

Where could I go from your spirit?

Psalm 139:7



CALVARY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2022

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship †* Kenny Elliott

Opening Hymn †* “All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name” — #154 UMH

Opening Prayer † Kenny Elliott

Community Greetings †

Children’s Message

Prayer Hymn * “Have Thine Own Way, Lord” — #382 UMH

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer * #895 UMH

Scripture * Psalm 139

Special Music

Gospel * Luke 14:1, 7-14 NRSV

Sermon “Where Can I Go?”, Pastor Shane Siciliano

Offering Our Gifts and Tithes

Doxology †* “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” — #94 UMH

Offering Prayer †

Closing Hymn †* “Sent Forth by God's Blessing” — #664 UMH

Benediction †

Postlude †

** Words are listed on screen / † Please stand as you are able*

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Immediate Needs

Hailey Mickens and Family — Hailey, Brittany Bova-Mickens' daughter was admitted to Children's Hospital two weeks ago. She is home now, but please continue to pray for Hailey, Brittany, Aaron, and their family as Hailey continues her recovery at home.

Laura & Dan (sister/brother-in-law to Joan Mialki) — both have Covid

Denny (friend of Jane Skerl) — knee surgery recovery

Jenalee Morris — personal loss

Father of Liz Martinez — heart attack, surgery

Kim Ferguson (Karen Ferguson's sister) — cardiac issues

Tricia Magee (friend of Larry and Pam Hopkins) — Cancer

Tom (friend of Anne Christianson) — cancer diagnosis and recovery from pneumonia

Lori McDonough (relative of Venus) — health concerns

Juan Martinez's Grandmother — diagnosed with inoperable tumor, now in hospice

Milliner Family (friends of Brittany Bova) — Father overdosed

Samara Smith-Hopkins — mass in breasts

Friend of Mark Snyder — cancer has returned

Kathleen (friend of Brittany Bova) — broken hip and surgery

Joshua (Brian Burns' cousin's son) — brain tumor

Jane Wederich (Ellen Homitsky's aunt) — heart problems

Danny (Bova's cousin) — continued recovery with lungs

Kathy (Christine Thomas's sister) — recovering from stroke

Kate (Christine Thomas's niece) — needs a kidney

Ongoing Prayer Concerns

Martha Helmreich — recovering at home

Christine Thomas — recovering at home

Paul Brucker — ongoing health struggles

Joan Jessep — tumor on her brain

Joan Sturtz — caring for Bill

Randy & Danny — bone marrow transplant

Dan Souza — cancer

Tom Smith — cancer

How Can We Pray For You?

If you have a prayer request or a joy that you would like to be lifted up, you can either fill out the "PRAYER REQUEST" card in the back of the pews and place it in the offering plate, or contact the church office directly at 412-231-2007, or you can complete the new "Prayer Request Form" on the Calvary website at calvarypgh.com/contact/prayer-request.php. The information on this form goes directly to the clergy of Calvary UMC. We treat these concerns in a private and confidential manner (unless otherwise directed), respecting the privacy of individuals as the requestor directs us.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Finance Committee Meeting: Today, Sunday, August 28 at 12:15pm in the Chapel

Lay Leadership Committee Meeting: Monday, August 29 at 6:00pm in the Parlor

Trustees Meeting: Sunday, September 4 at 12:15pm in the Chapel. Please tell Tammy Phillips or Pastor Shane if you need to call in.

Church Council Meeting: Thursday, September 15 at 6:00pm in the Chapel

Social Justice Ministries Task Force Informational Conversation: Sunday, October 2 at 12:15pm in the Chapel

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Northside Commons Food Pantry Needs—Reusable Grocery Bags: These bags can be bought at the grocery stores you frequent, Target, Dollar Stores and any cloth bags you have accumulated as gifts from charities you have donated to--many of us have these bags laying around our homes. These bags will be collected through the end of Sept. There is a hot pink, labeled box found in the Chapel area. On behalf of the Mission Committee we thank you for your continued support!

Some general information about the Northside Food Pantry Advisors:

- The UMC Union has fiscal sponsorship of the Food Pantry.
- The pantry serves about 150 families per week.
- It serves residents located in the 15212, 15214 and 15233 zip codes.
- If you wish to make a tax deductible donation you can make out and mail a check to: Northside Food Pantry Advisors, P.O. Box 100086, Pittsburgh, PA 15233

School Supplies: School supplies are available in the chapel if you need them. Please help yourselves!

Sunday Morning Bible Study to Begin September 25th: A new bible study will be starting up soon on Sunday mornings. Please stay tuned for more information over the upcoming weeks.

Blessing Bag Donations Needed—A message from the Children & Youth Committee: For Bible School we made blessing bags. We are asking the congregation to help make donations for the bags. The following items are needed: socks, granola bars, small bottles of water, toothbrush and toothpaste, small hand sanitizers, masks, small bags of nuts, chapstick, and feminine products. Please bring your items to church and place in the chapel near the Sunday School room.