



MEDIA
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2022
10:00 A.M.

OUR MISSION AND VISION

Our Mission is to love God and love our neighbor.

Our Vision is to be a Christian Community that worships together, serves together, and grows together in faith

Welcome

VISITING TODAY?

If this is your first time worshipping with us, we hope you will feel welcome. If you have questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to us by phone at 610-566-3944. We also invite you to visit our website at www.mediapresbyterian.org

Leading worship this morning...

Reverend Rose Sparrow, Parish Associate

Andria Kaskey, Director of Children's Ministries

Sebastian Carpenter, Director of Contemporary Music and Worship, Director of Youth Ministries

Lisa VanHeldorf, Director of Traditional Music

David Sharbaugh, Worship Leader

Dr. Stanley Orr, Organist

Refreshments on the Lawn brought to you this week by:

The Spiritual Formation Committee

GATHERING

Prelude

Dr. Stanley Orr

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Missions

Eric MacDonald

Sharing the Joy of Our Faith

Call to Worship

Leader: As the deer pants for streams of water,

All: So my soul pants for you, my God.

Leader: Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me?

All: Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.

Leader: Deep calls to deep in the roar of your waterfalls; all your waves and breakers have swept over me.

All: Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.

***Opening Worship**

Unstoppable God
Worship Team

Elevation Worship

Heaven thundered
And the world was born
Life begins and ends
In the dust You formed
Faith commanded
And the mountains moved
Fear is losing ground
To our hope in You



*Unstoppable God
Let Your glory go on and on
Impossible things
In Your name they shall be done*

Freedom conquered
All our chains undone
Sin defeated
Jesus has overcome
Mercy triumphed
When the third day dawned
Darkness was denied
When the stone was gone

Nothing shall be impossible
Your kingdom reigns unstoppable
We'll shout Your praise forevermore
Jesus our God unstoppable (x4)

Set a Fire
Worship Team

Will Reagon

No place I would rather be
No place I would rather be
No place I would rather be
Than here in Your love
Here in Your love (x2)

*Set a fire down in my soul
That I can't contain and I can't control
I want more of You God
I want more of You God (x2)*

Blessing of the Children (All)

“Lord God, bless us your children here, in our neighborhood and in our ministries throughout the coming week. Show us your goodness. Give us your peace for when we are afraid. Teach us to hear your voice and go with us, your children as we go to worship you!”

Children who are in 2nd grade and below are invited downstairs to BLOC program in Room 201.

Call To Confession (1 John 1:8-9)

Leader: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

All: *If we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

(a time of honesty before God in silent confession)

Prayer of Confession (All)

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

Assurance of Pardon (from Psalm 91: 14-16)

Leader: Those who love me, I will deliver, says the Lord;
I will protect those who know my name.
When they call to me, I will answer them;
I will be with them in trouble,
I will rescue them and honor them,
With long life I will satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.
Receive the good news of the gospel.

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

EQUIPPING

THE WORD

First Reading: 2nd Chronicles 7:1-11 (pg. 342)

David Sharbaugh

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon Reading: 2nd Chronicles 7:12-14 (pg. 342),

1st Peter 2:9-10(pg. 984)

Rev. Rose Sparrow

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Stick To The Plan

Rev. Rose Sparrow

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Dalton Joseph Errico

Son of Rick & Megan Errico

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Apostles' Creed

Leader: Brothers and sisters what do you believe?

All: *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 Spirit, 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 Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

Amen.

Prayers of the People

Invitation to Stewardship

Song for Offering

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether Harold Friedell
MPC Choir

*Doxology

Dr. Stanley Orr

Hymn 592 (Blue)

OLD HUNDRETH

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.

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

After the Words of Institution, we invite you to celebrate Communion using your bread and your juice. If you are in the sanctuary, you will be invited to take a single-serve communion cup.

Remove the first wrapper for the wafer, the second for the grape juice.

Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Great Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The prayer continues...

