

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 before returning 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.

A video broadcast of worship is available in the Craig Room, accessible through the Narthex at the back of the Sanctuary.

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.

PRELUDE

How Fair and How Pleasant Art Thou

Marcel Dupré

Andante tranquillo

Felix Mendelssohn

Blessed Jesus, We Are Here

Johann Sebastian Bach

Rhosymedre

Ralph Vaughan Williams

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Reverend Todd E. Leach

Pastor: God's love is a mystery beyond the reach of our minds.

People: **We are filled to overflowing with God's love for us!**

Pastor: We can never be separated from God's love for us in Christ Jesus our Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

All: **Let us worship God!**

▲ HYMN IN PROCESSION 76

My Song Is Love Unknown

Love Unknown

▲ PRAYER OF ADORATION

ORISON

Samuel Sebastian Wesley

Gail Roup, soprano

Lead me, LORD. Lead me in Thy righteousness. Make Thy way plain before my face. For it is Thou, LORD, Thou LORD, only, who makest me dwell in safety.

Text based on Psalm 5:8 and Psalm 4:8b

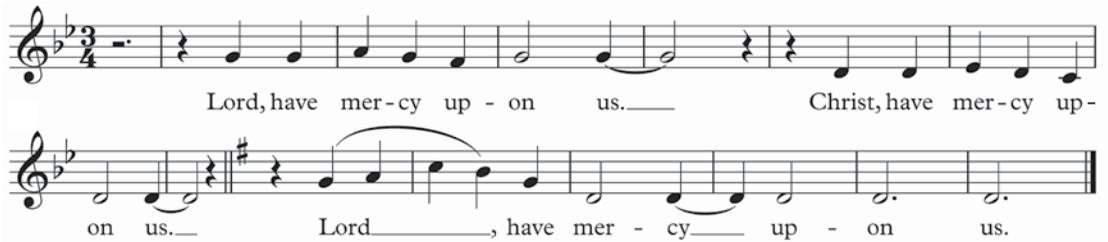
PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(spoken in unison)*

O Eternal God, present in history and in our worship, we praise You. You reveal Your will to us by judgments that show Your divine truth – always present. The impact of Your love is our own awareness of our sin. Forgive us! May we take heart in Your love. May we seek the light of Christ to shine in this and every day. There is a great big world out there that needs Christ's love, and the only way that can happen is if we embrace the world the way You "so love the world." In Christ, may it be so.

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 before returning to the Sanctuary.)

WELCOME

SCRIPTURE

Amos 7:7-17

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Reverend John F. Magnuson

page 855 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible

ANTHEM

I Will Magnify Thee, O Lord

Joseph Corfe

I will magnify Thee, O Lord, for Thou hast set me up and made me to triumph in Thy salvation.

Text based on Psalm 30:1

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10:25-37

page 71 of the New Testament in the pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Reverend Dr. John A. Dalles

The One Who Shows Mercy

▲ HYMN OF RESPONSE 324

Open My Eyes That I May See

Open My Eyes

▲ 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

The Reverend Lynn M. Portz

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

Thy Holy Wings

Swedish folk hymn

Thy holy wings, O Savior, spread gently over me, and let me rest securely through good and ill in Thee. O be my strength and portion, my rock and hiding place, and let my every moment be lived within Thy grace.

Text: Karolina Wilhelmina Sandell Berg, 1865; tr. Gracia Grindal, 1983

▲ **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 379**

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Solid Rock

▲ **BENEDICTION**

▲ **CHORAL RESPONSE**

The special meeting of the congregation will begin at this time.

Notice of a Special Meeting of the Congregation

..... *Shadyside Presbyterian Church*

The members of the congregation of Shadyside Presbyterian Church are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of the Congregation has been called by the Session for today, July 14, in the Sanctuary immediately following the morning service of worship. The purposes of the meeting are: 1.) to act on the request of the Reverend John F. Magnuson that his pastoral relationship with Shadyside Presbyterian Church be dissolved effective July 31, 2019, so that he may accept a call to Myers Park Presbyterian Church in Charlotte, North Carolina, and be so recommended to Pittsburgh Presbytery; and 2.) to act, at the Session's recommendation, to close the Associate Pastor for Discipleship position.

