



Silver Spring Presbyterian Church

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Sunday, June 28, 2026

5th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:00 am

Please silence your cell phone.

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

+WELCOME

Austin Shoop

MUSIC FOR ADORATION

“Sicilienne”

Bach

+*CALL TO WORSHIP

BJ Lopez

L: God, who is forever faithful, calls us to place our faith in him.

P: **We trust in God’s steadfast love; our hearts rejoice in his salvation.**

L: Even in the wilderness of our testing, the Lord provides a way and calls us by name.

P: **God is our refuge and strength; the steadfast love of the Lord never ceases.**

L: In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,

ALL: Let us worship God!

+*HYMN #10

“Sing Glory to the Name of God”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

BJ Lopez

Almighty God of Grace, in your great mercy you promise forgiveness of sins to all who sincerely repent and place their trust in you, and in you alone. Have mercy upon us; we pray. Pardon and deliver us from all our sin, strengthen our faith that we might obey your Word, and bring us to new and everlasting life with you, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(Continue in Silent Reflection and Confession)

KYRIE—HYMN # 551

“Lord, Have Mercy”

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

BJ Lopez

- L: The proof of God's amazing love is this: though we are all sinners,
P: **Christ died for us, Christ was raised for us, Christ reigns in power for us, and Christ prays for us.**
L: The old life is gone;
P: **Our new life in Christ has begun!**
L: Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.
ALL: Alleluia, amen!

+*RESPONSE TO PARDON, #39

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee. Thou changest not; thy compassions they fail not. As thou hast been, thou for every wilt be. Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see. All I have needed thy hand hath provided. Great is thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

+* PASSING THE PEACE

BJ Lopez

- L: Now, as those who know God's peace in Jesus Christ, let us share his peace with one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
P: **And also with you!**

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Austin Shoop

FIRST READING

Romans 8:31-39

BJ Lopez

SECOND READING

Genesis 22:1-14

Rev. Dr. Don Wahlig

SERMON

"Our Faith, God's Faithfulness, Part 4:
God and Isaac"

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Safe Within Your Arms" Words & Music by Mark Hayes
Janet Schrader, Soprano soloist

INSTALLATION & ORDINATION OF OFFICERS

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

*Doxology, Hymnal #606 "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.

SENDING IN THE SPIRIT

*HYMN # 686

"God of Our Life"

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

*MUSICAL RESPONSE #541, v.1

**God be with you till we meet again; Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd's care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again.**

POSTLUDE

"Spirituoso"

Scarlatti

**Please rise in body and/or spirit*

+Latecomers will be seated

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Installation of Session Members: *Jim Bogar, John Brown, *Charlie Dagino, *Josiah Montgomery, *Heather McCarthy, Barb Wiggin, Lilly Taylor (Youth Session Rep.)

Elders Rotating Off: Jim Anderson, Bob Davis, Ellen Frey, Gary Karkuff, Cheryl Moore, Carol Service

Installation of Deacons: Jenny Bell, Claudia Brown, Lois DeHart, Susan Evans, *Kate Flessner, Susan Hudson, Tracy Katshir, Angie Katzenstein, Shannon Leary, Beth Vipperman, *Beth Wahlig, Jayme Whittle (Youth Deacon), Beth Winters, Kathy Yinger

Deacons Rotating Off: Cindy Corbin, Betty Hawk, Christa Lenk, Shawn Marshall, Melanie Pepperman, Deb Pfaff, Mary Jane Voigt, Matthew Wieseman

*To be ordained

The chancel flowers are given by Don and Chris Winning,
in memory of their parents,
Ray and Carolyn Winning and Will and Joan Griffith.

Hearing-assist devices are located at each entrance of the Meeting House.

To assist those who for some reason must leave the sanctuary during the worship service, a video-camera link broadcasts the service to the Chapel.

WE THANK THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE FOR THEIR SERVICE THIS WEEK

Ushers: Tim and Barb Wiggin **Liturgist:** BJ Lopez
Deacon Servers: Eleanor Resser and Melanie Pepperman
Downtown Daily Bread July 3rd: Pat and Angie Katzenstein

WEEKLY SSPC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 28, 2026

Volunteer Needed!

