

SUMMER WORSHIP



**East Liberty
Presbyterian Church**

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SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023
10AM IN THE COURTYARD

116 SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE
PITTSBURGH, PA 15206



EAST LIBERTY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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As a diverse community of believers, we strive to follow God – the Creator who calls us, Jesus who teaches us, and the Spirit who empowers us. We show God’s unconditional love by providing a refuge for spiritual growth, ardently pursuing justice, and extending Christ’s radical hospitality to all. (Strategic Vision mission statement, 2011)

JUNE 4 — 10 AM • Trinity Sunday

GATHERING MUSIC *(music printed in bulletin)*

Hymn #2

Hymn #664

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

“Morning Has Broken”

ITALIAN HYMN

BUNESSAN

WELCOME & CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. BJ Woodworth

* SHARING GOD’S PEACE

The Rev. Woodworth

Leader: La paz de Cristo esté con ustedes.

The peace of Christ be with you.

People: Y también contigo.

And also with you.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lenore Williams

Leader: Holiness, Word, Power; you reveal yourself as one God in three persons,

People: May the grace of Jesus; the Love of God and communion of the Holy Spirit fill us and accompany us in our worship this day.

Leader: You are a mighty, creative, life generating dancer who invites your creation to join you.

People: Catch us up in your love and lead us into your world to call others to follow you with singing and rejoicing.

* OPENING HYMN #10 *(music printed in bulletin)*

“Sing Glory to the Name of God”

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION & INTERCESSION

The Rev. Patrice Fowler-Searcy

ASSURANCE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS

The Rev. Fowler-Searcy

Leader: In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we are forgiven and freed. Claim your forgiveness. Rejoice in God’s grace. Respond with love. Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

People: En Jesucristo tenemos perdón.
¡Alaben a Dios!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
Praise God!

SUNG RESPONSE HYMN #6, VERSE 5 *(music printed in bulletin)*

“I Bind Unto Myself Today”

DEIRDRE

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 8

Lenore Williams

MOMENTS WITH OUR CHILDREN

The Rev. Heather Schoenewolf

Children of any age are welcome to come forward for Moments with our Children.

Children in preschool through grade 3 are invited to the Chapel for a time of learning together. Children younger than age 3 are welcome to attend, if accompanied by their parents. Parents and caregivers should meet their children in the back of the Chapel during the Doxology, when children will return to the worship service. The nursery is open to young children under the age of 3. Please note that attendance may be limited based on staff to child ratios, so we can only ensure participation on a first-come, first-serve basis. Parents/caregivers must complete a registration form and sign children in and out of the nursery each day.

* Indicates where you may please rise in body or spirit.

June 4 • Trinity Sunday

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HYMN # 767

“Together We Serve”

SAN ANSELMO

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

The Rev. Woodworth

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Ephesians 4:1-13

The Rev. Woodworth

SERMON

“Living in the Flow of Triune Love.”

The Rev. Woodworth

ELPC GOOD NEWS

Yamuna Morgenstern

OFFERING INVITATION

The Rev. Woodworth

*We offer our gifts in response to God's love, and the grace of Jesus Christ,
which we seek to make known through the ministries of this congregation
You are invited to use the QR code to the right if you would like to make a
donation in support of ELPC. A donation box is also available in the Narthex.*



OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Write your Blessed Name”

K. Lee Scott

Text: Thomas à Kempis

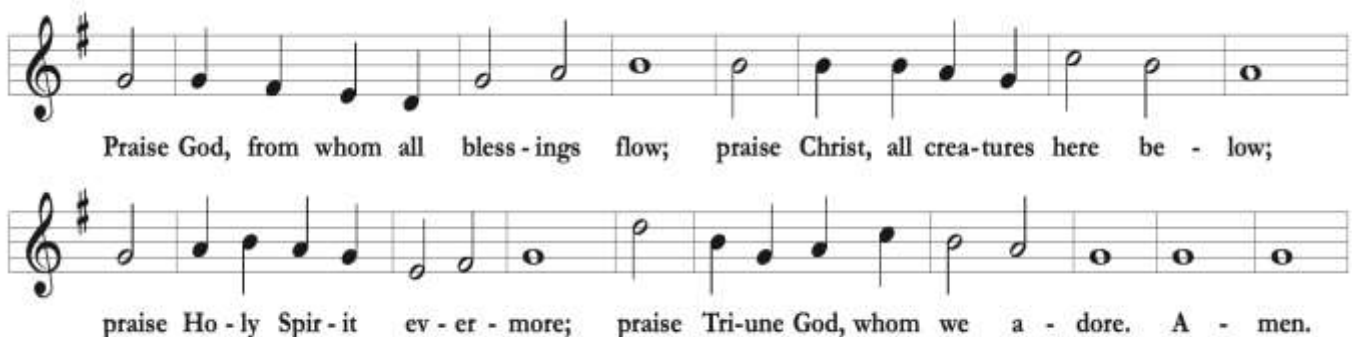
Write your blessed name, O Lord, upon my heart, there to remain so indelibly engraved that no prosperity,
that no adversity shall ever move me from your love.

