



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 30, 2024 — 10 AM SUMMER WORSHIP YOUTH SUNDAY

TIME OF PREPARATION

By the power of your Spirit, speak your Word to us, O God. Show us who you are and who you are calling us to be, for the sake of your Son and our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

GATHERING MUSIC *(music printed in bulletin)*

#267	“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”	MADRID
#654 <i>(sing 3x)</i>	“In the Lord I’ll Be Ever Thankful”	IN THE LORD I’LL BE EVER THANKFUL
#26	“Earth and All Stars!”	EARTH AND ALL STARS

WELCOME & CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. Heather Schoenewolf

* SHARING GOD’S PEACE

The Rev. Schoenewolf

Leader:	La paz de Cristo esté con ustedes.	The peace of Christ be with you.
People:	Y también contigo.	And also with you.

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Variations on a Theme by Rossini” arranged by Frederic Chopin
Mabel Buben, *flute*

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rachel Ammon

Leader:	I wait for God, my soul waits. And in God’s word I hope.
People:	My soul waits for God, more than those who watch for the morning.
Leader:	In faith and hope let us turn to our God, whose love is sure.
People:	Let us worship God.

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

NICAEA

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

CALL TO CONFESSION

Brady Conley

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Brady Conley

Loving God, trusting you does not always come easy – especially when we are faced with the ugliness of the world. We do not always believe that love conquers fear. We are not convinced that power comes through weakness. We can not conceive how you could heal us. Forgive our lack of faith, O God, and renew our trust in you, for we would be disciples of Jesus, in whose name we pray.

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION

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

June 30 • 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SPECIAL MUSIC "Amazing Grace" Brady Conley, *viola*

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS Brady Conley

Leader: If God kept count of all of our sins, who could stand? Rather, with God there is forgiveness; Christ gives us peace. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel!

People: En Jesucristo tenemos perdón. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
¡Alaben a Dios! Praise God!

SPECIAL MUSIC FROM VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

EPISTLE SCRIPTURE LESSON 2 Corinthians 8:7-15 Samantha Brake-Hoffman

MOMENTS WITH OUR CHILDREN Matteo Wilburn

Children of any age are welcome to come forward for Moments with our Children. Children in preschool through grade 3 are invited to the nursery suite for a time of learning together (registration form required). Children younger than age 3 are welcome to attend, if accompanied by their parents. Children will return to the worship service during the Doxology. The nursery is open for play to young children who are accompanied by their parents/caregivers during worship; the service is livestreamed into that space.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM The Rev. Schoenewolf

Presentation of: Emerson Rose Breisinger
daughter of Garrett L. Breisinger and Raegan R. (Neff) Breisinger

Profession of Faith
Act of Baptizing

* HYMN #740 (*music printed in bulletin*) "Lead Me, Guide Me" LEAD ME, GUIDE ME

GOSPEL LESSON Mark 5:21-43 Will Kuchera

HOMILY "Being Beloved" The Rev. Schoenewolf

MESSAGES FROM GRADUATING SENIORS Rachel Ammon, Charlotte Brake-Hoffman
Cody Conley, Sebastian Wilburn

PRAYER OF COMMISSIONING Sara Hackett

TIME OF SILENT REFLECTION

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER The Rev. Schoenewolf

OFFERING INVITATION The Rev. Schoenewolf

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 "A Jubilant Song" Allen Pote

* Indicates where you may rise in body or spirit.

* DOXOLOGY AT THE PRESENTATION #607

OLD HUNDREDTH



Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise Christ, all crea-tures here be - low;
praise Ho - ly Spir - it ev - er - more; praise Tri-une God, whom we a - dore. A - men.

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & DEDICATION

Charlotte Brake-Hoffman
Samantha Brake-Hoffman

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 nuestro Dios.	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People:	Es justo dar gracias y alabanzas a Dios.	It is right to give God thanks and praise.
Leader:	Most holy God, who hears our prayers and answers them, and gives us more than we can ask or imagine, accept these offerings and use them to your glory, that even now we might imitate your coming reign of justice, peace and love, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.	
People:	¡Amén!	Amen!

