

SUPPORT INTOWN COLLABORATIVE MINISTRIES

Please bring canned foods (especially canned meats and vegetables) and pop-top items to the Welcome Center baskets April 3-24 to support our homeless and nearly homeless neighbors. We also need 8 volunteers to work the food pantry **Saturday, April 9**, 10:30 a.m.-1 p.m. For more information or to sign up, contact Shepherd Nancy Collins [ncollins0209@gmail.com](mailto:ncollins0209@gmail.com).

THEOLOGY ON TAP

On **Tuesday, April 5** at 7 p.m. Theology on Tap will gather at the home of Ken Sharpe (1700 Timberland Road, 30345). You may ask yourself what does the baby Jesus have to do with Lent? Well, according to Dr. Thomas G. Long, a great deal. The men will be discussing *Seasons' Greetings* by Tom Long from the March 21-28, 2001 issue of The Christian Century. All men of Morningside are welcome for dinner and discussion. RSVP to the church office ([office@morningsidepc.org](mailto:office@morningsidepc.org)), if you would like to attend.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A brief congregational meeting will take place immediately after worship **Sunday, April 10**, for the purpose of dissolving the vacant Associate Pastor position. The position can be re-established easily whenever we choose to add staff; this vote will save the church money by our not having to pay into the pension fund for a vacant job.

ST. JOSEPH'S HAITIAN DANCE BENEFIT, APRIL 18

The Resurrection Dance Theater of St. Joseph's Home for Boys will perform a selection of traditional Haitian dances in the Cannon Chapel of the Candler School of Theology on the Emory campus on **Monday, April 18** at 7 p.m. St. Joseph's, dedicated to bringing boys from the streets of Port au Prince and providing them with a Christian home and family, lost two of its three buildings during the 2010 earthquake. Donations from the event benefit the continuing rebuilding of St. Joseph's.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AT MORNINGSIDE

Adult Sunday School Classes—Christianity and the Arts

Actor Brad Sherrill will lead the discussion of Christianity and Theater at the adult Sunday School class Sunday, April 3. Brad has created ‘Gospel of John’ and ‘The Prophets’ and performs them throughout the United States and the world. This class meets in Room 201 at 9:45 a.m.

**Children’s Classes**—Today, preschool children will visit the Parlor to hear a story about the Good Shepherd with follow up activities in the classroom. K-1<sup>st</sup> grade will consider Jesus’ teaching that we are to love God with our heart, soul, and mind and our neighbor as ourselves. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> graders and Double Digits attend worship.

THIS WEEK AT MORNINGSIDE  
SUNDAY, MARCH 27

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Conversation  
9:45 a.m. Church School  
11 a.m. Worship/Installation Service of Baron Mullis  
12 noon Installation Reception

MONDAY, MARCH 28

6:30 P.M. Women’s Roundtable  
6:45 p.m. Parliamentarians  
7 p.m. Mandolin Society

TUESDAY, MARCH 29

9:30 a.m. Preschool Yoga Class  
12:30 p.m. Playball

6:30 p.m. Weight Watchers  
7:30 p.m. Coffee & Dessert  
**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30**  
10:50 a.m. Preschool Yoga Classes  
6 p.m. Cherub Choir  
6:30 p.m. Treble Choir  
7 p.m. Small Group Bible Study  
7:30 p.m. Coffee & Dessert; Chancel Choir; Venture Crew

THURSDAY, MARCH 31

12:30 p.m. Playball  
6:30 p.m. Prayer Group  
7 p.m. Handbell Choir  
7:30 p.m. Coffee & Dessert

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

9:30 a.m. MPP Movement Class  
1 p.m. MPP Ballet  
5 p.m. Brown/Landers Rehearsal

SATURDAY, APRIL 2

Habitat Build  
8:15 a.m. Weight Watchers  
11:30 a.m. Brown/Landers Wedding

SUNDAY, APRIL 3

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Conversation  
9:45 a.m. Church School  
11 a.m. Worship/Communion  
12 noon Fellowship  
12:30 p.m. Discipleship Meeting



Baron Mullis  
Pastor

Walter Huff  
Organist / Choirmaster

WORSHIP     MARCH 27, 2011  
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

*A Service of Worship  
for the Installation of  
The Rev. Dr. Baron Anthony Mullis  
as pastor of  
Morningside Presbyterian Church*

*Sunday, March 27, 2011  
Eleven O’ Clock*

THE GATHERING

David Weitnauer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE PRELUDE

*Allegro from Concerto 1 in G Major, BWV 592*

J.S. Bach

Sarah Martin, guest organist

\* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness, come into his presence with singing.

