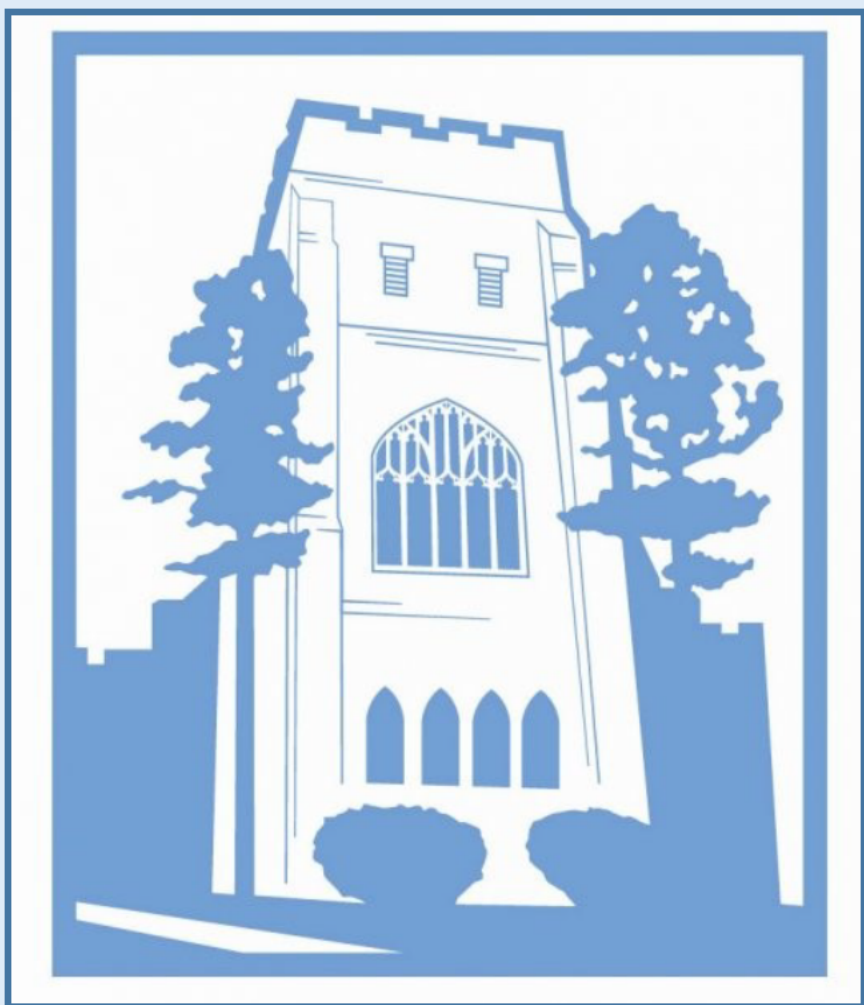


Overbrook
Presbyterian Church



Trinity Sunday
Sunday, June 11, 2017
10:30 a.m.

Please enter the sanctuary in a spirit of reverence as we prepare for worship and remember to silence all cell phones before the service.

GATHERING IN

PRELUDES: Suite for Violin and Organ, Op. 166 Josef Rheinberger
I – Praeludium, II – Canzone
Johnny May, Violinist

❖CALL TO WORSHIP (Unison)

God, whose fingers sculpt sun and moon
and curl the baby's ear;
Spirit, brooding over chaos
before the naming of day;
Savior, sending us to earth's ends
with water and words:
startle us with the grace, love, and communion
of your unity in diversity,
that we may live to the praise of your majestic name. Amen.

❖HYMN No. 1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! NICAEA

GREETING *Pastor Bruce Gillette*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION-(UNISON)

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents on your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN No. 581 **Glory Be to the Father** GLORIA PATRI

SHARING OF PEACE -(*"The Peace of Christ Be With You", "And Also With You"*)

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL READING Matthew 28:16-20 Page 32/Pew Bible
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

SOLO:

Psalm VIII
Matthew Lulofs, Baritone

Isadore Freed

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Pastor Carolyn Gillette
(Following the Time with Children, children and youth (grades 3-12) may return to their families and worship with the congregation. PRE-K through Grade 2 are welcome in the Nursery)

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 1:1-2:4a

Page 1/pew Bible

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“Grandson, The Earth is the Lord’s”

Pastor Bruce Gillette

❖HYMN No. 714

God of the Fertile Fields

ITALIAN HYMN

❖AFFIRMATION OF FAITH-*from The Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

Pastors Bruce and Carolyn Gillette

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER - *debtors/debtors*

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Glory to God Hymnal

OFFERING

Bless This House

May H. Brahe

❖ DOXOLOGY

HYMN No. 607

❖ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING FORTH

❖ HYMN NO. 757

Today We Are Called to Be Disciples

KINGSFOLD

❖ BENEDICTION

❖ CONGREGATIONAL

RESPONSE - HYMN #541 **God Be With You Till We Meet Again** RANDOLPH

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

POSTLUDE:

Finale on the Hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Piet Post

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 Revs. Bruce and Carolyn Gillette - Co-Pastors
Lay Leader: Amanda Duckworth, Acolyte: Emma Biedermann
Johnny May, Violinist
Matthew Lulofs, Baritone
Minister of Music: Dennis Elwell

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

By Kate Shackelford in memory of her father, John Cooper Shackelford

Childcare -

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

Worship Kits For Children-

Are available at the front entrance to the Sanctuary.

