

## SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

The Great Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: It is truly right...who forever sing to the glory of your name.

Sanctus *Holy (from La Misa Popular Salvadoreña)*

**Holy, holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy is our Lord.**

**God is Lord of all creation, holy, holy is our Lord.**

**Holy, holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy is our Lord.**

**God is Lord of past and future, holy, holy is our Lord.**

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.**

Communion

*Communion is by "intinction." The server will give you bread to dip in the cup as we all share "one bread, one cup." Servers disinfect their hands prior to communion, and only they handle the bread. Please come forward by the center aisle and return by the side aisles. Gluten free bread is available next to the servers. If you cannot come forward, communion will be brought to you.*

Prayer

\*HYMN No. 450

*O Day of Peace*

\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE "Bread of the World in Mercy Broken"

Emma Lou Diemer

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*\*Please stand if you are able.*

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## Boulevard Presbyterian Church

*Worship On The Lord's Day*

*October 1, 2017 11:15 A.M.*

*World Communion Sunday*



*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.*

### THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

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

PRELUDE

"I Am the Bread of Life"

setting, Ron Schmoltze

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

"The Summons"

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: From north and south, from east and west, we come:

**People: God's people called to the Table where simple grace nourishes us.**

Leader: From down the street to across town,  
from single households to apartment dwellers:

**People: God's people are called to community,  
where we live and serve one another.**

Leader: From every class, every race, every status;  
from little ones with sippy cups to elders with overflowing hearts:

**People: God's people are called to witness to God's hope,  
to offer peace to a shattered world.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 595

*Heleluyan (Native American)*

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

**\*OFFERING OUR BROKENNESS TO GOD**

Almighty God, we are quick to ask for your judgment on others, but we prefer to ignore the sins in our own lives. We worship you with our lips while dishonoring you with our actions. We pray for you to end the suffering in the world, yet we do not practice compassion and generosity toward others. Our religion often becomes a source of anger rather than a testimony to your love and grace. Forgive our selfish ways and give us integrity in our lives so that your love may shine forth in all we do. Amen.

Silent Confession

Response

*Lord, Have Mercy (Singapura)*

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Though red like crimson is my sin, greater yet is forgiveness found in Christ.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

**\*RECEIVE GOD'S HEALING**

**\*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.*

**\*SING GLORY TO GOD**

*Glory to God (Peruvian)*

Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the highest! (repeat)

To God be glory forever! (repeat)

Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen!

Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen!

**PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

**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 113 (downstairs) 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 208 (off the Lounge). All children 10 years and older should return to their seats in the Sanctuary.*

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 56)

Exodus 17:1-7

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 950)

Ephesians 2:14-18

SERMON

Peace in the Family

Rev. Les Sauer

**RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

\*HYMN (see insert)

*Called as Partners in Christ's Service*

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

**\*PROFESSING OUR FAITH**

(A Brief Statement of Faith— Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) *(abridged)*)

**In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.**

**We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church. The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.**

**In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"**

**With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

**SHARING OUR HEARTS WITH GOD**

*Following each petition, God's people respond:*

Leader: Loving God,

People: **Hear our prayer.**

**BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

Offertory Anthem

"Celtic Communion"

arr. Mark Hayes

*Bread of the World in mercy broken, Wine of the Soul in mercy shed,  
By Whom the words of life were spoken, and in Whose death our sins are dead.*

*Look on the heart by sorrow broken; Look on the tears by sinners shed;  
And be Your feast to us the token that by Your grace our souls are fed!*

*Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, One in Three;  
Christ above me, Christ beneath me, Christ within me, Three in One.*

\*Offertory Response

*Thank You, Lord (spiritual)*

**Thank you, Lord. Thank you, Lord. Thank you, Lord.  
I just want to thank you, Lord.**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

*Please call the Church Office or Pastor Shealy to include someone on this Prayer List. (614-486-0267)*

