# Welcome to Shadyside Presbyterian Church

We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in the worship, study, fellowship, and service of this congregation.

If you are a guest with us this morning, our ushers are available to assist you.

**Nursery care** is available for infants through three-year-olds during worship. Pagers are available. A cry room with a video broadcast of worship is available in the Craig Room, accessible through the Narthex.

**Children in Worship -** At 11:00 a.m., families with two- and three-year-olds are welcome to report directly to the Nursery. Four-year-olds through second-graders attend worship and may exit with their teachers before the sermon to participate in chapel worship and children's activities. (If you are a first-time guest, please accompany your child to the Chapel, and then you may return to the Sanctuary.) Parents should meet their children in the Christian education classrooms after worship. On the first Sunday of the month, first- and second-graders stay in worship through the entire service for Communion. A bulletin insert designed for children is available in the Narthex.

**Prayer Request Cards -** You are invited to write on a Prayer Request Card the names of those who are sick or in need of intercessory prayer.

**Enlarged bulletins and individual listening devices for improved sound** are available in the Narthex at the back of the Sanctuary. Please see an usher for assistance.

**Flower Ministry** - After worship, members of the Board of Deacons' Flower Ministry divide the chancel flowers into bouquets to be distributed to individuals who are celebrating joyous occasions and to those who could use some cheer. If you would like to deliver a bouquet to someone you know, please stop by the front of the Sanctuary after worship to receive one. Help us to share God's love through flowers.

**Fifth Avenue Parking -** Parking on the inbound side of the block from Wilkins Avenue to Amberson Avenue is not available for parking on Sunday mornings. Parking is available on the outbound side as well as both sides of Fifth Avenue from Amberson Avenue into Oakland. We appreciate your helpfulness utilizing these available parking areas on Sunday mornings.

**Time of Fellowship** immediately follows worship. Please join us after the service for light refreshments and an opportunity to greet each other.

<sup>!</sup> Please silence cellular phones and other mobile devices while in the Sanctuary.

# Order of Worship

The service of worship begins with the music of the prelude.

Through its power and brilliance, may you feel the majesty and glory of God; in its quietness, His peace. Once the Welcome has begun, please wait to enter the Sanctuary until the choir has processed.

## **PRELUDE**

Voluntary VII in C William Boyce
Two Pieces Samuel Sebastian Wesley
Adagio in B-flat Maurice Greene
Voluntary in D Minor William Walond
Andante Maestoso John Worgan

## WELCOME

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

People: Sing the glory of God's name

Pastor: Give to God glorious praise;

People: Say to God, how awesome are Your deeds.

All: Praise the Lord, let us worship God. Psalm 66

#### **A HYMN IN PROCESSION 476**

O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!

Lyons

#### **▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION**

The Reverend Todd E. Leach

ORISON George Thalben-Ball

Herein is love, not that we loved Christ, but that He loved us.

## **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (spoken in unison)

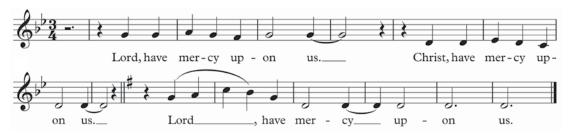
What shall I render to You, my Creator, for all of Your blessings to me? You will accept only my whole self, all I have and all I am. But I cannot shake off the fear that tempts me to hoard my life. So I ask only for Your mercy. Fill me with Your pure and heavenly love, that all my narrow selfishness may be done away, lost in the expanse of Your love.

Clement of Rome

## SILENT CONFESSION

## **KYRIE ELEISON** (sung in unison)

Mark A. Anderson



### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Believe the good news of the Gospel:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

## ▲ GLORIA PATRI (sung in unison)

Mark A. Anderson



Children who are participating in children's worship activities are invited to leave through the Sharp Atrium door. (If you are a first-time guest, please accompany your child to the Chapel, and then you may return to the Sanctuary.)

### **OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE**

The Reverend Lynn M. Portz

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

page 186 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### **ANTHEM**

Where Shall Wisdom Be Found?

William Boyce

O where shall wisdom be found? And where is the place of understanding? Man knoweth not the price thereof; it cannot be gotten for gold, neither shall silver be weighed for the price thereof. God understandeth the way thereof, and He knoweth the place thereof. The fear of the LORD, that is wisdom; and to depart from evil is understanding.

