

BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

*Offering Response

Thank You, Lord

MT: With a grateful heart, with a song of praise,
with an outstretched arm,
We will bless Your name.

**All: Thank You, Lord. We just want to thank You, Lord.
Thank You, Lord. We just want to thank You, Lord;
Thank You, Lord.**

*Prayer of Dedication

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 gives 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.*

Halle, Halle, Halleluja

**Halle, halle, hal-le-lu-ja! Halle, halle, hal-le-lu-ja!
Halle, halle, hal-le-lu-ja! Hal-le-lu-ja! Hal-le-lu-ja!**

*Soon and Very Soon

**Soon and very soon, we are going to see the King;
Soon and very soon, we are going to see the King;
Soon and very soon, we are going to see the King;
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! We're going to see the King.
No more dying there,...
No more crying there,...**

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

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



Boulevard Presbyterian Church

Worship On The Lord's Day

November 1, 2015 9:00 a.m.

23rd Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints' Day



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

**We are gathering in the light of God, we are gathering in the light of God. (Repeat)
We are gathering, we are gathering, we are gathering in the light of God.**

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

STEWARDSHIP MINUTE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

People: **By faith, God's people through the centuries have labored for God, not knowing the final results.**

Leader: By faith, the first Christians defied the imperial power of Rome, and through persecution were made strong.

People: **By faith when wealth and power had corrupted the church, St. Francis, Luther, Calvin, Knox and Wesley revealed fresh truth... the same truth Martin Luther King and Mother Teresa demonstrated in their actions.**

Leader: By faith, God's children have stepped out to care for the sick and grieving, to minister with those living on the streets and incarcerated in prison, to feed the hungry and bring drink to the thirsty, to share God's love and grace around the world.

People: **By faith, we will be God's witnesses in today's world... reaching out to the distant parts of creation, sharing God's love and grace with all people.**

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

*Joy in the Morning / For All the Saints

**There'll be joy in the morning on that day,
there'll be joy in the morning on that day,
For the day-light will dawn when the darkness is gone,
There'll be joy in the morning on that day.**

**There'll be peace and contentment ever-more,
there'll be peace and contentment ever-more.
Every heart, every voice on that day will rejoice,
There'll be peace and contentment evermore.**

**There'll be love and forgiveness everywhere,
there'll be love and forgiveness everywhere,
And the way of the Lord will that day be restored,
There'll be love and forgiveness everywhere.**

**For all the saints who from their labors rest,
who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Sing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*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.*

Gospel Acclamation

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

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GOD'S 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 107. All children 10 years and older should return to their seats in the Chapel.

LITANY FOR ALL SAINTS' DAY

Leader: We pause now to honor and remember our sisters and brothers in Christ who have died this past year. A candle is lit for each to declare the light of their love, their memory, and the light of God they reflected to us that still shines among us.

People: God bless our remembering, honoring, grieving and celebrating the lives of those in Boulevard Presbyterian Church who are now with you. Especially on this day we remember Eleanor Buck, June Cornetet, Jeanne Fletcher, Don Kibbey, Susie Nelson, and Mary Lou Weese.

Leader: We also light a candle for all of us who remember a parent, spouse, family member or friend that we treasured deeply because of a special love shared. These people give greater joy and beauty, greater meaning and worth to our days, because they help us feel, see, hear and understand more deeply.

People: So, on this morning, we honor and remember those who recently lived among us, and all whom we have known in the past who are no longer with us.

Leader: We pause to give thanks for each new life that has entered our fellowship in the past year. A candle is lit for each to declare that the blessing that their presence brings to our family and for their ministry in the years to come.

People: May God's blessings be with us as we celebrate the new life in our midst, and with the life God has brought into Boulevard Presbyterian this past year. We lift our prayers for Faustina Rene Anderson and Rosslyn Mae Lyons.

Leader: We also light a candle for all of us who had family or friends welcome new members into their family and we celebrate their presence in creation. These people help us to realize God's ongoing presence in our lives and God's commitment to always be our God.

People: So, on this morning, we celebrate the new life among us — celebrating those lives and the way they will know and share God's love in the years to come.

