

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.

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.

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.

Fifth Avenue Parking - Parking on the inbound side of the block from Wilkins Avenue to Amberson Avenue is not available 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.

! 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

Adagio, K. 356

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Prelude on *Ave Verum Corpus*

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Two Airs

George Frideric Handel

WELCOME

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the LORD with our whole heart.

People: Let us tell of all God's wonderful deeds.

Pastor: Let us be glad and exult in God.

People: Let us sing praise to God's name.

All: Come, let us worship God.

Adapted from Psalm 9

▲ HYMN IN PROCESSION 253

I'll Praise My Maker

Old 113th

▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION

The Reverend Lynn M. Portz

ORISON

Iain Quinn

Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness. Come let us adore Him. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Text based on Psalm 96:9

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(spoken in unison)*

God of glory, You have revealed Your love for all people throughout the ages. We have turned away from this love, favoring our own desires. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace. But You have revealed Your love to us again, through Jesus Your Son, showing us another way. In Your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, and renew us once again with Your Spirit.

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE ELEISON *(sung in unison)*

Mark A. Anderson

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. — Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. — Lord —, have mer - cy — up - on us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Believe the good news of the Gospel:
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

▲ GLORIA PATRI *(sung in unison)*

Mark A. Anderson

Glo - ry be to the Fa ther, and to — the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - rit;
as it was in the be - gin - ning —, is now, and ev - er shall be
world — with - out — end. A - - - men.

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.)

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 21:8-21

page 17 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Since By Man Came Death

George Frideric Handel

Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so, in Christ shall all be made alive.

Text: 1 Corinthians 15:21-22

SERMON

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

Look Who's Laughing Now

▲ **HYMN OF RESPONSE 339**

Be Thou My Vision

Slane

▲ **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.

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

Laudate Dominum

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Lauren-Rose King, soprano

Praise the LORD, all nations; praise Him, all people. For He has bestowed His mercy upon us, and the truth of the LORD endures forever. Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be forever. Amen. Text: Psalm 117

▲ **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 275**

God of Our Life

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▲ **BENEDICTION**

▲ **CHORAL RESPONSE**

POSTLUDE

La Rejouissance

George Frideric Handel

Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

Ushers for June - W. Dennis Bossick, Jackson C. Brooke, Barbara R. Dunkelman, Leland T. Henry Jr., James S. Kissel, and B. James Shafer. **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

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759), a contemporary of Johann Sebastian Bach, wrote oratorios, operas, chamber music, and keyboard music. His first opera was *Almira* (1705). Handel produced several operas with the Royal Academy of Music in England before forming the New Royal Academy of Music in 1727. As Italian opera fell out of fashion, he shifted his focus to oratorios. "Since By Man Came Death" comes near the beginning of the third movement of *Messiah*, Handel's most well-known oratorio.

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791) wrote in all genres of music, and excelled in every one. This setting of *Laudate Dominum* comes from his *Vesperae solennes de confessore* (or Solemn Vespers of the Confessor), the second of two settings of the early evening Vespers service written for the cathedral in Salzburg. The use of the word "solemn" simply indicates that the work has orchestral accompaniment. The addition "de confessore" (not Mozart's own) suggests that the work may have been employed for a saint's day.

Music for Midsummer Nights

..... *A Mini-Series of Midweek Concerts from Music in a Great Space*

Music in a Great Space, the concert series at Shadyside Presbyterian Church, thanks you for your support as it concludes its 24th season. The church's Music and Fine Arts Ministries present "Music for Midsummer Nights," a mini-series of delightful concerts on Wednesday evenings in June.

This week, we invite you to join us for the final concert of the season.

Wednesday, June 28, from 7:00 to 7:55 p.m.

Raquel Winnica Young, Mezzo-soprano, and Scott Pauley, Theorbo
No admission charge. Freewill donations accepted.

The Music in a Great Space concert series is made possible by a grant from the William E. Saul Fund of the Shadyside Presbyterian Church, an endowment created by Mr. Saul in memory of his mother, Lydia Schulze Saul.

Mission Partner Spotlight

The Caribbean Youth Network (CYN) in the Bahamas exists to serve as an international mission organization fostering the planting, partnering, and networking of relational, Christ-centered youth ministry to the ends that youth can be introduced to the Gospel and grow into a mature relationship with Christ. Shadyside has supported this ministry since its founding by Dan and Kelly Weightman, who are native to Pittsburgh. Members from Shadyside have partnered with this ministry through short-term mission trips; most recently, our campus ministry led a trip to serve alongside CYN in March 2014.

For more information, visit www.caribbeanyouthnetwork.org. To join the efforts of the International Partnerships Mission Action Community (MAC), contact the church office.

Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... June 25 - July 2

Sunday, June 25

Psalms 19; 150
1 Samuel 4:12-22
James 1:1-18
Matthew 19:23-30

Tuesday, June 27

Psalms 123; 146
1 Samuel 6:1-16
Acts 5:27-42
Luke 21:37-22:13

Thursday, June 29

Psalms 36; 147:12-20
1 Samuel 8:1-22
Acts 6:15-7:16
Luke 22:24-30

Saturday, July 1

Psalms 56; 149
1 Samuel 9:15-10:1
Acts 7:30-43
Luke 22:39-51

Monday, June 26

Psalms 135; 145
1 Samuel 5:1-12
Acts 5:12-26
Luke 21:29-36

Wednesday, June 28

Psalms 15; 147:1-11
1 Samuel 7:2-17
Acts 6:1-15
Luke 22:14-23

Friday, June 30

Psalms 130; 148
1 Samuel 9:1-14
Acts 7:17-29
Luke 22:31-38

Sunday, July 2

Psalms 67; 150
1 Samuel 10:1-16
Romans 4:13-25
Matthew 21:23-32

18th Annual Golf Outing, Raffle, and Buffet Dinner in Support of Hosanna House

..... Saturday, September 9, at Birdsfoot Golf Club in Freeport

Shotgun Start at 8:30 a.m.; Dinner served between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.

Not a golfer? Not a problem! Non-golfers are welcome to come just for the raffle and dinner.

Cost for golf, cart, and dinner: \$80 • Cost for dinner only: \$15 per adult, \$7 per child (10 and under)

Registration deadline is August 27; forms are available in the Narthex and Sharp Atrium. For details, visit www.shadysidepres.org/golf-outing or contact Carla Gedman or JoAnn Patross through the church office.

Hole sponsors are greatly appreciated at \$150 per hole; Angel sponsorship is \$1,000.

News and Notes

Vacation Bible School (June 26–30) is not only for children! We need adult volunteers for crafts, recreation, and assisting group leaders. Daily sessions occur from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and help is needed for one or all days. Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium, or contact Ellen Allston (eallston@shadysidepres.org) for more information.

Freedom Camp – The Community Kids Mission Action Community (MAC) needs volunteers to assist the children at Valley View Presbyterian Church (Garfield) with their art and craft projects on Tuesdays through July 18, from 12:45 to 2:30 p.m. You may volunteer for one Tuesday or for as many as you are able; we particularly need volunteers for June 27 and July 11. (Freedom Camp will not occur on Tuesday, July 4.) Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact Susan Thomson through the church office.

Mission Partner Guests – The Community Partnerships Mission Action Community (MAC) invites you to a picnic dinner with women from our mission partner POWER prior to the Music for Midsummer Nights concert this Wednesday. We will gather in the Parish Hall at 5:45 p.m. and welcome our POWER guests at 6:00 p.m. Weather permitting, we will dine outside on the lawn; after dinner, we will attend the concert together. Enjoy a delicious dinner prepared by Chef Steven Bright, greet our guests from POWER with warm fellowship, and listen to lovely music in our beautiful Sanctuary. Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium today. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Iadicicco through the church office.

Young Adult Bible Study – Young adults and friends of Shadyside Presbyterian Church are invited to participate in a Bible study focusing on the Book of Acts. We typically gather from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Thursdays in the Stamy Room. Our next meeting is Thursday, June 29. Join us as we continue to build community through study. For more information, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.

Young Adult Workday – On Saturday, July 1, the young adults of Shadyside Presbyterian Church will work with our partners at Open Hand Ministries. Volunteers will rehabilitate a home and participate in landscaping projects. Participants should bring gloves and clothes to get messy. For details, please contact Rev. John Magnuson (jmagnuson@shadysidepres.org).

Faith Night at PNC Park – You are invited to join your church family on Thursday, August 17, at PNC Park as the Pirates take on the St. Louis Cardinals. This game is the fifth annual Faith Night at PNC Park, when the players and coaches gather after the game to share with the fans about the ways in which their faith has affected their lives and careers. The game starts at 7:05 p.m.; plan to stay late to hear the players speak. Tickets are \$17 for adults, and \$13 for children ages 12 and under (\$55 maximum per family). Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact Rev. John Magnuson (jmagnuson@shadysidepres.org) for details.

All-Church Workday – The Hunger and Homelessness Mission Action Community (MAC) invites you to an all-church workday, partnering with the East End Cooperative Ministry (EECM). We will gather in the church kitchen immediately following worship on Sunday, August 20, to prepare the meal for the EECM shelter dinner, which will be served to shelter guests on the following evening, Monday, August 21, at the EECM Community House in East Liberty. For further information, you may contact Deacon Adam Loucks through the church office. Please sign up for this opportunity in the Sharp Atrium.

