

# 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 an audio broadcast of worship is available downstairs in the Marks Room.

**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 children's chapel worship and Christian education. (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 Call to Worship has begun, please wait to enter the Sanctuary until the choir has processed.*

## PRELUDE

Andante con moto

Ralph Vaughan Williams

Musette

Ralph Vaughan Williams

Prelude on “Rhosymedre” (Hymn no. 534)

Ralph Vaughan Williams

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**The Reverend Lynn M. Portz**

**Pastor:** The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end.

**People:** **They are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness.**

**Pastor:** “The LORD is my portion,” says my soul.

**People:** **“Therefore I will hope in Him.”**

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

Adapted from Lamentations 3:22-24

## ▲ HYMN IN PROCESSION 191

God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength

*Winchester Old*

## ▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION

### ORISON

Ralph Vaughan Williams

O taste and see how gracious the LORD is. Blessed is the one that trusteth in Him!

Text adapted from Psalm 34:8 (KJV)

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

**O Whole and Blessed Truth, how far art Thou removed from my vision, though I am so near to Thine. Everywhere Thou art present, yet I do not see Thee. In Thee I move. In Thee I have my being, yet I do not come to Thee. Thou art within me and about me, yet I do not feel Thee. Draw near, O Grace, for my sins prevent me from drawing to Thee.**

St. Anselm, d. 1109

## 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

## PERSPECTIVE ON STEWARDSHIP

Elder Donald P. Coffelt Jr.

## SCRIPTURE

Romans 5:1-5

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

page 155 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## ANTHEM

I Keep the Lord Before Me

Richard Proulx

I keep the LORD before me always; for with the LORD always at my side nothing can ever shake me. So my heart is glad, and my tongue cries out with joy. Then how shall I make my return to the LORD for all the good God has done for me? The cup of salvation I will raise and offer a sacrifice of thanks, calling on the name of the LORD. So may the word of Christ, rich as it is, dwell in us evermore. Amen.

Text adapted from Psalm 16:8-9; Psalm 116:12-13; Colossians 3:15

## SCRIPTURE

Romans 15:13

page 164 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## SERMON

The Reverend Todd E. Leach

Stewards of Hope

## ▲ HYMN OF RESPONSE 360

Hope of the World

*Donne secours*

## ▲ 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

Behold, the Tabernacle of God

John Rutter

Behold, the tabernacle of God is with all people, and the Spirit of God dwelleth within you. For the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are. For the love of whom you do this day celebrate the joys of the temple with a season of festivity. Alleluia.

Text from a Sarum Antiphon based on Revelation 21

## ▲ 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 7 of this bulletin)*

All My Hope on God Is Founded

Michael

## ▲ BENEDICTION

### ▲ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *(sung with the Chancel Choir; please see page 8 of this bulletin)*

Faithful When We Hear Christ's Call

Stewardship 2018

## POSTLUDE

Toccata in Seven

John Rutter

# Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

**Acolytes for October** - Patrick Boyle and William Krofchik.

**Ushers for October** - John E. B. Baldrige, Shannon L. Bunting, Daniel W. Ernsberger, Nathaniel C. Hunter, Margaret V. Kisslinger, and Martin E. Powell. **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.

# All My Hope on God Is Founded

MICHAEL

Robert Bridges (1844-1930), alt.,  
after Joachim Neander (1650-1680)

Herbert Howells (1892-1983)



1. All my hope on God is found - ed; He doth  
2. Mor - tal pride and earth - ly glo - ry, sword and  
3. God's great good - ness e'er en - dur - eth, deep His  
4. Dai - ly doth th'Al might y Giv - er bount-eous  
5. Still from earth to God e - ter - nal sac - ri-



still my trust re - new, me through change and chance He  
crown be - tray our trust; though with care and toil we  
wis - dom pass - ing thought: splen - dor, light, and life at -  
gifts on us be - stow; His de - sire our soul de -  
fice of praise be done, high a - bove all prais - es



guid - eth, on - ly good and on - ly true. God un -  
build them, tow'r and tem - ple fall to dust. But God's  
tend Him, beau - ty spring - eth out of nought. E - ver  
light - eth, plea - sure leads us where we go. Love doth  
prais - ing for the gift of Christ His Son. Christ doth



known, He a - lone calls my heart to be His own.  
pow'r, hour by hour is my tem - ple and my tower.  
more from His store new-born worlds rise and a - dore.  
stand at His hand; joy doth wait on His com - mand.  
call one and all; ye who fol - low shall not fall.

