



Sunday, April 26, 2026

If, then, there is any comfort in Christ, any consolation from love, any partnership in the Spirit, any tender affection and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or empty conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be grasped, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, assuming human likeness.

And being found in appearance as a human, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross. Therefore God exalted him even more highly and gave him the name that is above every other name, so that at the name given to Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

- Philippians 2:1-11 (NRSVUE)

Highland: A Place to be Seen, Known, & Loved

Greeters: Linda & Bob Baker, Jan & Ron Herman, Mike Eyster, Linda Edwards

Ushers: Johnny Wood, Linda Keener, Linda Kay Pressley, John Herr, Rachel Reist, Joyce Shaffer, Matt Bransby

Welcome Center: Cindy Eidam and Shelby Snyder

The white rose recognizes and bears witness to the life and memory of Naomi Bryson

Gathering in God's Name

Chimes

Prelude

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made.

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Minute for Mission

Intergenerational Mission Trip

Joanna Roth

Rose Exchange with Samaritan

Simon Dietz

*Call to Worship

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Leader: Come, let us be united in Christ with one heart and one purpose.

People: Let us lay aside selfish ambition and walk in humility.

Leader: Let us look not to our own interests, but to the needs of others.

People: Come, let us worship the One who humbled himself — and is exalted above all.

*Hymn #144

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

Children's Blessing

Sarah Hostetter

Leader: God be with you here.

People: God be with you there.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Prayer of Confession

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Gracious and merciful God, we confess that we have too often lived for ourselves — seeking our own gain and placing our interests above the needs of others. Forgive us for clinging to pride when you call us to humility, grasping for control when you call us to trust, turning inward when you call us to outward love. Lord Jesus, you emptied yourself and took the form of a servant; so teach us the way of humility — not as weakness, but as faithful obedience to you. And by your grace, strengthen our resolve to walk in the way of Christ — seeking not our own glory, but yours alone. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison #572

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

Assurance of Pardon

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Leader: Christ Jesus humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death — even death on a cross. And God has highly exalted him and given him the name above every name. Friends, our salvation does not rest on our own striving, but on Christ's self-giving love. In him, we are forgiven, restored, and made new. Friends, believe the good news...

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Leader: As we are forgiven and reconciled to God through Christ Jesus, let us be reconciled to one another. The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

**Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

Proclaiming God's Word

Scripture Reading

Philippians 2: 1-11

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Sermon

"Joy in Humility"

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Responding to God's Word

Invitation to the Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Dr. Bob Burns

Offertory Anthem

Lord, Make Me an Instrument of Thy Peace
John Rutter

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Our Father, who art 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.

Going in God's Name

*Hymn #148

At the Name of Jesus

*Charge and Benediction

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Postlude

**Please stand in body or spirit*



Music

Jonathan Lefever, Interim Music Director & Organist
Highland Chancel Choir

A/V

Gus Beaulieu & Josh Witmer

Prayer List

In Memory

The family of Naomi Bryson

The family of John Bair

The family of Walt Offermann

The family of Peg Hoerner

The family of Luther Heiser

The family of Ruth Doutrich

In Prayer

Kenneth Snyder

John Wolfe

Joanne Markley

Phyllis Miller

Betty Heathcote

Nancy Zollman

The Hood family

June Good (mom of Doug Good)

Wayne Rogers (friend of Jennifer Winter)

Molly Blevins (sister of Jennifer Winter)

Pastor on Call

April 27 - May 3

Rev. Ken Osborne

If you or a family member are in the hospital and would like a visit from a pastor or hospital visitor, please contact the church office.

View Our Online Services

Worship services are livestreamed at 10 am on Sunday mornings. To view our online services, visit us at www.youtube.com/HighlandPresbyterian, or:

- Go to www.youtube.com and search **Highland Presbyterian Church**.
- Click the photo of Highland that appears at the top of the search results.
- On this page, you will find all of our weekly services by date.

Please be advised that services are recorded and you may be incidentally captured on video as part of the recording of the service. The back of the right side of the sanctuary as you enter is out of the range of the camera.

Giving

To give, you can:

- Mail your contributions to the church office.
- Go to www.highlandpc.org and select the "Give Now" button in the upper right-hand corner. The website will walk you through how to give using your credit or debit card.
- Scan the QR code and it will take you to the online giving page of our website.



If you have general questions, please contact the church office at 717-569-2651.

- A description of the stained chancel window can be found in the front of the hymnal.
- **FM sound devices are available.** Please ask an usher for your own personal receiver.
- **Cellphones** should be silenced during the worship service.

In the event of an emergency, please refer to the card in the pew racks for evacuation and re-assembly information.