People: Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his, we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name.

People: For the Lord is good, his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Leader: Let us worship God, who creates, redeems and sustains us. - Psalm 100

\* THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 138 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit. Amen.

THE KYRIE

(Hymn 572)

\*(The asterisk indicates parts of the worship when the congregation is invited to stand as they are able.)

Life@Morningside

WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Welcome to worship at Morningside Church. Please complete the information in the Friendship Pad at the end of the pews and pass the pads down and back again during the **Concerns** portion of worship. Worship notebooks and books for children are located on the kiosk outside the sanctuary. Nursery for infants is in Room 105; toddlers 18 months through 2 years are in Room 012. Children ages 2-11 are invited to leave after the **Peace of Christ** for special classes. Threes, fours & fives are in Room 011; K - 1st grade in Room 001; 2nd - 3rd grade and Double Digits attending worship today.

FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for our pastor Baron Mullis by the Morningside congregation.

INSTALLATION SERVICE

This morning we would like to welcome to the Morningside pulpit our guest preacher, The Rev. Dr. Douglas Oldenburg, Moderator of the 210<sup>th</sup> General Assembly, along with members of the Installation Committee and The Presbytery of Greater Atlanta. Today we gather in worship for the Service of Installation of The Rev. Dr. Baron A. Mullis as pastor of Morningside Presbyterian Church. The Chancel Choir will offer Charles Gounod's *Sanctus* featuring guest soloist Jeanné Brown.

WELCOME

We welcome Sarah and Gene Martin as our guest musicians again this morning. They have been friends of Morningside in recent years, filling in for our organist/choirmaster, Walter Huff, in times of his absence. Walter is presently serving as Chorus Master for two productions with the San Diego Opera.

COFFEE & DESSERT WITH BARON

In the month of March, every MPC member is invited to a gathering with our new pastor. Though you have been invited to a location relatively close to where you live, you are welcome to attend a different one if it is a better time. The last three are this week: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. See the list of locations and dates on the website and be sure to RSVP, so we know where to expect you!

WOMEN'S ROUNDTABLE

*Tomorrow, March 28* at 6:30 p.m. Women's Roundtable will gather at the home of Tara Parrish (1206 Cumberland Rd., 30306). All women of Morningside are welcome for dinner and conversation. RSVP to the church office ([office@morningsidepc.org](mailto:office@morningsidepc.org)), if you would like to attend.

WALK FOR LENT

The Morningside community is invited to walk for an hour during Lent. There are varied dates, times and leaders. The next walks will be *Tuesday, March 29*, 9 a.m. and *Thursday, March 31*, 6:30 p.m. Check out the bulletin board and website for more information.

YOUTH MISSION TRIP 2011

The MPC Youth are making June plans for a trip to the Global Village Experience at Heifer International in Perryville, Arkansas. For more information, contact Carolyn Morton at [carolynmorton@bellsouth.net](mailto:carolynmorton@bellsouth.net). *Registration deadline is April 1.*

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD

MPC is looking for volunteers for *Saturday, April 2*. If you have not yet been out to build, join us for the final day of Spring Build. Contact Lynsley Tyler at [Lynsley@bellsouth.net](mailto:Lynsley@bellsouth.net) to volunteer.