* CLOSING HYMN #377 (*music printed in bulletin*)

HOUSTON

“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”

* CHARGE & BLESSING

The Rev. Schoenewolf



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. Heather Schoenewolf
Liturgists: Rachel Ammon
Charlotte Brake-Hoffman
Samantha Brake-Hoffman
Brady Conley
Cody Conley
Sara Hackett
Will Kuchera
Matteo Wilburn
Sebastian Wilburn
Musicians: Ryan Croyle, *Guest Conductor / Keyboard*
ELPC Summer Choir
Mabel Buben, *flute*
Brady Conley, *viola*
Sound: Tim Benedict and Wayne Gaines

◆ SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP TIME

Water is available in the Highland Lobby.

◆ WORSHIP FLOWERS

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 x211). The cost is \$75 a Sunday during our summer worship schedule with one arrangement. *Our beautiful arrangements are provided by Bloom Brigade (www.bloombrigade.com).*

◆ SUNDAY WORSHIP

10 am.....Summer Worship. Our weekly service with a multi-cultural congregation and music from piano and choir. Additional seating is available in the first floor Garth Overlook Room for those who prefer to worship indoors.
July 7 — The Rev. Erin Angeli, Associate Pastor for Queer and Neighborhood Ministry at Commonwealth of Oakland. Music by the Journey Praise Team.

◆ WEEKDAY WORSHIP

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

◆ WEEKLY SPIRITUAL LIFE OFFERINGS

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.

Wednesdays, 6 to 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. Please see one of the Pastors to attend, or contact Jen King for more info on future classes (JenniferK@coh.net; 412.441.3800 x222).

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

#267 — COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

1 Come, Chris - tians, join to sing: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
2 Come, lift your hearts on high: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
3 Praise yet our Christ a - gain: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Loud praise to Christ our King: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Let prais - es fill the sky: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Life shall not end the strain: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Let all, with heart and voice, be - fore his throne re - joice;
He is our guide and friend; to us he'll con - de - scend;
On heav - en's bliss - ful shore his good - ness we'll a - dore,

praise is his gra - cious choice: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
his love shall nev - er end: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
sing - ing for - ev - er - more: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Like many other hymns of praise, this text was originally addressed to children but has been embraced by adults as well. Although the tune's repetitive elements suggest folk origins (possibly with alternating groups of singers), no specific source has been identified.

#654 — IN THE LORD I'LL BE EVER THANKFUL (*sing 3x*)

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of three systems of music, each with a vocal line and a bass line. The lyrics are: "In the Lord I'll be ev - er thank - ful; in the Lord I will re -
joyce! Look to God; do not be a - fraid. Lift up your
voic - es; the Lord is near. Lift up your voic - es; the Lord is near." The score includes various musical notations such as chords, eighth notes, and a triplet of eighth notes in the second system.

This refrain from the ecumenical monastic community at Taizé, France, is meant for repeated singing. A wonderful quilt of psalm-like phrases, it would be appropriate at any time but the concluding emphasis on the nearness of the Lord makes it especially fitting for use in Advent.

TEXT: Taizé Community, 1986
MUSIC: Jacques Berthier, 1986
Text and Music © 1991 Les Presses de Taizé (admin. GIA Publications, Inc.)

IN THE LORD I'LL BE EVER THANKFUL
Irregular

#26 — EARTH AND ALL STARS!

1 Earth and all stars! Loud rush - ing plan - ets!
 2 Trum - pet and pipes! Loud clash - ing cym - bals! Sing to the
 3 En - gines and steel! Loud pound - ing ham - mers!
 4 Knowl - edge and truth! Loud sound - ing wis - dom!

