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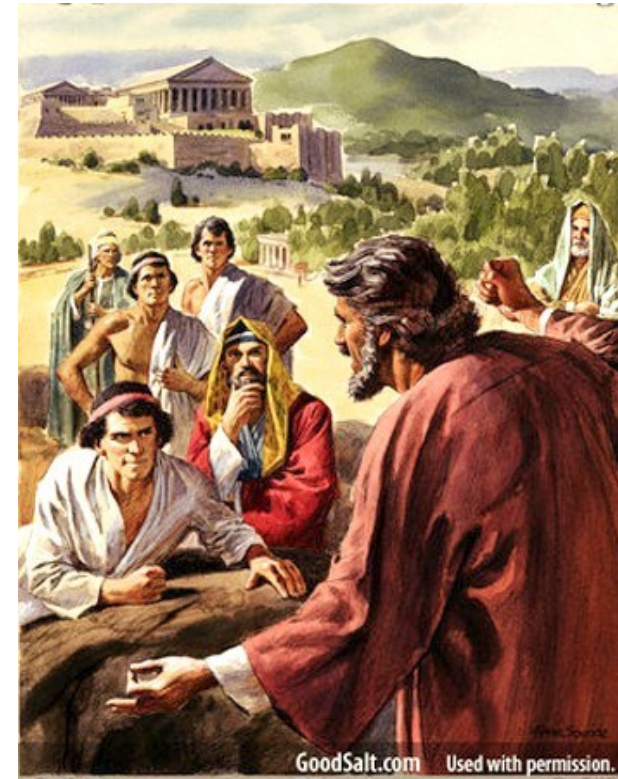
Kim Carlson

May 21, 2017

9:30 AM

WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A safe, inclusive place for all people to worship.



Welcome to worship at Wayside Presbyterian Church!

Please remember to sign our guest book on the table outside the Sanctuary door. You are invited to participate in our activities and upcoming events listed on the calendar. Don't hesitate to ask an usher or greeter if you have any questions about our congregation or worship.

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.

Thank you to Elder, David Matson, for leading us in worship today while Rev. Carol is away.

Worship Assistant: Mark Chavel

Acolyte: Bryce Privateer

The Flowers on the Chancel are in memory of Alton Kelly, from Joan & Kathy Kelly

Please stay and join us for coffee immediately following worship downstairs in our Fellowship Hall (Room 110).

WELCOME!

Text in **bold** indicates the congregation reads together.

*Indicates stand in body or spirit.

GATHERING MUSIC & LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Living God, we praise you—

for the day that you have made; for the life that you have given; for the church that you have called. Let this day be filled with wonder; let our lives proclaim the message; let your church sing out the news— that Christ, our Lord and Savior, is risen from the dead. Amen.

*OPENING PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, show us your glory so that we may know the glory of God. Good Shepard, teach us your way so that we may follow you all our lives. Beloved of God, give us your love so that we may truly love one another. All this we pray in your holy name.

Amen.

*HYMN #826 "Lift High the cross" (purple hymnal)

TEACHER AND HELPER RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Today the CE Committee will take a moment to recognize and say thank you to our Sunday School teachers and helpers. Wayside is extremely blessed to have such a dedicated group of people. The Sunday School program success is due to all of these wonderful and caring individuals.

Ashley McVea- PreK-1

Melanie Scholl- Grades 2-4

LeeAnn Klug and Dave English- Grades 5-7

Rev. Rami- Confirmation Class

Susan Swyers and Kelly Sureda- Substitute Teachers

Giff Swyers and Susan Swyers- FUNDAY School Coodinators

Giff Swyers- Acolyte Coordinator

Barb Dole and Lynn Evans- Nursery Care Providers

Ben and Beau Garvey and Sarah England- Classroom helpers

CALL TO CONFESSION

God is always there for us, loving us and calling us to be all that we can be. Let us tell God all about ourselves, not leaving anything out. Together, let us confess.

Weekly Schedule

May 21, 2017

Sunday 05/21

Pastor Carol away

9:30 Worship

9:30 Sunday School (last day)

Monday 05/22

11:00 Book Club

Tuesday 05/23

10:00 Frontier

Wednesday 05/24

10:00 AA

10:00 Quilt for the Lord

6:30 Girl Scouts

Thursday 05/25

12:30 Course in Miracles

5:30 Adult Children of Alcoholics

6:00 Frontier

7:00 Funday School Planning

Friday 05/26

10:00 A.A.

Saturday 05/27

Sunday 05/28

9:30 Service

Monday 05/29

Memorial Day

Office will be closed

7:00 Blue Grass

Remember our Military Personnel

Bill Dorsheimer, U.S. Navy
Devan Jabcuga Wolffe, Iraq
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
Garrett Dio, U.S. Marines



WAYSIDERS

Jack Panfil
Bev Stewart
Fran Wise
Shirley Nowak
Bob Marshall

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Sharon Hanson
Laura Wrobel
Kristina Carlson
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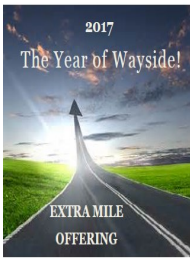
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Kathy McHugh
Barbara Sorrentino
Sharon Muszynski
Julie Lockwood-Sassman
Dann Freeman
Kenny Kalembkiewicz

Russell Ruegar
Adam Spunt
Jack Devine
Joanna & Lily Pearison
Joe & Norman Gern
Jim Simme
Lois T.
Brian Boquard
Ernie Leonetti

PRAYER REQUESTS

If a person has stabilized, please contact the office. After 60 days, names will normally be removed.