Sanctus (All)

Holy, Holy, Holy

Richard Proulx

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
2 Bless - ed is he who comes in the
pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

TEXT: Trad. liturgical text

MUSIC: American folk melody; adapt. Marcia Pruner, 1980; arr. Richard Proulx, 1984

Music Adapt. © 1980 Church Pension Fund

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LAND OF REST

The Lord's Prayer (All)

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 sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Prayer of Affirmation

***Closing Song**

Hymn 128 (Blue)

On Pentecost They Gathered

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Postlude

Dr. Stanley Orr

GENERAL INFORMATION

Restrooms – A restroom is located in the parlor in the back of the sanctuary. Handicap-accessible restrooms are located through either side door at the front of the sanctuary, then around the corner.

Nursery – Our Nursery is available for infants and children up to 3 years old (& not potty trained) during our worship services and other events.

Prayer Chain – If you are in need of prayer or would like to receive prayer chain updates, please e-mail Rebecca in the office.

Attention Mothers of Infants – The parlor at the back of the church is available for privacy during church services.

The church office hours are Tuesday - Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. During inclement weather, please call to make sure staff is present before coming to the office.

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Sign up to receive our weekly digital newsletter by going to our website or by emailing Rebecca in the church office.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Like and follow us on Facebook (Media Presbyterian Church), Instagram (@mediapresby) and Twitter (@mediapresby).

ONLINE GIVING

Visit MediaPresbyterian.org/GiveOnline to learn how to give your tithes & offerings and other ministry initiatives through our website.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Kate Meehan will be using the study guide “Ezekiel: Visions of God’s Glory” by Douglas Connelly at 9:00 a.m. in room 102.

CONGREGATION MEETING

The Session of Media Presbyterian Church has called a Special Meeting of the Congregation for 11:30 AM on Sunday, June 26, 2022, for the purpose of receiving a report from the Congregational Nominating Committee and electing the Elders and Deacons for the Class of 2025.

UPCOMING PREACHING SCHEDULE

We are looking forward to those preaching in June. Check out the schedule below for June:

June 5	Pastor Rose Sparrow
June 12	Sebastian Carpenter
June 19	Pastor Rose Sparrow
June 26	Paul & Lori Dickason

YOUTH GROUP

Join Sebastian for Youth Group on Thursdays from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Youth Room.

LISTENING SESSIONS

Sessions has set aside 3 dates for meetings for the congregation to express their feelings, concerns and viewpoints on the former pastor's departure. Join in-person in the sanctuary or via Zoom:

Sunday June 12 after the service, Monday June 13 at 7:00 p.m. and Monday June 27 at 7:00 p.m.

MEN'S BOOK CLUB

We meet on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Room 102. We are currently reading Babbitt by Sinclair Lewis.

Our next meeting will be June 23.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION COMMITTEE:

PICK UP THE SWORD THIS YEAR!

The Spiritual Formation Committee would like to invite you to participate in their 52-Week Bible Reading Plan for 2022! The entire plan can be found on our website. Or, check here for each week's readings:

Sunday	Epistles:	Gal 4-6
Monday	The Law:	Ex 37-40
Tuesday	History:	1 Ki 5-9
Wednesday	Psalms:	Ps 66-68
Thursday	Poetry:	Pro 2-3
Friday	Prophecy:	Lamentations
Saturday	Gospels:	Luke 9-10

UKRAINIAN MISSION OPPORTUNITY

Holy Myrrh-bearers Ukrainian Catholic Church have resumed collection of ongoing items for the Ukrainian refugees and they are greatly appreciated. Their address is 900 Fairview Rd, Swarthmore, PA from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. See the entire list in the newsletter.

For questions, please contact Sue Hare at 484-442-8954 (H) or 610-724-0632 (C).

MPC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS SUMMER EVENT

Join us for stories, lessons, crafts & games for ages 4 to 5th grade in "The Post" this summer on June 1 & 15, July 6, August 17 from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. (The nursery will be available for children 3 and under.) Contact Andria Kaskey, Director of Children's Ministries, for more information; andria@mediapresbyterian.org

VBS-AUGUST 1-5, 2022

This is a FREE EVENT! Invite your friends, family and neighbors! Please register on our website.

MOYC: Mothers of Young Children

We meet in person and on Zoom throughout the month!