(Signed)

Timothy E. Nye, Clerk of Session

Today in Shadyside Presbyterian Church

The women of the Chancel Choir will sing the choral music this morning.

Ushers for July - Randy C. Adams II, Linda C. Fisher, Marilyn H. Fitzsimmons, Raymond P. Fitzsimmons, Frederick Porkolab, Richard H. Potter, and Carey T. Vinson. **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

Karolina Wilhelmina Sandell Berg (1832-1903) wrote one of the most beloved Swedish hymns, "Children of the Heavenly Father." She was born in Fröderyd, Småland, Sweden, the daughter of a Lutheran minister who was influenced by seventeenth- and eighteenth-century pietism and the Moravians. She wrote as many as 2,000 hymns, 650 of which were published in three collections.

Farewell Reception in Thanksgiving for Rev. Magnuson's Ministry

..... Today in the Parish Hall immediately following worship

Following the congregational meeting this morning, you are invited to attend a festive farewell reception in the Parish Hall in honor of the Reverend John F. Magnuson and his family, Olivia, Ruthie, and Foster. We give thanks to God for John's faithful and caring ministry among us. Please join us in expressing our appreciation to John and Olivia and in sharing our best wishes with them as God leads them to serve in Charlotte, North Carolina. We pray for God's blessings on the Magnusons as they begin this new chapter in their lives.

Also today, in conjunction with the farewell reception, we will host Wok of Life food truck in the circular driveway. Cake and a special menu prepared by Chef Steven Bright will be 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 join us after worship, especially as we express our appreciation to the Magnusons.

News and Notes

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 from 12:45 to 2:30 p.m., June 25 through July 23. You may volunteer for one Tuesday or for as many as you are able. Please sign up in the Sharp Atrium or contact Susan Thomson through the church office.

Directory Supplements - Directory supplements containing photographs and addresses of new members who joined our church family since the publication of our last pictorial directory are now available. If you have not yet obtained your household's copy, please contact Kaysie Strickland in the church office. (Supplements are available to members only.)

New SPC Video with Dr. Dalles - The SPC Communications Committee has created a new video with Dr. Dalles that you can watch on the SPC website at www.shadysidepres.org. We also have posted it on the SPC Facebook page, where we hope all Facebook users will "like" it and share it with friends and neighbors. It's an easy way to invite friends to join us for Sunday summer worship. Many thanks to Matt, Nikki, Mac, and Spencer Amole; to Tony, Megan, Anthony, Alessandra, and Christian Narcisi; and to Greg and Alana Sheffer for participating in the production.

Food Truck Fellowship - Join us on Sunday, August 11, when we will welcome Kabob Mob food truck in the circular driveway to enhance 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! We will continue to host food trucks to offer lunch options once each month through September. Mark your calendars for September 22.

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 18, to prepare the meal for the EECM shelter dinner, which will be served to shelter guests on the following evening, Monday, August 19, 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.

Save the Date - An all-church retreat at the Crestfield Camp and Conference Center in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania, is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, October 25 and 26. Dr. Tucker S. Ferda, Visiting Assistant Professor of New Testament at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, will lead us in a weekend exploring the theme "*Take Up and Read: Biblical Interpretation and the Christian Life*", while we connect with church friends, old and new. Please mark the date on your calendar and consider joining us!

Midweek Vespers in the Chapel resume on Wednesday, September 11, at 7:00 p.m.

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

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.

Mission Partner Spotlight

Sojourner House provides in-patient residential treatment to addicted mothers and their children. Mothers can bring three children with them and stay up to six months while receiving intensive treatment for their addiction. Sojourner House is proud to be the only program in Allegheny County that provides each family with their own apartment while the mother receives treatment. Mothers and children can begin to experience the joys and challenges of living as an independent, drug-free family while securely surrounded by round-the-clock support.

The MOMS (Motivation, Opportunities, Mentoring, and Spirituality) Program builds on Sojourner House's experience in providing a holistic mind-body-spirit approach to treating addiction. MOMS provides permanent, supportive housing for homeless, single, dual-diagnosed women in recovery, as well as for their dependent children.

