\*Offertory Response (Hymn No. 592)

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*HYMN (see insert)

This Little Light of Mine

\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE "Uitil

"Uitleiding en Koraal" (Finale and Hymn)

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We welcome Rev. Cynthia F. Burse to the pulpit today. Rev. Burse serves as an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A) and is a clergy member-at-large in the Presbytery of Scioto Valley.

She is also the Principal of <u>The House of Redemption</u>, a non-profit organization that serves returning citizens post-incarceration to secure and establish homes; provides various related educational programs and activities; promotes public awareness regarding the issue of mass incarceration; and contributes to research in the field of reentry housing.



Flowers today are given anonymously to the glory of God.

\*Please stand if you are able.

Choir Director:

Staff

Pastor: Preston Shealy
Music Coordinator: Mary Ann Step

Mary Ann Stephens Brady Brennan Office Manager: Building Manager:

Preschool Admin:

Carol Fry Mark Key Mikie Bowles

Childcare Provider: Nancy Henning

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## Boulevard Presbyterian Church

Worship On The Lord's Day

June 11, 2017 10:30 A.M.

Trinity 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 "Modal Prelude" Gordon Young

"Inleiding en Koraal over 'Heilig, heilig'" (Introduction and Hymn) Piet Post

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Those people who once walked in darkness have seen a great light!

People: Those people who still live in a land of deep darkness,

on us the light has shined!

Leader: To God be all Glory!

**People:** For God is the beginning and the end

and there is no place which is without God!

Leader: To God be all Glory!

**People:** For the life of Christ has confirmed to us

that life is stronger than death!

Leader: To God be all Glory!

**People:** For the Holy Spirit is calling us toward a glorious future...

we are not just passing time!

All: To God be the Glory!

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand if you are able.

#### \*OFFERING OUR BROKENNESS TO GOD

O God, we confess a hardness of heart and a narrowness of vision. Though your mercy and grace constantly surround us, we have not always been receptive to your presence. Though your love is broader and wider than the measure of our minds, we do not always have eyes to see your kingdom. Forgive us for our narrowness of spirit and hardness of heart. Maker of heaven and earth, finish your new creation and guide all your people safely into the promised land. Amen.

Silent Confession

Response (Hymn No. 347, v.1)

Forgive, Our Sins as We Forgive

"Forgive our sins as we forgive," You taught us, Lord, to pray. But You alone can grant us grace to live the words we say.

\*RECEIVE GOD'S HEALING

\*SHARE GOD'S PEACE

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

People: And also with you.

\*SING GLORY TO GOD

Gospel Acclamation

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

#### 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 worshipeducation 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. 1)

Genesis 1:1-5 – The Beginning

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 876)

John 12:44-50 – The Middle

SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible p. 1008)

Revelation 22:1-5, 17 – The End

#### RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\*HYMN No. 469

Morning Has Broken

\*PROFESSING OUR FAITH

(from A Brief Statement of Faith)

In life and 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 Jesus Christ,

fully human, fully God.

We trust in God,

whom Jesus called Abba, Father.

We trust in God the Holy Spirit,

everywhere the giver and renewer of life.

With believers in every time and place

we rejoice that nothing in life or 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.

### 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.

BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory

"A Simple Song"
Brady Bernnan, tenor

Leonard Bernstein

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand if you are able.

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

#### Prayers for Healing and Strength

Barbara Rine, breast cancer

Grant Hamilton, recuperating from surgery

**Bruce "Smitty" Smith** 

Alice Fowls, at The Forum at Knightsbridge

Carol McFadden, breast cancer

Ella, preschooler, recovering from heart surgery

Cathy Cope, receiving chemotherapy

Evelyn Hannaway, recovering from fracture

Fred Ferris, for healing

Rick Cotter, recovering from car accident (friend of Michael and Charmaine Hamilton)

Michael Frase, no longer in remission

Marty Grimm, recuperating at home

Suzanne Trombley, recuperating at home

(sister-in-law of Carol Fry)

Gary (relative of Becky Metzler)

Mark Key, sciatica and arthritis

Gay Hadley's daughter

Tim McLane, recovering from falls

(Mikie Bowles' brother)

Corey Sander, receiving radiation

(Pat Nicholson's granddaughter's husband)

