

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
Twelfth Lord's Day In Ordinary Time

BALDWIN UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
201 KNOEDLER ROAD
PITTSBURGH, PA 15236

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Mrs. Grace Shearer, Organist & Choir Director

11.00 A.M.

June 24, 2018

WE GATHER IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

(Please be seated in silence)

First Organ Prelude

Schubert

"Ave Maria"

Announcements

Second Organ Prelude

Smith

"He Is Lord"

Call to Worship

(Inspired by Psalm 9)

Antiphonal

Leader: Give thanks to the LORD with your whole heart.

People: Sing praise to the Name of the Most High.

Leader: The LORD is enthroned forever and is known by divine acts of justice.

People: He rules the world with righteousness.

Leader: The LORD is a refuge in time of trouble, and lifts us up from misery and the fear of death

People: *He never forsakes those who trust him.*

Leader: Rejoice in your salvation and tell of his marvelous works.

People: *Be glad and rejoice in God Most High.*

***Hymn**

INSERT

“Praise Him! Praise Him”

***Prayer of the Day**

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you

L: Let us pray.

Leader: All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life, and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil, in the strength of the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. *Amen.*

HIS LIGHT DISPELS OUR DARKNESS

***Call to Confession**

Leader

Even in the midst of great joy and celebration, we know that our lives don't always reflect God's intention. Let us therefore open our hearts to God in a time of confession.

***Prayer of Confession**

Unison

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son who taught us to pray in these words, saying: "Our Father.....Amen."

***Silent Prayer**

***Assurance of Pardon**

Minister

We no longer need to live as slaves to our sinful natures, because, through the power of the Holy Spirit, we have been given new life as God's own children.

Thanks be to God!

***Gloria Patri**

#546

***The Peace**

The Offertory

Peterson

"Nearer My God"

***Organ Response**

#552

***The Prayer of Dedication**

***The Doxology**

#544

***Hymn**

#298

"Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak"

HIS LIGHT GRANTS US VISION

Prayer for Illumination

Unison

God our helper, by your Holy Spirit, open our minds, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may be led into your truth and taught your will, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading

Pew Bible pg.

Job 38:1-11

Second Reading

Pew Bible pg.

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Gospel Reading

Pew Bible pg.

Mark 4:35-41

Sermon

Rev. Walkup

"Afraid of Your Own Shadow?"

Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Hymnal pg. 12; using "Holy Spirit"

Prayers of the People

WE BEAR THE LIGHT OF CHRIST TO OTHERS

***Hymn** **#79**

"Lord, Dismiss Us With Your Blessing"

***Charge & Blessing** **Minister**

***Postlude** **Koury**

"Go Forth"

****Please Stand if Able***

WORSHIP TEAM TODAY: Sean Frey, Colleen Frey, Craig Frey

WORSHIP & COMMUNION TEAM NEXT WEEK: Sean Frey, Colleen Frey, Craig Frey

Bible Readings



- SUNDAY:** "The Rescue" Genesis 1:20-25
- MONDAY:** "Rest For The Weary" Matthew 11:25-30
- TUESDAY:** "View From The Top" Psalm 27:1-6
- WEDNESDAY:** "Above And Beyond" Hebrews 6:9-12
- THURSDAY:** "True Sight" John 9:1-17
- FRIDAY:** "Standing Firm" Matthew 7:24-29
- SATURDAY:** "Finding Our Way" Isaiah 55:8-11

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: *"Jesus said, "Come to me, all you who are struggling hard and carrying heavy loads, and I will give you rest." Mathew 11:28 (CEB)*



Please continue to pray for our sick and shut-ins. Also pray for Jay Torrance, Charles Leuthold, Dorothy Williams, Norman Coliane, Patty Kulpa, Bob Knight, Charlotte Maegle, Ken Stoehr, Tom Shearer, Mary Ellen Shenkle, Sherri Rodgers, Twila Weixel, Frank Mascherma and Gene Marnell.



Bible Study on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM at Baldwin UP Church. Bible Study will continue throughout June unless otherwise announced in advance.



Vacation Bible School will be held for 4 days Monday through Thursday on July 16, 17, 18 and 19. The time will be 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM, ages 6 years to 12 years old. The program is: "Salt and Light."

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Every kid, big or small, has dreamed of having dessert before a meal, so join the **Deacons** for our “Congregation **Appreciation Ice Cream Social**” immediately following the **Sunday service on, July 19th**, in the **Fellowship Hall**. It’s our way of thanking all of you for your constant and **kind support of our hoagie sales**. If you are a **member of BUPC, Knoxville or simply someone who praises the LORD with us on Sunday mornings**, come and enjoy a **free sundae** with us first and then go home to eat your lunch! It will be our **little secret**, and **we promise not to tell your mother!**