

# 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

Beautiful Savior

David N. Johnson

Silence May Be Kept

Dan Locklair

The Peace May Be Exchanged

Dan Locklair

## WELCOME

**The Reverend Dr. Conrad C. Sharps**

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**Pastor:** In every generation, God raises up those needed to be servants.

**People:** **To be a servant of God is a high calling which requires dedication and self-denial.**

**Pastor:** It is a blessing to be used in our Lord's service. All who commit themselves to be used by God will know and enjoy a blessing beyond measure.

**People:** **We want to be what God wants us to be and to experience the blessing of being used in service and witness of our risen Lord, Jesus Christ.**

**All:** **Let us worship God!**

## ▲ HYMN IN PROCESSION 482

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

*Lobe den Herren*

## ▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION

**The Reverend Todd E. Leach**

## ORISON

Russell Schulz-Widmar

Glory 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.

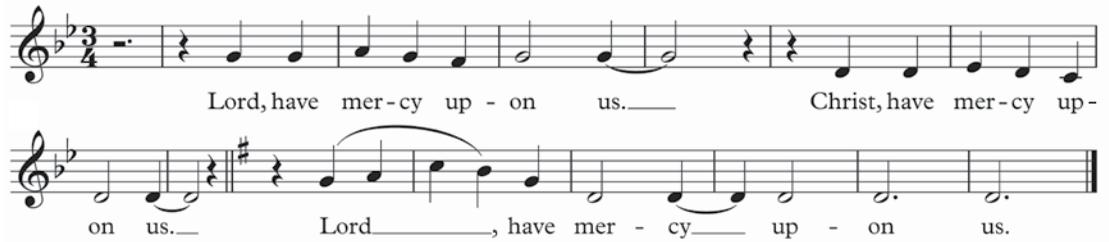
## PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(spoken in unison)*

**We confess, O God, we have not wanted to hear Your call. We prefer to go where we want to go when we want to go. We prefer to serve as we find most convenient rather than how You call us. Serving You sometimes means fighting for what is unpopular, but for what we know in our heart is right. We confess our being too often hesitant in our witness — tentative, compromising, guilty of not taking our calling seriously. Forgive us, Gracious God; forgive us for our narrow-mindedness, our willful misunderstanding of Your calling, and our unproductive use of opportunities, resources, and energy to serve You in Christ's name.**

## 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

1 Peter 2:1-10

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**The Reverend Lynn M. Portz**

page 233 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

## ANTHEM

A Psalm of the Redeemed

Michael McCabe

Blessed are they that hath not walked in the way of the sinners, and hath not sat in the seat of the scornful, but their delight is in the law of the Lord, and in this law do they meditate day and night. Whosoever dwelleth under the defense of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say unto the Lord, "Thou are my hope and my stronghold." My God, in Him will I trust. He shall defend thee under His wings. Thou shall not be afraid of any terrors by night. For Thou, Lord, art my hope. Thou hast set the house of the Lord very high. And now, Lord, what is my hope? Truly my hope is even in Thee. For He shall give His angels charge over thee. They shall keep thee in all thy ways, they shall hold thee in their hands. Blessed are they that knoweth God.

Text: Psalms 1 and 91

## SCRIPTURE

Numbers 27:12-23

page 147 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## SERMON

**The Reverend Dr. Conrad C. Sharps**

A Charge for All

## ▲ HYMN OF RESPONSE 321

Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

*Song 13*

## ▲ 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.**

## SERVICE OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

### LITANY OF MINISTRY

Leader: There are different gifts,

People: **But it is the same Spirit who gives them.**

There are different ways of serving God,

**But it is the same Lord who is served.**

God works through each person in different ways,

**But it is the same God who achieves His purpose through them all.**

Each one is given a gift by the Spirit,

**To use it for the common good.**

Together we are the body of Christ,

**And individually members of Him.**

Within our common ministry, some members are chosen for particular work as ministers of the word, ruling elders, or deacons. In ordination, we recognize these special ministries, remembering that our Lord Jesus said: "Whoever among you wants to be great, must become the servant of all, and whoever wants to be first among you, must be the slave of all."

