

# WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*A safe, inclusive place for all people to worship.*

92 Years in Ministry  
5017 Lake Shore Road  
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Church Office Hours:  
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## SESSION

Maria Glass, Clerk of Session  
Phyllis Carriere  
Bruce Decker  
Pam Decker  
Jennifer Ejbisz  
Dave English  
Bill Faust  
Richard Owen  
George Pacifico  
Cheryl Panfil  
Barbara Rickard



## DEACONS

Joy Boccolucci  
Janet Evert  
John England  
Audrey Hawthorne  
Tracy Kalembkiewicz  
Karen Klug  
Lisa Laffrado  
Mark Panfil  
Lisa Passarelli  
Lesle Persons

**Deacon of the month:**  
Lisa Passarelli

## STAFF

Administrative Assistant: Julie Horwood  
Music Coordinator: Bruce Decker  
Librarian: Karen Peiffer  
Custodian: Kim Carlson  
Social Media Coordinator: Ashley McVea  
Pastor Emeritus: David Persons

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Order of Worship

Text in **bold** congregation reads together. \*Indicates congregation standing, if able.  
Please turn off cell phones & other devices.

We Gather to Worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING MUSIC (Morning Has Broken) & LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CALL TO WORSHIP

*At the name of Jesus every knee should bend and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.*

**Glory to God. Amen.**

HYMN #157 I Danced in the Morning

(Glory To God)

OPENING PRAYER

*Holy God, all lives are yours, and you do not seek the death of any sinner. Renew our hearts, refresh our spirits, and help us walk in your holy way, that we may welcome the impartiality of your judgment and accept your all-embracing goodness; through Jesus Christ. Amen.*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

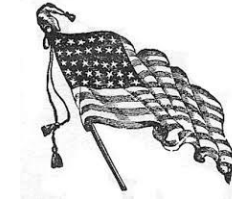
**Righteous God, we confess that we have not lived as your obedient children. We have honored you with our words, but we have denied you with our actions. We have not pursued the mind of Christ, who took the form of a servant, for we have acted with selfish ambition. We have put our interests before the interests of others and have not regarded them in humility. Forgive us our arrogance, awaken our hearts to sincere repentance, and enable us to will and to work for your good pleasure, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

*Brothers and sisters, God offers forgiveness of our sin and abundant life to those who repent. Turn, then, and live in Christ, our Lord. Amen.*

REMEMBER OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL

Bill Dorsheimer, U.S. Navy  
Aaron Blair, U.S. Air Force  
Jon Keogh, U.S. Army, Iraq  
Rudy McEnry, U.S. Army  
Pat Werely, U.S. Army  
Cody Easter, U.S. Army  
Nathan Filkins, U.S. Air Force  
Jason Nowak, U.S. Air Force  
Kyle F. Klug, U.S. Marines  
Matthew Ward, U.S. Air Force  
Tyler J. Koehler, U.S. Air Force  
Garrett Dio, U.S. Marines



PRAYER REQUESTS

To be included on the prayer list, please call the church office. Remember to keep us posted with updates about these folks as well. Normally, if we have not heard any updates about a person, the name will be moved off the list after 60 days.

Ray Schmidt	Lois Thompson
Melanie Scholl	John Case
Kristina Carlson	Andrew Case
Susan Elizabeth Owen	Kim Chase
Kevin Ejbisz	Sara Chase
Brian Boquard	Janet Brooks
Jill Slighter	Baby Natalie
Billy Shoemaker	Jennifer Chase
Vogler Family	Rhoda Peace
Bob Brooks	Wendy Ritchey
Carl Gern	Arlene Key
Jason Weldy	Ray & Fran Wise
Sandra McCleary	Ken Kalemekiewicz
Jimmy Weldy	
Thelma Muffoletto	
Lisa Pearison	
Jimmy Wright	
Loretta Chavel	

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

\*Subject to change. Please check Facebook and email for updates.

**OFFICE HOURS  
MONDAY-FRIDAY  
9:00-1:00PM**

**Sunday 09/27  
Welcome !  
10:00 Worship**

**Monday 09/28  
Office hours 9:00-1:00**

**Tuesday 09/29  
Office hours 9:00-1:00**

**Wednesday 09/30  
Office hours 9:00-1:00  
10:00 AA Support Group  
10:00 Women of Wayside**

**Thursday 10/01  
Office hours 9:00-1:00  
6:00 Adult Children of Alcoholics**

**Friday 10/02  
Office hours 9:00-1:00  
10:00 AA Support Group**

**Saturday 10/03  
Sunday 10/04  
10:00 Worship & Communion**

**Monday 10/05  
Office hours 9:00-1:00**

**Tuesday 10/06  
Office hours 9:00-1:00**

**Wednesday 10/07  
10:00 AA Support Group  
10:00 Women of Wayside  
6:30 Deacons**

## WORSHIP AT WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

Our in-person worship services will be held with the following guidelines:

- Please wear your mask at all times.
- Please stay socially distant with 6' of separation for each family unit.
- Please do not hug or shake hands.
- Please help us ensure we capture complete worship attendance to meet the contact tracing requirements for gatherings.