2017, The Year of Wayside! Have you seen the little manila envelopes around church, on the tables and in the pews? Have you been wondering what they're for? If you missed the explanation about the Extra Mile Campaign, we are asking everyone to go above and beyond with their donations this year and help us make 2017 the year of Wayside! You are encouraged to use the specially marked "Extra Mile" envelopes for your donations, or be sure to mark your check with the words, "Extra Mile" so we know to designate it to the correct account. You can also call the office and have it charged to your credit card. **Don't forget to check out the thermostat board (located on the wall coming up the stairs from the Amsdell Road door), to see what our "to date" total is.**

CLEAN EATING LIFESTYLE COOKING CLASS



Phyllis Carriere M.S., C.D.N.

Come join us for an informative 3-series class on cooking "clean." Phyllis will help you navigate through the latest information on healthy eating. Each class will focus on meal preparation for one meal. All 3 meals will be covered during the series. In addition to meal preparation, nutrition will be discussed as well as tips to transition to this lifestyle.

If you have diabetes, high blood pressure, heart disease, obesity, or are interested in warding off these conditions, this class will help improve your health.

MONDAY, June 12, 1:00-2:30

Breakfast– Whole wheat blueberry pancakes with blueberry sauce, green fruit smoothie, turkey sausage patties, and fresh chia seed strawberry jam.

MONDAY, June 19, 1:00-2:30

Lunch– Quinoa salad, tortilla soup, and garden sandwich bread basket with roasted vegetables.

MONDAY, June 26, 1:00-2:30

Dinner– Cauliflower vegetable fried rice, salmon en papillote (in parchment), chocolate prune cake.

Cost of series is \$60.00

To register and for further information, call Joan Kelly@ 627-9769.

Class is limited to 10 people.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal and almighty God, you have long sought us and we have fled. You have offered us an easy yoke, and we have tied ourselves down with cares and burdens, trying to carry them ourselves. You have forgiven us, and we have complained against our sisters and brothers. Give us a conversion that turns us around to face the light; teach us a repentance that lives in works of love; lead us into the narrow path; guide us through deep valleys. Call us again to follow Jesus Christ and, in his way, to live and suffer in compassion, die and rise again.

... time to silently confess your personal sins to God ...

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Christ died for our sins. He made full atonement for us. We are forgiven and we have the promise of eternal life. Feel that forgiveness in your heart. We are His children. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Amen.**

THE PEACE

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

*Let us stand and greet one another with the peace of Jesus Christ.

You are invited to greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace.

*PEACE RESPONSE #2171 "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace" (black hymnal)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Light of the world, your good news is for all people. In this day's reading and proclamation, attune our ears to hear your life-giving Word. Open our hearts to receive your blessing, that we may bear your light in our lives, giving witness to your glory and strength. **Amen.**

FIRST SCRIPTURE Psalm 66: 8-20

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

CHOIR ANTHEM "Open Our Eyes, Lord" by Robert Cull,

additional verse by Christine Clendening

SECOND SCRIPTURE Acts 17: 22-34

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON Paul Reveals God

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe that God has entrusted the church with the message of reconciliation in and through Jesus Christ. We believe that the church is called to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. We believe that the church is called blessed because it is a peacemaker. We believe that the church is witness both by word and by deed to the new heaven and the new earth in which righteousness dwells.

Adapted from the Confession of Belhar

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

SINGING INTO PRAYER #469 “Lord Listen to Your Children Praying” (purple hymnal)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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

TITHES & OFFERING RECEIVED

ANOINTING

Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this, says the Lord Almighty, and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it. -Malachi 3:10

(Anyone who would like to receive an anointing may come forward at this time.)

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE 2195 “In The Lord I’ll Be Ever Thankful” (black hymnal)

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious God, bless these gifts we bring as tokens of our gratitude for all that you’ve given to us. Bless now, by your Spirit, both gift and giver, that both may be a blessing through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

SENDING

*CLOSING HYMN #749 “Come! Live in the Light” (purple hymnal)

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION ... 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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We will celebrate and observe Pentecost on Sunday, June 4. This is the day that marks the birth of the Christian church. Since there were flames of fire present on the day of Pentecost, one of the ways we celebrate is by wearing red and bringing a red flower (geranium, petunia, impatiens) We will have birthday cake after worship. (The flowers will be planted in our church gardens.)

Adult Bible Study will meet on May 30th @ 6:00 pm. Everyone is welcome!

Wayside is sponsoring a weekly "Produce Program" for the Buffalo Peace House. The residents at the Buffalo Peace House have limited access to fresh produce as they receive no government funding for their residents. If you are able to donate a vegetable/ fruit on Sunday to help improve the nutrition of the families, it would be appreciated. A weekly produce check-off list will be posted in the Fellowship Hall (Room 110) for those who want to donate. They are also in need of toiletries, and household supplies. If you have any questions please contact Phyllis Carriere 308-3728.

It’s not too late to turn in your Per Capita. If you can help us pay this amount to the presbytery, please include your \$30.00 per capita apportionment with your regular giving. *Whatever form you use to pay it, please be sure to note that it is for your per capita.* Thank you!

Pastor Carol is in immediate need of housing for Saturday, Sunday, and the first Monday evening of the month. Do you need a house sitter? Have a mother-in-law apartment, or a summer place you won’t be using? If you can help, please call Pastor Carol at 814-207-7300.

Lakeside Memorial Funeral Home, is hosting a free 2-hour educational program on Thursday, June 8th at 6:30 pm. Join them for *Soul Injury: Liberating Unmourned Loss and Unforgiven Guilt*. For more information or to RSVP to this event, please call Lakeside Memorial Funeral Home at 716-627-2919.

Flower Chart— A new flower chart has been posted on the bulletin board outside of the office. Having flowers in the sanctuary for worship is one of our symbols of life and the resurrection. Please sign up to bring flowers on any particular Sunday that you wish.