

PINES

Order of Worship

Presbyterian Church

Growing Inward

Prelude

Gathering for Worship

***Call to Worship**

One Voice: Come, everyone, come and worship!

All Voices: God welcomes us all.

One Voice: Come, all whose hearts are heavy

All Voices: God welcomes us all.

One Voice: Come, all who doubt.

All Voices: God welcomes us all.

One Voice: Come, all who trust in God.

All Voices: God welcomes us all.

One Voice: Come, everyone, come and worship!

Sam Singer

***Hymn**

"Take My Life"

See Screen

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God,

we are reluctant to admit our unfaithful ways;

we have not trusted you completely;

we have ignored those who thirst for your grace;

we have not welcomed others with your love.

Free us from all that keeps us enslaved to sin and death.

Teach us to walk in the ways

of your righteousness,

that we may leave the shadows of darkness

and move into the light

of your steadfast love.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response

"Cares Chorus"

See Screen

Assurance of Grace

One Voice: Sin has no power over you,

All Voices: for by God's abundant grace, we are forgiven and set free

to live in joy and love. Thanks be to God!

TODAY
July 2, 2023
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.

Liturgist: Sam Singer

Sound: Dan Schafer

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is located at 12751 Kimberley Lane,

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A Congregation of the



Children's Message

Kristen Davis-Owen

**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

Genesis 22:1-14

Anthem

"Great Day"
Arr. Rollo Dillworth

Sydney and Laurie Conner

Second Reading

Psalm 13

Sermon

"Bad Days"

Rev. Andy Gans

***Hymn**

"When We Are Called to Sing Your Praise" See Screen

***Saying What We Believe (The Apostles' Creed)**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,**

**and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

***Gloria Patri**

Offering and Offertory

***Doxology**

Communion of the People and the Lord's Prayer

***Hymn**

"Come Sing to God" See Screen

***Charge and Benediction**

***Benediction Response** "Go Ye, Go Ye into the World" See Screen

Postlude

Pray for the People of Pines

Sara Anderson Carol Schneider
Norma Bender Lynn Stauffacher
Jean Ray Stauffacher
Breitenwischer Nancy Watler
Barbara Caffall Darlene Wendt
Carolyn Craig Danny Williams
Pam Ellis
Fred Kelly
Morriss Partee

Pray for Friends in Mission

Joy Kreider

Pray for Pines Members and their family in the Military:

Olivia Williams (Army)
Jackie Hayre (Navy)

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

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Calendar for the Week of July 2, 2023

Sunday

Pray for Pines Youth on their Mission Trip this week

Monday

12:00 pm	This Week at Pines due to Dan	
7:00 pm	Tending to Grief meeting	Parlor
7:30 pm	Al Anon Group	Fellowship Hall

Tuesday — church office closed for Independence Day

7:00 am	Men's Bible Study	Zoom
9:00 am	Bulletin articles due to Laurie	

Wednesday

1:30 pm	Weekly Prayer Team	Prayer Room
5:45 pm	Pines Pealers	C12
8:00 pm	Westside AA	C3

Thursday

7:00 pm	Space City Sound	Gym
8:00 pm	AA Group	C3

Friday

3:00 pm	Mosaic Graduation Dinner	Kitchen and FH
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Saturday

3:00 pm	RUF Dinner	Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm	AA Group	C3

Sunday

9:00 am	Nursery	
9:15 am	Sunday School	
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:00 pm	2nd Sunday Lunch	Café Express
2:30 pm	NAMI	C3

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

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

Our Worship services are recorded and livestreamed.

Next Newsletter articles due July 21
Today's Duty Elder: Linda Johnson

Church Staff

The Reverend Andy Gans
Pastor
Kristin Beall
Director of Family Ministries
Laurie Conner
Director of Music Ministries
Shawn Heller
Church Musician
Cindy Houlihan
Office Manager
Alexis Graham
Accounting Manager
Adrian Roman
Custodian/Maintenance

Preschool

Connie Pike
Director, Preschool
Karen Cooper
Administrative Assistant

Session

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

Class of 2026

Linda Aldred
Shirley Bollich
Emily Gairo
Donna Partee
Tim Timmons

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 Phil Wetz or Ann Guerra.

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 Melissa Gravett or Linda Aldred.

The Explorers adult Sunday school class is viewing and discussing the PBS *Frontline* documentary that traces the rise of Christianity, examines how Judaism and the Roman empire shaped Jesus' life, traces the beginnings of the "Jesus Movement" in those early years before it was called Christianity, follows the story of the first attempts to write the life of Jesus in the Gospels, and chronicles how the Christian movement would face new challenges both internal and external. The Explorers class meets on Sundays at 9:30 am in room C-3. No homework and all are welcome to attend. For more information contact Sandra Johanneman or Dave Coles.

Tending to Grief is a non-professional support group for any stage of grief. It is for all people of all faiths over the age of 18. The group will meet from 7-8pm in the Parlor. You may come as your schedule allows. The meeting is scheduled every Monday unless it is a holiday week. There is no homework or book to read. Please share this meeting information with your friends. The first meeting will be June 19, 2023. Questions? Contact Ann Guerra or the church office.

Language Kids World will be teaching elementary students various languages throughout the summer, Monday through Friday, here at Pines. Please welcome them when you see them in the hallways.

BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE

SHERWOOD
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

THE MISSION
OF YAHWEH
Mission Backpack Blessing

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ASSISTANCE
MINISTRIES (MAM)
Back to School Clothing Drive

JULY/AUGUST AGAPE

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made online, or sent to the church office.
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