### PRESENTATION OF OFFICERS-ELECT

**Elder David R. Anthony**, *Clerk of Session*

#### Elders

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Luke A. Diel

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### CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE OFFICERS-ELECT

#### CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION

Do you, the members of Shadyside Presbyterian Church, accept these persons as ruling elders, deacons, and trustees, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation, to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

**We do.**

Do we agree to pray for them, to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ, who alone is the Head of the Church?

**We do.**

### PRAYER OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

#### DECLARATION

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(spoken in unison)*

**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**

Let This Mind Be in You

Lee Hoiby

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion as a man, He humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted Him, and given Him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Text: Philippians 2:5-11

▲ **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** *(please see page 14 of this bulletin)*

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*Los Gatos*

▲ **BENEDICTION**

▲ **CHORAL RESPONSE**

**POSTLUDE**

Paeon

Michael McCabe

# Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given in loving memory of the Reverend George P. Fulton by Kathleen Fulton.

**Acolytes for September** – Nathan Boyle and Grace E. Coffelt.

**Ushers for September** – Ronald A. Blumer, Frederick W. Brooke IV, Mark A. Krofchik, Michael B. Schwerin, and Robert Thomson. **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

Michael McCabe (b. 1941) studied with Leo Sowerby, David McK. Williams, Thomas Matthews, and Dale Wood. He has served numerous churches, including Grace Cathedral in San Francisco. He has written music for choir, solo instruments, and chamber ensembles.

Lee Hoiby (1926–2011) was an American composer and pianist. Best known as a composer of operas and songs, he was a disciple of composer Gian Carlo Menotti. Like Menotti, Hoiby composed works that are marked by lyricism during a time when this style was deemed old-fashioned and irrelevant. His most well-known works are his setting of Tennessee Williams’ *Summer and Smoke*, and his many songs and arias championed by Leontyne Price. Though most of his works involve vocalists, he also wrote some instrumental works, particularly chamber music. His choral music is widely performed throughout the United States and in Great Britain. Some of his most important works are in that form, including the Christmas cantata *A Hymn of the Nativity* (text by Richard Crashaw), the oratorio *Galileo Galilei* (libretto by Barrie Stavis), and a substantial group of works for chorus and orchestra on texts of Walt Whitman and John Donne.

## Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... September 17 – 24 .....

<b>Sunday, September 17</b>	<b>Tuesday, September 19</b>	<b>Thursday, September 21</b>	<b>Saturday, September 23</b>
Psalms 19; 150 1 Kings 19:8-21 Acts 5:34-42 John 11:45-57	Psalms 123; 146 1 Kings 21:17-29 1 Corinthians 1:20-31 Matthew 4:12-17	Psalms 36; 147:12-20 1 Kings 22:29-45 1 Corinthians 2:14-3:15 Matthew 5:1-10	Psalms 56; 149 2 Kings 2:1-18 1 Corinthians 4:1-7 Matthew 5:17-20
<b>Monday, September 18</b>	<b>Wednesday, September 20</b>	<b>Friday, September 22</b>	<b>Sunday, September 24</b>
Psalms 135; 145 1 Kings 21:1-16 1 Corinthians 1:1-19 Matthew 4:1-11	Psalms 15; 147:1-11 1 Kings 22:1-28 1 Corinthians 2:1-13 Matthew 4:18-25	Psalms 130; 148 2 Kings 1:2-17 1 Corinthians 3:16-23 Matthew 5:11-16	Psalms 67; 150 2 Kings 4:8-37 Acts 9:10-31 Luke 3:7-18

## News and Notes

**Hurricane Relief** - Last fall, the SPC Session approved a disaster response plan submitted by our Mission and Urban Ministry (MUM) Team. The MUM Team has committed to set aside annual funds specifically for disaster response, and, in addition, invite SPC members to give to a disaster assistance organization. If you would like to make a contribution to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA), please place your check (payable to Shadyside Presbyterian Church) or cash donation in the pew envelope designated for PDA, and place the envelope in the offering plate. Contributions also may be mailed to the church office. Let us remember in prayer those who have lost family, friends, or property as a result of this natural disaster.

