

**Prayers for Healing and Strength**

**Dick Smith**, at Riverside (as of 7/7)  
**Katie Frase**, recuperating at home  
**Steve Moulton**, recuperating at home  
**Mark Key**, cancer treatment  
**Steve Hills**, recuperating at home  
**Pat Nicholson**, recuperating at home  
**John**, recovering from surgery  
(Charmaine Hamilton's brother-in-law)  
**Tim McLane**, recovering from fall  
(Mikie Bowles brother)  
**Hugh Humphries**, cancer (Preston Shealy's uncle)  
**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  
**Debbie Henry**, receiving physical therapy  
**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**

**Cody Derby** (friend of the McFadden family)  
**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**

***Eighth Sunday after Pentecost***  
***Homebound Communion***  
9:00 am Worship: Chapel  
Following this service, Session will greet new members  
9:50 am Coffee Connector: Lounge  
10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary

**Monday, July 11**

12:00 pm Staff Meeting: 300  
7:00 pm WAM: Chapel

**Wednesday, June 13**

9:30 am Quilters: 111

**Thursday, July 14**

6:15 pm Music Team: Chapel

**Sunday, July 17**

***Ninth Sunday after Pentecost***

9:00 am Worship: Chapel  
9:50 am Coffee Connector: Lounge  
10:00 am Nominating  
10:00 am Discipleship  
10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary  
4:30 pm YWCA Dinner Hosting

**STEWARDSHIP IS . . .**

Reflecting on your life through journaling!

**We Rejoice and Give Thanks**

**Sunday, July 3, 2016**

General Sunday Offering: \$7,363.00

God's People Gathered: 95

**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



***Boulevard Presbyterian Church***

***Worship On The Lord's Day***

***July 10, 2016 10:30 A.M.***

***Eighth 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**

**"O God Beyond All Praising"**

Setting by Jeffrey Honore

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

(from *Luke 10*)

Leader: Love the Lord your God!

**People: Let us love God with all our heart, and with all our soul, and with all our strength, and with all our mind!**

Leader: Love your neighbor as yourself!

**People: Let us open our lives to loving and caring for all of our neighbors!**

Leader: Do this, Jesus says, and we will live!

**ALL: Let us worship God!**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 243**

***We Thank You, Lord, for You Are Good***

**\*OFFERING OUR BROKENNESS TO GOD**

**Holy God, we are your beloved children who are quick to profess our faith as we gather in worship. Yet, much of what we do and say does not honor you or share the good news of your love. Our words and actions often show our preference to follow our selfish desires instead of your call and guidance. We overlook those in need and ignore the orphan and the oppressed. Straighten our paths so that everything we do and say may share the wonders of your amazing grace and endless love with all around us. Amen.**

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

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*Silent Confession and Sung Response* (Hymn No. 572)

*Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us*

**RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD**

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

\*HYMN No. 555

*Now Thank We All Our 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.*

**\*PROFESSING OUR FAITH**

(from *A Declaration of Faith*)

Christ calls us to be disciples. In forming his people and sending them into the world, Jesus called individuals to be disciples. They were to share the joy of his companionship, to understand and obey his teachings, and to follow him in life and death. We confess that Christians today are called to discipleship. Life shared with Christ and shaped by Christ is God’s undeserved gift to each of us. It is also God’s demand upon every one of us, never perfectly fulfilled by any of us. Forgiven by God and supported by brothers and sisters, we strive to become more faithful and effective in our daily practice of the Christian life.

**\*SING GLORY TO GOD**

*Gospel Acclamation*

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

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**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 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 Sanctuary.*

**SHARING OUR HEARTS WITH GOD**

Leader: Loving God;

People: **Hear our prayer.**

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Jeffrey Joseph Moore

**SONG OF WELCOME**

*Baptized in Water*

Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit, marked with the sign of Christ, our King;

Born of the Spirit, we are God’s children, joyfully now God’s praises we sing.

**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.

**SCRIPTURE READING** (Pew Bible p. 844)

Luke 10:25-37

**BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

Offertory Solo

“Pie Jesu” from “Requiem”

Fauré

Hollie Briggs, soprano

**PSALM 82**

Refrain

Rise up, O God, and rule the earth.

Rise up, O God, your reign make known.

**\*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.

**SCRIPTURE READING** (Pew Bible p. 956)

Colossians 1:1-5a

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

\*HYMN No. 552

*Give Thanks, O Christian People*

**SERMON**

**Giving Thanks**

Preston Shealy

**\*CHARGE AND BLESSING**

**\*POSTLUDE** Toccata on “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Setting by Michael Burkhart

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**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](http://www.blvdchurch.org).