**Prayers for Healing and Strength**

**Linda Wilton**, upcoming surgeries  
**Katie Schmidt**, recovering from surgery  
**Lance Osborne**, broken arm  
**Pat Nicholson**, recuperating at home  
**Ray DeGraw**, cancer  
**Linda Mahoney**, recuperating at home  
**Julie Wall**, at home (Kyme Rennick's mother)  
**Eda Mikolaj**, at home  
(Heather Mikolaj's mother)  
**Cathy Cope**, cancer, in hospice care at home  
**Mike and Evan Hamilton**, physical therapy  
**Barbara Frautschi**  
**Gay Hadley**  
**Barbara Rine**, breast cancer  
**Bruce "Smitty" Smith**  
**Carol McFadden**, breast cancer  
**Ella**, preschooler, recovering at home  
**Fred Ferris**, for healing  
**Rick Cotter**, recovering from car accident  
(friend of Michael and Charmaine Hamilton)  
**Michael Frase**, no longer in remission  
**Suzanne Trombley**, Carol Fry's sister-in-law  
**Gary** (relative of Becky Metzler)  
**Gay Hadley's daughter**  
**Tim McLane**, for balance and healing for foot  
(Mikie Bowles' brother)  
**Corey Sander**, cancer, completed radiation  
(Pat Nicholson's granddaughter's husband)  
**Kate Whitmore**, no new cancer detected  
(Marty Grimm's daughter)  
**Jerry Braun**, cancer  
(Mike McKinney's brother-in-law)  
**Julie DuSablou**, recuperating at home  
**Mark Nelson**, for healing, comfort, and peace

**Prayers for Our Special Care List**

**Dorothy Rout**, Westminster-Thurber  
**Evelyn Hannaway**, at home  
**Virginia Schlitt**, at home  
**Mary Harris**, at home  
**Becky Metzler**, at home  
**Leni Leypoldt**, at home  
**Brita Knapp**, for continued remission  
**Norman Knapp**, healing and strength  
**Peggy Pasko**, Woodview Care and Rehab

**CALENDAR**

**Today**

***17th Sunday after Pentecost  
World Communion Sunday  
Cents-Ability Sunday***

9:00 am Worship: Chapel

10:00 am Adult Class: 111

11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary

**Monday, October 2**

7:00 pm Boy Scouts: Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday, October 4**

9:30 am Quilters: 111

5:45 pm Cub Scout Pack Committee: 111

7:00 pm Workshop: *Accessing Aging Resources*: Chapel

7:00 pm Cub Scout Pack: Fellowship Hall

**Thursday, October 5**

6:00 pm Music Team: Chapel

6:30 pm Bell Choir: Balcony

7:30 pm Chancel Choir: Sanctuary

**Friday, October 6**

6:30 pm First Friday Free Family Film:  
*Beauty and the Beast* (2017)

**Sunday, October 8**

***18th Sunday after Pentecost  
Clothing Collection Sunday  
Homebound Communion***

9:00 am Worship: Chapel

10:00 am Adult Class: 111

11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary

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**STEWARDSHIP IS . . . getting your flu shot!**

**We Rejoice and Give Thanks**

**Sunday, September 24, 2017**

General Sunday Offering: \$4,871.00

God's People Gathered: 112

We welcome The Rev. Les Sauer as guest preacher today. Les is an Honorable Retired Minister of the Word and Sacrament of the Presbyterian Church (USA) and a former Coordinator for South and Southeast Asia in the Worldwide Ministries Division of the Presbyterian Church (USA).

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Flowers today are given to the glory of God by Bill and Katy Frase in memory of Katy's parents, Williams and Florence Goshorn; and in celebration of Virginia and John Schlitt's birthdays (10/4 and 10/12).

