

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Is the Lord of Hosts

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts.
The whole earth is full of His glory, the whole earth is full of His glory,
The whole earth is full of His glory. Holy is the 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.

*HYMN NO. 421

The Church of Christ in Every Age

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*POSTLUDE

"Wareham"

Edward G. Mead

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

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Today's flower arrangement is given to the glory of God in celebration of the life and ministry of Steve Moulton by his family.

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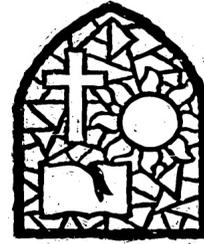
Worship Leader: Kevin Hicks

Greeters: Bonnie and David Grimm

Wee Worship Teacher: Debbie Shealy

Babyland Volunteer: Kathie Bailey

Elder of the Month: Shawn Ebert



Boulevard Presbyterian Church

Worship On The Lord's Day

September 4, 2016 11:15 A.M.

Sixteenth 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.*

THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

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

PRELUDE

"Ubi Caritas"

Setting, David Lasky

(Ubi caritas est vera, Deus ibi est – "Where charity is true, God is there")

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Adult Education

CHORAL INTROIT

"Introit"

Dale Wood

CALL TO WORSHIP

(from *Psalms* 1)

Leader: Happy are those who delight in the Word of God.

People: There are like trees planted by streams of water, and they will flourish.

All: Let us worship God!

*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 560

We Plow the Fields and Scatter

*OFFERING OUR BROKENNESS TO GOD

Eternal God, we confess that we do not put our trust completely in you. We prefer to calculate our gains and losses according to the rules of the society around us, and then follow the ways that will bring us success in the eyes of the world. Forgive us, and help us to treasure your word and follow your will in all that we do. Amen.

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Silent Confession and Sung Response (Hymn No. 573)

Lord, Have Mercy

Leader: Lord, have mercy. **Response: Lord, have mercy.**
Leader: Christ, have mercy. **Response: Christ, have mercy.**
Leader: Lord, have mercy. **Response: Lord, have mercy.**

***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.*

***SING GLORY TO GOD (Hymn No. 579)**

Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, 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 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. All children 10 years and older should return to their seats in the Sanctuary.

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 629)

Jeremiah 18:1-11

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 970)

Philemon

SERMON

Where Is Church?

Preston Shealy

RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

***HYMN NO. 503**

Come, Risen Lord

***PROFESSING OUR FAITH**

The Apostles Creed (Ecumenical)

**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.**

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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

“He Covers Me”

Craig Courtney

*In the waves upon the ocean, in the blowing of the winds,
in the beating wings of eagles is the love that never ends,
for God is love, a steadfast love that never ends.*

*Like the mist above the water, like the vapor on the sea,
like the dew across the meadow is that love that covers me,
for God is love, and with his love He covers me.*

*For God is love, a God of color and of light.
For God is love, a comfort through the darkest night.
Yes, God is love, the God of wind and rain and sea,
and with His love, his steadfast love, He covers me.*

*In the deepest midnight darkness, in the hint of dawn’s first light,
in the colors of the rainbow is the love that gives me sight,
for God is love, and in His love my soul delights.*

*For God is love, a God of color and of light.
For God is love, a comfort through the darkest night.
For God is love, of wind and rain and sea,
and with His love, his steadfast love, He covers me.*

***Offertory Response (Hymn No. 592)**

Doxology

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

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.

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Prayers for Healing and Strength

Jim Savage, recovering at home
Bonnie Grimm, eye surgery **Lew Pflaum**, at home
Geno Buzzelli, recuperating at home
Suzanne Trombley, recovering at home
(sister-in-law of Carol Fry)
Ruth Smith, recuperating at home
Beverly Schmidt, recuperating at home
Mark Nicholson, cancer, recuperating at home
Leni Leypoldt, at home
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 falls
(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
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, please call the church office at 614-486-0267 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

Cents-Ability Sunday
9:00 am Worship: Chapel
9:50 am Coffee Connector: Lounge
11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary

Monday, September 5

Labor Day - Church closed.

