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OPPORTUNITIES 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.

In need of someone to talk to? If you want to know more about getting a Stephen Minister, please contact Bill Willis or call the church office.

Flowers: Don't forget to honor with flowers. The cost is \$75.00 for the Sanctuary and \$50.00 for the Narthex. We will continue to offer the option to give to a benevolence or order a real arrangement. Please contact Melissa Gravett or Linda Aldred by calling the church office.

There will be a Congregational Meeting following Worship on February 6th for the purpose of Electing Elders to the class of 2025. The slate of nominees are Linda Johnson, Susan Babineck, Sharon Dotson, Chris Wolfe, Walter Penberthy.

Incarnation will meet tonight as a drive-in Worship on the backing paring lot.

Please Remember...when you leave the building, please turn off the lights and A/C or Heating for your room. Leaving these items on is a costly expense for your church home. Also, if you find you need to move chairs or tables to a different order than you found them in, please return them to the way you found them when you entered the room. This will allow the next group meeting to find the room in the same condition as you found it. Thank you for your help!

Youth Conclave at Cho-Yeh Feb 18-20

Who: All youth 6-12th grade

When: Meet Pines at 4:30pm Friday return to Pines at 3pm Sunday

How Much: Cost is \$150 but Pines sponsors half! (\$75 with registration forms) (if you do not go we humbly ask you to donate the remainder as it is non refundable) We will also cover transportation costs or any incidentals outside of fast food stops for meals

What: A special time with God, others and a beautiful setting to have fun while being stretched in

our faith!

For registration forms contact kristin@pinespc.org

Forms along with money are due to Kristin by February 6th.

Valentine's Bake Sale—Coming Sunday morning on Feb 13: Youth Sponsored Bake Sale!

All proceeds support summer mission to Tulsa Oklahoma! We need bakers to donate their specialty baked good items. Individually wrapped ready for sale is preferred OR please get to church by Saturday morning (Feb 12th) 10am (on cart by front office) for preparation. Please mark your pans with your name for return and have a note if special dietary such as gluten free or nuts included. AND save the date to purchase and enjoy all the congregations many talents! Makes great Valentines Day gifts as well as supports a great cause. Please let Kristin know what you plan to donate so we can plan appropriate variety. Something for everyone!

Ushers Needed! The Worship Committee is seeking volunteers to serve as ushers during Worship services. Please contact the Worship Committee Moderator, Connie Sipp, for more information.



Growing Inward

Prelude

Gathering for Worship

Introit

*Call to Worship

One Voice: This day is holy to our God; do not mourn or weep.

All Voices: The Spirit of the Holy One is upon us to bring good news to the poor.

One Voice: This day is holy to our God; for the joy of the Holy One is

our strength.

All Voices: God sends us to proclaim release to the captives,

recovery of sight to the blind, and justice to the

oppressed.

One Voice: On this day, may the scripture be fulfilled in our hearing: All Voices: May the words of our mouths and the meditations of

our hearts be pleasant to you, Holy One, our rock and

our redeemer.

*Hymn "Live into Hope" See Screen

Prayer of Confession

One Voice: Rock and redeemer, you call us to remember that we

are all members of one body in your Spirit.

All Voices: Forgive us when we do not embody your love.

when we speak harshly to one another, and when we judge others in our hearts.

One Voice: Together, we drink of the one Spirit,

and share in the same love that makes us one.

All Voices: Reclaim us when we refuse to hear your word when

spoken by those who do not look or sound as

we expect.

One Voice: Remind us that when one of your creatures suffers,

all of creation suffers.

All Voices: Renew us when we forget that we are one body, one

family of our heavenly creator.

Silent Confession

Confessional Response

"You Are Mine"

See Screen

Assurance of Grace

One Voice: Hear the good news: God heals our illusion of

separateness and makes us one and whole. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

All Voices: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

January 23, 2022

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 with the Ushers.

