

WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A safe, inclusive place for all people to worship.

89 Years in Ministry
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Leadership

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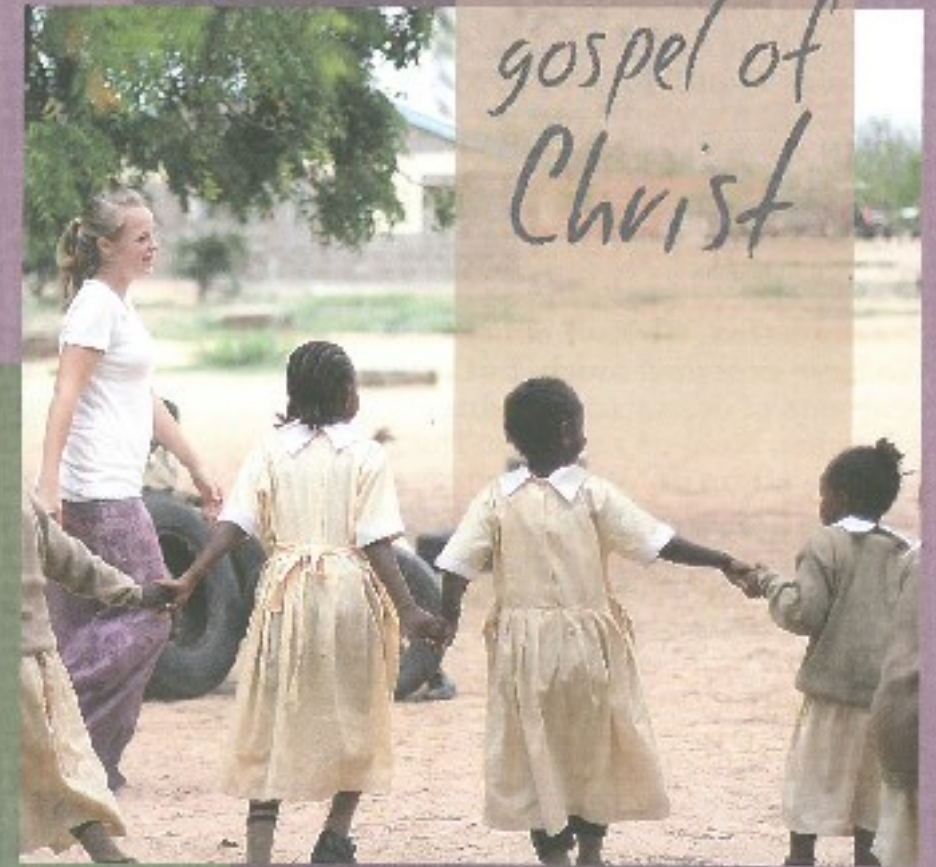
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live
your life
in a manner
worthy
of the
gospel of
Christ

September 24, 2017

Order of Worship

9:30 am

Text in **bold** congregation reads together.

*Indicates congregation standing, if able.

We Gather to Worship

GATHERING MUSIC & LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

O give thanks to God, who hears the cries of the people.

We give thanks to God.

Remember the great works of God. See what God has done.

We give thanks to God.

Look at the miracles around us. Remember God's promise to us.

We give thanks for God. Let us praise God together.

*HYMN #630 "Fairest Lord Jesus" (Glory to God)

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we have sought after things, but we forget to seek you. We have expected much, but we forget to be generous. We have forgotten your acts of mercy and kindness. Forgive us. Change our hearts. Make us generous. Help us rejoice in the good fortune of others. Strengthen us to serve in all we do. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

(time to silently confess your sins to God)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

People of God, our sins are forgiven; we are reconciled to God.

Let us therefore love one another with gratitude in our hearts and praise on our lips.

*PASSING THE PEACE

May the Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Let us greet one another with signs of peace.

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
David Czosnyka, U.S. Army
Matthew Ward, U.S. Air Force
Tyler J. Koehler, U.S. Air Force
Mike Grimmer, Afghanistan



PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to be added or know someone who would like to be included on the prayer list, please contact Julie in the church office. Remember to keep her posted with updates and information about these folks as well. Normally, if we have not heard anything about a person the name will be moved off the list after 60 days.

Jack Panfil
Bev Stewart
Fran Wise
Shirley Nowak
Bob Marshall
Dick Smith
Laura Wrobel
Bev Hall
Evelyn Schill
Kristina Carlson
Joanna & Lily Pearison
Joe & Norman Gern
Jim Simme
Brian Boquard

Dan Freeman
Robin List
Thomas Gulczynski
Ed McVea
Kevin Pfister
Eileen Klubek
Rodger Reed
Wendy R.
Ernie P.
Pixie
Beverly Retzer
Karen Peiffer
Kenny Kalembkiewicz
Julie Lockwood-Sassman

**Weekly Schedule
September 24, 2017**

Sunday 09/24

9:30 Worship
9:30 Sunday School

Monday 09/25

11:00 Book Club
6:30 Stitching 2

Tuesday 09/26

10:00 Frontier Class
5:30 Mindfulness Meditation Class

Wednesday 09/27

10:00 AA
10:00 Quilt for the Lord
6:30 Girl Scouts

Thursday 09/28

12:30 Course in Miracles
5:30 Adult Children of Alcoholics
6:00 Bells
6:00 Frontier Class
7:30 Choir

Friday 09/29

10:00 A.A.