Midweek Vespers in the Chapel will resume on Wednesday, September 13.

Pastoral Sabbatical – Rev. Todd Leach, Associate Pastor for Missions, is presently engaged in a three-month sabbatical, during which he will research and write a curriculum for a mission study series, to be implemented during the 2017-2018 program year. Rev. Leach’s sabbatical continues through September 16.

Save the Date – An all-church retreat is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, October 27 and 28, at the Crestfield Camp and Conference Center in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania. Plan to take a break this fall and treat yourself to a weekend away with church friends, old and new.

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.

Stephen Ministry – Our congregation’s Stephen Ministry equips lay people to use their gifts of compassion and encouragement by providing confidential, one-to-one Christian care to individuals who are experiencing difficulties in their lives. If you would like information about becoming a Stephen Minister or if you would like to be paired with a Stephen Minister for care, contact Rev. Lynn Portz or speak with one of our Stephen Minister Leaders: Janet Rohrer or Cathy Wilson.

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

Daily Prayer – 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 memo line.) We hope you will join us on this journey of discipleship!

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 complements our ongoing prayer groups by lifting 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.

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.

Pulpit Notes – Dr. Sharps’ blog, *Pulpit Notes*, is published online at www.shadysidepres.org/blog for readers to explore thoughts, prayers, and devotions from the pastor.

The Shadyside Presbyterian Church website, www.shadysidepres.org, provides additional information about the church’s many programs, activities, and events, as well as access to audio recordings of worship.

About the Cover Artwork

In November 2011, Shadyside Presbyterian Church revealed more than six months of planning and artistic effort with the unveiling of a mosaic mural on the lower level of the church. This installation crafted by local artist Lisa Platt now greets members and visitors arriving to our educational spaces.

Made with handcrafted red-clay tiles, stained glass, and recycled objects, the mosaic was a collaborative creation of the artist, SPC's Art Task Force, and the children and youth of the church and nursery school. Under Lisa's direction, the children and youth created bordering tiles and embellishments such as leaves and hearts.

The mosaic emphasizes our Christian faith and illustrates our commitments to the areas of education, missions, and music. Our church building is represented prominently alongside a cross and a depiction of Jesus Christ – all nestled within a stylized global context, establishing through multiple natural motifs a wonder-filled sense of God's creation. The artwork incorporates the nursery school's logo, which was designed by the first husband of church member and nursery school volunteer Susie Pettler. Ms. Platt also has expressed our local and international connections, including in the design reminders of our missions-based relationships in Mexico, Malawi, China, Guatemala, and Mars Hill, as well as nods to our immediate neighborhood. For example, the artwork includes a Scottish terrier vested in tartan as a reference to Carnegie Mellon University. A pipe organ is visible through the open doors of the church's façade, while a traditional Scottish bagpiper appears elsewhere.

Repeated viewings prove rewarding, as new elements emerge and enrich the overall piece. The mosaic captivates and delights viewers of all ages as we discover details and appreciate previously unnoticed figures. Visit the lower level and look closely – you may even see a church mouse!

About the Artist: Lisa Platt likes to make people smile with her whimsical work, which can be seen around the city. She has crafted mosaic pieces for the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in Lawrenceville and for the Pittsburgh Zoo and PPG Aquarium. Her work is available at the Pittsburgh Center for the Arts in Shadyside. For information, visit www.pittsburgharts.org.

Church Calendar

..... June 25 - July 2

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| TODAY <i>June 25</i> | 11:00 a.m. | Morning Worship in the Sanctuary |
| | 11:20 a.m. | Chapel Worship for preschool through 2 nd grade |
| | 12:00 p.m. | Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium |
| MONDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Vacation Bible School |
| TUESDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Vacation Bible School |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Morning Prayer Group in the Craig Room |
| | 12:45 p.m. | Freedom Camp Volunteers at Valley View Presbyterian Church in Garfield |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Budget and Finance Committee in the Craig Room |
| WEDNESDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Vacation Bible School |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Picnic with POWER Guests on the Church Lawn (Rain Location: Parish Hall) |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Music for Midsummer Nights Concert in the Sanctuary |
| THURSDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Vacation Bible School |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Summer Youth Gathering in the Parish Hall and Youth Room |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Evening Prayer Group in the Walton Library |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Young Adult Bible Study in the Stamy Room |
| FRIDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Vacation Bible School |
| | 1:00 p.m. | Vacation Bible School Closing Celebration in the Sanctuary, followed by Ice Cream Social in the Parish Hall |
| SUNDAY <i>July 2</i> | 11:00 a.m. | Morning Worship in the Sanctuary |
| | 11:20 a.m. | Chapel Worship for preschool through kindergarten |
| | 12:00 p.m. | Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium |

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.

Church Staff

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