

# Announcements and Events

*Sunday, July 21, 2024*



**PARMA-SOUTH  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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Church Office Hours: M – TH 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

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## CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

### **Sunday, July 21**

8:30 AM – “CWRU Summer Reading Program” - Multipurpose Room  
10:00 AM – Worship Service Outdoors (Weather Permitting)  
2:45 PM – Life Group – Online  
6:00 PM – Homestead Hoofers 4-H Meeting – Social Hall

### **Monday, July 22**

8:30 AM – “CWRU Summer Reading Program” - Multipurpose Room  
7:00 PM – Life Group Meeting – Parlor

### **Tuesday July 23**

8:30 AM – “CWRU Summer Reading Program” - Multipurpose Room

### **Thursday, July 25**

5:30 PM – Pastor Nominating Committee - Parlor

### **Sunday, July 28**

8:30 AM – “CWRU Summer Reading Program” - Multipurpose Room  
10:00 AM – Worship Service - Sanctuary  
2:45 PM – Life Group – Online

### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Prayer requests can be submitted by entering on the back of the attendance sheet or completing a Prayer Request card. Cards are in a holder at each pew. Please place it on the offering plate.

**LIFE GROUP – an opportunity to discuss today’s lesson and look deeper into today’s scripture.** Join the live Zoom feed Sundays starting at 2:45 PM. Meetings are also held in the parlor at the church on Monday evenings @ 7:00 PM. Contact John Lahl (440) 725-3239 or Ed Walker (440) 552-2998 for more information.

**CARE TEAM -** The Care Team has a supply of stamped and addressed cards in the Narthex for our friends and members. Please take a few and sign, add a short message if you’d like, then mail. Let’s stay connected.

**GRIEF GROUP -** Rev. Dr. Debbie Cerra holds a Grief Group, online via Zoom, every 1st and 3rd Thursday, from 4:00-5:00. Debbie can be reached at (856) 912-1202 for more information. **Grief Meetings will resume on September 5<sup>th</sup>.**

**MEETINGS** - Please notify [officeadmin@parma-south.org](mailto:officeadmin@parma-south.org) and Mary Sue Murphy at [msmgrandma@gmail.com](mailto:msmgrandma@gmail.com) when a meeting or event is scheduled or cancelled. Thank you.

**CONTACTING OUR GAP PASTOR – Rev. Dr. Jon Fancher**

In the event you become aware of a pastoral emergency and need to reach Pastor Jon quickly, please call or text his personal cell phone at (440) 263-8872. That is the fastest and most certain way of contacting him.

- Office hours: Friday from 9:00 am – 11:00 am.

**PUBLICITY and ANNOUNCEMENTS:** If you or your committee has an announcement or articles to be publicized (in Tidings, Bulletins, on the Outdoor Sign, etc.), please submit a: **Communications Request Form**. This new form is available for download on our website's Contact page: [www.parma-south.org/contact](http://www.parma-south.org/contact). Please fill it out completely and email it back as indicated on the form.

**\*Prefer to submit a hard copy instead?** The forms are available in the "Communications/Tidings" mail slot in the church work room; fill it out and return it to the same mail slot. Thank you!

**OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR –** Kathy Snyder. On-site office hours: M-TH, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM. Email at: [officeadmin@parma-south.org](mailto:officeadmin@parma-south.org)

**MEN'S SQUARE –** Will be "on vacation" until September.

**ONGOING PRAYER CONCERN:** Pastor Blake's wife, Megan, has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. Please keep the Severson family in your prayers. **Cards can be sent to:** Blake Severson, 420 Cherry St. Anchorage, AK 99504

**CHILDREN'S TIME:**

There will be a class for the children during the morning worship service for the summer months.

**CWRU SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

Exciting news! In keeping with our stated mission to be more involved with our local community, Parma-South will host Case Western Reserve's Summer Reading Program Sundays, Mondays and Tuesdays July 7 to August 6. Students from the Parma/Parma Heights schools will be using our Multipurpose room for 1

hour sessions throughout those days.**LAST SUMMER HIKE** - For more information, contact Katie at 216-386-7741.