**Welcome all new and returning college students!** Please join us for lunch on Sunday, September 17, for an opportunity to meet and connect with others. We will meet following worship, and walk together to Walnut Street to grab a bite to eat and get to know one another. If you have any questions, please reach out to Elder Vicki Potter or any member of the Campus Ministry Mission Action Community (MAC).

**Midweek Vespers** are held on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel. These thirty-minute candlelight worship services, with Communion, offer a more intimate worship experience in the midst of our hectic lives. This fall, the pastors' homilies will lead us in exploring 1 Corinthians, following the daily lectionary. Childcare is available.

**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, September 21. Join us as we continue to build community through study. For more information, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.

**Young Adults** are invited to sort and distribute fresh produce to neighbors in need on the South Side with the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank on Saturday, September 23, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. Four volunteer spaces are available. For more information or to participate, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.

**Great Race** - On Sunday, September 24, the City of Pittsburgh Great Race occurs. The route includes portions of Forbes, Fifth, and Morewood Avenues in Oakland and Squirrel Hill. Traffic closures along the course will be enforced during the morning, but all streets should be open to traffic by 11:00 a.m. If you have concerns, please check the map on the Great Race website ([www.rungreatrace.com](http://www.rungreatrace.com)) and consider taking an alternate route next Sunday morning.

**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 regularly to discuss a variety of subjects that are important in the grief recovery process, including the range of emotions which grief brings, and resources for moving forward. Our next gathering occurs Monday, September 25, 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.

**Connections Dinner** - Enjoy friendly conversation along with a delicious home-cooked meal on Wednesday, September 27, when supper will be served from 6:00 until 6:45 p.m. in the Parish Hall. For reservations, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact the church office by Monday, September 25. A freewill offering will be received to offset the costs of the meal. If you are able, we hope you will stay for vespers at 7:00 p.m.

**Young Adult Camping** – Young adults and friends are invited to get away for a weekend and enjoy the beauty of God’s creation as we go camping at Bear Run State Park. Join us for a campfire on the evening of Friday, September 29, stay overnight in tents, and then return home after some hiking and relaxation on Saturday, September 30. To reserve a spot, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact Rev. John Magnuson.

**Holy Land Pilgrimage: February 25–March 9, 2018** – Shadyside Presbyterian Church (SPC) and Pittsburgh Theological Seminary (PTS) will participate in a mission trip to Israel and the West Bank of Palestine from February 25 to March 9, 2018. The primary purpose of this trip is to visit the Christian communities of the Holy Land, but we also will spend much of our time at the biblical sites of Jerusalem and Galilee. The holy sites will change the way you read the Bible, and the living stones of the church will broaden your love for the whole Body of Christ. An informational meeting will be held after worship on Sunday, October 1, at 12:15 p.m. Please prayerfully consider joining us on this important pilgrimage, which is organized by the World Mission Initiative of PTS and co-led by Rev. Todd Leach, SPC Associate Pastor for Missions.

**The Opioid Addiction Crisis** – Shadyside Presbyterian Church’s Stephen Ministry continues to sponsor a series of educational opportunities with the presentation of “The Opioid Addiction Crisis: What You Need to Know,” on Monday, October 2, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Join us to hear speakers Dr. Mitchell West, Medical Director of Addiction Medicine at Allegheny Health Network, and Det. Calvin Kennedy, from the City of Pittsburgh Bureau of Police. To register, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact the church office; there is no cost to attend.

**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, October 8.

**Shadyside House Tour** – Our very own house of worship will participate in this year’s Shadyside House Tour on Sunday, October 15, from 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. Sponsored by Shadyside Action Coalition (SAC), this self-guided tour showcases a handful of the beautiful homes in our neighborhood. This event provides an excellent opportunity to welcome the community into our sacred space and extend gracious hospitality to our neighbors. Designated areas of our church building will be open to all guests following worship, and our Music in a Great Space series will present a free concert at 3:00 p.m. This is a perfect time to invite someone to experience Shadyside. For those wishing to visit the other venues on the tour, please review the ticketing options and instructions online at [www.shadysideaction.org](http://www.shadysideaction.org). SAC also asks patrons to bring a non-perishable item with them to contribute to the food bank of the East End Cooperative Ministry.