Text: Job 28:12, 13a, 15, 23, 28

### **NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE**

Matthew 5:21-26

page 4 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### **SERMON**

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

Honestly, I'm Not Angry

## **A HYMN OF RESPONSE 335**

Though I May Speak

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### ▲ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

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. 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.

#### MOMENT OF GRATITUDE

#### PASTORAL PRAYER 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 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.

## **OFFERING ANTHEM**

Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace

Samuel Sebastian Wesley

Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee, [because he trusteth in Thee]. The darkness is no darkness with Thee, but the night is as clear as the day; the darkness and the light to Thee are both alike. God is light and with Him is no darkness at all. O let my soul live, and it shall praise Thee. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forevermore.

Text: Isaiah 26:3a; Psalm 139:12; 1 John 1:5b; Psalm 119:175a; and Matthew 6:13

#### DOXOLOGY

Lasst uns erfreuen (Hymn no. 229)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God above, ye heavenly host! Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### **▲ OFFERTORY PRAYER**

#### ▲ HYMN 261

God of Compassion, in Mercy Befriend Us

O quanta qualia

#### **▲ BENEDICTION**

### **▲ CHORAL RESPONSE**

### **POSTLUDE**

Voluntary IX John Stanley

## Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Emma O. and H. Parker Sharp by the Dorrance family.

Acolytes for February - Dustin M. Cheeks and John M. Price.

Ushers for February - Daniel W. Ernsberger, Leland T. Henry Jr., Nathaniel C. Hunter, Mark A. Krofchik, Richard L. McGough III, Frederick L. Porkolab, and Richard H. Potter. Coordinators: Randy C. Adams II, Mark G. Allston, Brigetta P. Del Re, Raymond P. Fitzsimmons, Elise A. Hunter, Percy M. Jackson, and Robert P. O'Neil.

# About This Morning's Music

William Boyce (ca. 1710–1779) was born in London and studied music with Maurice Greene. A composer of sacred choral and organ music, solo music, chamber and orchestral music, and at least one opera, Boyce became court composer at the Chapel Royal in 1735. He was, a year later, named director of England's Three Choirs Festival, an annual festival which continues today in London. Boyce became Master of the King's Musick and organist at the Chapel Royal, where he stayed until his deafness became so problematic that he retired from public performance and took on the editing of the complete works of his teacher, Maurice Greene.

George Thalben-Ball (1896–1987) was a native Australian who spent most of his professional life in Great Britain. Most of his career (sixty-two years) was spent as organist and director of the famed Temple Church in London.

Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810–1876) was named, in part, after Johann Sebastian Bach. Wesley was the son of the prolific English composer Samuel Wesley and the great-nephew of John Wesley. While his output was modest compared to that of his father, Samuel Sebastian Wesley is considered by some as the primary figure in English cathedral music between Henry Purcell and Charles Villiers Stanford.

# Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... February 12 - 19 ......

| Sunday, February 12                    | Tuesday, February 14                          | Thursday, February 16                  | Saturday, February 18                 |
|--|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| Psalms 19; 150                         | Psalms 123; 146                               | Psalms 36; 147:12-20                   | Psalms 56; 149                        |
| Isaiah 62:6-12                         | Isaiah 63:7-14                                | Isaiah 65:1-12                         | Isaiah 66:1-6                         |
| 1 John 2:3-11                          | 1 Timothy 1:18-2:8 (9-15)                     | 1 Timothy 4:1-16                       | 1 Timothy 6:(1-5) 6-21                |
| John 8:12-19                           | Mark 11:12-26                                 | Mark 12:13-27                          | Mark 12:35-44                         |
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| Monday, February 13                    | Wednesday, February 15                        | Friday, February 17                    | Sunday, February 19                   |
| Monday, February 13<br>Psalms 135; 145 | Wednesday, February 15<br>Psalms 15; 147:1-11 | Friday, February 17<br>Psalms 130; 148 | Sunday, February 19<br>Psalms 67; 150 |
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| Psalms 135; 145                        | Psalms 15; 147:1-11                           | Psalms 130; 148                        | Psalms 67; 150                        |

# Pittsburgh Camerata Concert

...... Today, February 12, at 3:00 p.m. ........

