7pm

This year's All-Church Conference will be on Tuesday, November 14 at 7pm. This gathering holds great significance for our faith community as we come together to celebrate our ministries in 2023. Our District Superintendent, Rev. Derek Nakano will preside over the meeting. All are invited to hear about the state of our church and other important updates. More details to come!

Thanksgiving Meal Work Party • Sunday, Nov. 19 & Monday, Nov. 20

BYG is once again partnering with Kimball Elementary School to provide Thanksgiving meals for food-insecure families. We'll gather on Sunday, November 19, after worship to prepare apple crisps together in the LAC kitchen. Additionally, on Monday evening at 6pm in the LAC kitchen, we'll make mashed potatoes and bake apple crisps (a light dinner will be provided). We plan to deliver the meals to Kimball Elementary School on Tuesday, the 21st, in the morning. Please contact BYG Directors or Terri Adolfo for more details.





Blaine Memorial UMC's volunteers help grill chicken during the Bazaar. Thank you to our contributors!



The Blaine Youth Group are ready to serve Suno Dogs at Bazaar!



Jordan enjoys Suno Dogs!



In Our Thoughts and Prayers

As a Church and people who believe in the power of prayer, let us continue to lift up these persons in the joys and concerns that they are experiencing in their lives.

Those in cancer treatment or remission

- Jennifer Lew • Tony Yasuda
- Lesley Cunninham • Duong Nguyen
- Quy Phi • Nikki Palmer
- Linda Perry • Doris Fraley • KT Aegerter
- Chuck Sitkin • Dean Tsuchida

Those in nursing homes or care facilities

- Dorothy Akiyama

Those with health concerns, recovery

- Madison Kelly • Bernie Pitts • Greg Ogata
- Suma Yagi • Connie Sekijima • Wyman Martin
- Marcia Takahashi • Rev. Shigeharu Ago

Celebrations

- Congratulations to our **youth and young adults** for providing today's Word and song as we celebrate **Camping Ministries Sunday**. We celebrate how the Spirit continues to move through our youth and young adults to inspire them to spread God's love.
- Congratulations to everyone who came to volunteer, support, purchase food, produce or goods at the **Blaine Memorial Benefit Bazaar!** We had an amazing Bazaar last Saturday and we appreciate every single person who came to purchase food and baked goods to help support the Maui Relief and Recovery through United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)!
- Congratulations to **Rev. Karen Yokota Love, Rev. Mia MiKyung Park, Rev. Dr. Jeney Park-Hearn, Rev. Dr. Mark C. Hearn and Rev. Cruz Edwin Santos** as we celebrate **Pastor Appreciation Month** throughout the month of October! We are grateful for your witness in ministry and for your dedication and service to Blaine Memorial UMC.
- Congratulations to **Lynne Onishi** for your guiding leadership for the 100th Anniversary Celebration of the Wesley Club at University of Washington!

- Congratulations to all who are celebrating **October birthdays and anniversaries!**

For our United Methodist Church

- We continue to pray for the safety of our LGBTQIA+ siblings and for a just, inclusive future within The United Methodist Church. We pray that we are guided by love and the hope for a world where all people are celebrated and loved, where their rights are secured and where their sexual and gender diversity is valued.

For our community, nation, and world

- Prayers for the **people of Israel and Palestine** amid the escalating violence. We pray for those killed and injured by rockets from Gaza in southern Israel. We pray for the protection of those who have been taken hostage by Hamas. We pray for the civilians of Gaza. We pray for those in leadership in Gaza and Israel. We pray for those who are grieving. May they know your ever-present help.
- Prayers for our **unhoused siblings** in our neighborhood, in the City of Seattle, in our state, and across the country. May we improve systems so that our unhoused can be housed. May they receive the care and support necessary to find adequate housing.
- Prayers for the fire victims, friends, communities, and Ohana in **Lahaina, Maui**, due to the wildfires. We pray for all of the people who perished in the fires and for those who continue to search for missing people. We pray for the community as they rebuild and recover Lahaina.
- Prayers for **comfort and relief for those challenged by serious and chronic mental and emotional illnesses**. We ask that they receive help and support. Give your power of healing to those who minister to their needs, that they may be strengthened in their weakness and have confidence in your loving care.

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Annual Conference Delegates

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Rev. Mia MiKyung Park

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Kathy Onishi

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Bob Sekijima, Gayle Miyake

Eugene Onishi, Kathy Onishi

Ron Nobuyama, George Yates



All are Welcome Here!

Our core belief is that each person is a beloved child of God - whose giftedness we value and whose presence and participation are a blessing to our community, and to the Kin-dom of God in the world.

Blaine Memorial United Methodist Church affirms our core value of Radical Hospitality, and as a community, we are an inclusive Church that welcomes and extends every part of its ministry to all persons regardless of race, ethnicity, income, age, generation, political affiliation, theological stance, sexual orientation or gender identity.

Thank you to Carol Kastrup for today's beautiful flower arrangement!

Ways to Give

- **ONLINE:** Click the Realm logo at blaineonline.org or scan the QR code on the right.
- **MOBILE:** Download the free "Realm Connect" app. Use your sign-in and click GIVING.
- **TEXT:** Text BLAINE to 73256. Click the link and follow the prompts.
- **MAIL:** Mail checks to: BMUMC at 3001 24th Ave S. Seattle, WA 98144.





Harvest Festival Returns!

Saturday, October 28th

**BMUMC's
Lee Activity Center**
3001 24th Ave S

**Games
& Activities**
11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Trunk-or-Treat
2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Bring your family and friends and help celebrate the start of the fall season! There will be games and activities for all. We encourage you to dress in your family-friendly costumes (*no masks or stick-like objects allowed*). At 2pm the children will gather for our truck-or-treat tradition.

Volunteer now by contacting **Blaine Memorial UMC Office**
at (206) 723-1536 or blaineoffice@yahoo.com.