1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m. in person (Rm. 103) and via Zoom. We are studying the Gospel of John.

2nd and 4th Mondays at 8:00 p.m. via Zoom. We are studying To Walk and Not Grow Weary, by Fran Sciacca.

See our newsletter, website, or contact Pastor Rose for Zoom log-in details.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Join on the 4th Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Room 102 and on Zoom. The book this month is This Screwtape Letters by C.S. Lewis. Our next meeting will be June 27.

FAITH AND FILM

Join the Faith and Film Club in person (Room 103) or via Zoom on the 2nd Thursday, each month at 7:00 p.m. Our next meeting is June 9th. Email Steve Beckley at strybeck242@gmail.com for more information or the Zoom conference link.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom with Pastor Rose. We are studying Nehemiah. See our newsletter, website, or contact Pastor Rose for Zoom log-in details.

PRAYER AND DEVOTION GROUP

Join Pastor Rose on Mondays at noon via Zoom when they will be studying To Walk and Not Grow Weary, twelve Bible Studies of triumph in the lives of God's People. Everyone is welcome! See our newsletter, website, or contact Pastor Rose for Zoom log-in details.

PRAYER CHAIN UPDATES

Get Prayer Chain updates Thursdays after 12:30 p.m.
Email the office to be added.

BIBLE STUDY AT LIMA ESTATES

If you are a resident at Lima Estates, you are invited to join Pastor Rose for Bible Study on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

MISSION MINISTRY UPDATE

Beth McMillan of Compassion Corps will be our speaker this Tuesday, June 7 from 7:00-7:30 p.m. at the Mission Committee's monthly meeting. This meeting will be via Zoom, and the link is in the newsletter and on our website.

HOPE CAFE

This Saturday, June 11, join the MPC Missions Committee and CityTeam Chester, to help feed the homeless and hungry in the community. To sign up, please email Jeannie Menaldino at jean.m.menal@gmail.com.

FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 5, 2022

Sunday, June 5

- 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Room 102
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Baptism of Dalton Errico,
Sanctuary
- 11:15 a.m. Confirmation Class, Youth Room
- 11:30 a.m. Refreshments on the Lawn, front lawn

Monday, June 6

- 12:00 p.m. Prayer and Devotion, Zoom

Tuesday, June 7

- 1:15 p.m. Staff Meeting, Room 102
- 6:30 p.m. Session Meeting, Room 102 & Zoom
- 7:00 p.m. Missions Meeting, Zoom

Wednesday, June 8

Nothing on schedule

Thursday, June 9

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast Bible Study,
Court Diner, Media
- 10:00 a.m. Bible Study with Pastor Rose, Zoom
- 12:30 p.m. Prayer Chain Updates & Intercessory Prayer,
Zoom
- 7:00 p.m. Faith & Film, Room 103 & Zoom
- 7:00 p.m. Youth Group, Youth Room
- 7:00 p.m. Yoga

Friday, June 10

Nothing on schedule

Saturday, June 11

- 4:00 p.m. MPC Mission Committee & CityTeam
Chester, Hope Cafe

Sunday, June 12

- 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Room 102
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service-Confirmation Sunday,
Sanctuary
- 11:30 a.m. Listening sessions, sanctuary
- 11:30 a.m. Refreshments on the Lawn, front lawn

ELDERS

Elders 2022	Elders 2023	Elders 2024
Paul Tutton	LuAnn Crosby	Sandy Campbell
Don Naismith	Jeanne Cunningham	Art Kalemkarian, Jr.
Susan Kassab	Eileen McLaughlin	Elizabeth Rohr
Jeannie Menaldino	Robin Smith	

Clerk of Session: Joe Hare

DEACONS

Deacons 2022	Deacons 2023	Deacons 2024
Jim Gatch	Jeff Beaumont	Jeanne Furey
Jill Lardon	Renee Erickson	Elaine Fetterman
Robin Kauffman	Kim Gilchrist	Lynne McCone
Doug Crosby	Brian McLaughlin	Dave Layton
Evan Havel (Youth)	John Woods	Karen Gibble

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