Lord a new song! Hail, wind, and rain! Loud blow - ing
 Harp, lute, and lyre! Loud hum - ming
 Lime - stone and beams! Loud build - ing
 Daugh - ter and son! Loud pray - ing

snow - storm!
 cel - los! Sing to the Lord a new song! God has done
 work - ers!
 mem - bers!

mar - vel - ous things. We too sing prais - es with a new song!

This lively text was written for the 90th anniversary of St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota. Echoing Psalm 98, it is a prime example of a 20th-century hymn style based on phrases rather than complete sentences. The exuberant tune was created expressly for these words.

#1 — HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY!

Descant

4 Ho - 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

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

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 lumbre,
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 누구
권능과사랑 온전하셔라
- 4 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
천지만물 주의이름 찬송합니다
거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
성삼위일체 우리주로다

#740 — LEAD ME, GUIDE ME

Capo 1: (D)

Refrain

Lead me, guide me, a - long the way, for if you
 lead me, I can - not stray. Lord, let me walk each
 day with thee. Lead me, O Lord, lead me.
 I am weak and I need your strength and power to help me
 o - ver my weak - est hour. Help me through the dark-ness your
 face to see. Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Guitar chords: (D), E^b, (A7), B^b7, (Em), Fm, (A), B^b, (D), E^b, (A7), B^b7, (D), E^b, (A7), B^b7, (Em), Fm, (D), E^b, B^b7, C7, (Em), Fm, (D), E^b, (A7), B^b7, (Em), Fm, (D), E^b, (D7), E^b7, (Em), Fm, (D), E^b, (A7), B^b7, (D), E^b, to Refrain

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

This African American gospel hymn can well be understood as an updated adaptation of Psalm 5:8, with the "enemies" of the psalm treated as the pressures and temptations of daily life. As with the psalms, the "I" here is understood to express a shared communal experience.

#377 — I WANT TO WALK AS A CHILD OF THE LIGHT

1 I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to fol - low
2 I want to see the bright-ness of God. I want to look at
3 I'm look-ing for the com - ing of Christ. I want to be with

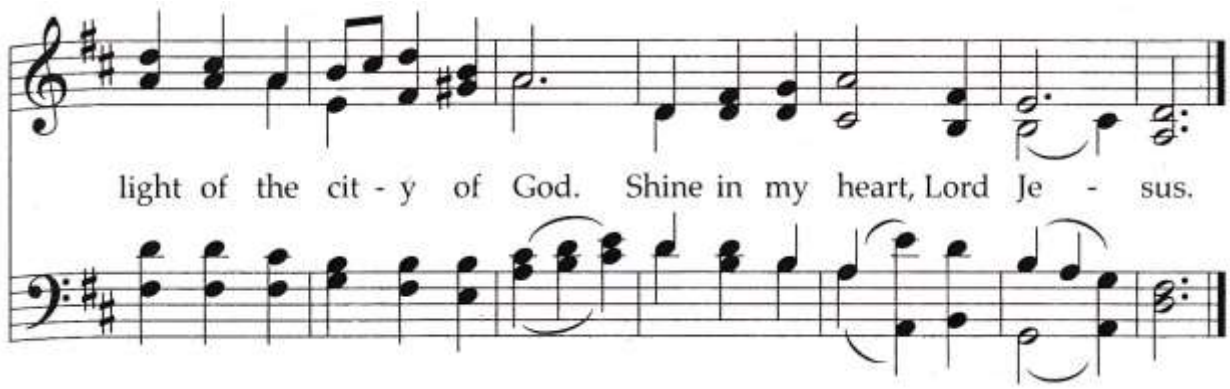
Je - sus. God set the stars to give light to the world. The
Je - sus. Clear Sun of righ-teous-ness, shine on my path, and
Je - sus. When we have run with pa-tience the race, we

Refrain

star of my life is Je - sus.
show me the way to the Fa - ther. In him there is no dark-ness at
shall know the joy of Je - sus.

all. The night and the day are both a - like. The Lamb is the

The author/composer of this unrhymed hymn regards it as a meditation and prayer deeply rooted in many scriptures, most connected with the theme of light: Genesis 1:17; Psalm 139:12; Isaiah 60:19; Malachi 4:2; John 14:8; Ephesians 5:8; Hebrews 12:1-2; 1 John 1:5; Revelation 21:23.




light of the cit - y of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.