Shadyside Presbyterian Church's Community Partnerships Mission Action Community (MAC) has partnered with these groups to help transform vacant property into a play yard for the children of Sojourner House MOMS. The church hosts the mothers and their children at the annual Strawberry Festival, and also holds an annual retreat for the mothers while providing craft projects for their children. In addition, the women of Sojourner House and MOMS are recipients of SPC's "Giving Tree" program in December.

This year's Strawberry Festival on Friday, June 7, drew a record-breaking crowd and raised \$4,679 for Sojourner House. We thank all those who helped to make the event so successful by volunteering, donating baked goods, or attending. We especially thank the Board of Deacons for organizing all aspects of this great evening of fellowship and fun.

For more information, visit www.sojournerhousepa.org. To join the efforts of the Community Partnerships MAC, contact the Reverend Todd E. Leach, Associate Pastor for Missions.

20th Annual Golf Outing, Silent Auction, and Buffet Dinner in Partnership with Hosanna House

..... *Saturday, September 7, 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 25; 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.

Church Calendar

..... July 14 - 21

TODAY

July 14

- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship in the Sanctuary
- 11:20 a.m. Children's Chapel (Preschool through 2nd Grade)
- 12:00 p.m. Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary
- 12:15 p.m. Farewell Reception for the Magnusons in the Parish Hall with Food Truck in the Circular Driveway

MONDAY

- 8:30 a.m. Pittsburgh Urban Leadership Service Experience (PULSE) Event
- 6:30 p.m. EECM Shelter Dinner Volunteers at EECM, 6140 Station Street

TUESDAY

- 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
- 3:00 p.m. Human Resources Committee in the Craig Room
- 6:00 p.m. Security Task Force in the Stamy Room
- 6:00 p.m. Yoga in the Hulme Room

WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 p.m. Summer Evening Bible Study in the Hulme Room
- 7:30 p.m. Pittsburgh School for the Choral Arts Board in the Stamy Room

THURSDAY

- 6:30 p.m. Pastor Nominating Committee in the Craig Room
- 7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer Group in the Walton Library

SUNDAY

July 21

- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship in the Sanctuary
- 11:20 a.m. Children's Chapel (Preschool through 2nd Grade)
- 12:00 p.m. Time of Fellowship in the Sharp Atrium

Daily Prayer Lectionary Readings

..... July 14 - 21

Sunday, July 14

Psalms 103; 150
1 Samuel 17:50-18:4
Romans 10:4-17
Matthew 23:29-39

Tuesday, July 16

Psalms 42; 146
1 Samuel 19:1-18 (19-24)
Acts 12:1-17
Mark 2:1-12

Thursday, July 18

Psalms 97; 147:12-20
1 Samuel 20:24-42
Acts 13:1-12
Mark 2:23-3:6

Saturday, July 20

Psalms 104; 149
1 Samuel 22:1-23
Acts 13:26-43
Mark 3:19b-35

Monday, July 15

Psalms 5; 145
1 Samuel 18:5-16 (17-27a)
27b-30
Acts 11:19-30
Mark 1:29-45

Wednesday, July 17

Psalms 89:1-18; 147:1-11
1 Samuel 20:1-23
Acts 12:18-25
Mark 2:13-22

Friday, July 19

Psalms 51; 148
1 Samuel 21:1-15
Acts 13:13-25
Mark 3:7-19a

Sunday, July 21

Psalms 19; 150
1 Samuel 23:7-18
Romans 11:33-12:2
Matthew 25:14-30

Church Staff

John A. Dalles, *Interim Senior Pastor and Head of Staff*
Todd E. Leach, *Associate Pastor for Missions*
John F. Magnuson, *Associate Pastor for Discipleship*
Lynn M. Portz, *Associate Pastor for Parish Life*
Ellen L. Allston, *Director of Christian Education for Children's Ministry*
Mark A. Anderson, *Director of Music Ministry*
Robert K. Anderson, *Head Sexton*
Peter F. Bodnar, *Director of Communications*
Jane M. Boyle, *Director of Children's Handbell Choir*
Steven M. Bright, *Hospitality Coordinator*
Judy A. Brust, *Accountant*
Robert A. Coder, *Director of Finance*
Stephen M. Donnelly, *Associate for Children's Music Education*
Della L. Ellard, *Administrative Assistant*
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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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