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*Worship Leader: Stefanie Osborne*

*Greeters: Bill and Katy Frase*

*Wee Worship Teacher: Debbie Shealy*

*Elder of the Month: Kathie Bailey*

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**Large print bulletins, hymnals, and Bibles are available from the ushers.**

**The sound system has hearing assists for those with hearing difficulties and may be used anywhere in the Sanctuary. Please see an usher for help.**

**Nursery for Children 3 Years and Younger ~ Room 208 (off the Lounge)  
Wee Worship (3-5 years) ~ Room 113 (downstairs)**

**The Lord's Supper is celebrated the first Sunday of every month at the 11:15 AM service and weekly at the 9:00 AM service.**

## Announcements

### Adult Education Class: A Closer Look at Islam

**At 10:00 am in Room 111 (downstairs)**

Join Ellen Hogue and Kay Rieve in this follow up to last spring's review of the world's major religions which takes a much deeper look at Islam. This course ends TODAY, with a guest speaker, Usjid Hameed, from The Council on American-Islamic Relations. Join in this opportunity to learn about this timely subject!

### Attention Parents of 1st-6th Graders

In keeping with our baptismal promise to support you in nurturing your children's spiritual formation, Equipping Ministries is seeking how best to fulfill this promise. We are asking all parents to fill out a survey concerning their children's faith development. All parents will be personally contacted for their input. Paper copies are available in the lounge on the table by the Second Avenue door. Contact Martha Hills at [marthahills@mac.com](mailto:marthahills@mac.com) or 614-261-1919 or see her in person if you have any questions.

Wee Worship will continue during each service as usual.

### TODAY is Cents-Ability Sunday!

Cents-Ability is a small first step in the battle against hunger and poverty. Congregations invite every member — of all ages — to contribute a few cents at every meal. Cents-Ability originated in 1976 as "Two-Cents-A-Meal", a project begun by Presbyterian Women to involve individuals and families in a corporate response to world hunger.

With your donations we have funded local and international hunger projects such as NNEMAP, the YWCA Family Center, PCUSA missionary support for the Heifer International project in Honduras, and the Presbyterian Hunger Program, to name a few.

In September \$51.28 was donated to Cents-Ability. This brings our total collection to \$406.19 for this year. Please remember to save your pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters every day, then bring it to church, and add your loose change to the Cents-Ability jar on the information table in the Lounge!

### Presbyterian Women ~ Scrubbies for Sale Today

Are your scrubbies starting to look a little worn? Would you like to replace them? Have friends asked where you got them? You can even order them in any color to match your kitchen decor. Presbyterian Women will be in the lounge selling scrubbies today following the 11:15 AM worship service. Call Sally Neff with requests or questions (614-224-3719).

### Accessing Aging Resources Workshop ~ October 4 at 7 PM in the Chapel

This workshop will provide information to help older adults and their families plan for their long-term care needs. We will discuss service options to assist with community living including; the types of services available, how to access them, costs and payment sources. We will also look at a range of housing options including independent living and care facilities. Patty Callahan from the Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging will be the presenter. This program is sponsored by your Deacons Care Committee.

### Women Take Note! ~ October 5 at 11:30 AM

FLIP your calendar to OCTOBER now! Write down Boulevard Presbyterian Women Get-together on Thursday, October 5 at 11:30 AM at MCL Cafeteria in Kingsdale Center. Each person will pay for their own lunch. We will review our scheduled gatherings, programs, and activities for the 2017-2018 program year. If you need a ride, please call Barbara Rine (614-458-6891). All women are invited!

### Session Will Receive New Members ~ Next Sunday, October 8 after the 11:15 AM Service

The Session of Boulevard Presbyterian Church will meet next Sunday after the 11:15 AM worship service 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](mailto:BoulevardPastor@aol.com)).

### Clothing Collection ~ Next Sunday, October 8

Clothing Collection Sunday is the second Sunday of the month. Rather than holding separate drives as we have done in the past, we are now collect clothing for Neighborhood Services, Ins (NSI) on a year-round basis. Current requests for donations of the following are greatly appreciated by the clients of NSI:

- Hats and scarves
- Mittens and Gloves
- Socks and Underwear

Donations can be left in the large wooden box in the narthex where we collect food items for NNEMAP. Thank you for showing Christ's love to those in need.

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#### Staff

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