Leader: May God bless us in our remembering, honoring, grieving, celebrating and giving thanks, both this morning and throughout our lives.

People: Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

John 11:32-44
Revelation 21:1-6

SERMON

"All The Saints"

Preston Shealy

*I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

Hymn No. 364

PRAYING FOR ALL GOD'S PEOPLE

Following each petition, God's people respond:

Leader: Loving God,

People: Hear our prayer.

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Prayers for Healing and Strength

Debbie Frost, recuperating after surgery
 (Sally Neff's daughter)
Bill Frase, recuperating at home
Sarah Schmidt, cancer (Beverly Schmidt's
 daughter-in-law)
Roger Creighton, recuperating after a fall
 (Amy Creighton's father)
Linda Wilton, receiving radiation treatment
Julie Wall, at home (Kyme Rennick's mother)
Ron Ohsmar, prayers for healing and strength
 (Kelly Davie's father)
Kate Whitmore, cancer (Marty Grimm's daughter)
Sandy Zigler, recuperating at home
Debbie Ferguson, prayers for healing and comfort
 (Bruce Smith's friend)
Norman Knapp, prayers for healing
Rob Williams' Mother (lives in South Carolina)
Rose Marie Tate, prayers for healing and comfort
 (Linda Wilton's friend)
Ray Sanzo, at home
Julie DuSablon, recuperating at home
Jerry Braun, Mike McKinney's brother-in-law

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
Kay Jones, at home

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 486-0268 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" on them.

CALENDAR

Today

All Saints' Day
Daylight Saving Time Ends
Cents-Ability Sunday

9:00 am Worship: Chapel
 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:15 am Worship: Chapel

Monday, November 2

10:00 am Staff Meeting: 300
 7:00 pm Boy Scouts: Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, November 4

9:30 am Quilters: 111
 5:45 pm Cub Pack Committee: 300
 7:00 pm Cub Pack: Fellowship Hall

Thursday, November 5

11:30 am Presbyterian Women's Gathering:
 Fellowship Hall
 6:00 pm Bell Choir
 6:15 pm Music Team
 7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Sunday, November 8

9:00 am Worship: Chapel
 Immediately Following this Service
 Session will Receive New Members
 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:15 am Worship: Chapel
 12:30 pm Discipleship Team

STEWARDSHIP IS . . . Working to leave the world a better place for all of the future saints of God!

We Rejoice and Give Thanks

Sunday, October 25, 2015
 General Sunday Offering: \$9,913.94
 God's People Gathered: 105

Staff	
Pastor:	Preston Shealy
Music Director:	Brandon Moss
Organist:	Mary Ann Stephens
Office Manager:	Linda Johnson
Sexton:	Mark Key
Preschool Admin:	Mikie Bowles

Worship Leader: Ken Odiorne

Acolyte: Matthew Johnson

Greeters: Mike Hamilton and Paul McCalla

Wee Worship Teacher: Grace Parks

Elder of the Month: Merri Bame

Today's flower arrangements are given to the Glory of God by Shirley Wagner and family in memory of John Wagner, and by Linda Mahoney in celebration of Betty Sikking's 90th birthday today.

The two white roses celebrate the lives of Jeanne Fletcher who passed away on October 4, 2015, and Mary Lou Weese who passed away on October 23, 2015, whose services were this past week.

Nursery for Children 3 Years and Younger ~ Room 107
Wee Worship ~ Room 202

The Lord's Supper is celebrated the 1st Sunday of the month at the 11:15 worship service and weekly at the 9:00 worship service.

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Presbyterian Hymnal: "For All the Saints" Hymn No. 526

Christian Sympathies To . . . Brandon Moss and his family on the death of Brandon's father, **Ronald Moss**, on October 27, 2015 in Parkersburg, West Virginia.



Sunday School Classes

Preschool ~ Ages 3-5	203
Grades K-3 rd	302
Grades 4 th -6 th	306
Grades 7 th -12 th	304
Adults:	111

ADULT SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES . . .

Spiritual Gifts ~ Adults and teens please join us for the final two sessions of our special series on Spiritual Gifts. Newcomers to the series are welcome! We'll meet Sunday mornings at 10 AM in Room 111.