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TODAY AT ELPC

Youth Sunday

This morning we celebrate the gifts of our church's youth and recognize the accomplishments of our graduating seniors, who are leading our 10 am service.

Today's Deacon-On-Duty (DOD)

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

People's Pride PGH 2024 March & Festival

ELPC is marching with LAMP at the People's Pride PGH 2024 March and Festival today in Wilkinsburg. Please join the Festival after today's worship service!



OHM House Rehab Workdays – Wednesdays

Help us work with Open Hand Ministries to renovate their current property and make it available to a qualified and deserving family! We're now in the construction phase, where the house will begin to take shape and look like a home. Volunteers are needed on Wednesdays, 9 am-3 pm. No special skills are needed and lunch is provided! Contact Frank Bauerle for details (frbauerle@yahoo.com).

ELPC Connections: Fridays @ Frick – July 12

Join ELPC's *Connections Group* for the Fridays @ Frick concert on July 12. Music will be provided by Living Dream. The lawn opens at 5 pm; music starts at 6:30 pm. The concert is free, but a \$5 adult donation is suggested. Bring a lawn chair or blanket. Pack a meal for yourself or buy food from the vendors. Come enjoy music and each other's company. RSVP to connectelpc@gmail.com.

LGBTQIA+ Ministry Spiritual Gathering – July 14

You are invited to attend our LGBTQIA+ Ministry's Spiritual Gathering on Sunday, July 14 at 11:30 am. Join us and share conversation and lunch. Allies and LGBTQIA+ folks alike welcome! Contact Wil Forrest to attend or for more info (Wil@coh.net; 412.441.3800 x218).

See Dr. Ed in Concert – July 14

Dr. Ed Moore will be playing a concert on Sunday, July 14 at 4 pm at Ingomar United Methodist Church (1501 West Ingomar Rd, 15237), as part of their summer recital series. A freewill offering will be accepted. The concert will also be live-streamed on the church's YouTube channel.



Middle School Service Week at Crestfield – July 22 to 26

Youth in grades 6–8 are invited to Crestfield Camp for *Service Adventure Camp*, combining adventure with local missions and service opportunities from Monday, July 22 through Friday, July 26. Campers will be sent out to local non-profits to learn about and assist those agencies. Youth from multiple churches around Pittsburgh will be working and playing together. The cost is \$400; scholarships available. Contact Sara Hackett for info (SaraH@coh.net).

Mission Trip & Pilgrimage to Washington, D.C. – Aug 4 to 9

Students who have finished grade 7–12 are going to Washington, D.C. to stay at the Friends Place, a Quaker guest house and learning center just blocks from our Nation's Capitol from Sunday, Aug 4 to Friday, Aug 9. The cost for the week is \$450; scholarships available. Contact Sara (SaraH@coh.net).

Welcome to Jen King

New Administrative Assistant to the Pastors

Jen is from the South Hills of Pittsburgh where she lives with her husband, 16 year old daughter, and a 5 year old tabby cat. Jen has served a PC(USA) congregation in the South Hills and worked in her home church, an ELCA (Lutheran) congregation for 11 years. Jen is a part-time graduate certificate student at PTS and will complete the *Adaptive and Innovative Ministries* program in Sept. In addition, she is a trained lay-leader in the ELCA, and serves on their local judicatory board.

Jen can be reached at extension 222; and her email is JenniferK@coh.net. Welcome, Jen!

We also extend thanks to Gloria Knopp, who had been serving in an interim role for the last few months, and just finished out the month of June. Thank you, Gloria!