Be to me a strong tower of defense, a comforter in tribulation, a deliverer in distress, and a faithful Guide
to the courts of heaven through the many temptations and dangers of this life.

O Jesu, my only Savior!
Write your blessed name...
Amen.

* DOXOLOGY AT THE PRESENTATION

OLD HUNDREDTH



* Indicates where you may rise in body or spirit.

— SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER —

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

The Rev. Woodworth

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Rev. Schoenewolf

Leader:	El Señor esté con ustedes.	The Lord be with you.
People:	Y también contigo.	And also with you.
Leader:	Levantemos nuestros corazones.	Lift up your hearts.
People:	Lo tenemos levantado al Señor.	We lift them up to the Lord.
Leader:	Demos gracias al Señor	Let us give thanks to the Lord
	nuestro Dios.	our God.
People:	Es justo dar gracias y	It is right to give God
	alabanzas a Dios.	thanks and praise.
Leader:	Glorious God, everything that is given to us rains forth out of the abundance of your love, even Jesus Christ our Lord. Bless these gifts and our lives together that all we are and all we offer give glory to you! This we pray in the name of Jesus.	
People:	Amén.	Amen.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

The Rev. Schoenewolf

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Rev. Fowler-Searcy
The Rev. Schoenewolf

SHARING BREAD & CUP

The communion elements are gluten-free bread and grape juice. The congregation is invited to come forward by using the center aisle to the communion servers where each may receive the bread and the cup, then returning to their seats via the side aisles to partake of the elements. Those not able to come forward will be served in their seats.

COMMUNION HYMN #510 (*music printed in bulletin*)

“We Gather Here in Jesus’ Name”

COME, SHARE THE LORD

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

The Rev. Woodworth

Three in One God, you have graciously welcomed us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, uniting us with him through the Holy Spirit through this holy meal. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

* CLOSING HYMN #1 (*music printed in bulletin*)

NICAEA

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!”

* CHARGE & BENEDICTION

The Rev. Woodworth

As part of ELPC's mission to extend radical hospitality to all, our full worship service is now being livestreamed on Facebook and archived at www.ELPC.church.

This notice is to inform you that by being in attendance, you give permission for incidences where you appear within the video.

Should you have any questions, please see one of our pastors.

Please silence all electronic devices before the service begins.

◆ PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Preaching: The Rev. BJ Woodworth
Liturgists: The Rev. Patrice Fowler-Searcy
The Rev. Heather Schoenewolf
Lenore Williams
Communion: Bobby & David Egelston
Musicians: Dr. Edward Alan Moore,
Organist/Music Director
ELPC Summer Choir
Beadles: Jo Ellen Aleshire
Heather Eng
Crucifer: Mario Seneca
Sound: Tim Benedict
Wayne Gaines

◆ WORSHIP FLOWERS

Flowers are presented by the Lewand family in **honor of Taylor's marriage to Nicholas DeSandre**, and in loving memory of Lee B. Lewand.

If you would like to sponsor flowers for our weekly worship service in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact Norma (412.441.3800 x111).

Our beautiful arrangements are provided by Bloom Brigade (www.bloombrigade.com).

◆ SUNDAY WORSHIP

10 am..... Summer Worship. Our largest service with a multi-cultural congregation and music from piano and choir and soloists. The service is also livestreamed on YouTube and Facebook. Weather permitting, this service will be held in the Courtyard. Additional seating is available in the Garth Overlook Room if you prefer to sit inside.