Large Print Bulletins and 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, Kevin Trindade, and Kevin Davis.

Deacons Delivering Flowers:

Mike Rottinger and Suchita Fiorillo

Following worship today - is the Congregational Picnic hosted by The Deacons. All are welcome!

OVERBROOK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Raelyn Harman, Chair - *Congregational Life*

Anil “Bob” Kothari, Chair-*Finance*

Aimerie Scherluebbe, Chair – *Mission & Outreach*

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Dennis Elwell-*Minister of Music*

Earlene Ford-*Financial Secretary*

Lisa Faso-*Office Manager*

Leonard Robbins-*Church Custodian*

Every Church Member-*Minister*

The Overbrook Quartet

Iris Fairfax -*Soprano*

Lois Randel-*Mezzo-Soprano*

Toffer Mihalka-*Tenor*

Matthew Lulofs-*Bass*

This Week at Overbrook Presbyterian Church

Sunday, June 11	12:00 p.m.	Congregational Picnic
	3:00 p.m.	Organ Recital
Tuesday, June 13	7:00 p.m.	Session
Wednesday, June 14	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study
Sunday, June 18	9:15 a.m.	Adult Forum-Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour

☞ Wednesday Morning Bible Study-Bible Study this week led by Pastor Carolyn Gillette. She will be teaching on the following Sunday's lectionary reading, Matthew 9:35-10:8. June 18th.

☞ Adult Forum meets each Sunday in the Chapel at 9:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m. Next Sunday, June 18th, the Rev. Wally Fletcher, will be doing a presentation on preventing sex abuse and caring for the victims of abuse. As always, adult forum is an engaging faith based discussion with hot coffee promised for all.



☞ Congregational Picnic-Today- following worship. Be sure to stay after worship today, the Deacons will be hosting their annual picnic. There will be food, fellowship, live music and games. **Everyone is invited.**



☞ Today at 3:00 p.m. Six organ students of Dennis Elwell, will perform an organ recital on the Clarence H. Geist Memorial Moller Organ, featuring repertoire by Franck, Pelz, Bach, Hailstork, Taylor, Walton, and Ayers. The recital is free, and a reception will follow in the Chapel. All are invited and welcome to enjoy the skills and artistry of these wonderful musicians.



☞ Vacation Bible School will be Sunday, July 30 to Thursday, August 3, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. This year VBS has a mission theme: "Clean Water for All God's Children!" Daily Bible stories— all based on a water theme— will include the creation story, Jesus' baptism, Jesus talking with the Samaritan woman at the well, and more. Children will learn that water is a good gift from God, that we are called to be good stewards of water, and that water is a gift to be shared. Registration forms are available in the church office. Thank you





☛ **Session is meeting this Tuesday.** All Committee Reports are due in to the church office no later than noon on Tuesday, 6/13th.

Prayer List

- ◆ Elizabeth and Peyton Swartz, newborn twins to Jeffrey and Victoria
- ◆ The Gosfield family on the birth of their twins, Isaac and Isidora
- ◆ Gail Kaercher is now home and recovering from brain surgery.
- ◆ Jane Bevan –health problems
- ◆ Phyllis Watson, Olga Hoggard’s sister, has moved to Broomall Manor. Her address is 43 Church Lane, Broomall, PA 19008, Room 26. She is always looking for cheerful faces to visit.

Please contact Pastors Bruce or Carolyn to add names or concerns to this list. Bruce and Carolyn can be reached by email, cell phone, or by leaving a message in the Church Office, or by speaking with one of them in person.



Remember to sign the Prayer Cards: These cards are located on the raised table in the Wistar Morris Room. We ask all church members and friends to please sign these cards before or after worship each Sunday. You were remembered this Sunday in the prayers of the people of the Overbrook Church in Philadelphia” is the message found on prayer cards. Please contact our pastors or church office if you would like us to send a prayer card to someone.

☛ **Two Before One Rule: Do you know this rule?** Take the challenge to practice it now at church. “Two before One” means that you talk to two persons you don’t know well or at all before you talk to one you do know. In this way you might just greet a first time visitor and get a chance to know him or her. Or you may make a new friend among the members of the congregation. Two before one puts the other before ourselves. Two before one extends the open hand and heart of fellowship.

Pastoral CARE **Pastoral Care:** We are grateful to people who let us know about pastoral needs in our church and community. Please contact us by email or by phone: pastors@overbrookpresb.org, bruce@overbrookpresb.org or carolyn@overbrookpresb.org or call us (Office: 215-877-2744 or Bruce’s Cell: 302-528-1796 or Carolyn’s Cell: 302-528-1797) if you, or someone you know, would like a visit from an Overbrook pastor. We welcome visiting people in their homes, at work, in the hospital and at the church. We welcome the opportunity to bring home communion to anyone who would like to receive the sacrament. Thank you. Pastors Bruce & Carolyn Gillette