# Faithful When We Hear Christ's Call

STEWARDSHIP 2018

Alvin Schutmaat, 1984

Mark A. Anderson, 2018

May the God of hope go with us ev - ery  
day, Fil - ling all our lives with love and joy and  
peace. May the God of jus - tice speed us on our  
way, Bring - ing light and hope to ev - ery land and  
race. Pray - ing let us work for peace, Sing - ing,  
share our joy with all, Work - ing for a world that's  
new, Faith - ful when we hear Christ's call.

The musical score is written on seven staves in G major (one flat). The first staff is in 4/4 time. The second staff changes to 3/2 time, then back to 4/4. The third staff changes to 3/2 time, then back to 4/4. The fourth staff changes to 3/2 time, then back to 4/4. The fifth staff is in 3/2 time. The sixth staff is in 4/4 time. The seventh staff is in 4/4 time. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

## About This Morning's Music

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958) was a leading English composer, arranger, author, and educator. He wrote nine symphonies; concertos for various solo instruments; five operas; chamber, ballet, and film music; a large body of songs and song cycles; and significant unaccompanied and orchestral choral works.

American composer, conductor, and organist Richard Proulx (1937-2010) was a widely published composer of more than 300 works, including congregational music in every form, sacred and secular choral works, song cycles, two operas, and instrumental and organ music. He was Organist and Director of Music at the Cathedral of the Holy Name in Chicago.

The original tune for "All My Hope on God Is Founded" was composed around 1690. In 1936, English composer Herbert Howells composed the tune, "Michael," which we sing today. Howells was distraught over the death of his nine-year-old son Michael, who had recently died from polio. The text of this hymn brought Howells substantial comfort in the years after his son's death, and the tune was named for Michael.

The theme of our stewardship season this fall is Romans 15:13, "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope." The choir and congregation together will sing the closing response, which is based on the Romans passage.

### Homeward Bound

..... Today at 3:00 p.m. ....

Join the Pittsburgh Camerata, with special guest, the Mt. Lebanon High School Chamber Choir, for this musical look at our journeys home.

Tickets: [www.pittsburghcamerata.org](http://www.pittsburghcamerata.org) or at the door.

### All Saints' Service of Remembrance

..... Sunday, November 4, at 3:00 p.m. ....

In memory of those who have entered the Church Triumphant, the Chancel Choir will present Louis Vierne's *Messe Solennelle* in C-sharp minor in liturgical context, with Communion.

## News and Notes

**Abounding in Hope** - Our focus on stewardship continues throughout the month of October, culminating on Stewardship Commitment Sunday, October 28. Brochures have been mailed to members; pledge cards along with quarterly contribution statements will be mailed this week. Please prayerfully consider your pledge commitment and joyfully return your pledge card next Sunday, October 28.

**Interim Pastor Search** - The Human Resources Committee of the Session is working with the assistance of the Pittsburgh Presbytery to identify an interim senior pastor to serve Shadyside on a temporary basis. Recently, the Session approved a job description for the interim pastor, along with a Ministry Information Form (MIF) for this position which is required by the Presbytery. Until an interim pastor arrives, we are grateful that our associate ministers will continue to provide pastoral care and will coordinate worship and preaching responsibilities. While interim periods can be lengthy, we can be assured that God will provide a future filled with hope for our church and that God already has new leadership in mind for us. Meanwhile, we pray for patience and for God's guidance. Please remember our leaders in your prayers and support them throughout this process. As developments occur, Session will continue to update the congregation.

