

## **SHAWNEE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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*The Shawnee Presbyterian Church Radio 104.9 FM is broadcast 24/7*

### **The Session**

**Clerk of Session – Barbara Dickinson**

#### **Class of 2020**

Kevin Mays\*  
Barbara Dickinson  
Gail Scott\*

#### **Class of 2021**

Karl McDannell  
Michelle Siptroth  
Linda Jennings\*

#### **Class of 2022**

Pete Ferguson\*  
Cathy Klingler\*  
Vince DellaFera\*

### **The Deacons**

**President - Christine McDannell**

#### **Class of 2020**

Christine McDannell  
Sharon Murphy  
Debby Mays\*

#### **Class of 2021**

Steve Clemmons  
Nancy Fish  
Stefan Poci

#### **Class of 2022**

Ginny Sodano\*  
Connie Meyer  
Diane Bowman\*

\*Eligible for a Second Term

### **Staff Members**

**Custodian.....Steve Walston**

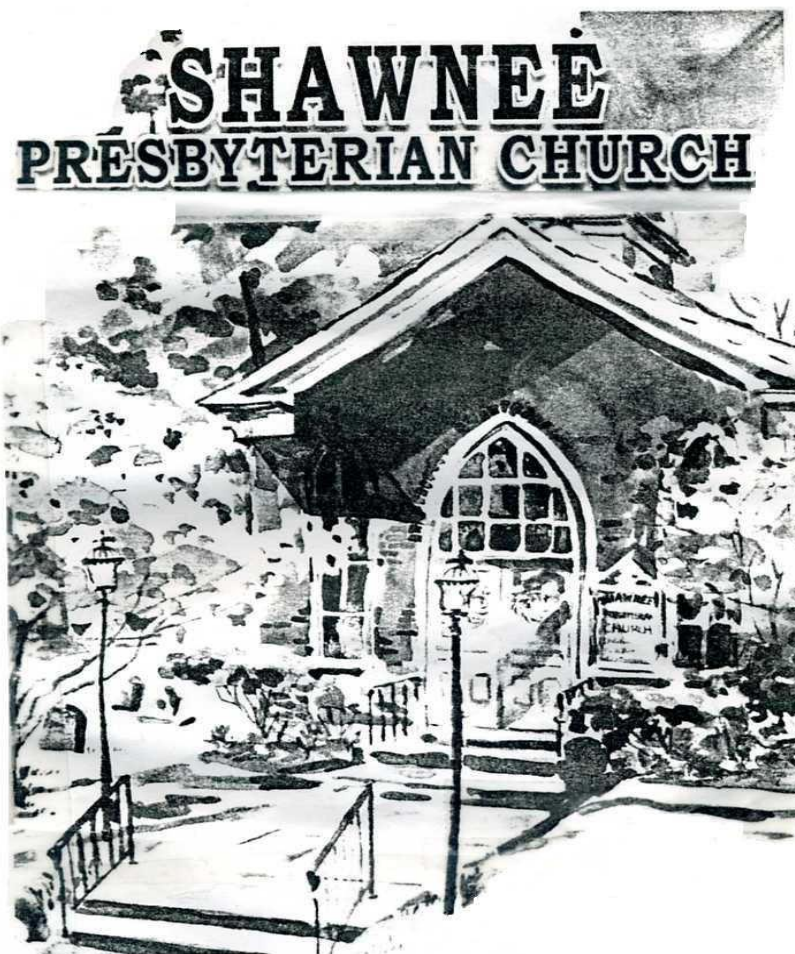
**Ministerial Assistant .....Lori Siegle**

**Music Director.....Midge McCloskey**

### **Chairpersons: Please contact them about serving or helping.**

Buildings and Grounds Committee – Lee Bower  
Cemetery Committee – Jon Kirkwood  
Christian Education Committee – Kate Kirkwood  
Church Life Committee – Maggie DellaFera  
Finance Committee – Cathy Klingler  
Financial Secretary – Lori Siegle  
Hostel Committee – Barbara Dickinson  
IT Committee – Steve Walston