We are looking for a Gathering Snacks Coordinator effective July 1st. Our sincere thanks to Cindy Corbin for coordinating snacks the last several years. Please contact BJ Lopez if you are interested. There is a signup sheet in the Gathering Place for the next quarter snacks or sign up on Realm.

Adult Forum and Sunday School Room 204, starting at 10:10 am

This week we continue our Rob Bell video series, the video this week is called "Tomato Selfless." It talks about death and resurrection. See you there!

Youth Church, Pre-K/K Church and Intergenerational Choir are on summer recess.

Monday Bible Study – July 6th: All are invited to this unique study. We meet 1 pm to 3 pm, every first and third Mondays of the month, in Room 204.

Wednesday Bible Study

We will meet each week in the Parlor from 1-3 pm. We are currently studying a Max Lucado book. All are invited. Come and Learn!

Men's Bible Study July 14th, 7:00 pm: For the summer we will meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month in Room 204.

For the next session we will be studying Prayer Like Jesus, a video by Pastor Gary Hamrick, based on the Gospel of Mark. We will discuss afterwards. Contact Scott Pepperman with any questions.

Vacation Bible School: August 3-7, 2026

Registration for VBS is now closed. If you want your child to be put on a waiting list, please contact Pastor Lisa. VBS is for children turning 3 (must be completely potty-trained), and older children entering PreK-5th grade in the fall. There is a \$25 registration fee per family.

If you are interested in helping in any way, contact Pastor Lisa or Scott Pepperman, co-chair of Christian Education. We need help with food, decorations, crafts, music, and of course teaching!

The CE committee is collecting newspaper and brown paper bags for VBS.

Please bring your recycled newspapers and brown paper grocery bags and put them outside Lisa's office. Thanks so much! We will be making paper mâché items for VBS on Sunday, July 5th after the Gathering in Room 112 downstairs. Bring a bagged lunch and we will enjoy spending some time making the planets! We will make homemade paper mâché mixture, which includes water, salt and flour.

NEW! Self Defense Class offered July 11th

Sensei Lisa Chase and her teacher, Sensei Rich King will offer a free Self-defense class to members of SSPC on July 11th: For Seniors (65 and up), 2-3:00 pm; for Women and Girls, 3:30-4:30 pm. Come learn something new! We need you to sign up either on Realm, or in the Gathering Place. If using Realm, go to Registration Event and then make the appropriate time slot selection.

Faith Walk Update: If you are planning to walk and pray with Pastor Lisa on weather-permitting Fridays from 9:30 – 11 am, please note that she **will not be able to meet on the following days: July 3.**

Wine-Tasting Group - July 11th

We will meet next on Saturday July 11 at 5:00 at the home of Mike and Nancy Gawlas (612 S. Market St., Mechanicsburg). As usual, please bring an appetizer to share and we do split the cost of the wines among those who are there. Please RSVP to Nancy at nmgawlas@gmail.com asap. There is also a sign up sheet in the Gathering Place.

Dining Out Group - July 14th

The July lunchtime gathering will be at Morning Fuel - 4890 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg, on Tuesday, July 14th, at 11:30. If you wish to attend, please sign up on or before Sunday, July 12th. There is a sign up sheet in the Gathering Place or contact Bob Davis at 717-805-5251 or bobdavis110@gmail.com. We hope you will join us!

CORE Youth: No Core Youth Group this evening!

Ready for a striking good time? All youth in 6th through 12th grade are invited to our Core Day Out at Trindle Bowl this Sunday, June 28, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM! Meet us at the Core entrance at 3:45 PM for an unforgettable afternoon of faith, fun, and friendly competition before we head back to the church by 6:15 PM. I hope to see you there!

New Hope Ministries: Needs for JUNE include: ketchup, mustard and mayo. Items can be placed in the bin outside the Chapel. Thank you for your support!

Save the Date for Many Voices, ONE SONG!

Sunday, August 30, 2026, 4:00 PM - Hosted by Second Presbyterian Church, 528 Garland Drive, Carlisle. Planned by the Presbytery of Carlisle.