November 1: *Using Our Spiritual Gifts*

We'll consider how our understandings of spiritual gifts can help shape our next steps as individuals and as a church in working to build community fellowship and to serve others through ministry.

November 8: *Piecing Our Gifts Together*

Don't miss a second chance to add to our 'Diversity Quilt' of Spiritual Gifts! In this fun art activity we'll create colorful designs on paper that reflect the expression of our spiritual gifts in service. All teens and adults are welcome in this class. Coloring sheets for younger children and their families are also available. Please see the hallway bulletin board across from the Chapel for more information.

SEASONS OF THE SPIRIT

Three Sundays in November adults can explore questions of faith through a series of informal dialogues on a scriptural reading taken from the weekly lectionary. Join us Sunday mornings for conversation and fellowship at 10 AM in room 111.

November 15: *Future Hope (Mark 13:1-8)*

We'll consider ways that we can find hope and encouragement through God's presence in a changing and challenging world.

November 22: *Reign of Christ (John 18:33-37)*

On Christ the King Sunday we'll discuss Jesus' embodied wisdom and witness to God's reign.

YWCA Family Center Dinner Hosting ~ Sunday, November 15th

We will be preparing and serving dinner at the YWCA Family Center on **Sunday, November 15th**. There are many ways to help! You may help by providing food, preparing food, or helping to serve at the Family Center. Sign-up sheets are on the table just outside the Chapel. Please plan to join us and let us know how you will be able to help! **On Sunday, November 15th, we will meet at the church at 4:30 PM to carpool to the Center.**

2015 Advent Devotionals

The Discipleship Team will continue our "tradition" of preparing and distributing Advent Devotionals again this year. Our devotionals consist of a daily devotion written by members and friends from our "Boulevard Family." This makes the devotionals very unique!

Please consider writing for us this year. We will provide scripture information. If you would be willing to volunteer to write one of the devotionals, please contact Grace Parks (488-2814), Kyme Rennick (792-5866) or Debbie Shealy (219-1054) and we will add you to our list. **The completed devotionals will need to be turned in by November 13th** so they can be put together by the end of November. November 29th is the First Sunday of advent. Thank you for your help!

Christmas Wreath and Roping Sale ~ Sundays, November 1, 8, and 15

Once again this year, you will have an opportunity to support NNEMAP with the purchase of Christmas wreaths and roping. All products are made to order just days before shipping, and brought to Columbus in refrigerated trucks from Schoolhouse Farm in southwest Virginia.

On the Sundays listed above, orders will be taken for Fraser Fir wreaths and roping. Roping is offered in 30 or 75 foot lengths. A wreath sample will be on display in the church lounge. See Marlin Cheyney following either worship service if you have questions or want to place an order. Wreaths and roping will be available for pickup at Boulevard on Sunday, November 29.

Presbyterian Women's Gathering ~ Thursday, November 5th at 11:30 AM

On **Thursday, November 5th**, Boulevard PW will gather in Fellowship Hall at 11:30 AM. Our lunch will be prepared and served by Naomi Circle. The cost of the lunch is \$5.00. The program will be on **Lighthouse Ministries** in the Franklinton area of Columbus, and will be presented by **Debbie Frost** (Sally Neff's daughter). Remember to bring your **Thank Offering** for dedication to PW National Mission Projects.

To help the members of Naomi Circle prepare the correct amount of food, please tell your circle caller or Ginny Achtermann (614-775-0658), **by November 3rd**, if you plan to attend. All women and guests are invited to join us.

NNEMAP Food Pantry Open House ~ Sunday, November 8th from 1 to 3:00 PM

Come see for yourself our new home, view the amazing Phillip Martin mural, meet our Director and new Assistant Director, and enjoy light refreshments. NNEMAP is located at 677 East 11th Avenue. This is just one block west of I-71, south of the Ohio State Fairgrounds, or one mile east of High Street.

Capital Campaign Giving Envelopes

For those folks who need giving envelopes for their offerings to the Capital Campaign, the envelopes are on the table in the hallway beside the door to the Chapel. Envelopes are bundled 12 to a pack. Please feel free to take as many as you need.