

Contemporary Worship

November 8, 2026

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US!

We are so glad you are here, and we would love to connect with you. Let us know you are here by scanning this QR code or by visiting: www.canterburyumc.org/attendance

We look forward to connecting with you!

Senior Pastor - Rev. Keith Thompson
Pastor - Rev. Hill Carmichael
Pastor - Rev. Tori Hastings
Pastor - Dr. Bill Morgan
Pastor - Rev. Matthew Montgomery
Pastor - Dr. Rick Owen
Youth Pastor - Rev. Gann Waters - Wright
Children's Pastor - Rev. Eleanor Christiansen
Bishop in Residence - Dr. Mike Watson
Director of Contemporary Music - Natalie Moon

Welcome to Canterbury

We are so glad you chose to worship with us today!
We want you to feel at home. Through close relationships, the study of scripture, education, and caring for others, our goal is to connect you to God, each other, and His world in a real and meaningful way. Here you will find a community of real people who express their real experiences to help renew and empower you to follow Him. So no matter where you are in life, we invite you to come as you are and to live for something greater.

WORSHIP

Children in Worship All children are welcome in worship! The sight, sounds, and interactions of worship are appropriate for every age. We have worship activity bags available on the wall as you enter Canterbury Center. Excellent nursery care is provided for infants through age 4 for all regularly scheduled worship services.

Worship Online
Website
www.canterburyumc.org/worship/worship-online
Facebook
www.facebook.com/CanterburyUMChurch
YouTube
www.youtube.com/@CanterburyUMC

CONNECT

Next Steps Class This is a basic introduction to our church family and a wonderful time for you to continue building connections with others. Since many of us come from different church backgrounds, this class is designed to clearly explain who we are and what we believe. After attending, our hope you will decide to make Canterbury your new church home. To register for the next class, email Becky King at becky.king@canterburyumc.org.

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REAL GRACE LOVE LIFE

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WORSHIP IS AN AWARENESS AND EXPRESSION OF GOD'S PRESENCE LIVED OUT MOMENT BY MOMENT

We Gather In God's Presence

For All My Life

Welcome & Greeting

Children's Moment

We Prepare Our Hearts With Song

Anchor of Peace

The Lord Will Provide

We Respond To God

God's People Pray

God's People Give

Hold On To Me

We Listen For God's Voice

Ephesians 4:29-32

Even When: Everyone is Picking Sides

Only Ever

We Go To Live Like Jesus

Reminder of God's Promises

A Challenge to Life Like Jesus

Happening at Canterbury

Kids CanterburyCHELLA
November 11 | 10 AM
We are excited to host CanterburyCHELLA this week on Veteran's Day! It will be a morning of fun and music with *Huck & Lilly* giving your family a fun opportunity to come dance and sing together. Join us in Canterbury Hall and invite a friend!

Wednesday Night Schedule

TAKE NOTE!

- November 11 - No Dinner or Studies, Veterans' Day
- November 18 - Dinner & Session 3 Studies
- November 25 - No Dinner or Studies, Thanksgiving
- December 2 - Dinner & Session 3 Studies
- December 9 - Christmas Chili Cookoff

Calm Before the Stork
November 15 | 9:30 AM
Is your family growing through birth, adoption, or fostering? We'd love to walk alongside you! Join us next Sunday, November 15 to learn how we can support your family, explore baptism, nursery and Sunday School for your baby.
Register: www.canterburyumc.org/grow/children

Coat Drive
Now through November 23
Coats, sweatshirts, fleeces of all sizes are needed for our Christmas Village coat drive! Our goal is to collect 500 coats, so check your closets! You may drop off anytime on the coat collection racks found in the church. (University branded sweatshirts are fine but please no K-12 schools)

Christmas Village Toy Collection
The annual toy drive is in full swing! Shop local at Snoozy's Kids (they deliver to Canterbury!) or purchase gifts from our Amazon Wish List (scan the QR code) Please deliver gifts by November 22. Thank you for helping us provide gifts for more than 400 local children!

You may also support Christmas Village by:
- Baking a dozen treats over the Thanksgiving holiday with your kids, grandkids, spouse, etc. and deliver to Canterbury on November 30. Our goal is 200 dozen baked treats!
- Volunteer to work at the event on Dec. 2 & 3! Sign up by scanning this QR code.

Encouragers Serve Night: Girls' Night Out
December 1 | 5:30 PM
All ladies are invited to join the Encouragers women's ministry for a special Christmas Serve Night benefiting girls in foster care at Grace House! We'll share a festive evening of dinner, cookie decorating, and Christmas cheer. Help make the night memorable by volunteering or donating needed items. Register to attend and pay the $15 dinner fee by scanning the QR code. Come share the joy and blessings of the season!

New Canterbury App! Have you downloaded it yet?
Stay connected! From worship livestreams and giving, to the church directory, calendar and registering for events... it's all in one place! Just search Canterbury UMC Birmingham in the Apple App Store or Google Play (look for our red logo box) to download for free.