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OPPORTUNITIES UPWARD, INWARD AND OUTWARD

To Grow

Newsletter: Input must be in the office by August 20 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 Monday to micah@pinespc.org

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 call the church office: 713.467.2234

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 for more information.

BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE

MEMORIAL ASSISTANCE MINISTRIES (MAM)
SHERWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
THE MISSION OF YAHWEH

JULY & AUGUST AGAPE

Please consider donating to "Pines Back to School Drive" that benefits 3 of our benevolence organizations Back to School Programs.

Donations can be placed in the offering plate or sent directly to the church office. Include notation "Back to School" with your donation.

Fresh Start Fiesta!

Find Your Place at Pines...

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

9:15 | Continental Breakfast, Fellowship & Christian Ed. Previews
10:45 | Worship
12:00 | Lunch, VBS Highlights & Mission Trips Presentations
[in the Fellowship Hall after worship]

Bring Your Friends! visit us: PinesPC.org

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Growing Inward

Prelude "To Be Like Jesus" Tim Holder
Henry Slaughter

Gathering for Worship

Introit "Love Through Me" Chancel Choir
Mosie Lister

*Call to Worship

One Voice: Watch what God does:
mostly God loves us.

**All Voices: We would learn a life of such love
so we might do as God does.**

One Voice: Watch how Christ loves us:
not with caution, but with extravagance.

**All Voices: We would practice such lavish love,
not noticing what it costs us.**

One Voice: Watch how the Spirit loves us:
moving in us, breathing love into us.

**All Voices: We would live such love for others,
keeping company with God.**

***Hymn** "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" see screen

Prayer of Confession

In hard times as in good times,
guide us, O God.

When feelings flare:
among family, friends, or strangers,
cause us to pause, to wait upon you.

Let malice and bitterness
give way to that which builds up.

Even in deep loss,
let anger be healthy, but let it never possess us;
let blame be sparing, and never let it stand.
Grant us words of love
and feed us from the Bread of Life.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response "Cares Chorus" See Screen

Assurance of Grace

One Voice: Beloved, know that God in Christ has forgiven you.

**All Voices: Therefore, let us be imitators of God as beloved
children, and live in love. Amen.**

TODAY
August 8, 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: Karen Davis

Flowers: The sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God and our Savior Jesus Christ in loving remembrance of Georgette Person from her two children: Cheryl (Person) LeBlanc and Dave Person and their families.

*All who are able may stand

A Stephen Ministry



Congregation

Children’s Message

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 John 6:35, 41-51

Anthem “Jesus We Crown You With Praise” The Chancel Choir
Lanny Wolfe

Second Reading Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Sermon “Construction Project” Rev. Andy Gans

***Hymn** “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy” See Screen

Serving Outward

***Saying What We Believe (Belhar Confession)**

We believe in the triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, who gathers, protects and cares for the church through Word and Spirit. This, God has done since the beginning of the world and will do to the end.

We believe in one holy, universal Christian church, the communion of saints called from the entire human family.

We believe that Christ's work of reconciliation is made manifest in the church as the community of believers who have been reconciled with God and with one another; that unity is, therefore, both a gift and an obligation for the church of Jesus Christ; that through the working of God's Spirit it is a binding force, yet simultaneously a reality which must be earnestly pursued and sought: one which the people of God must continually be built up to attain.

***Gloria Patri**

**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.**

The Lord’s Prayer

***Hymn** “I, the Lord of Sea and Sky” See Screen

***Charge and Benediction**

Benediction Response “We Will Go Out With Joy” See Screen

***Sending Out The Light of Christ**

***Postlude** “Praise Him! Praise Him!” Tim Holder
Chester G. Allen

Pray for the People of Pines

Norma Bender Karen MacAllister
Jean Breitenwischer Nancy Watler
Barbara Caffall Morriss Partee
Virginia Smith Darlene Wendt
Carolyn Craig Barbara Youngflesh
Bob Symon Larry Greenlee

Please pray for the family of Pines member Georgette Person. Georgette passed on July 26.

Pray for Friends in Mission

Joy Kreider
Ken and Judy McDyer

Pray for Pines Members in the Military

Olivia Williams (Army)
Noah Youngflesh (Air Force)

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.

Calendar for the Week of August 8, 2021

Today	p.m.	5:00	Incarnation Worship - Fellowship Hall
Monday	a.m.	10:00	Bible Study - Visilocky - Fellowship Hall
		10:00	Office Staff Meeting - C3
		p.m.	12:00
Tuesday	a.m.	4:00	This Week at Pines articles due to Micah
		7:00	Men’s Bible Study - C7
		Wednesday	a.m.
P.m.	1:00		
Thursday	p.m.	5:45	Pines Pealers (Bell Practice) - C12
		7:00	Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
		7:00	Incarnation practice - Sanctuary
Friday	a.m.	8:00	Westside AA - Fellowship Hall
		7:00	Space City Singers - Fellowship Hall
		8:00	AA - C3
Saturday	a.m.	5:00	BSF
		6:00	AA - C3
		6:30	Mosaic Youth - Fellowship Hall
Sunday	a.m.	9:00	Nursery open
		9:15	Adult Sunday School - Fellowship Hall
		10:00	Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
		10:15	A.M. Coffee - Fellowship Hall
p.m.	10:45	Worship Service - Sanctuary	
	3:00	Incarnation warm-up/practice	
		5:00	Incarnation Worship Service - Fellowship Hall

SERMON NOTES



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Get the latest announcements and reminders right before events happen. Find us here: <https://twitter.com/HoustonPines>.

Find us on Facebook www.facebook.com/PinesPresbyterianChurch-1425251917704955/

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