**Shepherd Wellness** – Shadyside Presbyterian Church will sponsor a Wellness Dinner for the Shepherd Wellness Community on Friday, October 20, at the Shepherd Wellness Community Center (4800 Sciota Street in Bloomfield). Volunteers should sign up online by visiting [www.swconline.org](http://www.swconline.org) and clicking on the “Volunteer Online Now” button on the Volunteer Opportunities page. There is a separate tab for Shadyside Presbyterian Church. If online access is not available, please call 412-683-4477, ext. 12.

**An Invitation to Membership** - A two-week orientation class for inquirers occurs Sundays, October 22 and 29, from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. in the Chapel, and will include an overview of Presbyterian beliefs and history, as well as an opportunity to learn about the various ministries of SPC. (Infant care and children's Christian Education classes run concurrently.) New members will be received on Oct. 29, and recognized in worship that day. If you would like to register for the class, please contact Gwen Missouri in the church office.

**All-Church Retreat** - Please join your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ for a time of fun, contemplation, fellowship, and spiritual growth during the church retreat which takes place on the evening of Friday, October 27, through the afternoon of Saturday, October 28, at Crestfield Camp and Conference Center, in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania. The Reverend Lisa Nichols Hickman, a Presbyterian pastor and writer, will lead us in exploring Scripture, prayer, and their intersection with our lives. (Childcare and children's activities are provided.) There will be opportunities for campfires, walks, exploring one's faith, and time for communing with God. Brochures with details and registration forms are available in the Narthex and Sharp Atrium, and online at [www.shadysidepres.org/retreat](http://www.shadysidepres.org/retreat). Please register by Sunday, October 15.

**Announcing Our New Director of Finance** - As Nancy Shaytar concludes her forty years of service to Shadyside Presbyterian Church and transitions from the church staff, the Human Resources Committee of the Session is pleased to announce that Robert A. Coder has been hired as our new Director of Finance. After completing a careful and thorough search, we are confident Bob is the most qualified and best suited individual to follow Nancy. We look forward to introducing him to the congregation through our church communications in the coming weeks, during which time he and Nancy will be working together in order to ensure a smooth transition. Please join us in extending him a warm welcome.

**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](mailto: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](mailto:info@shadysidepres.org).

# The Mission and Values of Shadyside Presbyterian Church

## Our Mission

Shadyside Presbyterian Church seeks to reflect God's unconditional love as we proclaim, witness to, and celebrate the good news of Jesus Christ. We strive to be a worshiping, welcoming, learning, and serving community of faith that is comforted, challenged, and empowered by the Holy Spirit.

## Our Values

We seek to be a faithful Christian presence by

- **Glorifying God through Worship and Music**  
By gathering for worship services in the Reformed tradition to encourage our life of faith and witness through biblical preaching, the celebration of the sacraments, participation in confessions and prayer, and inspiring music
- **Nurturing a Family of Faith**  
By building a joyful community of faith that engages in the life of the church by sharing mutual encouragement, compassionate care, and gracious hospitality
- **Supporting Individual Growth and Discipleship**  
By encouraging the discipline of personal prayer and providing a variety of opportunities for spiritual growth, education, and service to people of all ages
- **Participating in the Mission of Christ**  
By offering ourselves, our gifts, and our time to serve others, to promote peace, and to pursue righteousness by actively joining with mission partners in Pittsburgh and around the world

## Mission Partner Spotlight

In 1924, Shadyside Presbyterian Church built a hospital in the Shantung Province of China. The hospital was part of a larger mission compound that was used as an internment camp during World War II. (Langdon Gilkey's book, *Shantung Compound*, relates his experience in this internment camp.) This hospital is now a historical site, surrounded by Shadyside Park. In an attempt to renew and restore our relationships in this region, various teams from Shadyside have traveled to China, most recently in October 2015 for our fifth visit. Highlights of this relationship include exploring a historic culture, reliving our own history, and continuing discussions with a church in Wei Hei to enable us to walk alongside the growing Christianity of China.