◆ WEEKLY SPIRITUAL LIFE OFFERINGS

Taizé: Prayerful Song and Quiet Meditation
Chants and periods of meditative silence modeled after the Taizé community in France. Rev. BJ Woodworth leads this service in the Chapel.

Wednesdays, 7 pm



Prayer Room (*in Highland Ave hallway*)

Come to sit and pray in silence. Come to experience the quiet in the midst of the wonderful busyness.

Available everyday

Cathedral Yoga

Yamuna will lead yoga in-person at 6 pm in the Sanctuary (before the 7 pm Taizé Prayer service).

Wednesdays, 6 to 7 pm

Meditation Hour

Join John Benedict, retired psychologist and practitioner of insight meditation, in the Chapel for an hour devoted to meditation, which includes an opening reading, silent sitting, and walking. All are welcome!

Tuesdays, 6-7 pm

WELCOME VISITORS!

We are grateful to have you join us for worship this morning and ask you to register your name in our red Friendship Books.

To learn more about our programs, church activities and volunteer services, we invite you to also:

Pick up a copy of our newsletter, the *Reaching Out*, either in the Narthex or at the Hospitality Desk near the Highland Avenue doors.

Attend an *Inquirers' Class* to learn more about ELPC, Presbyterian theology, and to explore membership. Contact Megan Leisher to register or for more information (MeganL@coh.net).

Call the Church Office (412.441.3800), or visit the ELPC website at www.ELPC.church.

2 Come, Thou Almighty King

1 Come, thou al - might - y King, help us thy
 2 Come, thou in - car - nate Word, mer - ci - ful,
 3 Come, ho - ly Com - fort - er, thy sa - cred
 4 To thee, great One in Three, e - ter - nal

name to sing; help us to praise:
 might - y Lord, our prayer at - tend.
 wit - ness bear in this glad hour.
 prais - es be, hence ev - er - more!

Fa - ther, all glo - ri - ous, o'er all vic - to - ri - ous,
 Come, and thy peo - ple bless, and give thy word suc - cess;
 Thou who al - might - y art, now rule in ev - ery heart,
 Thy sov - ereign maj - es - ty may we in glo - ry see,

come, and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
 Spir - it of ho - li - ness, on us de - scend.
 and ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of power.
 and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

The author of this Trinitarian text is unknown, but this hymn has proved popular since the middle of the 18th century, partly because of its effective use of biblical metaphors, but also because of the strength of this tune, which was composed especially for these words.

Morning Has Broken 664



1 Morn-ing has bro - ken like the first morn - ing; black-bird has
 2 Sweet the rain's new fall sun - lit from heav - en, like the first
 3 Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing, born of the



spo - ken like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the
 dew - fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweet-ness of the wet
 one light E - den saw play! Praise with e - la - tion; praise ev - ery



morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word!
 gar - den, sprung in com - plete - ness where God's feet pass.
 morn - ing, God's re - cre - a - tion of the new day!

This 20th-century text was created to provide words for this traditional tune named for a small village on the Isle of Mull, off the west coast of Scotland. Through repeated use of "new" and "first," each morning is treated as a re-creation of the promise of the original day.

6 I Bind unto Myself Today

Verse 5

5 Christ be with me, Christ with-in me, Christ be-hind me, Christ be-fore me,
Christ be-neath me, Christ a-bove me, Christ in qui-et, Christ in dan-ger,

Christ be-side me, Christ to win me, Christ to com-fort and re-store me.
Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and strang-er.

(E) (A) (C#m) (B) (F#m) (A) E (C#m) (A) (B7) (E)
G C Em D Am C G Em C D7 G

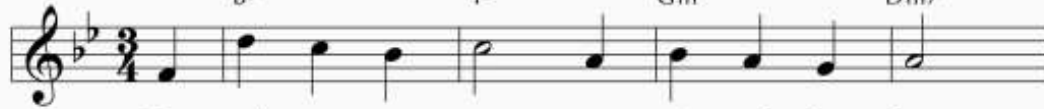
This great Trinitarian text belongs to a Celtic style of hymn known as a *lorica*, from the Latin word for "armor" or "breastplate." In effect, it serves as both a statement of faith and a prayer for God's protection. The two tunes are named for an Irish saint and an Irish heroine.