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

Tim Benedict,
Carol Chontos' cousin Glenn,
Martha DeMarzi's friend Ilene,
Doris Dick's sister-in-love Kerry,
Sam Ditka's friend Doug,
David Jennings Smith,
Libby Parker's husband Dwaine,
Vivienne Selia's friend Martha,
Pastor Heather Schoenewolf's mother,
and Dan Thompson.

Condolences to Martha DeMarzi on her friend's passing.

Condolences to Peg & George Patterson on his sister's passing.

Condolences to the families of Malawian Vice President Saulos Chilima, former first lady, and eight other Malawians who died in a plane crash.

No Committee Meetings This Week

The church will be closed on Thursday, July 4 in observance of the holiday.



The Sacrament of Letting Go Retreat – Sept 27 to 29

We glibly advise others and admonish ourselves to “let go” of the patterns that no longer serve us well and the concerns that continue to haunt us, but it doesn't seem to be quite that easy...in fact, if it was, we would! The desire to let go comes from deep within us and what it is that we are being invited to let go of is often obscured. Nature understands and is a ready guide.

Whether you embrace the season of fall or are an autumn struggler, join us at Villa Maria from Sept 27-29 to open yourself up to the bittersweet beauty and the invitations autumn has for you, and receive a liberating measure of divine grace. We will be led by Lynn Holden, a spiritual director, professional counselor, and founder of Cultivating Awareness, where she creates and holds space for individuals and groups as they awaken to a Greater Reality. Registration will be open soon! Contact Pastor BJ Woodworth (BJW@coh.net) for details.

Donations for Chapel Market

The Chapel Market is in need of men's shorts, pants, underwear and socks. Donations can be left at the Highland Lobby.

In our

COMMUNITY



RCC PRIDE Concert “Why We Sing!” – TODAY!

Join the Renaissance City Choir at 4 pm today in the ELPC Sanctuary for their final performance of the *PRIDE: Why We Sing* concert, featuring a world-première piece written by choir member Amy Vermillion with music by Artistic Director, Dr. Kym Scott. Live streaming will occur, as well as a pay what you can option. Accessibility questions may be emailed to accessibility@rccpittsburgh.com. Visit RCCPittsburgh.com to purchase tickets and for more info.



“Antiracism as a Way of Being”

Video Series – Begins July 15

The Anti-Racism Transformation Team (ARTT) of the Pittsburgh Presbytery is sponsoring *Antiracism as a Way of Being*, a six-module/six-hour video series developed for NEXT Church, a network of leaders across the PC(USA), and presented by Crossroads Anti-Racism Organizing and Training. This online option is the equivalent of the ‘part 1’ workshops presented to Pittsburgh Presbytery previously. Completion of the six modules (by those that did not attend the April ‘24 or Nov ‘23 workshops) allows for participants to follow up, if they choose, to attend the ‘part 2’ workshop, *Dominating White Ways*, that will be presented on Oct 25 (4-8 pm) and Oct 26 (10 am-2 pm) this year.

Part 1 is online, self-paced, and available to view from July 15 to Oct 15. There will be six optional, one hour Zoom gatherings at 7 pm with fellow Pittsburgh Presbytery participants to process and reflect on each of the modules the following Mondays:

July 29, Aug 12, Aug 26, Sept 9, Sept 23, Oct 7

This is free to members of Pittsburgh Presbytery. For more info, contact arttpittsburgh@gmail.com. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/241693812350051> by July 10.

Donations Requested for Second Avenue Commons

Second Avenue Commons, the year-round, low-barrier shelter in downtown Pittsburgh, is requesting emergency donations due to a three-alarm fire that broke out on the roof of their building.

Some needed items include snack donations (pre-packaged peanut butter and jelly sandwiches; grab-and-go cereal bars and trail mix bars; beef jerky; electrolyte/sports drinks or packet mix-ins; bottled water); new clothing donations (for both men and women, all sizes); slides or flip flop sandals; backpacks that zip and duffel bags that close. Monetary donations can be made on their website at:

<https://donate.pittsburghmercy.org/secondavenuecommons>