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

## Church Officers

..... Elders .....

Niquelle T. Abdul-Malak	Donald P. Coffelt Jr.	Jill M. Markl	Sharon A. Taylor
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Raymond P. Fitzsimmons, Treasurer

### World Communion Sunday

..... Sunday, October 1, at 11:00 a.m. ....

World Communion Sunday celebrates our oneness in Christ with all our brothers and sisters around the world, transcending boundaries of denomination, geography, and language.

### Music in a Great Space Concert

..... Sunday, October 15, at 3:00 p.m. ....

The United States Air Force Heritage of America Band presents Heritage Brass, in conjunction with the Shadyside House Tour.  
No tickets necessary; donations appreciated.

# Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

7th c. Latin, transl. John. Mason Neale

Mark A. Anderson, 2006



1. Christ is made the sure Found - a - tion, Christ the Head and Cor - ner - stone;  
2. To this tem - ple where we call Thee, Come, O Lord of Hosts to - day;  
3. Here be - stow on all Thy ser - vants What they ask of Thee to gain,  
4. Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther, Laud and hon - or to the Son,



Cho - sen of the Lord, and pre cious, Bind - ing all the Church in one,  
With Thy won - ted lov - ing kind - ness, Hear Thy ser - vants as they pray;  
What they gain from Thee for - ev - er With the bless - ed to re - tain,  
Laud and hon - or to the Spir - it, Ev - er Three and ev - er One;



Hol - ly Zi - on's Help for - ev - er, And her Con - fi - dence a - lone.  
And Thy full - est ben - e - dic - tion Shed with - in its courts al - way.  
And here - af - ter in Thy glo - ry Ev - er - more with Thee to reign.  
One in might and one in glo - ry While un - end - ing a - ges run.



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## Live Webcast

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

[www.shadysidepres.org/live](http://www.shadysidepres.org/live)

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

# Church Calendar

..... September 17 - 24 .....

<b>TODAY</b> <i>September 17</i>	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship in the Sanctuary – Ordination and Installation of Officers
	11:20 a.m.	Chapel Worship for preschool through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade
	12:00 p.m.	Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium
	12:00 p.m.	Sunday Adventures in Music (SAM) continues in the Chapel
	12:30 p.m.	SPYS (Youth Group) in the Youth Room
<b>MONDAY</b>	6:30 p.m.	EECM Shelter Dinner Volunteers at EECM, 6140 Station Street
<b>TUESDAY</b>	10:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer Group in the Craig Room
	6:30 p.m.	Session in the Hulme Room
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	9:00 a.m.	Nursery School Board in the Stamy Room
	7:00 p.m.	Midweek Vespers in the Chapel
	7:45 p.m.	Mission and Urban Ministry Team in the Stamy Room
<b>THURSDAY</b>	6:00 p.m.	Board of Trustees off-site
	7:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer Group in the Walton Library
	7:00 p.m.	Young Adult Bible Study in the Stamy Room
	7:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Chapel
<b>SUNDAY</b> <i>September 24</i>	9:30 a.m.	Intergenerational Prayer Partnership Breakfast in the Parish Hall
	9:45 a.m.	Christian Education Classes for All Ages
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship in the Sanctuary
	11:20 a.m.	Chapel Worship for preschool through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade
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## 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

**September 10–May**

in the Hulme Room

The Book of Daniel, followed by  
the Gospel according to St. Luke  
and the Book of Acts  
Led by Elder Richard McGough

### TOPICAL BOOK STUDY

**September 10–October 15**

in the Craig Room

*Body & Soul: Reclaiming the  
Heidelberg Catechism,*  
by Reverend Dr. M. Craig Barnes  
Led by Elders Sara and Ted Brooke

### PASTORS' BIBLE STUDY

**September 10–May**

in the Chapel

The Sermon Scripture Passage  
Led by Sunday's Preacher

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