Pittsburgh's premier professional chamber choir joins with pianist Nathan Carterette and cellist Elisa Kohanski to present *Images and Reflections*. Tickets and details: www.pittsburghcamerata.org

# Midweek Vespers in the Chapel

...... Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. ......

These thirty-minute candlelight services, with Communion, offer a more intimate worship experience in the midst of our hectic lives.

Childcare is provided.

## News and Notes

- **2017 Officer Recommendations** The Representative Nominating Committee (RNC) is accepting recommendations for the offices of elder, deacon, or trustee, and for next year's RNC. Please complete a form located in the pews. The deadline to receive recommendations is Sunday, February 26. Additional forms are available in the Narthex, in the Sharp Atrium, or online at www.shadysidepres.org/nominating.
- The Shadyside Presbyterian Church website, www.shadysidepres.org, has recently been re-designed! The Communications Committee invites you to explore the new site, including a blog and an enhanced events calendar. In addition to these new features, the site continues to provide information about the church's many programs and access to audio recordings of worship. We look forward to sharing further improvements to our digital home in the months ahead as we continue to build community online.
- **Connections Dinner -** On Wednesday, February 15, supper is served from 6:00 until 6:45 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The menu will include orange chicken with steamed white rice and gingered peas. Assorted cookies will be served for dessert. For reservations, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact the church office by Monday, February 13. A freewill offering will be received to offset the costs of the meal. If you are able, we hope you will stay for vespers in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m.
- **Young Adult Bible Study** Young adults and friends of Shadyside Presbyterian Church are invited to join us as we continue to build community through study. During the month of February, we will gather each Thursday from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Stamy Room to discuss C.S. Lewis' *Four Loves*. Your participation in the discussion is welcome, even if you have not had the opportunity to read the book.
- **Jubilee 2017 -** From February 17 to 19, a group of college students will attend the Coalition for Christian Outreach's annual Jubilee Conference at the David Lawrence Convention Center in Pittsburgh. Please join Shadyside's Campus Ministry as we pray for our students who have taken the time out of their busy schedules to attend this transformative conference. Thank you for all of your support!
- **Young Adult Activity: Trampoline Park -** On Sunday, February 19, join other young adults for an afternoon of fun at 2:30 p.m. as we venture to Sky Zone in Monroeville (160 Levin Way, Monroeville, PA 15146). The cost is \$16, payable at Sky Zone. Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium by Sunday, February 19. For more information, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.
- **Culinary Classes -** Tie on an apron and join Chef Steven Bright in the church kitchen for a hands-on cooking class on Tuesday, February 21, or Thursday, February 23, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Learn the classic technique used by professional chefs to create one of the most comforting dishes on the planet: risotto. Together, we will create savory as well as sweet risotto recipes; then, we will enjoy the opportunity to share these tasty creations while dining with classmates. Classes will be limited to groups of six in teams of two. Cost for the class is \$15 per person. Please wear comfortable closed-toe shoes and tie back long hair. Bring your favorite apron, and let's get cooking! Register by signing up in the Sharp Atrium or contacting the church office.
- **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner -** The whole family is invited to join us on Tuesday, February 28, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall; the youth will sponsor an all-you-can-eat pancake supper to aid in the costs of summer mission opportunities. A freewill donation will be received. Please RSVP by signing up in the Sharp Atrium or calling the church office by Monday, February 27.

