

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.

Gluten-free, vegan Communion wafers are available in the Narthex for those who prefer them to the regular Communion bread.

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.

Prayer Ministry - Every Sunday following worship, Stephen Ministers will be available in the front of the left transept to pray with anyone who would like prayer. All are welcome.

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 Call to Worship has begun, please wait to enter the Sanctuary until the choir has processed.*

PRELUDE

Psalm Prelude, Set 1, No. 2

Herbert Howells

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Reverend Lynn M. Portz

Pastor: Praise the LORD!

People: **How good it is to sing praises to our God;**

Pastor: For God is gracious, and a song of praise is fitting.

People: **The Lord gathers the outcast and heals the brokenhearted.**

All: **Come, let us worship God.**

Adapted from Psalm 147:1-3

▲ HYMN IN PROCESSION 288

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Ellacombe

▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION

ORISON

Christopher Tye

O come, ye servants of the Lord, and praise His holy name. From early morn to setting sun, His might on earth proclaim. His laws are just, and glad the heart; He makes His mercies known. Ye princes come, ye people too, and bow before His throne.

Text adapted from Psalm 113:1-3

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(spoken in unison)*

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to You, confessing our faults, confiding in Your grace, and finding in You our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ Your Son.

Book of Common Worship

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.)

WELCOME

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 51:1-12

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

page 520 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible

ANTHEM

If Ye Love Me

Malcolm Archer

If ye love Me, keep My commandments. And I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may 'bide with you forever, e'en the Spirit of truth.

Text: John 14:15-17a

SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 4:1-16

page 193 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Reverend Dr. Beverly W. James

Making Every Effort

▲ HYMN OF RESPONSE 503

Come, Risen Lord

Sursum corda (Smith)

▲ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible;

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father by whom all things were made; who for us, and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead, whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And we believe one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

OFFERING ANTHEM

Father, We Praise You

Alan Bullard

Father, we praise Thee, now the night is over; active and watchful, stand we all before Thee; singing we offer prayer and meditation: thus we adore Thee. Monarch of all things, fit us for Thy mansions; banish our weakness, health and wholeness sending; bring us to heaven, where Thy saints united joy without ending. All-holy Father, Son, and equal Spirit, Trinity blessed, send us Thy salvation; Thine is the glory, gleaming and resounding through all creation.

Text: 10th c. Latin hymn attributed to Gregory the Great; translated by Percy Dearmer, 19th c.

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you,

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts;

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The pastor prays.

... Therefore we praise You, joining our voices with the heavenly choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who sing to the glory of Your name:

SANCTUS (*sung in unison*)

Mark A. Anderson

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might, heav'n and
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!
Bles - sed is the one who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est!

The pastor continues in prayer.

... Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all glory and honor are Yours, eternal God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

DISTRIBUTION (*please commune as you receive the elements*)

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Still Small Voice

Ian Assersohn

Drop Thy still dews of quietness, till all our strivings cease; take from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess the beauty of Thy peace. Breathe through the heats of our desire Thy coolness and Thy balm; let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire, O still, small voice of calm.

Text: John Greenleaf Whittier, adapted G. Horder, 1884

PRAYER OF RESPONSE 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.

▲ HYMN 434

Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples

Kingsfold

▲ BENEDICTION

▲ CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Sonata in D Major

Carl Philipp Emanuel Bach

Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given in loving memory of Hilda M. Sundermann by Henry D. Sundermann Jr.

We welcome as our guest preacher this morning the Reverend Dr. Beverly W. James. Dr. James is Associate Minister to the Pittsburgh Presbytery, where she works with more than sixty congregations in the East and South Branches of Pittsburgh Presbytery, including ours. She has served as a Minister of the Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church for thirty-seven years. Beverly began her service as a Volunteer in Mission in Thailand. She also was a seminary intern at Shadyside Presbyterian Church. Dr. James has served many churches as Interim Pastor and has a strong commitment to assisting churches and pastors in times of transition. Beverly has a Ph.D. in Rhetoric and Communication from the University of Pittsburgh, a Master of Arts of Divinity from the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, a Master of Arts in English from Carnegie Mellon University, and an A.B. in English from Brown University.