Sound: Ron Strawser

Liturgist: Craig Walker

*All who are able may stand

A congregation of the



Looking Upward

Children's Message

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.

First Reading

Luke 4:14-21

Anthem

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:12–31a

Sermon

"Indispensable"

Rev. Andy Gans Ker

*Hymn

"Called as Partners in Christ's Service"

See Screen

Call to Discipleship

Confirmation Class Commissioning

Serving Outward

*Saying What We Believe Belhar Confession

We believe in the triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, who gathers, protects and cares for the church through Word and Spirit. This, God has done since the beginning of the world and will do to the end.

We believe in one holy, universal Christian church, the communion of saints called from the entire human family.

We believe that Christ's work of reconciliation is made manifest in the church as the community of believers who have been reconciled with God and with one another; that unity is, therefore, both a gift and an obligation for the church of Jesus Christ; that through the working of God's Spirit it is a binding force, yet simultaneously a reality which must be earnestly pursued and sought: one which the people of God must continually be built up to attain.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Offering and Offertory

*Doxology

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

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

*Hymn

"We Are All One in Mission"

See Screen

*Charge & Benediction

Pray for the People of Pines

Norma Bender
Jean Breitenwischer
Barbara Caffall
Virginia Smith
Carolyn Craig
Liz Buelow
Karen MacAllister

Darlene Wendt
Bruce Wendt
Larry Greenlee
Linda Carlson
Melissa Sandstrom
Nancy Watler

Pray for Friends in Mission

Joy Kreider Ken and Judy McDyer

Pray for Pines Members and their family in the Military

Olivia Williams (Army) Noah Youngflesh (Air Force) Jackie Hayre (Navy)

Prayers for the family and friends of Pines member Barbara Youngflesh.

Barbara passed away on January 5th. Funeral Services will be held on February 20th at 2 p.m.

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 debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.

Amen.

A Stephen Ministry



Congregation

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Calendar for the Week of January 23, 2022

Today	p.m.	12:00 3:00 5:00 6:00	Confirmation Lessons - N18 Oberammergau Meeting - Fellowship Hall Incarnation Worship on the back parking lot Youth Group
Monday	a.m. p.m.	10:00 4:00 6:30 7:30	Office Staff Meeting - C10 This Week at Pines articles due Session Meeting - C3 ALANON Group - Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	a.m. p.m.	7:00 1:00 2:30	Men's Bible Study - Zoom Pines Needles Knitting Group - Prayer Room Weekly Prayer Team - Prayer Room
Wednesday	a.m. p.m.	9:00 5:45 7:00 7:00 8:00	Bulletin Articles Due Pines Pealers (Bell Practice) - C12 Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room Incarnation practice - Sanctuary Westside AA - Fellowship Hall
Thursday	p.m.	1:00 6:30 7:00 7:00 8:00	Lectionary Bible Study Stephen Ministry Training - Parlor Space City Singers - Fellowship Hall Stephen Ministers - C10 AA - C3
Friday	a.m.	5:00	BSF - Fellowship Hall
Saturday	a.m. p.m.	9:00 6:00	CE Retreat - C3 & Sanctuary The Solution AA - C3
Sunday	a.m.	9:00 9:15 10:00 10:15 10:45 12:00 5:00	Nursery open Adult Sunday School - Fellowship Hall Choir rehearsal - Choir Room Coffee - Fellowship Hall Worship Service - Sanctuary Confirmation Lessons-youth area Incarnation Worship Service
		6:00	Youth Group

March Newsletter: Input must be in the office by February 18th at 9 a.m. to cindy@pinespc.org

Next Week's Bulletin: Submit to the office by Wednesday at 9 a.m. to Chelsea@pinespc.org

Calendar Items: Input must be in the office by Thursday at 9 a.m.

This Week at Pines email: Input must be in the office by Monday to micah@pinespc.org

Today's Duty Elder(s): Violet O'Brien

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Our Worship services are recorded and livestreamed.