TEXT: Attr. Patrick, 5th cent.; trans. Cecil Frances Alexander, 1889; alt.
MUSIC: ST. PATRICK: Irish melody; arr. Charles Villiers Stanford, 1902;
DEIRDRE: Irish melody; harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

ST. PATRICK; DEIRDRE
LMD

Together We Serve

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Capo 3: (G)
B \flat (D)
F(Em)
Gm(Bm7)
Dm7

1 To - geth - er we serve, u - nit - ed by love,
 2 We seek to be - come a bea - con of hope,
 3 We wel - come the scarred, the wealth - y, the poor,
 4 To - geth - er, by grace, we wit - ness and work,

(C)
E \flat (G)
B \flat (Am7)
Cm7(Dsus) (D)
Fsus F

in - vit - ing God's world to the glo - ri - ous feast.
 a lamp for the heart and a light for the feet.
 the bus - y, the lone - ly, and all who need care.
 re - mem - ber - ing Je - sus, in whom we grow strong.

(G)
B \flat (D)
F(C)
E \flat (Bm)
Dm

We work and we pray through sor - row and joy,
 We learn, year by year, to let love shine through
 We of - fer a home to those who will come,
 To - geth - er we serve in Spir - it and truth,

(G)
B \flat (C)
E \flat (G)
B \flat (Am)
Cm(D7)
F7(G)
B \flat 

ex - tend - ing God's love to the last and the least.
 un - til we see Christ in each per - son we meet.
 our hands quick to help, our hearts read - y to dare.
 re - mem - ber - ing love is the strength of our song.

The first three words of this text appear in the website address for First Presbyterian Church of San Anselmo, California, for whose centennial the hymn was commissioned. The text draws on Ephesians 4:11-16, a passage describing the many gifts and ministries within the body of Christ.

1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant

4 Ho - ly, - - - ly,

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark-ness hide thee,
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

ho - - - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Much of the imagery of this hymn comes from Revelation 4:2-11, which its author, an Anglican bishop, knew as a reading appointed for Trinity Sunday. The tune, written specifically for this text, reinforces the Trinitarian theme by strong dependence on the D-major triad.

TEXT: Reginald Heber, 1827, alt.

Korean trans. The Christian Literature Society of Korea; Spanish trans. Juan B. Cabrera

MUSIC: John Bacchus Dykes, 1861; desc. David McKinley Williams, 1948

Korean Trans. The Christian Literature Society of Korea

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NICAEA
11.12.12.10

THE TRIUNE GOD

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly!

mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

SPANISH

- 1 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Señor omnipotente,
 siempre el labio mío loores te dará.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Te adoro reverente,
 Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.
- 2 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La inmensa muchedumbre
 de ángeles que cumplen tu santa voluntad,
 ante ti se postra, bañada de tu lumbré,
 ante ti que has sido, que eres y serás.
- 3 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Por más que estés velado
 e imposible sea tu gloria contemplar,
 santo tú eres sólo y nada hay a tu lado,
 en poder perfecto, pureza y caridad.
- 4 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La gloria de tu nombre
 vemos en tus obras, en cielo, tierra y mar.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La humanidad te adore,
 Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.

KOREAN

- 1 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 이른아침우리주를 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다
- 2 거룩거룩거룩 주의보좌 앞에
 모든성도 금면류관 벗어드리네
 천군천사 모두주께 굴복하니
 영원히 위에 계신 주로다
- 3 거룩거룩거룩 주의 빛난 영광
 모든죄인 눈어두워 보지못하네
 거룩하신 이가 주님밖에 뉘랴
 권능과사랑 온전하셔라
- 4 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 천지만물 주의이름 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다

510 We Gather Here in Jesus' Name

Come, Share the Lord

Capo 3: (G) B \flat (D) F (Em7) Gm7

1 We gath - er here in Je - sus' name;
 2 He joins us here; he breaks the bread;
 3 We'll gath - er soon where an - gels sing;

(D) F (Asus) Csus

his love is burn - ing in our hearts like liv - ing flame;
 the Lord who pours the cup is ris - en from the dead;
 we'll see the glo - ry of our Lord and com - ing King;

(A7) C7 (D) F (A) C (D) F

for through the lov - ing Son the Fa - ther makes us one:
 the one we love the most is now our gra - cious host:
 now we an - tic - i - pate the feast for which we wait:

(G) B \flat (D) F (Em) Gm (A) C (D) F *Fine*

come, take the bread; come, drink the wine; come, share the Lord.