We welcome as our guest organist Dr. Anthony Rollett. Dr. Rollett is a British materials scientist and engineer currently at Carnegie Mellon University and a Fellow of the Institute of Physics.

The Chancel Choir is in recess for the month of August. Singing in this morning's ensemble are Kathy Linger, Christina Lynch, and Emily Tiberi, soprano; Jane M. Boyle, Ellen Fast, and Jennifer Lawyer, alto; Mark A. Boyle and Chris Lynch, tenor; and Matt Derby and Ryan Ricarte, bass.

Ushers for August - Brigetta P. Del Re, Richard O. Goehring, Herold S. Hannah Jr., Gary S. Lasser, Ian A. McGough, Rebecca D. Reeder, Lisa M. Susalla, and Thomas L. Wentling Jr. **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.

Mission Partner Spotlight

Garfield Community Farm (GCF) seeks to learn, teach, and practice organic gardening and farming in the places that have been neglected and abandoned in and with the neighborhood of Garfield. Neighborhood interns, volunteers from local churches and neighborhood groups, and GCF's small staff helped the farm have its first successful growing season in 2009. The gardens continue to flourish, and GCF welcomes volunteers to join them on Thursday evenings and the first Saturday of each month.

Shadyside's Hunger and Homelessness Mission Action Community (MAC) has helped to prepare the soil, plant vegetables, maintain gardens, and harvest crops. In addition to helping to build the farm's shed and a fence around the perimeter of the gardens, Shadyside also contributed funds to provide a bio-shelter at the main garden site, and, through the Shadyside Presbyterian Church Board of Trustees, funded a mobile farmers' market, enabling fresh produce to be delivered to "food deserts" in Pittsburgh's East End.

For more information, visit www.garfieldfarm.com. To join the efforts of the Hunger and Homelessness MAC in support of GCF, contact the Reverend Todd E. Leach, Associate Pastor for Missions.

News and Notes

Dr. Sharps' Departure - On Sunday, July 29, Shadyside Presbyterian Church bid farewell to its eleventh senior pastor, the Reverend Dr. Conrad Sharps, and his wife Lauren. The Session will keep the congregation advised of the transition of our leadership as significant events occur.

Food Truck Fellowship - Once a month from August through November, we will host a food truck in the governor's drive as a part of our Time of Fellowship following worship. Chef Steven Bright's wonderful cookies and coffee will be available in the Parish Hall, and, weather-permitting, the McClintock Lawn will be open for children to play outside. Whether you want to connect with others indoors or mingle outside, we hope you will plan to stay after worship! The food trucks will offer a variety of lunch options, from hot dogs to halal and from Argentinian to American fare. Join us next Sunday, August 12, when we will welcome Tango Food Truck, and mark your calendars for September 2, October 14, and November 18.

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, August 9. Join us as we continue to build community through study. For more information, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.

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 19, to prepare the meal for the EECM shelter dinner, which will be served to shelter guests on the following evening, Monday, August 20, at the EECM Community House in East Liberty. We especially welcome newcomers to join us; please consider participating even if you have not helped in this way previously. For further information, you may contact Deacon Adam Loucks through the church office. Please sign up for this opportunity in the Sharp Atrium.

New Director of Campus Outreach - Shadyside Presbyterian Church and the Campus Ministry Mission Action Community are excited to welcome Jeffrey T. Brown to our staff as the Director of Campus Outreach. This position was created to help us in building relationships with the college campuses that surround us. With this position, we hope to explore new ways to engage our campus neighbors by being a part of their community and inviting them into ours. Read more about Jeff on the church website, and please join us in helping to make Jeff and his family feel at home in our community. If you are interested in learning more about ways to participate in our campus outreach efforts, please contact Jeff at jbrown@shadysidepres.org.

