

Worship Leader: Adam Anderson

Acolyte: Sam Elliott

Greeters: Harold and Marlin Cheyney

Wee Worship Teacher: Alaina Engdahl

Babyland Volunteer: Jill Hooley

Elder of the Month: Melissa Schmidt

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Today's flower arrangement is given to the glory of God.

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We extend Christian sympathies to:

Nancy Smith and family on the death of **Richard Smith** on August 8, 2016.

Calling hours are today from 3:00-6:00 PM at Deyo-Davis Funeral Home,
1578 West First Avenue in Grandview Heights

The funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Monday, August 15, here at Boulevard.

Kim Welter and Merri Bame and family on the death of **Steve Moulton**,
Kim's father, on August 5, 2016;

Linda Wilton on the death of her aunt, **Vickie Cooper**, on August 9, 2016,
in Washington, Pennsylvania; and

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Nursery for Children 3 Years and Younger ~ Room 202

Wee Worship for ages 4 through grade 3 ~ Room 202

**The Lord's Supper is celebrated the first Sunday of the month at the 10:30 service
and weekly at the 9:00 service.**

Coffee Connector

Many hands joined together to host this morning's Coffee Connector.

A big thank you to the members of the Deacons who prepared
the delicious goodies this morning!

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Boulevard Presbyterian Church

Worship On The Lord's Day

August 14, 2016 9:00 A.M.

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost



Today's congregation continues strong traditions of:

- *Living faith through worship, mission, education and fellowship with the vision of "Reaching Out to Make Disciples."*
- *Following the path laid out by God through his son, Jesus Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit;*
- *Sharing the inclusive love of God to all of God's children and God's creation;*
- *Exposing the light of Christ to the world through music, words, prayer and actions.*

GATHERING

Come, O Holy Spirit

**Come, O Holy Spirit, come,
Come, almighty Spirit, come,
Come, come, come. (repeat)**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS *Please sign the friendship pad and pass it to those near you.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

(from Hebrews 12)

Leader: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,

People: **let us lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely;**

Leader: let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us.

People: **Mindful of the gifts we receive and confident of the sustenance
the Lord provides,**

ALL: **Let us worship the Lord!**

***SONG**

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Chorus:

Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory,

Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire;

Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy,

Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.

**Please stand if you are able where indicated by the asterisk.*

**Lord, the light of Your love is shining in the midst of the darkness shining;
Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us,
set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me, shine on me. (Chorus)**

**Lord, I come to your awesome presence from the shadows into your radiance;
By the blood I may enter your brightness,
search me, try me, consume all my darkness.
Shine on me, shine on me. (Chorus)**

**As we gaze on your kingly brightness, so our faces display your likeness;
Ever changing from glory to glory, mirrored here may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me, shine on me. (Chorus)**

***OFFERING OUR BROKENNESS TO GOD**

***RECEIVE GOD'S HEALING AND SHARE GOD'S PEACE**

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you. *Please share the peace of Christ with those around you.*

Song of Praise

Gospel Acclamation

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

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WORD FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Children 4 years of age through 3rd grade are invited to attend Wee Worship, a children's worship-education program. Children go to Room 202 after the Children's Message, and should be picked up there directly after worship. Children 3 years of age and younger are invited to the Nursery in Room 202. All children 10 years and older should return to their seats in the Chapel.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Isaiah 5:1-7
Luke 12:41-53

SERMON

Fire

Preston Shealy

***SONG**

Purify My Heart

**Purify my heart, touch me with your cleansing fire.
Take me to the cross; your holiness is my desire.
Breathe your life in me, kindle a love that flows from your throne.
Oh, purify my heart. Purify my heart. (repeat)**

PRAYING FOR ALL GOD'S PEOPLE

Following each petition, God's people respond:

Leader: Loving God,

People: Hear our prayer.

**Please stand if you are able where indicated by the asterisk.*

BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

***Offering Response**

We thank you, God. We thank you, God.

We thank you, God. Our God is so good!

***Prayer of Dedication**

God Is So Good

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Thanksgiving

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.**

Communion of the People

*Communion is by "intinction." The server will give you bread to dip in the cup. Servers
disinfect their hands. Please come forward by the inner aisles and return by the outer
ones. Gluten free bread is available on the table, and the cup is non-alcoholic. If you
cannot come forward, communion will be brought to you.*

Communion Song

Here Is Bread, Here Is Wine

Here is bread, here is wine: Christ is with us: He is with us.