(A7) C7 (D) F (G) B \flat (A7) C7 (D) F

(1) No one is a strang - er here; * ev - ery - one be - longs.
 (2) We are now a fam - i - ly, of which the Lord is head.

(G) B \flat (A7) C7 (D) F (Bm) Dm (Em7) Gm7 (Asus) Csus (A) C

Find - ing our for - give - ness here, we in turn for - give all wrongs.
 Though un - seen, he meets us here in the break - ing of the bread.

The center of this text recalls Christ's post-Resurrection meal at Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35), a reminder that the Risen Christ is in our midst when two or three gather in his name (Matthew 18:20) and share a foretaste of the Heavenly Feast (Matthew 26:29/Luke 22:18/Mark 14:25).

TODAY AT ELPC

Pizza in the Park— 11:15am

Families with kids of all ages are invited to gather at the Liberty Green playground following worship. Come make new friends, meet other parents, and enjoy being a church together. See Sara Hackett with any questions.

Passive House Tour

Join the Environmental Team of the Justice Committee on a tour of one of the most energy efficient homes in the region — Passive House-certified Squirrel Hill Duplex, located at 2883 Fernwald Rd. Finished in 2017 by ELPC congregants Lucy de Barbaro and Ayres Freitas, this home reduces heating and cooling by 80% compared to traditional construction, manages all rainwater on site, has a small green roof and is fully powered by solar energy. The home holds a gold label from the National Green Building Standard. There will be something of interest for those well versed in these various environmental initiatives and those new to these topics, and takeaways for your own environmental action at home. The tour will be offered on Today, June 4 at 4 pm. Please text Lucy to indicate your interest and reserve a spot (412.320.0567). Families with children are welcomed.

Today's Deacons-On-Duty (DODs)

Every Sunday, a DOD (*Deacon-on-Duty*) is available to assist with any emergencies that may occur during our services. The 10 am service DOD is Tom Sturgill



Mission Opportunity: OHM's Family TeamWorks Dinners

Open Hand Ministries (OHM) is one of our mission partners serving the neighborhoods near ELPC. We will be supplying food for OHM's TeamWorks dinners four times this year! We are now asking for volunteers to provide side dishes or desserts (to serve 6 to 8 people) for the 6/6 dinner.

TeamWorks is their family development program. They are currently working with about 25 families in neighborhoods near ELPC to achieve their housing and financial goals. The families meet weekly at Eastminster Church to provide support and encouragement to each other and participate in workshops and classes.

Fridays in The Garden-June 9

The Environmental Team and Gardening Crew are hosting *Workdays in the Rain Garden* on Fridays again this summer. Please join them for a morning of weeding, mulching, and fellowship from 9 am to Noon on every SECOND and FOURTH Friday from May through September. Green thumbs are not required—just bring your energy, curiosity, and commitment to our church and community. Contact Don Breitbarth for more info (don.breitbarth@gmail.com)

Youth Feedback for the PNC— June 11, 11:15am

The Pastor Nominating Committee would like to hear what the teens of ELPC are thinking and feeling about our church because your voices are an important part of the search for our new pastor. Join us for lunch after worship to give your insights and ask questions. If you want to be **part of the conversation, but can't make it to the meeting**, let Sara know; we are happy to plan a second conversation. RSVP to Sara at SaraH@coh.net

Summer Solstice Forest Bathing — June 17

Join us in celebration of the Summer Solstice as we take in all the light on one of the longest days of the year. On this 2-hour *Forest Bathing* walk on Saturday, June 17 at Penn Hills Community Park (Colorado St, Verona; park at pavilion) from 9-11 am, you'll be guided on a gentle, mindful stroll. *Forest Bathing* is more than just hiking, it is an immersive sensory experience that allows you to look at the forest differently than before, combining concepts of meditation and mindfulness through a series of guided invitations to allow you to relax and enjoy the moment. The walk ends with wildcrafted tea and light snacks.

Camp stools to sit on will be provided, or you may bring your own chair. In case of rain, please bring an umbrella. *Forest Bathing* in the rain is absolutely lovely. However, the walk will be canceled if thunderstorms are predicted.

