

welcome

to university baptist church

welcome to ubc

We're glad you've chosen to worship with us today.

If you are new to UBC, thank you for being our special guest. We'd love to greet you personally, so please drop by our Connection Café after worship today. For more information or if we can help you in any way, visit our website at ubc.org or call the church office at 281.488.8517 and we will be happy to assist you.

Steve Laufer, SENIOR PASTOR

how to connect

Because we value connection here at UBC, here are some quick ways to get and stay connected: ① download the UBC Houston App; ② join a small group; ③ visit the UBC web site; ④ sign up for our weekly E-news; ⑤ read your worship guide.

social media

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May 13, 2018



Prelude Praise Ringers
Holy, Holy, Holy

Welcome to Worship Dr. Steve Laufer

Parent Dedication Terri Greer/Steve Laufer

Baptism Karen Murphy
 Jason & Parker Demers

A TIME OF WORSHIP

Invocation Aaron Glenn

Hymn of Praise Congregation
How Great Thou Art

Pastoral Prayer Rick Carpenter

Choral Response Congregation
Holy, Holy #254

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture Reading Lora Doremus
 Hebrews 2:10-13

Anthem Sanctuary Choir
By Our Love

Today's Message

"We Are Becoming a Family"

Dr. Steve Laufer

Mark 3:20-35, Acts 2:42-47

(Pew Bible Pages #709 & 772)

Song of Response Congregation
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling #208

A TIME OF THANKSGIVING

Deacon Offertory Prayer Sabra Barnett

Offertory Chamber Singers
Ain'a That Good News

Announcements/Benediction Dr. Steve Laufer

Closing Song Congregation
I Know Whom I Have Believed

Welcome

Dr. Garet Robinson

Worship in Song

Furious

Responsive Reading

Rick Carpenter

One Thing Remains

Here's My Heart

Offering Prayer

Lora Doremus

Isn't He

Today's Message

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Mark 3:20-35, Acts 2:42-47

(Pew Bible Pages #709 & 772)

Song of Response

Heart Abandoned

Announcements & Benediction

Steve Laufer

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, please feel free to stop by the Connection Café.

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happening **now**

Mother's Day begins the annual "Change for Life" Baby Bottle Fundraiser for the Beltway 8 South Crisis Pregnancy Center. This UBC supported ministry is a lifeline of hope to women in unplanned pregnancies, providing them spiritual, educational, and material support. Ultimately helping the mother choose life for her baby. Please pick up your bottle in Fellowship Hall, fill it with change, and return the bottle by Father's Day. Last year you gave \$5,632.16 through this fundraiser! Thank you, UBC, for your support of this ministry of care and compassion. ▷ *Every Sunday through Jun 17, 8:15 am-1 pm, Fellowship Hall*

VBS Training Rally—All VBS Volunteers are invited to our special preparation rally! Come for dinner and prepare for VBS with an evening of information and fun activities. Volunteers will receive instructions and preparations for this summer's VBS (June 11-14). For more info, email linda.goodale@ubc.org. ▷ *Mon, May 14, 5:45-8 pm, Chapel*

Illumination Arts—Visual artists and art lovers are invited to join our artist community as we honor Christ together through art. This month, Morgan True Blum will talk about doing live paintings and will give a live painting demo. For info, contact Julie Ranna at illuminationartsministry@gmail.com. ▷ *Tues, May 15, 6:30-8:30 pm*

Senior Graduation Sunday—In celebration of their achievements and to anticipate future successes, we invite you to join us in honoring our high school graduates! ▷ *Sun, May 20, both worship services and Fellowship Hall*

Rick Carpenter's Retirement—Be a part of a special retirement celebration for Rick Carpenter! You can also celebrate Rick's retirement by giving to the love offering (write "Love Offering" in the memo field or the envelope). ▷ *Sunday, May 20, 6 pm*

Dine Out to Donate—Join the UBC Foundation for a delicious way to raise money! On May 21, visit one of the participating restaurants, present a coupon or code from UBC's coupon booklet and the restaurant will donate a portion of your meal to the foundation. Visit our table in the Fellowship Hall to learn more and to pick up a coupon booklet or download the flyers online at ubc.org/foundation. ▷ *Monday, May 21 at participating restaurants*

Popsicles on the Playground—Preschoolers (birth-Kindergarten) and their parents: Come kick off the summer with us! Bring chairs and towels and be prepared to get wet! Popsicles will be provided. ▷ *Wed, May 23, 9-11 am, main playground*

Focus Meeting—Get the latest stories and reports of UBC ministries at our quarterly Focus Meeting. ▷ *Sun, May 27, 7 pm, The Hangar*

Preschool Family Missions—Are you searching for practical ways to serve others this summer with the whole family? Join us in June, July, and August for Ready Set GO! - Preschool family mission projects. For the month of June, we will collect nonperishable food for Clear Lake Food Pantry. Donation boxes will be posted at the Chapel, reception, and Preschool. Food will be delivered by KJOY-ers the following week. ▷ *Food Collection is June 3-24*

Sports Camp—The goal for this camp is to work hard to learn and improve basketball, volleyball or tennis skills and develop a strong sense of teamwork while maintaining a safe, Christian learning environment. For more info and to register, visit ubc.org/kids-summer. ▷ *Mon-Thurs, Jun 4-7, 8:30 am-4 pm*

Vacation Bible School—Hundreds of kids will be there! Will you help? To volunteer, visit our table in the Fellowship Hall. To donate, bring snacks or to register your child (5 years-5th grade), visit ubc.org/kids-summer. ▷ *Mon-Thurs, Jun 11-14, 8:30 am-12:15 pm*

Silver Cliff Ranch—Located in the middle of the mountains, Silver Cliff is one of America's premiere campgrounds. Students (6th-12th grade), don't miss out on one of the most incredible times in the life of our Student Ministry. Campers must attend one of the two following meetings with one parent/guardian: Wednesday, June 6, 6 pm or Sunday, June 10, 4 pm. Last day to register and have all payments made is **May 27**. ▷ *Camp Dates, Jun 23-30, Nathrop, CO*

UM Army—We need adult sponsors for this Student Ministries serving trip! Spend a week with students providing free home repairs for those who are physically or financially unable to do so. For more info, email bstalcup@ubc.org. ▷ *Trip dates, July 8-14*

