# to university baptist church

## our **mission**

Becoming a family of Christ followers, connecting people with God's Kingdom

## how to **connect**

✓ THE BIG THREE:

- □ Find a worship time
- Find a regular group
- □ Find a place to serve

Visit the Connection Corner before or after services to talk to someone about becoming a covenant member.

## social media

- facebook/UBCHouston
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February 9, 2020









TODAY IN WORSHIP

#### Prelude

Call to Worship

Christopher Morrison

rship Congregation, Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra *Our Great Savior* 

Welcome to Worship

Dr. Steve Laufer

#### A TIME OF WORSHIP

\*Hymns of Praise Congregation Fairest Lord Jesus #176 Tell Me the Story of Jesus #122

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Garet Robinson

Choral Response Sanctuary Choir Threefold Amen

\*Hymn of Faith Congregation Jesus Is All the World to Me #184

#### SERVICE OF THE WORD

\*Scripture Reading John 7:37-41 Rex Rivera

Anthem

Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra Marilyn Matney, flute My Jesus, I Love Thee

Today's Message "And the Reviews Are In!" Dr. Steve Laufer John 7:1-52 (Pew Bible Pages #756-757)

\*Song of Response Congregation I Have Decided to Follow Jesus #305

#### A TIME OF THANKSGIVING

\*Prayer of Thanks

Offertory

Christopher Morrison

Dr. Steve Laufer

Joan Traylor

Announcements

Closing Song Congregation What a Friend We Have in Jesus #182

\*All who are able, please stand.

relude

9:30

# TODAY IN WORSHIP



#### Welcome

Dr. Steve Laufer

#### Baptism

Madeline Krueger

#### Worship In Song

There's Nothing That Our God Can't Do This Is Amazing Grace

#### Scripture Reading

Rex Rivera John 7:37-41

Cornerstone

#### Pastoral Prayer

Randy Cox

On Earth as in Heaven

#### **Today's Message**

"And the Reviews Are In!" Dr. Steve Laufer John 7:1-52 (Pew Bible Pages #756-757)

#### Song of Response

Jesus Paid It All

#### Announcements & Benediction

Dr. Steve Laufer

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TODAY IN WORSHIP



#### The Belonging

Welcome & Announcements Dr. Garet Robinson Stand In Your Love

Jesus Paid It All

Scripture Reading

Rex Rivera

Jesus We Love You

#### **Today's Message**

"And the Reviews Are In!" Dr. Steve Laufer John 7:1-52 (Pew Bible Pages #756-757)

Come to Me

#### **Collective Reading & Benediction**

Dr. Steve Laufer

#### Dissmiss to Groups & Continued Prayer

Dr. Steve Laufer

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# happening **now**

**Baptist World Alliance Conference: Interest Meeting**—A short meeting to determine who is interested in traveling to Brazil for the Baptist World Alliance Conference in July. For more information, go to bwa2020.org. ▷ *TODAY*, *12:15 pm, EB 226* 

**GriefShare**—If you have lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, GriefShare can help provide supportive people who understand the deep hurt of loss. For information, visit the display table in the Fellowship Hall today or go to ubc.org/griefshare. ▷ *Thursdays starting Feb 13, 6:30-8 pm, EB 211* 

New to UBC Luncheon—If you are new to UBC, this lunch is a great way to sit down with our pastors and learn about UBC. Following our Sunday morning services, the lunch will cover the essentials of our church identity, mission, and purpose. Childcare is provided during this meal. RSVP: mabel.hoff@ubc.org. ▷ Sun, Feb 16, 12:15 pm, Chapel

**The website redesign is complete!** Our website features a new volunteer opportunities page. Check it out at ubc.org and discover ways you can serve.

**Thank you, Glenns!** Our Pastor of Serving Ministries, Aaron Glenn, celebrates his fifth year of service with UBC! Aaron's anniversary is a great opportunity for our church family to recognize and show our appreciation for his years of service. The Executive Council will be accepting a Love Offering for Aaron over the next several weeks. We will recognize Aaron and Stephanie Glenn on Sunday, February 16, in our worship services. We invite you to also pray about the Love Offering and make it above your regular giving habits. Write "Love Offering" in the memo field or on the envelope and drop it in the offering plate this Sunday or give online at ubc.org.

**Illumination Arts**—Visual artists and art lovers are invited to join this artist community for fellowship and spiritual, artistic, and personal growth as Christ is honored through art. Join us this month as artist Suzie Barden does a Fluid Art Demonstration. Cost is free! Register at ubc.org/quicklinks. For more information, contact Julie at illuminationartsministry@gmail.com. > Mon, Feb 17, 6:30-8:30 pm, Chapel

**The Belonging**—Come be a part of this new Sunday evening worship service. ▷ *Tonight, 5-6 pm, Chapel* 

Beltway 8 South Crisis Pregnancy Center annual "Love for Life" banquet is Friday, February 21 at Grace Community Church. The banquet is a great way to celebrate life as we offer clients unconditional love. Please visit lifelineCPC.org for more information.

The **Deacon Nominating Committee** is accepting nominations at this time. Blue nominating forms can be found at *The Porch* and in your WBS box. You can also submit nominations online at ubc.org/deacon.

**Ash Wednesday Service**—This day begins the season of Lent, a time when Jesus' followers throughout history and around the world have focused attention for forty days on issues of discipleship. ▷ Wed, Feb 26, 6:15 pm, Worship Center

Faith@Home: Dinner and a Marriage—At Dinner and a Marriage®, couples enjoy a delicious dinner followed by marriage encouragement. For info and to register, visit ubc.org/quicklinks. ▷ *Tues, Mar 3, 7 pm, Villa Capri* 

**Weekday Ministries**—Registration for the 2020-21 school year is open! Visit ubc.org/weekday for more information.

**Preschool Ministries Serving Opportunities**—We need 7 adult volunteers, 5 at 9:30 and 2 at 11:00, who will serve in Preschool WBS. Please contact terri.greer@ubc.org.

**Faith Partners—**Life can be challenging. Are you in a tough spot? Need some support and prayer? Faith Partners are individuals who are trained to walk alongside you if you need someone who will listen, pray with you and suggest resources. Please visit *The Porch* in the Fellowship Hall for more information.

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## current worship series

## Facing the Critics

And the Reviews Are In! (John 7:1-52)—Jerusalem was the heart of religious power and tradition for the Jews, which made it an obvious place to be the heart of the opposition against Jesus and all of his claims. Jesus was very aware of the threat, and only ventured into the city at certain times and for brief periods. But as the time drew nearer for the completion of his time on Earth, those visits became bolder. Here in John 7 we see the beginning of the end. The opinions of the people swing widely as some revere him while others seek to kill him.

**UBC en Español** es el nuevo servicio de adoración en español que se lleva a cabo cada domingo a las 9:30 de la mañana en la capilla. iTodos son bienvenidos!

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## attendance update

Last Week

WORSHIP 838

**BIBLE STUDY** 948

## giving update

Last Week's Offering Weekly Requirement FY2020 Budget (Oct-Jan) Actual Giving \$57,069 \$71,000 \$1,360,000 \$1,526,000



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