- **Lenten Vespers Bible Study with the Pastors -** As Lent is a season for self-reflection, it is also a good time to reflect upon Scripture and its importance in our lives. During the Wednesdays in Lent, join our pastors after vespers from 7:45 to 8:30 p.m. in the Craig Room for a Bible study and casual conversation about the Scripture preached on that night. Booklets with the Scripture passages, accompanied by thoughts to ponder, will be available in the weeks leading up to Lent.
- **Grief Support Group** Shadyside Presbyterian Church offers a Grief Support Group designed to provide encouragement and a faith-centered perspective for those who have lost a loved one. The group meets periodically to discuss a variety of subjects that are important in the grief recovery process, including the variety of emotions which grief brings, and resources for moving forward. Our next gathering occurs Monday, March 6, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Craig Room. New participants are always welcome to join; there is no cost to attend the group. For more information, please contact Rev. Lynn Portz.
- **Shadyside's Divorce Support** is a faith-based group designed to help separated or divorced women move toward healing and new life. The group meets monthly in the home of a member for fellowship, support, prayer, and friendship. If you would like to learn more about this ministry, please contact Rev. Lynn Portz.
- Mission Dinner The Mission and Urban Ministry Team invites you to attend our Mission Dinner Series to hear the inspirational stories of our mission partners. On one Wednesday of each month, dinner occurs from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Join us on Wednesday, March 8, when we welcome Rev. Michael Stanton, Co-founder and Executive Director of Open Hand Ministries. Although there is no charge for the dinner, a freewill offering will be received to offset the costs of the meal. Please RSVP by signing up in the Sharp Atrium or by contacting the church office. (Nursery care is available. Families are encouraged to eat together; then, children may move to the Nursery during the presentation.)
- **God and Family First (GAFF) on Second Sundays at SPC** On the second Sunday of the month, join other families at 9:30 a.m. for a child-friendly family fellowship in the Parish Hall. A light breakfast will be provided to help you start the morning. This opportunity is a great way to meet other families; while children form and explore new friendships, adults may discover other exciting things happening at Shadyside. Our next gathering occurs on Sunday, March 12.
- Ninth Annual Pie Sunday The Parish Life Ministry Team will host Pie Sunday in the Parish Hall during the Time of Fellowship on Sunday, March 12. We are looking for some terrific pie bakers to provide a variety of pies, ranging from sweet apple to savory shepherd's pie. Sign up in the Sharp Atrium to bring a pie, or call the church office. Not a baker? Come and enjoy; there will be plenty to share! We hope you can join us in fellowship.
- Runners Invited to "Own the Race" Shadyside Presbyterian Church and our mission partner, Open Hand Ministries (OHM), welcome runners of any ability over the age of 16 to join in running with a purpose at the 2017 Pittsburgh Marathon on Sunday, May 7. The marathon relay divides the 26.2-mile course into five legs. If you are interested in joining a relay team or assembling your own team, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium, or contact Rev. John Magnuson. All runners young and old, seasoned and beginners are welcome to sign up. The marathon has generously provided registration for our five relay teams. Each runner is asked to raise \$150 in support of OHM's urban-renewal work in the East End. If you would like to support our runners financially, visit www.crowdrise.com/openhandministriespitt2017 to donate.

Mars Hill Mission Experience – July 9-15, 2017 – Save the date for our all-church, intergenerational mission trip. This will be our tenth trip to the Appalachian foothills of North Carolina, where individuals and families join together to work on homes of disadvantaged homeowners. Absolutely no construction skills are required! Youth and adults work side by side, while special programs are created for younger children. An informational meeting will occur this spring, but feel free to contact Rev. Todd Leach with any questions.

**Letters of joys and concerns** are on the table in the Narthex. Please take time to sign the letters.

**Prayer Gatherings** occur on Tuesdays from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., and on Thursdays from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. You are invited to join us for a time of silent and spoken prayers, as we bring our concerns before God. If you cannot be with us in person, we encourage you to remember the congregation in your prayers at these same times. This is one of the many ways we can express our care for one another.

**PrayerNet** is a complement to our ongoing prayer groups which lifts up urgent prayer requests. If you or a loved one are in need of urgent prayer, or if you would like to become a PrayerNet prayer partner to help lift up these requests, email member Krissy Moehling at prayernet@shadysidepres.org. Confidentiality, if requested for names and/or situations, will be maintained.

**Daily Lectionary** - As a part of our church-wide discipleship, we follow the daily lectionary in the *Book of Common Worship Daily Prayer*, which also contains prayers and intimate worship services. Feel free to pick up one of the books from the bookcase in the Parlor (accessible via the Sharp Atrium) for a suggested donation of \$10. (Checks may be placed in an offering plate and made payable to "Shadyside Presbyterian Church" with "Daily Lectionary" in the memoline.) We hope you will join us on this journey of discipleship!

**The Mini-Mouse -** Sign up to receive our weekly e-newsletter by providing your email address when registering your attendance in the pew pad or by sending an email message to info@shadysidepres.org.