**As you enter the Church each week, please allow a greeter to take your name for contact tracing which is required for gatherings.**

1. In the past 24 hours, have you felt feverish, and/or experienced a dry cough, shortness of breath, flu-like symptoms, loss of smell or taste?
2. In the past 4 days, have you had close contact with a confirmed or probable COVID-19 case?
3. In the past 14 days have you travelled domestically or internationally?

**If you answer yes to any of the above questions, you will not be allowed to enter the sanctuary.**

- Please allow ushers to assist you with proper seating. Please be prepared to sit in a different location than you might be used to.
- Please expect to Worship without the use of Bibles or hymnals. If possible, consider bringing your own!
- Please expect that there will be no hymns sung by the congregation during this stage. Music will be by soloists and small ensembles.
- Please know that coffee-hour after Worship will not be offered.
- We will be restricted to approximately 100 people in the Sanctuary at this time.
- Bathroom use will be limited to one person at a time. We ask that if used people help us disinfect after each use. Supplies will be available.

**Thank you for worshipping with us at Wayside!**

**COMING SOON**-Pizza fundraiser!

The October Waysider will have all the information and ordering instructions for you.

PASSING THE PEACE *(Please remain seated and refrain from shaking hands)*  
*May the peace of Christ be with you.*

**And also with you.**

PEACE RESPONSE #753 Make Me a Channel of Your Peace (Glory To God)

We Listen for God's Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

*Lord, by the power of your Holy Spirit give us the words of life, that we may understand your way and follow your truth, in Jesus Christ. Amen*

FIRST READING Exodus 17:1-7

*The Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING Philippians 2:1-13

*The Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE Striving Together

HYMN #301 Let Us Build a House (verses 1,2,4,5) (Glory To God)

We Respond to God

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

**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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## OFFERINGS OF TITHES & GIFTS

RESPONSE Doxology

### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*Almighty God, we give you thanks and praise for your love shown to us in Jesus Christ our Lord. Accept the offering of our lives in union with Christ's offering for us, and make us humble and obedient servants who will work for your good pleasure; through Christ, with the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty God, now and forever. Amen*

CLOSING HYMN #465 What a Friend We Have in Jesus (Glory To God)

\*CHARGE

\*BLESSING

*...and always remember,*

**The Light of God surrounds us, the love of God enfolds us, the power of God protects us, the presence of God watches over us. Wherever we are, God is! Alleluia! Amen**

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**Worship Leader:** Dave Matson

**Keyboardist:** Mark Panfil

**Vocalists:** Alicia Faust & Kate Hilliman



Recently, important emails about our reopening were sent out. If you did not receive any emails from the Wayside office (Waysidechurch@hotmail.com) please reach out to us so we can get you into our system. If you don't have computer access, or would rather receive a mailed copy, please let us know. You can reach Julie in the office Monday-Friday from 9-1. You may also leave a message.

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

**If you're a visitor**, we are glad you joined with us for worship this morning. Please complete the visitor card in the pew rack and place it in the offering basket. This way we can add you to our email list and be in touch to welcome you to our congregation. You are invited to participate in our activities and upcoming events as they are added to our calendar. Please ask our greeters or ushers any questions you have about our congregation or activities.

**If you or a member of your family** are in the hospital please let the office know so we can arrange a visit and prayers.

**For your comfort and convenience** restrooms that are located on the second floor are being used for now.

**We have a comfortable Family Room** at the rear of the Sanctuary for you to sit with your little ones should they become fussy during the service. Please note: children should not be in the Family Room without a parent. **Nursery Care will not be available at this time.**

**If you would like to receive church offering envelopes**, or would like to pay by credit card and aren't sure how to go about it, please give Julie a call in the office, 627-2150.

**We have access points** to WiFi throughout the building. If you want to log on to our WiFi, the network name is Wayside Public. The password is: waysidepublic

**ANNUAL Crop Walk** will be held Sunday, October 18 at 1PM. Registration begins at 12:30 at Hamburg Presbyterian Church. You can also register or donate online at [www.crophungerwalk.org/hamburgny/](http://www.crophungerwalk.org/hamburgny/)

**Craft Show!** Mt. Vernon/Wanakah and surrounding neighborhoods. 100% hand crafted by local artisans. October 3 & 4 from 10AM to 4PM. Artisans can be found on the following streets; Lakeshore & Avery, Kennison Pkwy, Mt Vernon, Briercliff, East Pkwy, Dover Rd., Scooter Lane. Signs will be posted. PLEASE wear your mask and be "Covid considerate" for the safety and enjoyment of all!

**Do you have something** you would like to share in the Waysider? Please send stories, pictures or articles to Julie at Waysidechurch@hotmail.com. The submission deadline for the November Waysider is October 19.