Our Last Summer Hike will be Sunday, August 11 at 12:30 PM at Brecksville Reservation - Salamander Loop Trail Brecksville, Ohio 44141

**MISSION GARDEN PROGRESS –** Photos from July 12, 2024.

Thanks to all our volunteers.





*Parma-South Presbyterian Church*

Rev. Dr. Jon Fancher, Gap Pastor  
Mike Dory, Lay Reader  
Dr. Christopher J. Venesile, Music Director  
Laurie Archibald, Organist/Pianist  
Chris Kurka, A/V Coordinator

**July 21, 2024**

**10:00 AM**

**Welcome**

**The Church Life and Ministry**

**Prelude**

Revive Us Again

arr. D.V. Archer

**Call to Worship**

Jesus calls us...but what if we're so busy that we don't hear?

**Jesus calls us...but are we prepared to follow him?**

Let us listen with our hearts, for Jesus is calling us.

**What will we have to give up? What will we gain from following?**

Jesus calls us to grow in love and fellowship with one another.

**Lord, show us what we are to do, and give us courage to follow.**

\*Hymn N<sup>o</sup>. 187 "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

**Savior, like a shepherd lead us; much we need your tender care.**

**In your pleasant pastures feed us; for our use your fold prepare.**

**Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, you have brought us: we are yours.**

**Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, you have brought us: we are yours.**

**Early let us seek your favor; early let us do your will.**

**Blessed Lord and only Savior, with your love our spirits fill.**

**Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, you have loved us; love us still.**

**Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, you have loved us; love us still.**

\*Call to Confession, and Prayer of Confession

**Creator of people we hold dear as friends and people we put off as enemies;**

**Creator of every instant and of endless time: we offer this prayer seeking your forgiveness.**

- **We confess that we have ignored you.**
- **We have acted as if occasional attention to faithfulness is quite enough.**
- **We have fallen short of loving you wholly.**
- **We have rejected the true richness of life lived in the spirit of Christ.**



**Forgive us. Renew us. Inspire within us a zeal for following Jesus and for serving humanity in his holy name. Amen.**

**\*Declaration of Forgiveness**

God loved the world so much that God gave the only Son.

**God sent the Son into the world not to condemn the world, but that the world may be saved through him.**

Truly our God is worthy of all honor and glory!

**\*Gloria Patri N<sup>o</sup>. 581**

**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, Amen.**

**Musical Meditation:** Near The Cross arr. J. Raney

**Prayer for Illumination**

**First Lesson** Joel 2:23-24, 26-27

**Second Lesson** Luke 5: 1-11

**\*Passing of the Peace**

**Hymn N<sup>o</sup>. 188 (verse 1)** "Jesus Loves Me"

**Time for Young Disciples:**

**Sermon** "Peter's Boat Story" Dr. Fancher

**Hymn N<sup>o</sup>. 169** "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

**Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways;**

**Reclothe us in our rightful mind,**

**In purer lives thy service find,**

**In deeper reverence, praise.**

**In simple trust like theirs who heard beside the Syrian sea**

**The gracious calling of the Lord,**

**Let us, like them, without a word**

**Rise up and follow thee.**

**Prayers of the People, and the Lord's Prayer**

**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.**

**Invitation to the Offering**

**Offertory** Sing Hallelujah L. Stassen

**\*Doxology N<sup>o</sup>. 606**

**\*Prayer of Dedication."**

**God, we're glad that you help us help others. That's why we give these offerings; so the sick can be healed, the young can be taught, the homeless offered a place of safety, and so all may learn of your love revealed in Jesus your Son. Put these gifts to work, we pray, in the name of Jesus. Amen**

**\*Hymn N<sup>o</sup>. 726** "Will You Come and Follow Me"

**"Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?**

**Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?**

**Will you let my love be shown; will you let my name be known;**

**Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?**

**"Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?**

**Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?**

**Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?**

**Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?"**

**Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.**

**Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.**

**In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.**

**Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.**

**\*Charge & Blessing**

**\*Congregational Response N<sup>o</sup>. 748**

**Go with us, Lord and guide the way  
Through this and every coming day,  
That in your Spirit strong and true,  
Our lives may be our gift to you.**

**\*Postlude**    I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord    J.H. Fillmore

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\*Please stand in body or spirit