

# The Highland Heartbeat

Highland, a Place to be Seen, Known, and Loved

August 10, 2025



## Advent Booklet Cover Contest

**Calling all Artists!** Would you like to create the cover for the 2025 Advent Booklet? Drawing, painting, sculpting, photography... whatever your medium is, we'd like to see how you express the theme. This year's theme is based on Highland's Mission Statement **TO BE SEEN, KNOWN AND LOVED IN ADVENT!** Send your artwork to the office by September 1, 2025.



A get-together for recent visitors will be held after the worship service on Sunday, August 31 in the McClintock Chapel. This will offer an opportunity for you to interact with staff members and each other, learn more about the overall scope of Highland's ministry, and get answers to some questions that you might have. We look forward to seeing you then. For further information, please contact the church office.



Dear Highland,

I am writing this just a few days shy of my 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary at Highland. It's hard to believe it was just three years ago that I preached my candidating sermon. That sermon is still very fresh in my mind. I preached on Luke 24:13-35—the Road to Emmaus. I entitled it “Walking Alongside.” That has always been my vision for Highland and it continues to be. We have covenanted to walk alongside each other in the good times and the bad. We have promised to pray for one another, remind each other of the good news of the gospel, support one another in times of trouble, and share in the joy of serving the Lord together. As your senior pastor, my role is to cultivate the culture here at Highland. I think together we have created a culture of hospitality, welcome, honesty, and joy. Nothing gives me more pleasure than experiencing the warmth in the narthex after worship, seeing people connect and offer support to one another, and watching you serve the Lord together. Indeed we are moving deeper and deeper into our vision of being “seen, known, and loved.” What a beautiful way to walk alongside each other—in deep communion with each other and with our Lord. Thank you for allowing me to serve in this role as your senior pastor. Currently, I work with the best staff I have ever worked with in my ministry career. Hands down! Serving this church and working with this staff is such a blessing in my life. Everyday I thank God for *the work* He has called me to...and especially *the people* he has called me to. Here's to many more years of “walking alongside” each other!

Always in Christ —Pastor Allison



## WORSHIP | August 10, 2025

**This Week's Scripture:** Genesis 15:1-6 (NRSVUE); Hebrews 11:1-3 (NRSVUE)

**"Count the Stars" ~ Rev. Matt Drumheller**

**Upcoming Preaching Schedule**

**August 17 ~ Rev. Allison Beaulieu**



### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday | 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Friday | 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

### Contact Information

Phone | 717-569-2651

[www.HighlandPC.org](http://www.HighlandPC.org)

500 E. Roseville Road

### Worship Times

Traditional Worship | 10AM

### Program Staff

Senior Pastor—Rev. Allison Beaulieu

Pastor for Congregational Care—Rev. Dr. Ann Osborne

Associate Pastor for Missions & Discipleship—Rev. Matt Drumheller

Parish Associate—Rev. Dr. Bob Burns

Parish Associate—Rev. Ken Osborne

Music Director—Dr. Paul Thorlakson

Organist—Jonathan Lefever

Director of Children, Youth & Family Ministries—Sarah Hostetter

## PRAYER LIST

**PASTOR ON CALL ~ Matt Drumheller ~ August 11—August 16**

### In Memory

The Family of Faye Gemmill

### In Prayer

Doris Bair

David Dagen

Luther Heiser

Martha Matt

Shirley Offermann

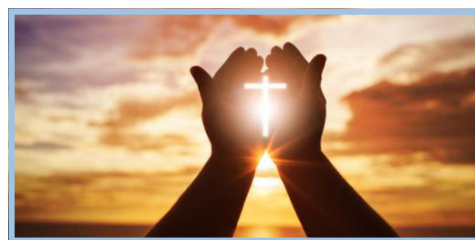
Doris Ramsdell (sister of Lee Heisey)

The Ray family (in the death of Trixi's mom, Betsy)

Elizabeth deVitry (granddaughter of Jack Sapper)

Vincent and Ginny Michael Candiello

**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.**



## VIEWING OF ONLINE SERVICES

Go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com)

- In the YouTube search bar, type "Highland Presbyterian Church"
- You should see a picture of Highland at the top of the search results; click it.
- Here, you will find all of our weekly services by date.
- Worship services are livestreamed at 10 am on Sunday mornings.

## GIVING

- Mail your contributions to the church office.
- Go to our **[www.highlandpc.org](http://www.highlandpc.org)** and select the "Give Now" button in the upper right-hand corner.
- It 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 on our website. If you have general questions, please contact the church office at 717-569-2651.

