



Music

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A/V

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Pastor on Call

October 18 - October 24

Rev. Allison Beaulieu

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.

Prayer List

In Memory

The family of Peggy Wible
The family of Polly Brooks

In Prayer

Charles "Chuck" Grube
Dale Urban
Iris Indig
Daniel Droz
Robert Kutz
John Wolfe
Phyllis Miller

Joanne Markley
Sue Harsh (friend of Jennifer Winter)
Judah Hess (friend of Joanna Roth)
June Good (mom of Doug Good)
Doris Ramsdell (sister of Lee Heisey)
The Hood family

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- 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 worship services are recorded, and you may be incidentally captured on video as part of the recording. The back right section of the Sanctuary, as you enter, is outside the camera's range.

- A description of the stained glass chancel window is in the front of the hymnal.
- FM sound devices are available; please ask an usher for a receiver.
- Please silence cellphones during the worship service.
- In the event of an emergency, see the card in the pew rack for evacuation and re-assembly information.

Giving

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Am I My Brother's Keeper?

Sunday, October 18, 2026

Now the man knew his wife Eve, and she conceived and bore Cain, saying, "I have produced a man with the help of the Lord." Next she bore his brother Abel. Now Abel was a keeper of sheep, and Cain a tiller of the ground. In the course of time Cain brought to the Lord an offering of the fruit of the ground, and Abel for his part brought of the firstlings of his flock, their fat portions. And the Lord had regard for Abel and his offering, but for Cain and his offering he had no regard. So Cain was very angry, and his countenance fell. The Lord said to Cain, "Why are you angry, and why has your countenance fallen? If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin is lurking at the door; its desire is for you, but you must master it."

Cain said to his brother Abel, "Let us go out to the field." And when they were in the field, Cain rose up against his brother Abel and killed him. Then the Lord said to Cain, "Where is your brother Abel?" He said, "I do not know; am I my brother's keeper?" And the Lord said, "What have you done? Listen, your brother's blood is crying out to me from the ground! And now you are cursed from the ground, which has opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand. When you till the ground, it will no longer yield to you its strength; you will be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth." Cain said to the Lord, "My punishment is greater than I can bear! Today you have driven me away from the soil, and I shall be hidden from your face; I shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth, and anyone who meets me may kill me." Then the Lord said to him, "Not so! Whoever kills Cain will suffer a sevenfold vengeance." And the Lord put a mark on Cain, so that no one who came upon him would kill him. Then Cain went away from the presence of the Lord and settled in the land of Nod, east of Eden.

- Genesis 4:1-16 (NRSVUE)

Highland: A Place to be Seen, Known, & Loved		
Greeters: Coralie Werking & Stan Jacobs, Chris & David King, Judy Berg, Denny Davish		
Ushers: John & Gail Robinson, Harry & Eileen Flick, Mike Eyster, Rachel Reist, Kay Houghton		
Welcome Center: Shelby Snyder & Cindy Wimer		
The chancel flowers are presented by:		
Dick & Rae Ann Entz — In honor of their son Brian's birthday		
Sandy Hershey — In memory of Lew Hershey		
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	Nominating Committee	Jack Snyder
*Call to Worship		Rev. Allison Beaulieu
Leader:	Come, let us worship the God who calls us to love our neighbors as ourselves.	
People:	God calls us to speak for those whose voices go unheard and to stand beside those who are vulnerable.	
Leader:	In Christ, we are reminded that no stranger is beyond our care and no neighbor is beyond our love.	
People:	Let us worship God by opening our hearts to Christ and our lives to one another.	
*Hymn #214		O Come and Sing Unto the Lord
Silent Prayer of Confession		Rev. Sarah Hostetter
Prayer of Confession		Rev. Sarah Hostetter
Gracious God, forgive us when we have convinced ourselves that another person's suffering is not our responsibility. We confess that we do not always see the face of Christ in our neighbors, especially those who are different from us or whom the world has cast aside. Teach us to love as Jesus loves, to stand with the vulnerable, and to bear one another's burdens with courage and grace. Help us to live as faithful witnesses to your gospel, treating every person as a beloved child of God. Amen.		
Kyrrie Eleison #572		
Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.		
Assurance of Pardon		Rev. Sarah Hostetter
Leader:	Hear the good news! Scripture tells us in Romans 8:38-39 that nothing in all creation can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Not our failures, not our indifference, not even the times we have turned away when our neighbors needed us. God’s grace is greater than our shortcomings, and in Christ we are forgiven, renewed, and called once again to love one another as Christ has loved us. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.	
People:	In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!	

*Passing of the Peace		Rev. Sarah Hostetter
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.	
*Gloria Patri #579		
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.		
Children’s Blessing		Rev. Matt Drumheller
Leader:	God be with you here.	
People:	God be with you there.	
At this time, children are invited to attend Sunday School:		
Ages 0-4: Nursery Kindergarten-3rd Grade: Room 102 4th Grade-Middle School: Room 104		
Barocha		
The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you, and give you peace, and give you peace, and give you peace forever.		
Proclaiming God’s Word		
Scripture Reading	Genesis 4:1-16	Oscar Beaulieu
Sermon	“Am I My Brother’s Keeper?”	Rev. Allison Beaulieu
Responding to God’s Word		
Initiation to the Offering and Prayer of Dedication		Rev. Sarah Hostetter
Offertory Anthem	In the Garden arr. Cynthia Dobrinski	Highland Bell Choir
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 #391	Take My Life	
*Charge and Benediction	Rev. Allison Beaulieu	
*Benediction Response	Doxology	
Postlude	Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken arr. D. Linda McKechnie	Highland Bell Choir
*Please stand in body or spirit		