Midweek Vespers in the Chapel resume on Wednesday, September 12.

Save the Date - An all-church retreat at the Crestfield Camp and Conference Center in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania, is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, November 2 and 3, with the option to extend your stay overnight on Saturday. Dave Bindewald, founder of the Center for Play and Exploration, will lead us in a weekend full of creativity and curiosity grounded in our Christian identity, while we connect with church friends, old and new. Please mark the date on your calendar and consider joining us!

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.

Shadyside Presbyterian Church’s Meal Train Ministry provides meals for individuals or families in need. As needs arise, such as the celebration of a new baby or recuperation after surgery, Meal Train Ministry members are notified by email and invited to sign up through an online calendar if they are available to cook. Volunteers may either deliver the meal, or bring it frozen to the church for someone else to deliver. We are always looking for more cooks, and you are welcome to participate as your schedule allows. For more information or to sign up, please contact Deacon Luke Chwala by email: spchelpers@gmail.com.

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.

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!

Church History and Architecture Books – Shadyside Presbyterian Church has published two books authored by Elder Timothy C. Engleman which explore the church’s history and architecture in depth. Both may be purchased through the church office; order forms are available in the Narthex and on the church website.

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.

Live Webcast – Listen to a live audio stream of our service of worship at 11:00 a.m. on Sundays. Please share the link www.shadysidepres.org/live with friends and neighbors who may not be able to join us in person.

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

Church Calendar

..... August 5 - 12

TODAY <i>August 5</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
	12:15 p.m.	Session in the Hulme Room
MONDAY		American Choral Directors Association Conference
		Pittsburgh Girls Choir Concentio Camp
	9:15 a.m.	PRISM International Moms' Group in the Nursery Room
TUESDAY		American Choral Directors Association Conference
		Pittsburgh Girls Choir Concentio Camp
	10:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer Group in the Walton Library
WEDNESDAY		Pittsburgh Girls Choir Concentio Camp
THURSDAY		Pittsburgh Girls Choir Concentio Camp
	6:00 p.m.	Stewardship Committee in the Craig 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		Pittsburgh Girls Choir Concentio Camp
SUNDAY <i>August 12</i>	9:45 a.m.	Stephen Ministry in the Walton Library
	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 Parish Hall with Food Truck in the Governor's Drive

Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... August 5 - 12

Sunday, August 5	Tuesday, August 7	Thursday, August 9	Saturday, August 11
Psalms 108; 150	Psalms 12; 146	Psalms 116; 147:12-20	Psalms 63; 149
Judges 6:1-24	Judges 7:1-18	Judges 8:22-35	Judges 9:22-25, 50-57
2 Corinthians 9:6-15	Acts 3:1-11	Acts 4:1-12	Acts 4:32-5:11
Mark 3:20-30	John 1:19-28	John 1:43-51	John 2:13-25
Monday, August 6	Wednesday, August 8	Friday, August 10	Sunday, August 12
Psalms 62; 145	Psalms 96; 147:1-11	Psalms 84; 148	Psalms 103; 150
Judges 6:25-40	Judges 7:19-8:12	Judges 9:1-16, 19-21	Judges 11:1-11, 29-40
Acts 2:37-47	Acts 3:12-26	Acts 4:13-31	2 Corinthians 11:21b-31
John 1:1-18	John 1:29-42	John 2:1-12	Mark 4:35-41

19th Annual Golf Outing, Silent Auction, and Buffet Dinner in Support of Hosanna House

..... Saturday, September 8, at Birdsfoot Golf Club in Freeport
Shotgun Start at 8:30 a.m.; Dinner served at approximately 1:00 p.m.

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

Cost for golf, cart, and dinner: \$85 • Cost for dinner only: \$15 per adult, \$7 per child (10 and under)

Registration deadline is August 26; 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.

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Church Staff

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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.

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