

LOOKING UPWARD - GROWING INWARD - SERVING OUTWARD

Growing Inward

*Processional Hymn "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" See Screen

Gathering for Worship

Prelude

*Call to Worship Beth Patterson

One Voice: Sing glory to God in the highest heaven.

All Voices: The king is coming!

One Voice: Even if we keep silent, the rocks will shout it out.

All Voices: The king is coming! One Voice: The king is coming!

All Voices: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

*Hymn "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" See Screen

Prayer of Confession See Screen

Sustainer of the weary, we know how we sang for joy when Christ came into our lives, and how we have not followed him when he leads us on this journey. We have hidden our faces from the pain and suffering of our world. We have turned a deaf ear to the cries of the poor, the hungry, the oppressed. We trust in the slick promotions of the world, and not in your words that can transform our lives.

Forgive us, Steadfast God, and shine your face upon us. Help us to have the same mind as Christ, so we would know your promises; help us to have the same heart as Christ, so we might serve your children; help us to have the same Spirit as Christ, so we might go wherever you lead us.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response

"Sunday's Palms Are Wednesday's Ashes" See Screen

Assurance of Grace

One Voice: All who call on the name of the Lord are answered.

All Voices: There is nothing to fear.

One Voice: The Lord stands beside you to help. **All Voices: God's steadfast love endures forever.**One Voice: This is the day that the Lord has made!

All Voices: Rejoice and be glad.

April 13, 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: Beth Patterson

Sound: Dan Schafer

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

Flowers: The Sanctuary flowers today are given by the Johnson and Filer families to the glory of God and in celebration of the baptism of Susana Clare Filer.

A Congregation of the



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

Sacrament of Baptism

Susana Clare Filer

*Saying What We Believe (The Apostles' Creed)

Pastor: Do you believe in God the Father Almighty?

People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Pastor: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered

under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, and he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Pastor: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

People: 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.

Baptismal Welcome "Child of Blessing, Child of Promise" See Screen

Scripture Reading Luke 19:28-40

Message Through Music Holy Week in Song

"The Holy City", Stephen Adams

"On the Passion of Christ", David H. Williams
"Up From the Grave He Arose", Robert Lowery

Serving Outward

Offering and Offertory

*Doxology

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

*Hymn "Rejoice the Lord Is King" See Screen

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response "Farewell, Good Friends!" See Screen

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Postlude

Chancel Choir

Soprano: Shirley Bollich, Leslie Friedrich, Valerie Harelson, Judy Shamp,

Bethel Strawser, Hellen Wang

Alto: Karen Davis, Patsy Jackson, Sue Master, Donna Partee, Carol Schneider,

Tenor: Steve Ballard, Roger Mowell, David Timms, Steve Allred **Bass:** Bobby Agosto, Ben Lyles, Morriss Partee, Jim Patterson,

Instrumentalists

Steve Allred, trumpet; Andy Gans, tympani/cymbal; Shawn Heller, organ;

Phil Johnson, tuba; Paige Wright, trombone

Pray for the People of Pines

Sara Anderson
Lynda Barr
Jean Breitenwischer
Barbara Caffall
Carolyn Craig
Elizabeth Deraps
Sharon Dotson
Janan Plush
Beth Sibley
Nancy Watler
Darlene Wendt
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.

A Stephen Ministry



Congregation

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Calendar for the Week of April 13, 2025

Sunday — Palm Sunday		
9:15 am	Sunday School	
10:45 am	Worship — Easter Cantata	Sanctuary
12:00 pm	Potluck Lunch and Egg Stuffing	Fellowship Hall
12:00 pm	Trustees' meeting	C10
2:30 pm	NAMI	C3
4:00 pm	Pickleball	Gym
6:00 pm	Youth	Youth Rooms
Monday		
12:00 pm	This Week at Pines to Dan	
12:00 pm	Worship Committee meeting	C10
6:00 pm	Preschool Committee meeting	C3
7:00 pm	Pickleball	Gym
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	Offsite
<u>Wednesday</u>		
10:00 am	Meditation Class	Prayer Room
1:30 pm	Weekly Prayer Team	Prayer Room
5:45 pm	Pines Pealers	C12
7:00 pm	Chancel Choir rehearsal	Choir Room
7:30 pm	Westside AA	C3
<u>Thursday</u> — Maundy Thursday		
6:30 pm	Maundy Thursday service w/ communion	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry	Parlor
7:00 pm	Pickleball	Gym
8:00 pm	AA Group	C3
Friday — Good Friday		
5:30 am	Bible Study Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm	Good Friday service	Sanctuary
<u>Saturday</u>	Footon Front book	Danders ID I
9:00 am	Easter Egg Hunt	Bendwood Park
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6:30 am	Sunrise service	Bendwood Park

April Agape - The Mission of Yahweh Help Clothe the Children of The Mission of Yahweh MISSION OF THE MONTH BOARD **OUTSIDE FELLOWSHIP HALL.** New Clothing is a REAL Treat **SHOP AND DROP THE** and an Ego Booster! **NEW CLOTHES IN THE MISSIONS BOX** OR PLACE A CHECK IN THE OFFERING PLATE, **Suggested Stores:** BRING IT TO THE OFFICE OR Target | Walmart Visit us at GO TO PINESPC.ORG OR ZELLE JCPenney | Macy's pinespc.org (NOTE: "MOY AGAPE") T.J.Maxx

Sanctuary

Next Newsletter articles due April 18. Today's Duty Elder: Roger Mowell

Sunday School

Worship

9:15 am

10:45 am

SERMON NOTES

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> > Instagram: Instagram.com/ Pineshouston

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Session

Class of 2026

Linda Aldred Shirley Bollich Emily Gairo Donna Partee Tim Timmons

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

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW UPWARD, INWARD AND OUTWARD

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

Fellowship Hall restroom renovations continue. Please use the west door entrance into the Fellowship Hallway.

Pickleball has started this week! Open play Monday 7-10pm and Thursday 7:30-10pm and next Sunday 4-10pm. Sign up at pickleheads.com

The Explorers Sunday School class has begun a new five-week Lenten study, <u>He Chose the Nails</u>, by Max Lucado.

Learn the gift of Meditation! Join Cheryl Gans as she leads a group class in meditation on Wednesdays at 10am throughout the month of April. If you have never taken a meditation class before, Cheryl will walk you through this wonderful opportunity to center yourself and find an inner peace. Come join us in the Prayer Room to learn how, and the health benefits associated with meditation.

Each gift to One Great Hour of Sharing supports efforts to relieve hunger through the Presbyterian Hunger Program, promote development through the Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People, and assist in areas of disaster through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. All three programs work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope. Look for giving envelopes in the pews .

Pines Preschool is hosting its Spring Parent U in Room C3 at 9:15 am on Wednesday, April 16. Diane Goyette, M.A., will be speaking on "The Brain-Body Connection: A New Way to Understand Challenging Behaviors." Whether your child is 3 or 43, all parents and grandparents could find Diane's insights very helpful! Contact Connie at (713) 467-9358 if you have any questions.

