



Shepherd of the Hills

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

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April 28, 2024 9:30am



The mission of Shepherd of the Hills is to join God's work in our neighborhood to share Christ's light and hope and to demonstrate His love and mercy. We follow Christ's example of coming not to be served, but to serve, and in that way, we strive to live out our beliefs.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

***WORSHIP IN SONG**

Peak Harmony

Come As You Are
Hymn of the Holy Spirit

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

CELEBRATION OF FORGIVENESS

Gloria Parti

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OFFERTORY

Peak Harmony

Nearer My God to Thee

Mason/Adams, Arr. Stevens

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Doxology

SERMON

Rev. Matt Syrdal

John 2:1-5; 15:1-8

"True Vine"

John 2-12 is often called the "book of signs," miraculous events and stories that point to the deeper mysteries of life hidden in plain sight—in the words and actions of Jesus. We will explore one such event, mirrored in a later teaching to his disciples surrounding vineyards and wine and the secret of who Jesus really is, what he offers to the world. We will consider how to live what Carl Jung called a 'symbolic life' as Christians that can offer hope and meaning in our community and world today.

PRAYER

***WORSHIP IN SONG**

Peak Harmony

Like the Murmur of Dove's Song

#285 Glory To God Hymnal

***BENEDICTION**

*Please stand in body or spirit

CCU Peak Harmony Vocal Ensemble

Peak Harmony Vocal Ensemble is a select small ensemble that studies and performs a wide variety of pop and jazz styles including contemporary a cappella, CCM, jazz standards, rock, pop, blues and more.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

- ◆ **NURSERY CARE** will be provided during worship today.
- ◆ **KIDS' CONNECTION/SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets today.
- ◆ **GOSPEL OF JOHN BIBLE STUDY** meets today after worship in the Library.

UPCOMING

- ◆ **CHOIR AND BELL REHEARSAL** Wednesday May 1 at 6:15pm for Bells and 7:15pm for Choir. New members are welcome anytime. Child care provided upon request.
- ◆ **GRIEF GROUP** Tuesday May 7 at 3:30pm in the Library.
- ◆ **CAREGIVERS SUPPORT** Thursday May 9 at either 10:30am or 7:00pm. Both are on Zoom.
- ◆ **NEIGHBORHOOD ELECTRONICS RECYCLING** Saturday May 11 from 9:00am—1:00pm in the SOTH parking lot.
- ◆ **BRING-A-FRIEND SUNDAY** May 19th. Invite a friend or neighbor to church for this special Sunday. We will have a Potluck Brunch immediately following worship.

More information about upcoming events can be found on our webpage at <https://www.soth.net/events>



Flowers this morning are provided by Heather Cameron in honor of the birthdays of Elisa Cohen and Nicole Young.



ELECTRONIC & METAL RECYCLING

SAT, MAY 11 9AM - 1PM

Shepherd of the Hills Presbyterian Church

11500 W. 20th Ave, Lakewood 80215



The Sustainable Neighborhoods of Applewood, Eiber and Morse Park are teaming together with the support of 3R Technology Solutions to bring another recycling event to the hood.

You will be able to recycle most electronic items which plug in or run on batteries and all sizes of metal from bent nails to refrigerators to swing sets.

The event is FREE except for a \$30 fee per TV or tube monitor, regardless of size. Cash or credit card will be accepted.

In addition, your neighbor volunteers who are organizing this event greatly appreciate any cash donations you would like to make. Your generous contribution helps support sustainable neighborhood projects & activities such as this event.

This event is open to ANYONE on the planet wanting to recycle.

Examples of Accepted Items:

Batteries, Computers/laptops**, Cameras, CD players, Cell Phones, Desktop phones/systems, Copiers, Monitors (flat screens free), TVs/Projection TVs, DVDs, VCRs & DVRs, Fax machines, Hard drives, Hubs, MP3 players, Keyboards, Mice, Modems, Network switches, Optical drives, Printers, Remote control routers, Servers, Software, Surge protectors, Toner, Adding machines, Typewriters, Power/charging/cable cords, Gaming consoles/software, Stereos/speakers, Two-way radios, Christmas tree lights, Small appliances, Bikes, Restaurant appliances, Washer/dryers, Kitchen appliances, Refrigerators, Stoves, Dishwashers, BBQ's, Fence stakes, Metal furniture.

NOT ACCEPTING: thermostats, smoke/co2 detectors, light bulbs

UPCOMING SERMON SERIES

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024

"Complete Joy"

John 15:9-17

Matt Syrdal, preaching

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024

"Belonging"

John 17:6-19

Matt Syrdal, preaching

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday, 9am to 1pm

Pastor Matt Syrdal is off on Thursday

Pastor Heather Cameron is off on Friday

Holly Meiklejohn is off Friday

Arwen Pond is in the office:

Monday-Thursday 9am to 1pm, Friday 8am to 12pm

GENEROSITY CORNER

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LEADING IN WORSHIP

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

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