Saturday 09/30

Sunday 10/01

9:30 Worship & Communion
9:30 Sunday School
10:30 Young Ringers rehearsal

Monday 10/02

1:00 Staff
7:00 Blue Grass

Tuesday 10/03

Confirmation Class. We are looking for young adults who are interested in beginning their Confirmation Class. Grades 8, and up are welcome. Please see Pastor Cathy or Karen Klug if you need more information or have any questions.

The new Wayside Young Ringers will have their first rehearsal on Sunday, October 1st, with Christine Clendening from 10:30-10:55 in the choir room. Arrangements will be made for these students to still be able to enjoy their coffee hour treats. Parents should plan to pick their student up in the choir room, and receive some information. Please feel free to call Christine with any questions at 716-648-0290.

We're having a meat raffle to help raise funds for Wayside! Join the fun on Saturday, October 21 at Southtowns Walleye Club (5895 Southwestern Blvd, Hamburg). Doors open at 6:00 pm, bar opens at 6:30 pm. Tickets are \$5.00 presale and \$7.00 at the door. Price includes beer, pop and one slice of pizza (additional pizza for purchase). No outside beverages allowed. See Steve Schmittendorf or Maria Glass for tickets.

Do you have some beautiful flowers in your garden? How about sharing them with your friends at Wayside. The flower sign-up sheet is downstairs, hanging on the wall by the office. Just write your name and dedication, if you have one, and bring in those flowers! Thank you very much for your help!

Lake Effect Harmony Chorus is holding an educational event for women 18 and over to learn the art of A Capella singing. Join them on October 3, 10, 17 and 24, at 7:15 pm– 9:30 pm at Faith United Church of Christ. (8651 Boston State Road, Boston, NY) For more information, call June at 627-4894 or junemdonovan @yahoo.com

Before we know it, the temperatures will dip below the comfortable mark. It's time to think about those not so fortunate. Kim Carlson will be collecting new, and gently used blankets for the homeless. There will be collection box in Room 110 until November 1st.

The Hamburg CROP walk is coming up on October 15, 2017. Please consider walking with us this year. Funds we raise from this walk will be used to support recovery efforts from the recent disasters around the world. If you are unable to walk you can GIVE! There will be walkers around to accept your donations during the coming weeks. If you can't find someone to give to, put it in the offering plate, and mark it CROP. It will get to the right place.

*PEACE RESPONSE There's A Sweet Sweet Spirit"
**There's a sweet, sweet, Spirit in this place,
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord:
There are sweet expressions on each face,
and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.**

We Listen for God's Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READNG Exodus 16:2-15
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING Matthew 20:1-16
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON *Unfair Wages*

HYMN #649 "Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound" (Glory to God)

We Respond to God

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE 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

ANOINTING

(Those who wish to receive anointing and prayer may come forward.)

*RESPONSE #647 "Give Thanks" (Glory to God)

Give thanks with a grateful heart

Give thanks to the Holy One

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son (repeat)

And now, let the weak say, "I am strong"

Let the poor say, "I am rich"

Because of what the Lord has done for us (repeat)

Give thanks, give thanks

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Receive these gifts, O God, as a sign of our commitment to the last and the first. May they be used to bring life and love and peace to our community and the world. Amen.

DEDICATION OF BEREAVEMENT GOWNS AND GIFTS

*CLOSING HYMN #435 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" (Glory to God)

*CHARGE

*BLESSING (in a circle, holding hands.)

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

Worship Assistant: Rhoda Peace

Acolyte: Mac Privateer

Welcome to worship at Wayside Presbyterian Church!

If you are a visitor, we are glad you joined with us for worship this morning. Please sign our guest book on the table outside the sanctuary door at the front. You are invited to participate in our activities and upcoming events listed on the calendar. Please ask our greeters or ushers any questions you have about our congregation or activities.

For your comfort and convenience, restrooms are located on the first, and second floor.

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.

Please join us immediately after service, downstairs in Room 110, for coffee, and fellowship.

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance is on the ground providing relief and support to those recovering from Hurricane/Tropical Storm Harvey in Texas, the flooding in Nepal, Bangladesh, and India, the fires in Montana, Oregon and other parts of the western US. If you would like to make a donation to support the relief efforts, you may make an extra donation in the offering plate with PDA listed in the memo portion of your check.

Invitation to the Lord's Supper On September 24th following worship, families of children in grades 1-3 are welcome to learn about the Sacrament of Communion as we prepare for World Communion on October 1. Please contact Pastor Cathy or Karen Klug if you are interested in participating.

Raffle tickets are now on sale for the Women of Wayside, Women of the Bible quilt. Proceeds to benefit Wayside and they are available during coffee hour or call the office.

Donations needed. Auction baskets are needed for the Meat Raffle on 10/21/17. You can help the committee by either donating a basket, item or cash to be used for putting baskets together. If you have any questions, please see Kim Carlson.

Freezer Raffle tickets are now available. The freezer is a 7.1 cubic foot freezer with over \$125.00 of meat inside. Tickets are \$5.00 each. Please see Kim Carlson for tickets and information.