

PINES

Order of Worship

Presbyterian Church

Growing Inward

Prelude

Gathering for Worship

Introit "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in this Place" Chancel Choir

*Call to Worship

Beth Patterson

One Voice: From the rising of the sun. . .

All Voices: God speaks, calling out to the earth.

One Voice: At the beginning of each new day. . .

All Voices: God speaks, calling us to life and service.

One Voice: Even with the setting sun. . .

All Voices: God speaks, reminding us that we are not alone.

One Voice: As we gather for workshop this day

All Voices: God speaks, inviting us to love freely and to become true treasure on earth.

*Hymn

"My Soul Cries Out with a Joyful Shout" See Screen

Prayer of Confession

Wash us with your grace, O God,
and cleanse us with your forgiveness.

Remove from us
the evil we harbor in our hearts.

Transform our deeds of shame
into acts of righteousness,
that we might learn your goodness
and be instruments of your mercy.

Hear our prayers, O Lord.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response

"Cares Chorus" See Screen

Assurance of Grace

One Voice: Don't be afraid, little flock, for God delights in giving us the kingdom, the treasure of God's mercy and love!

All Voices: With delight and grace, we are forgiven and loved by God.

TODAY
August 7, 2022
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: Ron Strawser

Liturgist: Beth Patterson

Flowers: The sanctuary flowers today are from Bob & Sue Barry in celebration of both Sue and their daughter, Katie's, birthdays on August 1st and in celebration of their many blessings!

*All who are able may stand

Pines Presbyterian Church

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A congregation of the



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Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong, they are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me, yes Jesus loves me.
Yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.

Looking Upward

- First Reading** Isaiah 1:1, 10-20
- Anthem** "Bread of the World in Mercy Broken" Chancel Choir
- Second Reading** Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
- Sermon** "Are You Ready" Rev. Andy Gans
- *Hymn** "We Walk By Faith and Not By Sight" See Screen

Serving Outward

***Saying What We Believe**

We believe in God,
who made the world and reaches out to it
with a love that is fierce and passionate, tender and kind.

We believe in Jesus the Christ;
God revealed in a human life.
Jesus touched the untouchable and pardoned the unforgivable.
Raised by God, Jesus is parting the sea of evil and despair,
and leading us across into the land of freedom and promise.

We believe in the Holy Spirit;
Whose breathing gives life;
Whose fire purges and renews;
Whose wisdom awakens courage and hope.

Gathered by the Spirit, we have been baptized into a common life:
overflowing with love and mercy;
richer than mind can measure,
but appearing foolish to the world.
And we trust that the foolishness of God will prove wiser
than the wisdom of the world,
and that the suffering of God will heal the earth
and fulfill our hopes of justice and peace.

Offering and Offertory

***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

Communion and The Lord's Prayer

- *Hymn** "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" See Screen

***Charge & Benediction**

- *Benediction Response** "We Will Go Out with Joy" See Screen

Pray for the People of Pines

- Sara Anderson Lynn Stauffacher
- Norma Bender Ray Stauffacher
- Jean Breitenwischer Tony Villarreal
- Liz Buelow Nancy Watler
- Barbara Caffall Darlene Wendt
- Carolyn Craig Danny Williams
- Barbara Greenlee

Pray for Friends in Mission

- Joy Kreider
- Ken and Judy McDyer

Pray for Pines Members and their family in the Military

- Olivia Williams (Army)
- Noah Youngflesh (Air Force)
- Jackie Hayre (Navy)

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Ministry Matters

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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 August 7, 2022

Sunday	pm	6:30	Youth Ice Cream Summer Ck-in - Tree House on Memorial
Monday	p.m.	12:00	This Week at Pines articles due to Dan
		1:00	Stephen Leaders Meeting - C7
		6:00	Property Committee Meeting - C7
		6:30	Christian Ed Committee Meeting - C3
		7:30	ALANON Group - Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	a.m.	7:00	Men's Bible Study - Zoom
	p.m.	2:30	Weekly Prayer Team - Prayer Room
		6:30	Mission Committee Meeting - C3
Wednesday	a.m.	9:00	Bulletin Articles Due
		4:30	Bells Practice - C12
		7:00	Choir Rehearsal
		7:00	Mosaic Practice - Gym
		8:00	Westside AA - C3
Thursday	p.m.	1:00	Lectionary Bible Study - Zoom
		5:30	CE Planning Retreat - W12
		8:00	AA - C3
Friday			
Saturday	a.m.	12:00	Youth Council Retreat -Youth Rooms
	p.m.	6:00	The Solution AA - C3
Sunday	a.m.	9:00	Nursery Open
		9:15	Sunday School
		9:30	Mosaic Church - Gym
		10:00	Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
		10:15	Coffee Fellowship
		10:45	Worship Service - Sanctuary
		11:00	Mosaic Children - W12
		3:00	Sundae Sunday Ice Cream Social—FH—ALL INVITED

August Newsletter: Input must be in the office by August 19 at 9 a.m. to cindy@pinespc.org

Next Week's Bulletin: Submit to the office by Wednesday at 9 a.m. to laurie@pinespc.org

Calendar Items: must be in office by Thurs at 9 a.m. to cindy@pinespc.org

This Week at Pines email: Input must be in the office to Dan Schafer by Monday to communication@pinespc.org

Today's Duty Elder(s): Shirley Bollich

SERMON NOTES

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<https://twitter.com/HoustonPines>.

Find us on Facebook
www.facebook.com
PinesPresbyterianChurch

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

Our Worship services are recorded and livestreamed.

Church Staff

The Reverend Andy Gans
Pastor
Kristin Beall
Director of Family Ministries
Laurie Conner
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Custodian/Maintenance

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Connie Pike
Director, Preschool
Karen Cooper
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Session

Class of 2023

Linda Aldred
Shirley Bollich
Phil Buelow
Emily Gairo
John Work

Class of 2024

Bob Barr
Leslie Friedrich
Judy Shamp
Connie Sipp
Phil Wetz

Class of 2025

Susan Babineck
Sharon Dotson
Linda Johnson
Walter Penberthy
Chris Wolfe

OPPORTUNITIES *To Grow* UPWARD, INWARD AND OUTWARD

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

In need of someone to talk to? If you want to know more about getting a Stephen Minister, please contact Bill Willis or call the church office.

Flowers: Don't forget to honor with flowers. The cost is \$75.00 for the Sanctuary and \$50.00 for the Narthex. We will continue to offer the option to give to a benevolence or order a real arrangement. Please email or call Melissa Gravett or Linda Aldred.

Ushers Needed! The Worship Committee is seeking volunteers to serve as ushers during Worship services. Please contact the Head Usher, Chris Wolfe, for more information.

Pines Volunteer Day!

Help Books Between Kids get books ready for distribution.

Our Pines Volunteer Day is Sunday, August 21, between 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Please email volunteer@booksbetweenkids.org with any questions.

The church office is open Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The office is closed on Fridays to help the staff offset the high cost of fuel.

If you need assistance on Friday, please call 832-489-5989.



Sundae Sunday!
Ice Cream Social
August 14
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Build a Sundae
Indoor and Outdoor Activities
ALL AGES!
Together @ PINES++



BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE
SHERWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
THE MISSION OF YAHWEH
Mission Backpack Blessing
MEMORIAL ASSISTANCE MINISTRIES (MAM)
Back to School Clothing Drive
JULY/AUGUST AGAPE
Financial donations can be placed in the offering plate, made online, or sent to the church office. Include "Back to School" with your donation.
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