**Eda Mikolaj**, at home (Heather Mikolaj's mother) **Kate Whitmore**, cancer (Marty Grimm's daughter)

Jerry Braun, cancer

(Mike McKinney's brother-in-law)

Julie Wall, at home (Kyme Rennick's mother)

Julie DuSablon, recuperating at home

Mark Nelson, for healing, comfort, and peace

#### **Prayers for Our Special Care List**

 $\textbf{Dorothy Rout,} \ \text{Bridgewater at/Westminster-Thurber}$ 

Virginia Schlitt, at home

Mary Harris, at home Becky Metzler, at home

Leni Levpoldt, at home

Brita Knapp, for continued remission

Norman Knapp, healing and strength

Barbara Frautschi, for continued remission

Peggy Pasko, Franklin Woods Nursing Center

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

#### **CALENDAR**

#### **Today**

Trinity Sunday

Clothing Collection Sunday

9:00 am Worship: Chapel

10:00 am Coffee Connector: Lounge

Information Technology Training: 111

10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary

Monday, June 12

7:00 pm Worship Committee; Chapel

Boy Scouts: Fellowship Hall / 111

Wednesday, June 14

9:30 am Quilters: 111

Thursday, June 15

6:00 pm Music Team: Chapel

Care Committee: Lounge

Friday, June 16

Tour de Grandview Bike Race

#### Sunday, June 18

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 am Worship: Chapel

10:00 am Coffee Connector: Lounge

Property: 300

10:30 am Worship: Sanctuary

Session will welcome new members

following the service

STEWARDSHIP IS ... seeing the image of God

We Rejoice and Give Thanks Sunday, June 4, 2017

in every one around us!

General Sunday Offering: \$5,554.00

God's People Gathered: 90



2. Everywhere I go

3. All through the night

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Worship Leader: Terry McFadden

Greeters: Ted Smith and Rob Williams

Wee Worship Teacher: Sandy Ferguson

Elder of the Month: Grace Parks

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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 ~ Room 113 (downstairs)

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



#### Summer Worship Schedule ~ June 11 through August 20

9:00 am - Casual worship service: Chapel 10:00 am - Coffee Connector Fellowship Time: Lounge Classes for all ages will resume September 10 10:30 am - Traditional Worship: Sanctuary



#### <u>Last Class - Information Technology Training</u> ~ TODAY at 10:00 AM in Room 111

The Tech Committee is pleased to present the last computer information training session today at 10:00 AM. We hope to make our community more connected with itself and more proficient with current communications tools. Topics will include: Internet resource search, social media, "netiquette", mobile devices, security, online banking, Google Maps, Google Earth, and Google Drive, as well as other online collaborative applications, system set-up, maintenance, and troubleshooting. Time will be allotted for Q & A and problem solving. Persons attending are encouraged to bring their mobile phones, laptops, and/or mobile devices. The coordinator and presenter is Ken Odiorne.

If you did not have a chance to attend any of the classes and are still interested in this subject, please contact Merri Bame (419-343-9299) or Ken Odiorne (614-670-8594).

Room 111 (downstairs) is accessible by elevator.

#### 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? Presbyterian Women will be in the lounge selling scrubbies today following the 10:30 AM worship service.

#### **Clothing Collection** ~ **TODAY**, June 11

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.

#### Session Will Receive New Members ~ June 18 after the 10:30 AM Service

The Session of Boulevard Presbyterian Church will meet this morning after the 10:30 AM worship service to receive new members! If you would like to know more about becoming a member of Boulevard, please speak to the Elder of the day on Sunday morning or contact the church office during the week (614-486-0267, office@blvdchurch.org, or BoulevardPastor@aol.com).

#### **Stewardship Chair**

We are looking for someone to chair this year's Stewardship Campaign, and do not want to overlook anyone. Are you interested? We have a program and outline to use, and have found that co-chairs have worked well the past couple of years, so if you and a partner or friend would like to explore how you can serve in this capacity, please contact either Kathie Bailey (614-345-9927 or baileyk160t@gamil.com) or the office (office@blvdchurch.org or 614-486-0267). Thank you so much for your consideration.

#### **Boulevard Photo Directories**

All photo directory materials have been submitted to LifeTouch. Corrections were made to the initial draft and we will be receiving a final draft very soon. Once that is approved, our directories will be on the way within three weeks. The hard part is done. Hang in there!



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