

## WELCOME HOME!

We are so glad you're here! Whether this is your first time worshipping at Bellaire or you're here every week, we want to help you take your next step in faith.

### I'M NEW HERE

We're so glad that you've come! We hope that you'll feel at home here, and we want to help you connect with God, with others, and with service in ways that deepen your faith and nourish your life. If you have any questions, our pastors and ministry leaders would be happy to chat with you in the Welcome Center after worship. We'd love to meet you and welcome you to Bellaire!

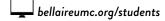
### **BUMC KIDS**



<u>bellaireumc.org/children</u> = Mingo Williamson | **mwilliamson@bellaireumc.org** 

When we worship God on Sundays, we worship as a family. Your whole family is invited, and if you have children who make a little extra noise, don't worry. Activity packs for children are available at the back of the Sanctuary, and all children are welcome to come forward for Children's Time. Nursery care is available during each service, and changing tables are located in all restrooms.

### **BELLAIRE STUDENT MINISTRY**



bellaireumc.org/students = Pastor Jordan Payne | jpayne@bellaireumc.org

Bellaire Student Ministry works to build community for junior high and high school students on Sundays and throughout the week. Student discipleship groups meet on Sundays at 10:00am in the Student Center. All are welcome.

#### TAKING MY NEXT STEP

### LEARNING + GROWING | CONNECT WITH A SMALL GROUP

bellaireumc.org/groups = Pastor Jordan Payne | jpayne@bellaireumc.org

Begin building faith-forming relationships by connecting with a Sunday class, a small group bible study, or a service group.

### **READY TO JOIN? | MEMBERSHIP**

Pastor Betsy Sutherland | nathan@bellaireumc.org

Ready to call Bellaire UMC home? We're so glad to have you as part of the family. Talk with one of the pastors on Sunday or contact Pastor Nathan throughout the week to learn more about how to join.



### GIVE ONLINE

WWW.BELLAIREUMC.ORG/GIVE

GIVE CASH OR CHECK OFFERING BASKETS LOCATED NEAR EXIT

GIVE BY TEXT

TEXT "GIVE" TO (832) 551-2425

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Here's what's coming up at Bellaire UMC. Visit www.bellaireumc.org/stayconnected for additional details

## Snap a Selfie!

Help Nathan get to know us! Head to the photo booth by the stairs in the welcome center, write your name on one of the whiteboards, take a picture of yourself, and then email it to nathanebellaireumc.org or text it to 346.556.4484



#### **CHURCH RETREAT — SIGN UP NOW**

We are thrilled to invite you and your loved ones to our first-ever (or in a LONG time) Bellaire UMC Church Retreat on February 7 - February 9 at Camp Allen in Navasota, Texas. ALL CHURCH MEMBERS ARE INVITED. Details and registration are online at https://www.bellaireumc.org/churchretreat.

#### BELLAIRE STUDENT MINISTRIES NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We need your help! We need each and every parent, guardian, volunteer, and church member to keep the ministry moving and growing! There are four different ways that you can help us out - Jr High Volunteer, High School Volunteer, Meal Provider, and Meal Clean up! Seriously, we need your help to help ensure the group is taken care of and grows as we prepare for new leadership! If you have any questions, please reach out to Pastor Jordan at jpayne@bellaireumc.org

# BUMC MINISTRY FAIR

Fellowship Hall | January 26TH | 10-11 AM

#### **MINISTRY FAIR - JANUARY 26**

You're invited to attend the BUMC Ministry Fair on January 26 from 10am to 11am in the Fellowship Hall. At the Ministry Fair, you'll have the opportunity to connect with 10+ BUMC ministry teams in an interactive and fun event to help you learn more about how you can get involved. Come and see all the ways you can serve through the Welcome Team, Together in Hope, Flower Team, Amazing Place, Zoe Empowers, School for Little Children, Christian Community Service Center and more! Our prayer is that this event will help you find new ways to connect to God, connect to others and connect to service.

### **WORSHIP NOTES**

Flowers today are given by Liz Atkinson Martin to welcome Rev. Nathan and his family into our church family. Our CCLI license number is 1042243.

## 9:00AM CONTEMPORARY

## 11:05AM TRADITIONAL

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Confession and Pardon

Passing of the Peace

Opening Song

Lion and the Lamb

Song of Praise King of My Heart

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Message | Mingo Williamson

Invitation to Give

Song of Praise

Who You Say I Am

Scripture Reading

Matthew 13:3-9

**Sermon** | Rev. Nathan Lonsdale Bledsoe

New Growth, Old Roots

Holy Communion

Communion Music

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Song

All the Poor and Powerless

**Benediction** 

Prelude

Now Thank We All Our God - S. Karg-Elert

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn

Great Is Thy Faithfulness — UMH 140

The Apostles' Creed

Passing of the Peace

Gloria Patri

Glory Be to the Father — UMH 70

Prayers of the People + The Lords Prayer

Invitation to Give

Offertory | Sanctuary Choir

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow — UMH 94

Hymn of Preparation

How Great Thou Art — UMH 77

Scripture Reading

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Closing Hymn

Here I Am, Lord – UMH 593

**Benediction** 

Postlude

A Time for New Beginnings — L. Smith