# Mission Partner Spotlight

Shadyside Presbyterian Church's relationship with Malawi began in the mid 1990s, as forward-thinking members became involved with the Pittsburgh Presbytery's partnership with Blantyre Synod. Located in southern Malawi, this synod ministers to the largest denomination in the region (Church of Central Africa, Presbyterian or CCAP), and to its commercial and banking center. Over the past nineteen years, we have led five mission trips to this region, developing and sustaining several partner projects. The most recent of these trips occurred in September 2014, and Shadyside Presbyterian Church recently welcomed four guests from Malawi for a visit to Pittsburgh in October 2016 as part of our 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration.

Shadyside Presbyterian Church funded the Malawian vision of a hospital in Mulanje, a town on the eastern border with Mozambique. This hospital serves as a multifunctional facility. In addition to the hospital, Shadyside helped coordinate efforts to fund a nursing students' dormitory called the "Emily House." This dormitory was erected in memory of Emily Dorrance, who visited this region on a short-term mission.

To join the efforts of the International Partnerships Mission Action Community (MAC), contact the Reverend Todd E. Leach, Associate Pastor for Missions.

## Church Calendar

..... February 12 - 19 ......

| TODAY February 12     | 11:00 a.m.<br>11:20 a.m.<br>12:00 p.m.<br>12:00 p.m.<br>12:15 p.m.<br>12:30 p.m.<br>3:00 p.m. | Morning Worship in the Sanctuary Chapel Worship for preschool through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium Sunday Adventures in Music (SAM) continues in the Chapel Mexico Mission Teams in the Hulme Room SPYS (Youth Group) in the Youth Room Pittsburgh Camerata Concert in the Sanctuary Reception following in the Sharp Atrium  |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| MONDAY                | 5:30 p.m.   | Investment Committee in the Craig Room  |
| TUESDAY               | 10:00 a.m.<br>6:00 p.m.<br>6:00 p.m.  | Morning Prayer Group in the Craig Room<br>Bethlehem Haven Shelter Dinner Volunteers at Bethlehem Haven<br>Yoga in the Hulme Room  |
| WEDNESDAY             | 6:00 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.  | Connections Dinner in the Parish Hall<br>Midweek Vespers in the Chapel  |
| THURSDAY              | 6:00 a.m.<br>7:00 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.<br>7:30 p.m.  | Yoga in the Hulme Room<br>Evening Prayer Group in the Walton Library<br>Young Adult Bible Study in the Stamy Room<br>Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Chapel  |
| FRIDAY                |   | CCO Jubilee Conference, through Sunday, February 19   |
| SUNDAY<br>February 19 | 9:45 a.m.<br>11:00 a.m.<br>11:20 a.m.<br>12:00 p.m.<br>12:00 p.m.<br>12:30 p.m.<br>12:30 p.m. | Christian Education Classes for All Ages Morning Worship in the Sanctuary Chapel Worship for preschool through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium Sunday Adventures in Music (SAM) continues in the Chapel Bringing the Community into Our Space Task Force in the Stamy Room SPYS (Youth Group) in the Youth Room Young Adults at Sky Zone Trampoline Park in Monroeville (160 Levin Way, Monroeville, PA 15146) |

# Live Webcast

Listen to a live audio stream of our service of worship at 11:00 a.m. on Sundays:

## www.shadysidepres.org/live

Please share this link with friends and neighbors who may not be able to join us in person.

## **Adult Christian Education**

······ Sundays at 9:45 a.m. ······

On Sunday mornings, the Adult Christian Education Team invites you to gather in the Sharp Atrium at 9:30 a.m. for a time of fellowship and light refreshments before attending the study of your choice.

### **Adult Bible Study**

Explore Scripture in-depth in this study led by
Elder Richard L. McGough III.

Join us as we continue to study the writings of
St. John, including the Gospel, Epistles,
and the Book of Revelation.

## **Topical Book Study**

From January 15 through February 26, encounter a challenging yet energizing vision of God and redemptive love as we read Martin Luther King Jr.'s Strength to Love with Lee G. Branstetter and Elder Percy M. Jackson.

Stephen M. Donnelly, Associate for Children's Music

Please pick up a bookmark available in the Narthex and Sharp Atrium to preview the schedule for future studies.

## Church Staff

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