

PRELUDE (9:55 AM)

GREETINGS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, and PRAYER

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP *Sinfonia* H. Purcell

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (responsive) Elder John Lahl
God calls together a divine council to render judgment.
God holds a plumb line to measure our faithfulness.

Who can stand before the judgments of God?

How shall we know what God expects of us?

Lift up your prayers for God's mercy.

Earnestly seek to know the ways of truth and salvation.

Can we distinguish faithfulness from popular success?

What must we do to inherit eternal life?

God's judgment comes to all nations of the earth.

God's covenant with us involves care for all people.

Will God deliver us from the hands of the wicked?

Will God put an end to brutal betrayal?

ALL: LET US WORSHIP GOD!

***HYMN #796** *We Come to You for Healing, Lord*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Righteous God, we confess our easy compliance with ways of the world. We are happy to accept advantages for ourselves that are unavailable to many. We pass by many who suffer, as if their suffering were no concern of ours. Our practice of the faith gives neither offense or inspiration. We are troubled when we see ourselves this way. Redeem us, O God! Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

...Friends, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***GLORIA PATRI #581** *Gloria Patri*

CHILDREN'S CHAT

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Seek Ye First* K. Lafferty (*Chancel Women*)

***DOXOLOGY #606** and PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN #792** *There Is a Balm in Gilead*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALTER READING Psalm 105:1-6

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Office Hours: M, T, W, TH 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM

Email: officeadmin@parma-south.org

Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Debra May Cerra	Gap Pastor
Sara Ekkens	Office Administrator
Nancy Indovina	Receptionist
Jan Fritzsche	Treasurer
Gwen Beyer	Music Director
Laurie Archibald	Organist
Chris Kurka	A/V Coordinator
Becky Koranda	Custodial
Andrew Koranda	Custodial

Ruling Elders on Session

Elder Ray Burner, Property Committee
Elder Katie Kolthoff, Finance Committee
Elder John Lahl, Property Committee
Elder Lisa Profio, Discipleship Committee
Elder Bob Schomer, Fellowship Committee, Personnel Committee
Elder Becca Sivik, Discipleship Committee
Elder Ed Walker, Personnel Committee
Elder Kathy Zietlow, Worship Committee

Elder Audrey Brandmeier, Clerk of Session
Norma Fink and Carolyn Jeremiah, Caring Team

We welcome **Rev. Dr. Steve Gorman**, who is a retired pastor and Parish Associate at the Lakewood Presbyterian Church. Following his various pastorates in Illinois, California and in Cincinnati, OH, he and his wife, Cinda, were Mission Co-Workers in Egypt working for the seminary and Synod of the Nile. He stays busy as a classroom volunteer at Thomas Jefferson Int. Welcome Academy, working among refugee/immigrant children and as a RedCoat Usher at Playhouse Square.

REMINDER

The **Third Sunday** of every month will be an outdoor service, so remember to bring a lawn chair, your Bible, and a bag lunch and join in singing and worshipping outside!

The next outdoor service will be held next Sunday, **July 17th, 2022**

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday, July 10

10:00 AM – Worship Service – Sanctuary

2:45 PM – Life Group – Online

Tuesday, July 12

6:00 PM – Properties Committee -- Online

Sunday, July 17 (Outdoor Service)

10:00 AM – Worship Service – Front Lawn

2:45 PM – Life Group – Online

The Memorial Carillon is played this week in memory of

Mary Jane McMichael

George Hennemuth

Edward A. & Abbie Graff

GRIEF GROUP

Every 1st and 3rd Thursday, Rev. Dr. Debbie Cerra offers a Zoom Grief Group from 4:00 – 5:00 PM. She can be reached at (856) 912-1202 for more information. This group is open to anyone who has experienced a significant loss.

Parma-South Presbyterian Church

COVID GUIDELINE as of 3-16-2022

The wearing of masks is at the discretion of the individual, please feel free to wear one. Social Distance will continue when seated in the sanctuary. Worship is held in the sanctuary at 10 am on Sundays. Remember, you can join worship livestream at 10 am or recorded after the worship service ends. Service and bulletin are on the church website: www.Parma-South.org. We welcome all to worship with us! For everyone's safety, please worship from home if you are ill.

LIFE GROUP – DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITY!

Join live Zoom feed Sundays starting at 2:45 PM.

Contact John Lahl (440) 725-3239 for more information.

The Caring Team

The Caring Team would like to add a few members. The goal of our group is to bring cheer by a monthly visit, call or sending a card to those in our congregation who are homebound. If you feel called to join our team or have any questions, call or see Norma Fink at (216) 319-5547

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 5:17-26
This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON “The Healer and the Healed” *Rev. Dr. Steve Gorman*

*Affirmation of Faith (responsive)
from Gathered by Love, Lavon Baylor

Thank you, God, for the consolation You offer, the hunger You satisfy, and the healing You produce in us, who claim and respond to Your love. You touch our lives in ways that make us rich. Now use what we have learned to provide fulfillment in the lives of others, near and far. Enlist our best efforts in the extension of your realm, that our offering of ourselves may bear fruit daily. Amen.

HYMN #804 *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!*

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing GTG#546

Lord, dismiss us with your blessing

Fill our hearts with joy and peace

Let us each, your love possessing,

Triumph in redeeming grace.

O refresh us, O refresh us

Travelling through this wilderness.

***THE PEACE** The peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

(Share greetings of Christ's peace with one another.)

***POSTLUDE** *Der KaffeeKlatsch* F. J. Haydn

**Please rise in body or in spirit*

Our lay reader today is **Elder John Lahl**. He has been a member of the church since 1999 and enjoys facilitating the Sunday Life Group. All are welcome to join in the discussion about the sermon of the day. Please contact John Lahl to do so.

**Welcome to
Parma-South Presbyterian Church**

Worship is held in the sanctuary at 10am on Sundays. We welcome those unable to come to the church building, due to illness or concerns over COVID, to join Sunday worship on livestream. This is on the church website:

www.Parma-South.org. Click on “Sunday Worship” to be directed to the link. Please note, that the bulletin can be found on the website as well.

Please share this information with friends and family. We welcome all to worship with us!

Our Mission Statement:

Parma-South Presbyterian Church is a community formed by God that celebrates our identity in Christ and as a blessed people we are called to bless.

Parma-South Presbyterian Church

Changing lives through Christ



July 10, 2022

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

2022 Theme Verse

“This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it”

Psalm 118:24

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