Break the bread; taste the wine: Christ is with us here.

In this bread there is healing; in this cup there's life forever.

In this moment, by the Spirit, Christ is with us here. (repeat all)

***SONG**

Lord, Be Glorified

In our lives, Lord, be glorified, be glorified.

In our lives, Lord, be glorified today.

In our homes ...

In your church ...

In your world ...

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

**Please stand if you are able where indicated by the asterisk.*

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Prayers for Healing and Strength

Lew Pflaum, at home
Geno Buzzelli, recuperating at home
Suzanne Trombley, double mastectomy on 8/26
(sister-in-law of Carol Fry)
Ruth Smith, recuperating at home
Beverly Schmidt, recuperating at home
Mark Nicholson, cancer, recuperating at home
Leni Leyboldt, Altercare (Hilliard)
David Hall, cancer (friend of Preston Shealy)
Gary, (relative of Becky Metzler)
Katie Frase, recuperating at home
Mark Key, cancer treatment
John, recovering from surgery
(Charmaine Hamilton's brother-in-law)
Gay Hadley's daughter
Tim McLane, recovering from fall
(Mikie Bowles' brother)
Corey Sander, receiving chemotherapy
(Pat Nicholson's granddaughter's husband)
Eda Mikolaj, at home (Heather Mikolaj's mother)
Kate Whitmore, cancer (Marty Grimm's daughter)
Lois Braun, cancer (Mike McKinney's sister)
Jerry Braun, cancer
(Mike McKinney's brother-in-law)
Peggy Pasko, Franklin Woods Nursing Center
Cody Derby, (friend of the McFadden family)
Julie Wall, at home (Kyme Rennick's mother)
Norman Knapp, healing and strength
Rob Williams' Mother (lives in South Carolina)
Julie DuSablou, recuperating at home
Mark Nelson, for healing, comfort, and peace

Prayers for Our Special Care List

Martha Agler, at home
Mary Harris, at home
Becky Metzler, at home
Brita Knapp, for continued remission
Barbara Frautschi, for continued remission
Connie Freeman, at home
Marty Grimm, prayers for remission

Please call the Church Office to include someone on this Prayer List.

If you would like to receive a visit from the pastor, a calendar is kept in the church office. Please call 486-0267 to schedule your visit.

If you have particular concerns that you wish to share, please speak to any of the elders serving on Session. They can be identified by their distinctive nametags which say "Elder".

CALENDAR

Today

9:00 am Worship: Chapel
9:50 am Coffee Connector: Lounge
10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary
Session will greet new members following the service

Monday, August 15

10:00 am Funeral Service for
Richard "Dick" Smith
12:00 pm Staff Meeting: 300
7:00 pm WAM: Chapel
Boy Scouts: FH

Tuesday, August 16

7:00 pm Scout Troop Committee: 300

Wednesday, August 17

9:30 am Quilters: 111

Thursday, August 18

6:15 pm Music Team

Sunday, August 21

9:00 am Worship: Chapel
9:50 am Coffee Connector: Lounge
10:00 am Property: 300
Discipleship
10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary

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We Rejoice and Give Thanks

Sunday, August 7, 2016

General Sunday Offering: \$7,483.86
God's People Gathered: 98

Staff

Pastor: Preston Shealy
Music Coordinator: Mary Ann Stephens
Choir Director: Brady Brennan
Childcare Provider: Nancy Henning
Office Managers: Carol Fry
Linda Johnson
Building Manager: Mark Key
Preschool Admin: Mikie Bowles

We welcome Adam Anderson as worship leader this morning. Adam is a former Elder and worship leader at Boulevard. He is entering his second year as Master of Divinity student at Austin Theological Seminary, and is a candidate for ministry for the Presbytery of Scioto Valley.

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Summer Worship Schedule

Through Sunday, August 21st

9:00 am ~ Worship in the Chapel

9:50 am ~ Coffee Connector in the Lounge: A time of fellowship, refreshment, and food between our two summer worship services. Plan to stay following the 9:00 service or come early before the 10:30 service.