Guest Preacher: Rev. Cecelia "Cece" Armstrong, Co-Moderator of the 226th General Assembly

Outstanding Music: Unity vocal choir, Unity Bell Choir, Unity Youth Choir, Hallelujah Chorus Sing-Along

Food and Fellowship before and after Worship, special gatherings for children & youth

YOU are invited to sing in the Many Voices Unity Choir, Ages 8-98!

See the signup link in the weekly announcements. Call Tracy Wieseman at 717-395-4121 or email her at tracy@silverspring.org if you have a problem signing up online. Music will be provided to those who sign-up.

Register early by July 20th to help us get organized! Or register no later than August 22nd! The Many Voices Unity Choir will sing 2 anthems and Handel's Hallelujah Chorus.

REHEARSAL: Saturday, Aug. 22 @ 10am-12pm @Second Presbyterian Church (528 Garland Dr., Carlisle)

- Rehearsal to help you prepare for worship.
- Children and Youth will get a separate rehearsal with Michelle DiBona Trefren, then will combine with the full ensemble.
- Attendance is not required, though we encourage participation for the full community experience! Practice tracks will be provided to all.

Feed My Starving Children (FMSC)

This past March, 30 SSPC volunteers joined Turning Point Church (TPC) Mechanicsburg to pack 233,280 meals for El Salvador—enough to feed 639 children daily for a year. Since 2018, over 6,800 volunteers have packed 1.5 million meals with TPC. SSPC will host a mini mobile pack later this summer; details to come.

Fall Faire - October 24, 2026

The Fall Faire committee – a dedicated group of wonderful Deacons, are looking for beautiful items to sell in the Boutique area. If you are looking to downsize, or you have things you need to get rid of, we'd love to take a look at any accessory items and furniture, such as lamps, side tables, small sofas, paintings, chairs – and have first dibs on what you want to get rid of before you do anything else with them. Please contact Pastor Lisa, who will then schedule with the FF team to come and look at the items first. Please note that for the White Elephant section, we are no longer taking glassware or small appliances. We will begin taking donations the first week of September.

Earth Care –

By the end of this century, hotter nights could cost the average person roughly 16 hours of sleep a year. The children set to lose the most rest are concentrated in regions least able to cool down. For more info: <https://earth911.com/home-garden/climate-change-is-stealing-our-sleep-and-the-economic-impact-could-reach-the-trillions/>

Prayers of healing and comfort:

Carol Boyer, Roxanne Dagino, Carol Gebert, Margaret Glockner, Angie Katzenstein, Ron Kutz, Pat Miller, Rich Morelli, Betsy Neilson, Judy Perrine, Chris Sebring, Jim and Harriet Shoop, Ruth Stoll, Millie Swatt, Tanya Wagner, Amy Wentz, Chris Winning

Prayers for sympathy: Chad Hall for the death of his mother; Bill Moore for the death of his mother; Gary Karkuff for the death of his mother; Kris Carpinello for the death of her mother.

Prayers for our Military Members & First Responders: Olivia Chase, Jacob Flenner, Wyatt La Pointe, Justin Ledvina, Josiah Scandle, Chloe Scott

New Baby!

We rejoice with Maura Campomizzi on the recent birth of her daughter Capri Isabella Campomizzi, June 10th. 9 lbs, 20.5 inches long. Congratulations!

ATTENDANCE

| June 14 | June 21 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 11 am Combined Service - 100 | 9 am Traditional – 87 YouTube - 91 |
| YouTube – 53 | 11 am Gathering - 55 YouTube - 20 |
| | Sunday School - 15 |

CHURCH STAFF

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Rev. Dr. Donald B. Wahlig | Senior Pastor/Head of Staff |
| Rev. Lisa S. Chase | Associate Pastor |
| Tracy Wieseman | Director of Music |
| Erica Ickes | Organist |
| Ryan Edwards | Worship Tech Specialist |
| Emily Cocores | Preschool Director |
| Austin Shoop | Youth Director |
| Diane G. Rabold | Business Manager |
| Priscilla Biller | Office Manager |
| John Clegg | Sexton |

We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.