**Baby Fellowship** - All parents, grandparents, and caregivers with children age birth to two years old are welcome to join us Monday, October 22, from 11:00 to 11:45 a.m. We will enjoy a time of fellowship, encouragement, and singing favorite Sunday School songs. Friends and neighbors are welcome. We will be meeting every other Monday. Meet at the Nursery School entrance at 11:00 a.m. promptly so we all can enter as a group without disturbing the Nursery School. Questions? Please contact Deacon Diana Rodgers through the church office.

**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, October 22, 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.

**An Invitation to Membership** - On Tuesday, October 23, from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m., learn what makes Shadyside Church unique at a new members' orientation class. We will share about our ministries and mission, and help you find ways that you can add your gifts to our fellowship to serve Christ together. Sandwiches will be served, and childcare is available during the class. New members will be welcomed during worship on Sunday, October 28. To register, please contact Kaysie Strickland in the church office.

**Study St. Luke's Gospel** - Join us on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. to study the Gospel of Luke, using *Good News for All*, published by the Kerygma Program. Facilitated by Elder Peggy Heely, this fourteen-week study will meet for seven weeks this fall leading into Advent, and then for seven weeks after Christmas, leading into Lent.

**Connections Dinner** – On Wednesday, October 24, you are invited to a congregational dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Join us to hear Rev. Todd Leach speak on the topic “SPC Missions: Present and Future,” while enjoying a delicious home-cooked meal prepared by Chef Steven Bright. Please make your reservation by signing up in the Sharp Atrium by Monday, October 22. A freewill offering will be received to offset the costs of the meal. Nursery care is available. If you are able, we hope you will stay for vespers in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m., with Rebecca D. Reeder preaching.

**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. 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, October 25. Join us as we continue to build community through study. For more information, please contact Rev. John Magnuson.

**Shepherd Wellness** – Shadyside Presbyterian Church will sponsor a Wellness Dinner for the Shepherd Wellness Community on Friday, October 26, 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.

**Christmas Wreaths** – Procure your festive and fragrant holiday décor while supporting nursery school scholarships! Beautiful 22- to 24-inch Christmas wreaths may be ordered with or without a red velvet bow and picked up in the Parish Hall the first week of December. The cost is \$25 each, or \$30 with a bow. Order forms are available during our Time of Fellowship and are due by Friday, October 26. All sales benefit the nursery school’s scholarship fund.

**Retreat for Mothers of Sojourner House** – On Saturday, October 27, Shadyside Presbyterian Church will host a retreat for Sojourner House, one of our mission partners. This event offers uplifting discussion, learning, fellowship, and praise for women and their children who are working hard to reclaim their lives. We need volunteers to greet, talk, and share with the mothers as well as volunteers to provide child care from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you are able to help, please sign up in the Sharp Atrium.

**Chili After Church** – On Sunday, October 28, a favorite congregational event returns. Once again the Parish Hall will be filled with the aroma of delicious chili, chowder, and chocolate brownies. Do you have a favorite recipe that you would be willing to make for this event? We are looking for volunteers to make at least three quarts of chili or chowder – beef, chicken, turkey, or vegetarian. If you would prefer to make brownies for dessert, that would be wonderful. Not a cook or a baker? Come and enjoy; there will be plenty to share! Make your reservations today in the Sharp Atrium or call the church office. If you could lend us a crockpot to keep these goodies piping hot, please let us know. There is no cost to attend.

**Remembering Loved Ones: November 4** – Christians throughout the world celebrate All Saints’ Day in honor of all the saints, both known and unknown. In most Protestant churches, it is celebrated on the first Sunday of November. Protestants regard all Christians, both past and present, as saints. As we solemnly remember all those who have died in the past year, we also focus on Christ’s victory over death. While the festival acknowledges the reality of death, we emphasize our hope in the Resurrection and our place in the “communion of saints.”

- During the All Saints’ Sunday morning service at 11:00 a.m., we will remember those members of Shadyside Presbyterian Church who have gone on to the Church Triumphant in the past calendar year.
- On the afternoon of All Saints’ Sunday, at 3:00 p.m., the Chancel Choir will sing Louis Vierne’s *Messe Solennelle* in C-sharp minor. We invite the congregation to submit the names of any deceased family members whom they would like to have acknowledged in the afternoon bulletin. Please submit the names to Kaysie Strickland in the church office before Friday, October 26.

