

LOOKING UPWARD - GROWING INWARD - SERVING OUTWARD

Growing Inward

Prelude "Highland Cathedral" Jennifer Flores, piper

Michael Korbe

Phil Wetz

Gathering for Worship

Introit

*Call to Worship

One Voice: God, who created the fields of Eden.

takes delight in all things, including us!

All Voices: God of glory, God of grace,

your name is exalted in all the earth!

One Voice: Christ, who walked the streets of our world,

gives hope to all people, including us!

All Voices: God of glory, God of grace,

your Son is Savior of all creation!

One Voice: God's Spirit, who stays in our hearts,

bears truth and peace to us!

All Voices: God of glory, God of grace,

your love surrounds our every moment.

*Hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" See Screen

Prayer of Confession

See Screen

God of infinite mercy,
when we neglect the humbleness
of knowing our place in this world,
forgive us;

when we trade your peace and calls for unity for conflict and violence,

forgive us;

when we forsake our good character, to join those who scoff at your ways,

forgive us;

when we ignore your truth,

and turn away from your wisdom,

forgive us.

Forgive us and heal us, Lord, that we may abide in your grace and your love forever.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response "Cares Chorus"

June 15, 2025

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 from the Ushers.

Liturgist: Phil Wetz

Sound: Ron Strawser

Pines Presbyterian Church is located at 12751 Kimberley Lane Houston, Texas 77024 ~ 713-467-2234 ~ pinespc.org

Flowers: The Sanctuary flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Bob and Lynda Barr in honor of their 65th on June 17th, and Lynda's shattered femur healing!

A Congregation of the



Assurance of Grace See Screen

One Voice: Through the power of the Holy Spirit,

God fills our souls with grace and wisdom. **All Voices:** It is from this grace that we have hope.

One Voice: It is from this wisdom that we know God's love.

All Voices: It is from the living God that we find life and forgiveness.

Children's Message

Kristin Beall

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 16:12-15

Anthem Amazing Grace John Newton Jennifer Flores, piper

Second Reading Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Sermon "In the Beginning" Rev. Andy Gans

Serving Outward

*Hymn "The Play of the Godhead" See Screen

*Saying What We Believe See Screen

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

Preparation for Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" See Screen

*Charge and Benediction

***Benediction Response** "We Will Go Out with Joy"

Postlude "Scottland the Brave" Traditional Jennifer Flores, piper

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Pray for the People of Pines

Sara Anderson Lynda Barr Jean Breitenwischer Barbara Caffall Carolyn Craig Elizabeth Deraps Sharon Dotson

Janan Plush Melissa Sandstrom Beth Sibley Juanita Vislocky Nancy Watler Danny Williams

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, 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



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Calendar for the Week of June 15, 2025

Sunday

12:00 pm Caring Ministry committee C7
12:00 pm VBC Planning Meeting Parlor

Monday — Committee minutes due to Clerk of Session

12:00 pm This Week at Pines to Dan

7:00 pm Tending to Grief meeting Parlor

7:30 pm Al Anon Group Fellowship Hall

<u>Tuesday</u>

7:00 am Men's Bible Study Zoom

9:00 am Bulletin articles due to Laurie

11:30 am Potpourri Circle meeting La Hacienda

12:00 pm Brown Bag Book Club C3

Wednesday

1:30 pm Weekly Prayer Team Prayer Room
7:00 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal Choir Room

7:30 pm Westside AA C3

Thursday

7:00 pm VBC Training C8 8:00 pm AA Group C3

Friday

1:30 pm VBC Training C8

2:00 pm VBC set-up Youth Rooms

Sunday

9:15 am Sunday School Sanctuary

10:45 am Worship

12:00 pm VBC Training Parlor 2:30 pm NAMI C3

SERMON NOTES

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Session

Class of 2026

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Class of 2027

Brad Hofstetter Patsy Jackson Ron Langston Beth Patterson Phil Wetz

Class of 2028

Mark Babineck Steve Ballard Terrie Cardwell Fred Ellis Roger Mowell

UPWARD, INWARD AND OUTWARD

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

Fellowship Hall restroom renovations are nearing completion.

Come play Pickleball at Pines! Open play Monday 7-10pm and Thursday 7:30-10pm and Sunday 4-10pm. Sign up at pickleheads.com You must sign up to play.

Jennifer Flores, the amazing bagpiper in today's service, started playing the pipes at 12 years old with her high school, Highland High School in Anderson, Indiana, and has played in several pipe bands and honor guards throughout Texas, Indiana, Florida, Mississippi, and Colorado over the last 38 years. She is currently a member of the Houston Highlanders Pipe Band. She is also the proud mother of two military children, Andrew (26), USMC, and Sarah (19), US Army National Guard.

Spanish language classes will be in the parlor and the old library through July 3. They will be in W13 and W14 from July 7 until August 15. If you see the teachers and/or students in the halls, be sure to say "Hola!".

We will be waxing the Preschool classrooms and hallways the week of June 30 through July 5. There will be no entry into that area during this time. Thank you for your patience!





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