Our Mission is to love and praise God, love and nurture our church family, and love and serve our neighbors,

through worship, prayer, fellowship, education, hands-on work, financial support and compassionate care,

in order to follow Jesus and make known the Kingdom of Heaven.

Our Vision is to be a grace-filled family of faith sharing Christ's love with all.

Our Values:

Glorify God: Glorify and praise God through discipling, sharing faith and serving with love

Show Compassion: Compassion expressed as care and concern for all

Share Hospitality: Inclusive hospitality through welcome, acceptance and fellowship

Nurture Relationships: Nurture relationships through respect, support and communication

Steward God's gifts: Faithful stewardship of all God's gifts



Soli Deo Gloria

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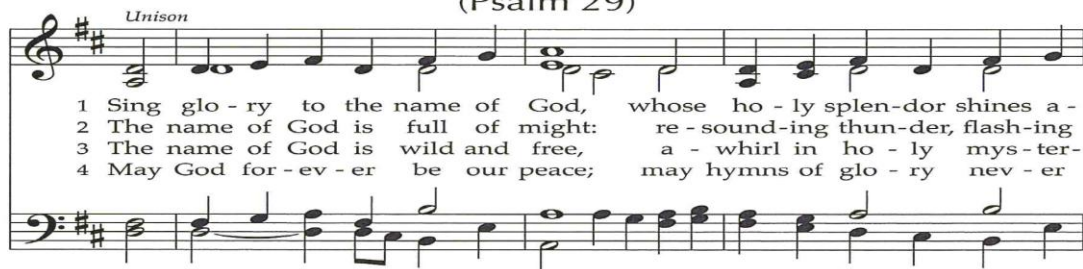
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10 Sing Glory to the Name of God

(Psalm 29)

Unison



1 Sing glo - ry to the name of God, whose ho - ly splen - dor shines a -
2 The name of God is full of might: re - sound - ing thun - der, flash - ing
3 The name of God is wild and free, a - whirl in ho - ly mys - ter -
4 May God for - ev - er be our peace; may hymns of glo - ry nev - er

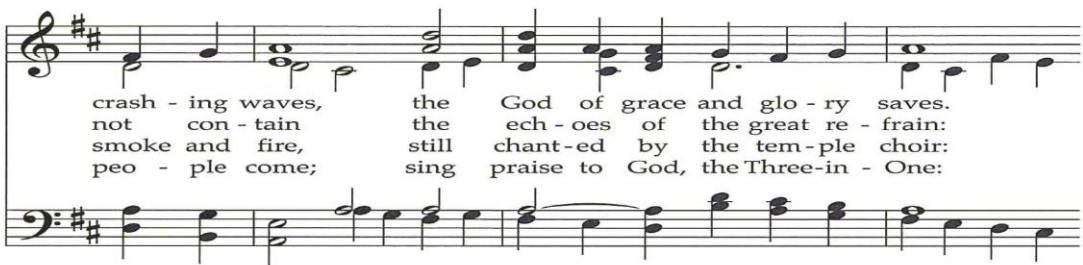
Harmony *Unison*



broad.
light.
y.
cease:

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

En - throned a - bove the
The wil - der - ness can -
A se - cret wrapped in
Let all the faith - ful



crash - ing waves, the God of grace and glo - ry saves.
not con - tain the ech - oes of the great re - frain:
smoke and fire, still chant - ed by the tem - ple choir:
peo - ple come; sing praise to God, the Three - in - One:

Harmony



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia,

Unison



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

God of Our Life

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1 God of our life, through all the cir-cling years, we trust in thee.
 2 God of the past, our times are in thy hand. With us a - bide.
 3 God of the com - ing years, through paths un-known we fol-low thee.

In all the past, through all our hopes and fears, thy hand we see.
 Lead us by faith to hope's true prom-ised land. Be thou our guide.
 When we are strong, Lord, leave us not a - lone. Our ref-uge be.

With each new day, when morn - ing lifts the veil,
 With thee to bless, the dark - ness shines as light,
 Be thou for us in life our dai - ly bread,

we own thy mer - cies, Lord, which nev - er fail.
 and faith's fair vi - sion chang - es in - to sight.
 our heart's true home when all our years have sped.