If you're curious about what *Forest Bathing* is, check out this short 5-minute documentary: <http://tiny.cc/forest-bathing>. RSVP by June 15 to Norma (412.441.3800 x211).



As a caring congregation of faith, we ask you to remember the following people in your prayers:

Condolences to Doris Dick on the passing of her Aunt Alice, Condolences to the family of Tony Brown who passed away. **Linda Benedict's brother-in-law** and his sister, Dan Eash, Joe Kennedy

Chapel Market: Expanded Hours and Donation Request

The Chapel Market has expanded its hours of operation! It is now open on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month from 5-7 pm, in addition being open every Thursday from 10 am—Noon. The Chapel Market is also seeking **donations of summer clothing, especially children's clothes.** Donations can be left at the Highland Lobby, or dropped off at the Chapel Market during hours of operation.

Registration Open for VCS

ELPC's 2023 Vacation Church School program will take place the week of June 26–30, 9 am–3 pm, for children in pre-K (age 4 and potty-trained) through grade 5 (completed). Our theme this summer is *Changemakers Lab*, a place children will learn that everyone can make a **difference in the world! Through five Bible stories**, we'll explore examples of people who experienced and brought about change in the world around them. (There is currently a waitlist for the Pre-K class.)

We are also looking for teen and adult volunteers to help make our program a success. Visit ELPC.church for more details and to register.

Meditation Hour

Join John Benedict, retired psychologist and practitioner of insight meditation, in the Chapel for an hour devoted to meditation, which includes an opening reading, silent sitting, and walking. All are welcome!

Tuesdays, 6-7 pm

Cathedral Yoga Yamuna will lead yoga in-person in the Sanctuary before the 7 pm Taizé Prayer service.

Wednesdays, 6 to 7 pm

Journey Dance

Enjoy an evening of healthy, energizing, funky and divine dancing on the 3rd Friday of every month (with a few exceptions).

June 16

7:00-8:30 pm (*note new time*)

Volunteers Needed to be Beadles and Crucifers

There are many ways to participate in our worship services! We are currently seeking volunteers to be a Beadle or Crucifer at our 11 am Sanctuary worship service. The duties of the Beadle include processing at the beginning of the service with the Bible, and the Crucifer also processes while carrying the cross. If you would like to help, or have questions about these roles, please speak to one of today's Beadles, or email Mario Seneca (seneca459@hotmail.com).

Interested in Being an Usher or Greeter?

If you are interested in being an usher or greeter on Sundays for our worship service, email Lynne Chadwick at lynnenchadwick@gmail.com

IN OUR COMMUNITY

New Horizon Theater Show—May 25-June 18

Chicken & Biscuits written by Douglas Lyons and directed by Eileen J. Morris is being presented at Lillie Theatre—1300 Bingham Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15203. Can rivaling sisters Baneatta and Beverly bury their father without killing each other? Full of love, a little shade, and really good dish. Playing Thursday–Sundays. For tickets visit newhorizontheater.org or call 412-431-0773.

LAMP and ELPC's LGBTQIA+ Ministry Events — June 25

ELPC is a proud participant in LAMP – LGBTQIA+ Affirming Ministries of Pittsburgh. We are excited to again celebrate Pride in Pittsburgh this summer. We will participate in *People's Pride PGH March and Festival* on Sunday, June 25 in Swissvale. Allies and LGBTQIA+ folks alike welcomed and encouraged to attend. Contact Wil Forrest, LGBTQIA+ Ministry Coordinator (Wil@coh.net; 412.441.3800 x218).

RCC Pride Concert — June 10 and 11- Support the Renaissance City Choir by attending their annual Pride Concert *We Dream A World*. Every June, all eyes turn toward the LGBTQIA+ community. Corporations change their branding to incorporate rainbows as queer people march, demonstrate, and party in celebration of our community. Join the RCC as they sing for justice and stand **up in pride**. This year's **Pride Concert features selections** from Dear Evan Hansen, Kinky Boots, the 2019 feature film *Harriet*, *Considering Matthew Shepard*, and the *Social Justice Songbook*. The performances will be on June 10 and 11 at 4 pm here at ELPC. Tickets are available at www.rccpittsburgh.com. Sunday's performance also has ticketing for live-stream and a *Pay-What-You-Can* option.