Nominating Committee – Nancy Fish  
Personnel Committee – Michelle Siptroth  
Presbyterian Woman – Maggie DellaFera  
Radio Ministry – Vince DellaFera  
Sign Committee – Mike Sodano  
Stewardship Committee – Linda Jennings  
Treasurer – Pete Ferguson



### **Mission Statement:**

***“To be a friendly congregation where all people can freely come and worship, experience family fellowship, feel the presence of God’s love in a historical and recreational setting, and be a beacon of God’s light to the world.”***



**“Providence”**

Rev. Darcy Hawk

10:00 AM

September 20, 2020

*Almighty God, we pray for your blessing upon your church. May all feel welcome. Here may the faithful find salvation, and the careless be awakened. Here may the doubting find faith, and the anxious be encouraged. Here may the tempted find help, and the sorrowful comfort. Here may the weary find renewal. Here may all find inspiration; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

***Please speak and sing softly as we rejoice and worship today. Thank you for your cooperation and flexibility! \*Stand if comfortable.***

**PRELUDE**

Olivia Gambill

**CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)**

**Ps. 100: 1, 2, 5**

Pastor: Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth!

**People: Worship the Lord with gladness!**

Pastor: Come into God's presence with singing!

**People: Enter the courts of the Lord with praise!**

**MUSICAL INTERLUDE**

Olivia Gambill

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)**

**Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgement. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.**

**PERIOD OF SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**1 John 1:9**

Pastor: If we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**People: The Lord's name be praised.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI** “Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, ‘tis now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.”

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

**Exodus 16:2-15**

*Please see insert.*

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**MESSAGE: “Providence”**

**\*APOSTLES' CREED** *(in unison -Traditional)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the (body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION**

**\*THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(in unison – Traditional)*

Our Father who are 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. Amen.

**THE OFFERING and MUSIC MINISTRY**

*(Offering baskets are located at the rear of the sanctuary for your gifts and offerings.)*

**\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE** – “*God Is So Good, God Answers Prayer*”  
*(Outside in parking lot, weather permitting!)*

**\*POSTLUDE**

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

## Exodus 16:2-15

<sup>2</sup>The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. <sup>3</sup>The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.” <sup>4</sup>Then the Lord said to Moses, “I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not.” <sup>5</sup>On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days.” <sup>6</sup>So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, “In the evening you shall know that it was the Lord who brought you out of the land of Egypt, <sup>7</sup>and in the morning you shall see the glory of the Lord, because he has heard your complaining against the Lord. For what are we, that you complain against us?” <sup>8</sup>And Moses said, “When the Lord gives you meat to eat in the evening and your fill of bread in the morning, because the Lord has heard the complaining that you utter against him — what are we? Your complaining is not against us but against the Lord.” <sup>9</sup>Then Moses said to Aaron, “Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, ‘Draw near to the Lord, for he has heard your complaining.’” <sup>10</sup>And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. <sup>11</sup>The Lord spoke to Moses and said, <sup>12</sup>“I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, ‘At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.’” <sup>13</sup>In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. <sup>14</sup>When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. <sup>15</sup>When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, “It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat.”

## Announcements      Sunday, September 20, 2020

**Welcome to Shawnee Presbyterian Church!** If you are visiting us for the first time, please sign the Guest Register located in the Narthex. We're glad you've decided to join us today!

**Prayer Concerns** - Tim Bowman, Debbie Caputo, Matthew Caputo, Jil Hawk, Linda Jennings, Matthew, Lani, and Scarlett McDannell, Mary Resh (Grace Park), Kiki Pollack, Mike Sodano, Brian Tompkins, Mary Wolbert. We pray for the peace of Christ for the whole world and people suffering because of violence. If you have a prayer request, please either provide information via a Prayer Card or email the Church Office at shawneechurch@verizon.net

**Per Capita Offering** – Please submit your per capita offering (\$39.10 per person), as soon as you can. For those of you whom have already turned this in, thank you! We are required to submit this to The Lehigh Presbytery on an annual basis in support of the many forms of assistance they provide. Please be sure to designate this offering either in the memo field of your check, or by using the specially prepared blue offering envelope.