**Surviving the Holidays** – For those who have experienced the death of a loved one, the approaching holidays often bring mixed feelings of sadness, nostalgia, and even dread. On Monday, November 12, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., Shadyside Presbyterian Church’s Grief Support Group will gather in the Craig Room. To help you prepare for the holidays, the discussion will be filled with practical and uplifting ideas for the weeks ahead. Please feel free to bring a family member or friend; there is no cost to attend the group. For more information or to register, please contact Rev. Lynn Portz or call the church office.

**A Conversation on Faith and Sustainability** – Shadyside Presbyterian Church’s Campus Ministry will host an interfaith conversation on sustainability in conjunction with Spirituality Awareness Month on the campus of Carnegie Mellon University (CMU), and with Chatham University’s Sustainability Office, on Tuesday, November 13, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. A professor from CMU, a professor from Chatham, a Presbyterian pastor, and a representative from a non-Christian faith will form a panel to discuss how their faith informs their views on sustainability. We hope that many students and congregants alike will find the conversation to be challenging, informative, and inspiring. There will be time for questions from the audience as well as a time for refreshments and fellowship. Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium to let us know you plan to join us!

**Supper with a Scholar** – Each year, Shadyside Presbyterian Church’s Howard C. Scharfe Endowment supports pastors in their post-graduate studies for the benefit of the Church and for the glory of God. This year, four recent recipients will share over dinner and through worship about their studies. Join us on Wednesday, November 14, when we welcome Rev. Patrice Fowler-Searcy as our next speaker for dinner at 6:00 p.m. followed by vespers at 7:00 p.m. Please RSVP in the Sharp Atrium. Brochures with details are available in the Narthex and Sharp Atrium.

**Friendsgiving** – Shadyside’s young adults invite their church family and friends of all ages to join them for a Friendsgiving at the Mansions on Fifth (one block from the church) on Friday, November 16, at 6:00 p.m. Come and enjoy an evening of heavy hors d’oeuvres and fellowship with us the week before Thanksgiving. Please RSVP to Rev. John Magnuson by Sunday, November 4. Cost is \$15 per person.

**East End Cooperative Ministry (EECM) Food Pantry Thanksgiving Collection** - Bags will be distributed on Sundays, November 11 and 18, with a list of suggested donation items attached to each bag. Please return the filled bags during the Thanksgiving Eve Service on Wednesday, November 21, or to the church office during the week of Thanksgiving. If you would prefer to make a monetary donation, checks should be made payable to “Shadyside Presbyterian Church” with “EECM Food Collection” on the memo line, and placed in the offering plate on Sunday, November 18.

**Food Truck Fellowship** - On November 18, we will host Pittsburgh Halal food truck in the circular driveway 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!

**Dr. Roberts’ New Book** - Many Shadysiders remember gratefully sermons of Reverend Dr. F. Morgan Roberts, Pastor Emeritus, who served as Shadyside’s Senior Pastor from 1985 to 1994. His latest book, *A Beautiful View: A Friendlier Christianity as a Way of Life*, examines modern Christian living in a succinct, yet thorough, text. The church received a generous donation to purchase books which will be used, in part, to make twenty copies of *A Beautiful View* available, at no cost, to interested readers. The books may be picked up on Sunday, November 18, during fellowship in the Parish Hall following worship.

**The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing** held last month raised \$6,000 for Hosanna House, one of our mission partners. The Mission and Urban Ministry Team thanks everyone who supported “this place called Hope!”

**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** 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).

**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](http://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](http://www.shadysidepres.org)**, provides additional information about the church’s many programs, activities, and events, as well as access to audio recordings of worship.

## 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 the 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.

Soche Church is Shadyside's vibrant sister church located in the Blantyre Synod. These two churches have been in partnership for more than twenty years, growing together and lifting one another in prayer over the course of our relationship. Projects completed together include a new church construction, the completion of a church manse, and a community kitchen which serves both congregation and community members. Currently, we are working together to establish an orphan care center in Soche.