*We rejoice this morning as Jeffrey Joseph Moore is united with this community through the Sacrament of Baptism. Jeffrey's parents are Kathryn and Jeffrey Moore and his grandparents are Sue and Tim Harvey.*

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*Today's flower arrangements are given to the glory of God by David and Jane Conner in celebration of their 31st wedding anniversary on July 13; and by Grace Parks in honor of her father, Jim Parks', 90th birthday on July 6!*

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*Worship Leader: Louise Conner*

*Acolyte: Gus Hooley*

*Greeters: Sue Harvey and Abbi Menke*

*Wee Worship Teacher: Grant Stephens*

*Babyland: Barb Rine*

*Elder of the Month: Grace Parks*

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**Nursery for Children 3 Years and Younger ~ Room 107**

**Wee Worship ~ 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.**

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

**Coffee Connector**

Many hands joined together to host this morning's Coffee Connector. A big thank you to the members of Bells Te Deum and the Music Team who prepared the delicious goodies this morning!

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**Summer Worship Schedule**

***Through Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>***

**9:00 am ~ Worship in the Chapel**

**9:50 am ~ Coffee Connector in Fellowship Hall**

**10:30 am ~ Worship in the Chapel**

**Presbyterian Hymnal:** "Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us" Hymn No. 572; "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymn No. 592.

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**Coffee Connector ~ Through Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:50 AM**

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.

**Copies of the 2016 Budget Summary** are on the table in the Lounge.

**Session Will Receive New Members ~ TODAY, July 10<sup>th</sup> after the 9:00 AM Service**

The Session of Boulevard Presbyterian Church will meet today, July 10<sup>th</sup> after 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 at 614-486-0267 or BoulevardPastor@aol.com.

**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. Lessons 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 with lots of great ideas and easy to use! 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](mailto:marthahills@mac.com), or you can also call the church office.

**Presbyterian Women’s 2016-2017 Bible Study**

It’s time to order your Bible Study book for this coming fall. The study is called: “Who Is Jesus: What a Difference a Lens Makes”. Author Judy Yates Siker invites you to join her on “a journey to expand our understanding of who Jesus was and is – a journey of our hearts and minds, a journey that we will take together.” If you will need a book please contact Abbi Menke at 429-0383. The books will be ordered at the end of July so we will have them in time to begin our study.

**YWCA Family Center Dinner Hosting ~ Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**

We will be preparing and serving dinner at the YWCA Family Center on **Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**. 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, July 17<sup>th</sup>, we will meet at the church at 4:30 PM to carpool to the Center.**

**Vacation Bible School ~ July 18-22 at 5:30 PM**

Calling all Kids ages 4-11!! You are invited to join us for a week of Vacation Bible School at Boulevard (July 18 - July 22). This year, our theme is 'Water All Around the World'. The kids will 'visit' five different countries - Haiti, Ghana, Mexico, Honduras and Cuba - where they will meet typical children from that nation and get a glimpse into their daily lives, particularly the way in which they struggle to have clean, safe water to drink. We'll start each evening with a kid-friendly meal at 5:30pm, and then continue on with the VBS fun from 6pm through 8pm. It's FREE!

We are in need of people to help with the VBS dinners. If you are able to help with this special outreach mission, please contact Allyson Engdahl at 614-488-7252, call the church office, or sign up in the lounge.

**Open Shelter Lunch Packing ~ Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> - 6:00 PM and /or 6:30 PM**

On **Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**, we will be packing 200 brown bag lunches for the Open Shelter. We will have sign-up times for people to arrive at 6:00 PM and 6:30 PM. If possible, please sign up ahead of time on the list on the table just outside the Chapel, but last minute volunteers are always welcome! Ideally we would like to have 10-15 people signed up to participate. Thanks you for your help! For more information, please contact: Carolyn Schmitz at 614-488-8120 or [cmschmitz@yahoo.com](mailto:cmschmitz@yahoo.com)

**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.

The formal applications are not yet ready, but the Presbytery is taking reservations.

To reserve a spot contact: Dagmar Romage - Administrative Assistant  
Presbytery Office: 614-847-0565 or 800-244-7207 or [Dagmar@psvonline.org](mailto:Dagmar@psvonline.org)  
For more information contact: Jeannie Harsh (Presbytery Executive)  
Work: 614-847-0565 or Work cell: 614-562-1775 or [Jeannie@psvonline.org](mailto:Jeannie@psvonline.org)

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