

## Welcome to Overbrook Presbyterian Church

We are glad you are worshiping with us this morning!

### Notes on Today's Service

If you are a visitor, we invite you to fill out a card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

### Leading Worship Today:

The Rev. James Lappen- Guest Preacher

Lay Leader: Mary Scott, Toffer Mihalka, Tenor

Minister of Music: Dennis Elwell



### The Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God...

Sara Davis - in memory of Walter & Elizabeth Davis

### Childcare -

Is available during the worship service. Worship is for all ages, but should your infant or preschooler become restless during worship, excellent child-care is provided in our nursery.

### Worship Kits For Children-

Are available at the front entrance to the Sanctuary.

### Large Print Hymns are Available -

Please speak to one of the ushers if you have special needs.

### Ushers:

Robert Harden, Jr., Davorka Sabljak, Aimerie Scherluebbe,  
Will Schick, Trudy Sheau and Kevin Trindade

### Deacons Delivering Flowers:

John Baker and Nicole Stokes-Robinson

Please be sure to silence all cell phones before the service.

❖Stand as you are able.

Following worship today - please join us for Coffee Hour in the Wistar Morris Room. We thank Pat & Ted Dillon and Choir friends for hosting today! If you would like to host an upcoming coffee hour, please sign up now on the sign-up board in the Wistar-Morris Room. Contact Amarilis Stricker at 484-343-0679 with questions.

### The Overbrook Quartet

Iris Fairfax

*Soprano*

Toffer Mihalka

*Tenor*

Lois Randel

*Mezzo-Soprano*

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The Rev. Dr. Andrew H. Mann, Jr. - *Interim Minister*

Dennis Elwell - *Minister of Music*

Sharon Parker - *Director of Christian Education*

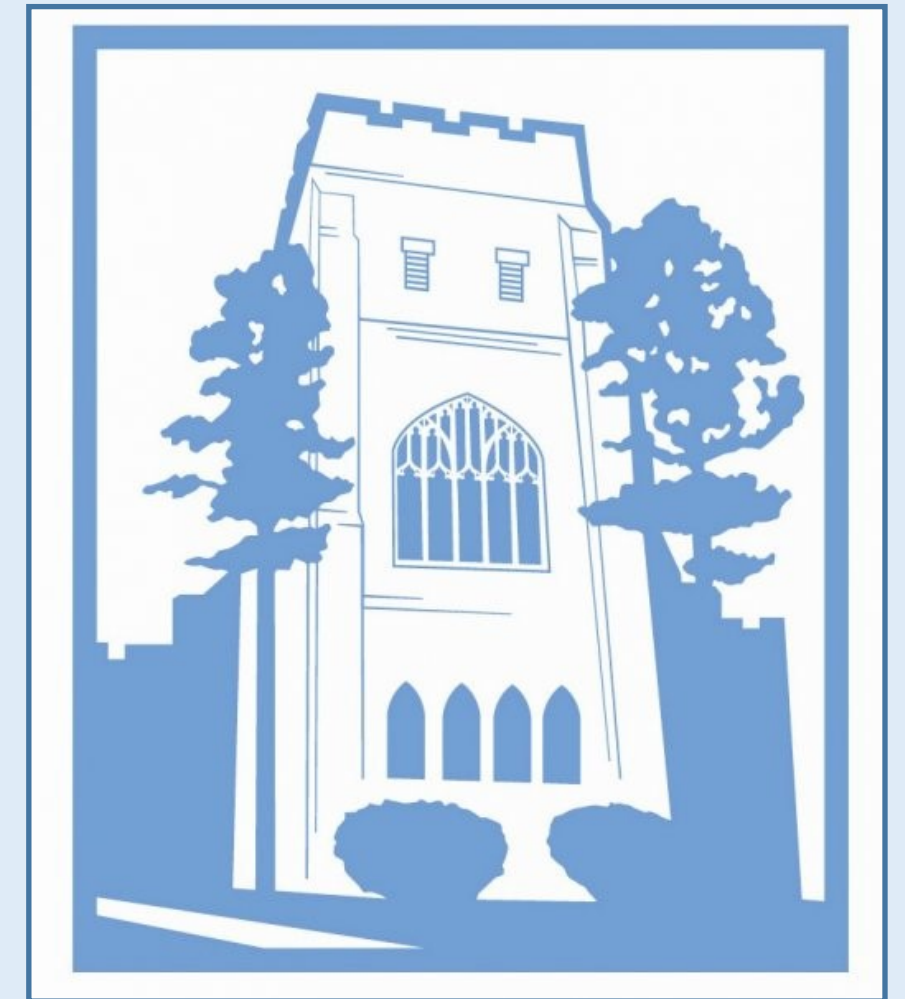
Margene Biedermann - *Jr. Choir Director*

Earlene Ford - *Financial Secretary*

Roseann Christian - *Office Manager*

Leonard Robbins - *Building Manager*

# Overbrook Presbyterian Church



14th Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, August 21, 2016

10:30 a.m.

Please enter the sanctuary in a spirit of reverence as we prepare for worship.

## GATHERING

Prelude:

Four Pieces for Organ : Prière, Op. 37, No. 3

Joseph Jongen

### ❖CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: O Lord our God, we praise you.

MANY: We cried to you for help and you answered us.

ONE: You have restored our lives;

MANY: You have rescued us from the grave.

❖HYMN No. 31 Let Us With a Gladsome Mind MONKLAND

GREETING

*Following the Greeting, Children Pre-K through Grade 1  
are invited to leave for the Nursery.*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of the empty tomb and our empty hearts, when we are afraid to speak our faith in the world, forgive us and help us to find our voice. When we are afraid to forgive and to love again, forgive us and give us the power to forgive. When we are afraid to stand up to misguided authority, join with our weakness to make us strong. When we are confined by our hurts, touch us with your wounded hands and set us free. When we are locked behind our doubts and fears, pass through our barricades, open our hearts, and give us peace.

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE *(See Insert)*

Malcom Archer

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Fintan O'Carroll

Hymn No. 587, Alleluia!



## WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING Nehemiah 13: 1-3 Page 421, Bible  
Isaiah 56: 3-8 Page 645, Bible  
Jonah 3 & 4 Page 811, Bible

The Word of the Lord  
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM Sing Ye A Joyful Song Antonin Dvorak  
Toffer Mihalka, Tenor (Biblical Songs, Op. 99)

NEW TESTAMENT READING Mark 11: 15-17 Page 45 Bible

The Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Sharing God's Compassion" Rev. James Lappen

❖HYMN No. 620 Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven LAUDA ANIMA

### ❖AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *The Apostles' Creed*

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 on 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.

## RESPONSE

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER *debts/debtors*

EXCHANGE OF PEACE

OFFERTORY How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings Samuel Liddle  
Toffer Mihalka, Tenor

## SENDING

❖HYMN No. 726 Will You Come and Follow Me KELVINGROVE

❖BENEDICTION

❖CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE RANDOLPH

Hymn No. 541, God Be With You

*(Stanza 1)*

*Please depart quietly for those who wish to listen to the postlude.*

POSTLUDE Festive March Temple Painter

*(In memory of Philadelphia harpsichordist, organist, and composer,  
Temple Painter, who recently passed away at age 83 on Saturday, August 6, 2016)*