GIVING UPDATE		
	Week 3/20	YTD
Needed	\$13,845	\$166,143
Received	\$ 9,723	\$150,594

# Morningside Welcomes

## The Installation Commission from The Presbytery of Greater Atlanta

**Rev. Joanna Adams**  
Honorably Retired, Presbytery of Greater Atlanta

**Rev. David Weitnauer**  
At Large

**Rev. Tom Evans**  
Executive Presbyter, Presbytery of Greater Atlanta

**Rev. Paul T. Roberts**  
Johnson C. Smith Seminary

**Martin Dunlap**  
Morningside Presbyterian Church

**Sis Newsome**  
Trinity Presbyterian Church

**Romona Lavender**  
New Life Presbyterian Church

*Children are always welcome in the Sanctuary during worship.  
Should you find that your child grows restless, there is child care available. Infants are cared for in the Nursery in Room 105, toddlers 18 months through two years in Room 012.*

Elder on call: Bobbie McCrackin 404.633.5349  
Deacon on call: Jeanne McCarthy 404.274.7992  
Ushers: Al and Kathy Bremer, Kim Perez, Shari Tant  
Greeters: Ellen Brown, Browning Fergus, Gail Kitchens, Lisa and Shannon Harris  
Coffee and Conversation Hosts: Cindy and Bill Humphries  
Counters: Randy Parrish, Link Marx  
Infant Volunteer: Georgia Moore  
Toddler/Two Volunteer: Carrie Branon  
Three, Four, and Five's Volunteers: John and Angie Keller  
K-1st Grade Volunteers: Shirley Adair, Mindy Potter  
2nd-3rd grade Volunteers: Mark and Diana Cochran  
Fellowship: Members of Morningside

### Staff

Baron Mullis.....Pastor	Anna Best.....Office Administrator
Walter Huff.....Organist/Choirmaster	J. Daniel Altman.....Music Administrator
Robert Gray.....Assistant to the Minister	Ann Benson.....Office Assistant/Wedding Coordinator
Melinda Sandkam .....Program Director	Randy Young.....Facilities Manager
Sarah Tomaka.....Preschool Director	Gus Restrepo.....Sexton

### THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: We know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence.

**People: Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.**

Leader: Believe the promise of the Gospel:

**People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.** - 2 Corinthians 4:14-15

**\* THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** (Hymn 473)

**For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child, friends on earth, and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild, Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.**

**\* THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

*(Children ages 2-11 are invited to leave after the **Peace of Christ** for special classes. Three through five-year-olds in Room 011; K - 1st grade in Room 001; 2nd - 3rd grade and Double Digits are attending worship today.*

**THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH** Martin Dunlap

*(Visitors and members are invited to sign the blue friendship register pad and pass it down the pew.)*

**THE ANTHEM** Sanctus Charles Gounod

Jeanné Brown, soprano  
Gene Martin, Conductor  
(sung in Latin)  
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth.  
Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna in the highest.

**THE SCRIPTURE READING** Hebrews 11:8-12  
(page 211 in the pew Bible, NT)

**THE SERMON** “Not Knowing Where We’re Going” Doug Oldenburg

* THE HYMN 354	Guide My Feet (verses 1 through 4)
* THE APOSTLES' CREED	Sis Newsome
<p>I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.</p> <p>I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.</p>	
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER	
<p>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.</p>	
THE SERVICE OF INSTALLATION	
THE STATEMENT ON THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH	Tom Evans
THE CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE PASTOR	Romona Lavender
THE INSTALLATION PRAYER	Paul Roberts
THE DECLARATION OF INSTALLATION	Romona Lavender
THE CHARGE TO THE PASTOR	Joanna Adams
THE CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION	Martin Dunlap

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS		
THE OFFERTORY	Siciliano Organ and Piano	Bach/Steuterman
*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION		(Hymn 592)
*THE HYMN 420	God of Grace and God of Glory	
*THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION		Baron Mullis
*THE CHORAL RESPONSE	O Lord, You Are My God and King	C. Hubert H. Parry
<p>O Lord, you are my God and King, and I will ever bless your name; I will extol you every day, and evermore your praise proclaim. You, Lord, are greatly to be praised, your greatness is beyond our thoughts; all generations shall tell forth the mighty wonders you have wrought.</p> <p>How rich in grace are you, O Lord, full of compassion, merciful, your anger always slow to rise; your steadfast love you show to all, for you are good in all your ways, your creatures know your constant care. To all your works your love extends, all souls your tender mercies share.</p> <p>Your works will give you thanks, O Lord, your saints your mighty acts will show, till all the peoples of the earth your kingdom, power, glory know. Eternal is your kingdom, Lord, forever strong, forever sure; while generations rise and die, your high dominion will endure.</p>		
*THE POSTLUDE	Now Thank We All Our God	S. Karg-Elert