Tuesday, September 6

7:30 pm AA Anniversary - 111, FH,
Kitchen

Wednesday, September 7

9:30 am Quilters: 111
7:00 pm Come to the Waters Bible Study
Cub Pack - Fellowship Hall

Thursday, September 8

9:15 am Naomi Circle
10:30 am PW Bible Study
6:00 pm Music Team - Chapel
6:30 pm Bell Choir - Balcony
7:30 pm Chancel Choir - Sanctuary

Sunday, September 9

9:00 am Worship: Chapel
Session will greet new members
following the service
11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary
5:30 pm Youth Program at CPC

STEWARDSHIP IS . . .

Giving your car a tune-up before winter arrives!

We Rejoice and Give Thanks

Sunday, August 28 2016

General Sunday Offering: \$4,576.00
God’s People Gathered: 84

<u>Staff</u>	
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

Nursery for Children 3 Years and Younger ~ Room 208
Wee Worship ~ Room 113

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

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



Cents-Ability Offering ~ Today, September 4th

What is Cents-Ability? 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.

What are we doing with Boulevard Presbyterian Church Cents-Ability Funds?

We have funded local hunger projects (such as NNEMAP, etc.); the YWCA Family Center; PCUSA missionary support for the Heifer International project in Honduras; and the Presbyterian Hunger Program.

Please remember to put your pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters in your Cents-Ability bank each day, then bring your banks to church and add your loose change to the Cents-Ability jar!

Scrubbies ~ Available for purchase TODAY, September 4th

Presbyterian Women will be selling scrubbies today in the lounge following the second service. Since the beginning of our project almost \$1,000 has been used to support our mission projects: Godman Build, Lower Lights Ministries, Hope Hollow, NNEMAP, Christian Women United, Vacation Bible School, and Presbyterian Disaster Fund to name a few.

Thanks to our crocheters: Barb Frautschi, Barbara Miller, Mary Anne Christman and Mary Lou Wright, and to Marketing Director, Ted Smith.

If you would like to crochet scrubbies, please call Sally Neff at 614-224-3719. Thanks for your continued support.

Next Sunday, September 11th

The Christian education hour resumes from 10:00-11:00 AM.

Sunday School Classes

Nursery Care	208
3 years and younger	
Preschool ~ Ages 3-5	201/202
Grades K-3 rd	113
Grades 4 th -6 th	308
Grades 7 th -12 th	107
Adults	111

- ⇒ The **Preschool Class** (Room 201/202) and the **K-3rd Grade Class** (Room 113) will use our Presbyterian curriculum, *Growing in Grace and Gratitude*.
- ⇒ The **4th-6th Grade Class** (Room 308) will use the *Connect* curriculum.
- ⇒ The **Teen Class (7th-12th Grades)** (Room 107) will examine and grow their faith with *Echo the Story*.
- ⇒ **Adults** (Room 111) will delve each week into the scriptures used in that morning's service with *Seasons of the Spirit*.

Session Will Receive New Members ~ Next Sunday, September 11th

The Session of Boulevard Presbyterian Church will meet next Sunday following the 9:00 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).

YWCA Family Center Dinner Hosting ~ Sunday, September 18th

We will be preparing and serving dinner at the YWCA Family Center on **Sunday, September 18th**. 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 in the Lounge. Please plan to join us and let us know how you will be able to help! **On Sunday, September 18th, we will meet at the church at 4:30 PM to carpool to the Center.**

2016 Older Adult Rally ~ Saturday, September 24th ~ 10:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Geneva Hills Center Lodge ~ Cost Including Lunch: \$15.00

The Presbytery of Scioto Valley Older Adult Ministries Task Team invites everyone to the 2016 Older Adult Rally on Saturday, September 24th at Geneva Hills Center Lodge in Lancaster from 10:30 AM to 2:30 PM.

The program of the day is: “*Sacred Chutzpah: Abraham and Sarah as Models for Aging*” and is presented by Guest Leader Rabbi Cary Kozberg.

This event is especially designed for older adults, but welcomes persons of all ages! Food and fellowship / casual attire / accessible space. Music by Kelly's Bridge Band.

Open Shelter Lunch Packing ~ Thursday, September 29th

On Thursday, September 29th, we will be packing 200 brown bag lunches for the Open Shelter. We have sign-up times for people to arrive at 6:00 PM or 6:30 pm. Please sign up on the list in the Lounge. Last minute volunteers are always welcome! Ideally we would like to have 10-15 people signed up to participate. Thank you for your help. For more information, please contact Amy Creighton at 614-209-9600 or amycreighton808@gmail.com

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.

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