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**Growing Inward**

**Prelude** "We Will Glorify" Tim Holder  
*Twila Paris*

**Gathering for Worship**

**\*Hymn** "All Glory Laud & Honor" See Screen

**\*Call to Worship**

One Voice: This is the day the Lord has made!

**All Voices: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

One Voice: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

**All Voices: Blessed is the one who can save us. Blessed is the one who grants us life.**

One Voice: From the house of the Lord, we bless you O Lord.

**All Voices: Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!**

**\*Hymn** "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" See Screen

**Prayer of Confession**

**Holy and blessed Lord, like the crowds so long ago, we sing your praise, we rejoice in your presence, and we look to you for our salvation. Oh but Lord, we confess that like the crowds so long ago, we are fickle and fearful, and it is never long before we turn from you, deny you, or even betray you through our thoughts or actions or the things we fail to do. We want to believe, help our unbelief. We want to follow, help our weary souls. We want to be faithful, save us Lord...and receive our prayers.**

**Silent Confession**

**Confessional Response** "Healer of Our Every Ill" See Screen

**Assurance of Grace**

One Voice: Our Lord did not leave us on the palm strewn road to Jerusalem. He did not leave us in our sin at the foot of the cross. By his grace and mercy, he died and rose again to forgive us and save us.

All Voices: **Praise God, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

**\*Gloria Patri**

See Screen

**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.**

**Looking Upward**

**Children’s Message**

**This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the  
worshiping throng. Water, God’s Word, bread and cup, prayer and song:  
This is where children belong. This is where children belong.**

**First Reading**

Zechariah 9:9-12

**Anthem**

“Lamb of Glory” Janet Wilson, Tim Holder  
*Greg Nelson/Phill McHugh*

**Second Reading**

Matthew 21:1-11

**Sermon**

“Pay Attention” Rev.Barbara Retzloff

**\*Hymn**

“Just a Closer Walk With Thee” See Screen

**Serving Outward**

**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer**

**Hymn**

“How Great Thou Art” See Screen

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Benediction Response**

“All I Once Held Dear” See Screen

**\*Postlude**

“Crown Him With Many Crowns”  
*George Job Elvey*

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**TODAY**  
*March 28, 2021*  
**IN WORSHIP**

**Welcome to Pines**

Pines is a joyful Christian community that welcomes all. Our Mission is to make disciples who know, love, and trust in Jesus Christ. We live into our Mission by Looking Upward, Growing Inward, and Serving Outward.

**Helpful devices:**

Auditory assistance receivers are available with the Ushers.

**Sound:** Dan Schafer

**Liturgist:** Craig Walker

\*All who are able may stand

**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.



**A Stephen Ministry  
Congregation**

## Calendar for the Week of March 28, 2021

Today	p.m.	8:00	AA Meeting.....C3
Monday	a.m.	10:00	Office Staff Meeting.....C3
Tuesday	a.m.	7:00	Men's Bible Study.....(Meet by Zoom)
Wednesday	p.m.	8:00	Westside AA.....Fellowship Hall
Thursday	p.m.	1:00 7:00	Watercolor Art Class at Pines.....C3 Maundy Thursday Service.....Sanctuary
Friday	p.m.	12:00	Good Friday Music Service.....Sanctuary
Saturday	a.m./p.m.		.....
Sunday	a.m.	9:00 9:15 9:15 9:15 10:45	Nursery Open..... Adult Sunday School .....Fellowship Hall Children's Family Style Sunday School.....W12 Youth Sunday School.....High School Room Worship Service.....Sanctuary in Person/Live Streaming on Web and Facebook
	p.m.	5:00 8:00	In-Car-Nation Worship.....Back Parking Lot AA Meeting.....C3



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**The newsletter is available in the Narthex for those unable to access it online.**

## Church Staff

The Reverend Barbara Retzloff  
Temporary Pastoral Stated Supply  
Tim Holder  
Director, Music Ministry  
Jesse Parker  
Director, Youth Ministry  
Micah Meyers  
Communications Coordinator  
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## Preschool

Connie Pike  
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Karen Cooper  
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## Session

### Class of 2022

Elizabeth Deraps  
Linda Johnson  
Mike Lade  
Karen MacAllister  
Bob Miller  
Violet O'Brien

### Class of 2023

Linda Aldred  
Shirley Bollich  
Phil Buelow  
Emily Gairo  
Ray Stauffacher  
John Work

### Class of 2024

Bob Barr  
Leslie Friedrich  
Judy Shamp  
Connie Sipp  
Phil Wetz

# OPPORTUNITIES *To Grow* UPWARD, INWARD AND OUTWARD

**Newsletter:** Input must be in the office by April 23 at 9 a.m.

**Next Week's Bulletin:** Input must be in the office by Wednesday at 9 a.m.

**Calendar Items:** Input must be in the office by Thursday at 9 a.m.

**This Week at Pines email:** Input must be in the office by Friday at Noon

**Welcome, Guests!** If you have questions about our church, or would like to discuss church membership, please speak with the pastor.

**Pastoral Care...**We've entered a time of new experience as a Pines family. Rev. Barbara Retzloff is back temporarily to preach and to provide spiritual guidance for the strengthening of the church. Barbara's position is intended to be part time and she will be available for pastoral care in crisis situations. To protect her time it has been decided that day-to-day pastoral concerns and questions will be handled by Rev. Bill Willis, who leads our Stephen Ministry at Pines. We hope that everyone will cooperate in making Barbara's time with us as productive as possible. If you have concerns or questions, or would like to have a Stephen Minister to walk with you, please call Bill or call the church office.

**Flowers provide such beauty and ways to remember our loved ones.** We continue to offer live arrangements for the service or the option to donate to a preferred benevolence as a way to honor a loved one or special occasion. The cost of the Sanctuary arrangement is \$75 and the Narthex is \$50.

**Youth Sunday School!** While the youth room doors are once again open, we are still keeping an online option for those that are staying home and wish to join us! Sunday School from 9:30am – 10:30am can be accessed here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83682869768> every week.

**Volunteer needed to head up the Children's Prayer Pal team!** The CE committee would love your help to organize our Prayer Pals for the children. The Pals and children have already been partnered up. All you have to do is send a few emails to help the committee get them connected and started. This is a job that can be done at home and will have a very small time commitment. If the Spirit is leading you, reach out to Phil.

**We thank you for sharing your treasures in the spirit and practice of stewardship.** Please continue to mail your checks to the church office, put your checks in the offering basket in the rear of the sanctuary on Sundays or visit our website for online giving... VISIT [pinespc.org](http://pinespc.org) for more information.