**Shawnee Presbyterian Church Annual Rummage Sale** – Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's rummage sale a success! We could not have done it without you!

### Shawnee Presbyterian Women:

- ❑ **Luncheon** – Please join us for a time of fun and fellowship on **Tuesday, September 22, noon**, at the Pavilion at Shawnee Inn. Bring a chair, your lunch and a beverage; dessert will be provided. RSVP not required, but if you have any questions, please contact Maggie at 570-460-3466!
- ❑ **Shoe Drive** – We are asking for your help in donating gently-used foot ware to a Shoe Drive sponsored by **Girls on the Run**, a non-profit organization that encourages positive navigation through life skills, confidence building, and physical activity specifically for young girls. Drop your donations in the bins located in the Narthex or the back entrance of the CE building. Any questions, please contact Maggie at 570-460-3466!

**Sunday School during Church:** In-person Sunday School has been cancelled until further notice. On-line options are being explored. Information will be shared as soon as it becomes available!

**Restrooms** are located across the street in the CE building.

**A.E.D.** An Automatic External Defibrillator (**A.E.D.**) is located across the street in the CE building next to the front doors.

**Shawnee Inn & Golf Resort** welcomes everyone to free concerts, every Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm at the Shawnee Inn and Golf Resort.

**Food Pantry** – If you're able to support this important outreach, please consider donating the following items: fruit, pasta, mac and cheese, drink boxes, canned chicken, white and brown rice, salad dressing, noodles, cereal, pancake mix, syrup, and paper towels. Please see Ginny Sodano if you can provide coupons, store gift cards or monetary donations for the Food Pantry. Thank you!

**Reminder - Open Meeting Policy.** All are welcome to attend any meeting of organizations of our church. Meetings may be held in the CE building or via ZOOM; notification will be provided closer to the meeting date.

**The Tree of Life Campaign** was established to sustain the Church Building and the Life of the Shawnee Presbyterian Church. You may place a leaf in honor or in memory of a loved one and 100% of your proceeds will go into the Tree of Life Fund. Engraving is Free. You may select a Green Leaf (\$200.00), Bronze Leaf (\$500.00), Silver Leaf (\$1,000), Gold leaf (\$2,000) or a Dove (\$3,500). Forms are available in the back of the church. You can also make installment payments. Thank you for your support!

**Weis Tapes** -The Presbyterian Women collect register tapes from Weis. This is their largest fundraiser. Receipts must show the date of purchase and can be left in the narthex, in the baskets at both entrances of the CE building, or given to Maggie Della Fera.

**Cemetery Fees** - Single Burial Plot - \$400.00, Double Burial Plot - \$800.00, Single Cremation Plot - \$400.00 (space for 2 cremations), Opening Fee for Burial - \$200.00, Opening Fee for Cremation - \$100.00. For more information or to volunteer for our Cemetery Committee, call the Church Office at (570) 421-5518.

**Name Tags:** If you do not have a name tag in the Narthex and would like one, please fill out the name tag form in the Narthex & we will make you a name tag.

**Happy Birthday:** Mary Horn 9/4, Steve Clemmons 9/6, Dan Siptroth 9/8, Mike Sodano 9/10, Kathy Darr 9/11, Nan Needham 9/13, Ginny Sodano 9/13, Dixie Wilson 9/13, Steve Walston 9/14, Christy Sulinski 9/22, Bonnie Frock 9/23, Gus Fleck 9/24, Audrey Rooth 9/24, Amy Albert 9/25, Nelka Poci 9/25, Chris Ross 9/25, Gail Scott 9/28, Chris McClosky 9/29, Bev Waring 9/30.