10:30 am ~ Worship in the Sanctuary

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Session Will Receive New Members ~ This Morning After the 10:30 AM Service

The Session of Boulevard Presbyterian Church will meet this morning to receive new members! If you would like to know more about becoming a member of Boulevard, please speak to Pastor Preston Shealy on Sunday morning or contact him during the week (614-486-0267 or BoulevardPastor@aol.com).



Outdoor Worship Service

Sunday, August 28th at 10:00 AM

On Sunday, August 28th, we will hold one worship service at 10:00 AM. Weather permitting this service will be held outside on the Northwest Boulevard side of the church. We'll have some chairs outside, but if you have a lawn chair or camp chair that you'd like to bring along, please do. In the event we are not able to be outside, we will gather in the Sanctuary.

Immediately following our worship service, we will have a potluck lunch. Please bring a main dish, appetizer, dessert, or side dish to share. Drinks and paper products will be provided. Don't miss this chance to celebrate our wonderful church family and what God is doing in our midst! Hope to see you there!



Childcare Employment Opportunity on Sunday Mornings

We are looking for an additional nursery and childcare worker. Someone who will share love, patience and faith with the children and their families who come through our program. If you have questions, would like more information, know someone who might be interested in this position, or would like to apply, please contact Linda Johnson or Preston Shealy at Boulevard (614-486-0267 or office@blvdchurch.org). The Childcare worker description along with an application form are posted on the church website: www.blvdchurch.org.

Do You Enjoy Working with Children?

If you answered "Yes!", Boulevard has just the place for you. We are looking for a Wee Worship teacher for the first service. This is a once a month commitment during the first service. Lesson plans are easy to use and the prep is all done for you. The commitment is flexible and weeks can easily be switched when it is needed.

In addition, we are also looking for Sunday School teachers for all ages, from preschoolers to teens. Your commitment would start in September and run through May. **This is not an every week commitment.** With 3-4 teachers for each class you will always work with someone else, and the schedule is again flexible. Our curriculums are fun and easy to use with lots of great ideas! If you have never done this before and would like to try, you will be paired with an experienced teacher.

If this sounds like the job for you, contact Martha Hills at 614-261-1919 or marthahills@mac.com, or you can also call the church office.

Mission Trip ~ October 23-29

Boulevard's mission trip participants have chosen to join the Scioto Valley Mission Trip from October 23-29. This trip is being sponsored by the PSV Commission for Nurture and Outreach to engage in post-flood recovery and restorations work in Georgetown, South Carolina, with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA). For more information about the trip contact Preston Shealy or Carolyn Schmitz.

Anyone age 18 and older is invited to participate. We will be staying in group housing at the Georgetown Presbyterian Church. We will be assisting with demolition, clean-up, building repair, and/or flood recovery work.

*"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have,
for such sacrifices are pleasing to God" ~ Hebrews 13:16*



Diamond Home of the Renewed Youth Association

Make a Difference... Change a Life

Our mission focus for the month of August is the **Diamond Home of the Renewed Youth Association**. Many of you may recall that the group who went on the mission trip to Honduras visited this home for needy boys. One of the most memorable comments made by the Home's director was how grateful the boys were that we thought them worth visiting.

The Diamond Home, established in 1985, provides a place of learning and lodging for at-risk youth which permits them to reintegrate with their families and society. The Home is a non-profit, non-governmental organization. Many of these children were turned out of their homes by families that could no longer support them. Once on the streets they turn to drugs and begging.



The Diamond Home provides a school for children up to 6th grade. In addition to their educational learning, the children also learn skills. These skills include caring for animals with the school's partnership with Heifer Honduras, working in a bakery, making furniture in their carpentry shop, and plumbing, electricity, and repair skills are learned in their maintenance shop. The children spend half a day in the classroom and the other half day in one of the skill sessions.

For just \$300 per month Boulevard can fully support the food, lodging, education and training of one of these troubled youth. This organization has a very limited budget and has had to limit the number of children that they can house. A substantial portion of their budget arises from the sale of their work product, baked goods, furniture, eggs, etc. If you would like to assist in our support of this organization this month, you may write a check to Boulevard and either drop it off at the office or put it in the offering plate. Please note **Diamond Home** in the memo line.



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