Over the past twenty years, we have led five mission trips to this region, developing and sustaining several of these partner projects. A mission team from Shadyside last visited Malawi in the fall of 2014. In addition, we have hosted multiple members of Soche Church in Pittsburgh; as part of Shadyside Presbyterian Church's 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration in October 2016, the church welcomed four guests from Malawi. Most of our mission teams have enjoyed the privilege of worshipping with our brothers and sisters from the other side of the world.

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

## Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... October 21 - 28 .....

### **Sunday, October 21**

Psalms 67; 150  
Micah 1:1-9  
1 Corinthians 10:1-13  
Matthew 16:13-20

### **Tuesday, October 23**

Psalms 54; 146  
Micah 3:1-8  
Revelation 7:9-17  
Luke 10:1-16

### **Thursday, October 25**

Psalms 143; 147:12-20  
Micah 5:1-4, 10-15  
Revelation 9:1-12  
Luke 10:25-37

### **Saturday, October 27**

Psalms 122; 149  
Micah 7:1-7  
Revelation 10:1-11  
Luke 11:1-13

### **Monday, October 22**

Psalms 57; 145  
Micah 2:1-13  
Revelation 7:1-8  
Luke 9:51-62

### **Wednesday, October 24**

Psalms 65; 147:1-11  
Micah 3:9-4:5  
Revelation 8:1-13  
Luke 10:17-24

### **Friday, October 26**

Psalms 88; 148  
Micah 6:1-8  
Revelation 9:13-21  
Luke 10:38-42

### **Sunday, October 28**

Psalms 108; 150  
Jonah 1:1-17a  
1 Corinthians 10:15-24  
Matthew 18:15-20

# Church Calendar

..... October 21 - 28 .....

## TODAY

*October 21*

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship in the Sanctuary – Stewardship Sunday  
11:20 a.m. Children’s Chapel (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  
3:00 p.m. Pittsburgh Camerata Concert in the Sanctuary,  
followed by Reception in the Sharp Atrium

## MONDAY

11:00 a.m. Baby Fellowship in the Nursery Room  
6:00 p.m. Communications Committee in the Hulme Room  
7:00 p.m. Grief Support Group in the Craig Room

## TUESDAY

9:00 a.m. Nursery School Board in the Stamy Room  
10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer Group in the Craig Room  
6:00 p.m. New Member Orientation Class in the Hulme Room  
7:00 p.m. Tuesday Evening Bible Study in the Craig Room

## WEDNESDAY

6:00 p.m. Connections Dinner in the Parish Hall  
7:00 p.m. Midweek Vespers in the Chapel – Rebecca D. Reeder, preaching

## THURSDAY

10:30 a.m. “Women at the Well” Bible Study in the Craig Room  
6:00 p.m. Yoga in the Hulme Room  
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

## FRIDAY

10:00 a.m. Visitation for William B. Orr in the Sharp Atrium  
11:00 a.m. Memorial Service for William B. Orr in the Chapel  
followed by Reception in the Sharp Atrium  
5:45 p.m. Shepherd Wellness Dinner Volunteers at 4800 Sciota Street in Bloomfield

## SATURDAY

9:00 a.m. Sojourner House Retreat in the Parish Hall

## SUNDAY

*October 28*

9:45 a.m. Christian Education for All Ages  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship in the Sanctuary – Reformation Sunday and  
Stewardship Commitment Sunday  
11:20 a.m. Children’s Chapel (Preschool through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade)  
12:00 p.m. “Chili After Church” Fellowship Event in the Parish Hall  
12:00 p.m. Sunday Adventures in Music (SAM) continues in the Chapel  
12:30 p.m. SPYS (Youth Group) in the Youth Room

## 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 9 through May

in the Hulme Room

Luther's Commentary on Romans

Led by Dr. Richard L. McGough III

### TOPICAL STUDY

October 28 through November 25

in the Craig Room

Dietrich Bonhoeffer's *Life Together*

Led by Linda G. Leach and Elder Peter J. Freymark

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