

be with you; I will not fail you or forsake you.”
P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, renewed, and sent forth with courage.

L: The risen Christ is with us always, even to the end of the age. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

- *Gloria Patri
- Passing of the Peace "Good Morning!"
- Special Music (Jakob will play something)
- Time With The Children
- Morning Prayer, the Lord's Prayer, and Prayer Response
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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture Readings: Joshua 1:1-9; James 1:19-27
Just As I Am
- Song of Praise #354
- Sermon: "What Now?" Jakob J. Harmon
- *Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed
- Hymn of Preparation #694 Come, Let Us Eat
- Invitation to the Lord's Table Please see bulletin insert
- Invitation to the Offering
- *Doxology #34 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow
- *Prayer of Dedication ("Welcome to Linway" Cards will be collected by Deacons.)
- *Closing Hymn #426 Blessed Assurance
- *Charge and Benediction
- *Congregational Response: Go With God
- *Postlude

***Please rise in body or in spirit.**

Video Recording: Portions of today's 10:30 service will be recorded & posted to the Linway Facebook Page and website Monday evening at www.LinwayChurch.org

Recorded Organ Music: is temporarily being used for the 10:30 Service until a new organist is in place. Thank you for your patience if there is a slight delay before the music begins to play.

Special Music: Please talk to Pastor Jakob or the church office if you would be able to provide special music during a Sunday worship service.

Contemporary Worship Service
9:15 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Invocation

*Praise Song: *Blessed Be Your Name*

*Passing Of The Peace

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Praise Song: *I Surrender All*

Scripture Readings
Joshua 1:1-9; James 1:19-27

Message: Jakob J. Harmon
"What Now?"

Celebration of the Lord's Table (Please see bulletin insert)

*Praise Song: *I Am Yours*

Final Challenge and Depart to Serve

***Please rise in body or in spirit.**

When attending the 9:15 worship service, please:

- complete a "Welcome to Linway" Card and place it in the basket when exiting the Sanctuary.
- place any offering in the box when exiting the Sanctuary.
- use the restroom located out the front left Sanctuary door and then down the hallway.

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Please use our East Entrance to visit during the week.
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June 1, 1897—June 1, 2026

"Come, grow your faith in Jesus Christ with us."



The purpose of Linway United Presbyterian Church is to joyfully worship and serve the mission and ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ.



Sunday, July 26, 2026
Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
and Communion Sunday

"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

-Joshua 1:9 (ESV)

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

*Please rise in body or in spirit.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Lila Sedlak, Liturgist

Gathering Prayer: (In Unison): **Faithful God, You are the**

One who goes before us and walks beside us. As Joshua stood at the edge of a new season, You spoke words of courage and promise. As the disciples stood before the risen Christ, You sent them into the world with the assurance of Your presence.

Today we gather as people returning from camp, returning from travel, returning from ordinary weeks, and returning again to worship. Meet us here. Steady our hearts. Open our ears to hear Your Word, and strengthen us to walk in the paths You set before us. Remind us that we do not go alone. You are with us in every season, every transition, and every calling. Receive our worship, shape us by Your Spirit, and send us out in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Call To Worship

L: I lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come?

P: Our help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

L: The Lord will keep us from all evil; He will keep our lives.

P: The Lord will keep our going out and our coming in.

L: From this time on and forevermore,

P: We worship the God who goes with us always.

*Hymn #72

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession (in unison): **Merciful God, We confess that we often forget that You are with us. When life becomes busy, uncertain, or demanding, we rely on our own strength and lose sight of Your presence. We confess that we are sometimes afraid to move forward in faith. We cling to what is familiar, resist the places You are leading us, and doubt that You will provide what we need.**

Forgive us for our fear, our self-reliance, and our hesitation to follow where You call. Renew our trust in Your promises. Give us courage to step into the future You have prepared, knowing that You go before us and walk beside us. In Jesus Christ, restore us and lead us in Your ways. Amen.

*Silent Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

L: Hear the good news: God says to His people, “I will

*“From the rising of the sun to its setting,
let the name of the Lord be praised!” Psalm 113:3*



In Our Prayers: David A, Annie, Kathy B, Andrew B, Patty B, Baker Family, Chris, Jeannette Briggs, Cathy C, Jim C, Cheryl D, Kathy D, Nathan E, Betty Frommell, Michelle F, Barb Harvey, Clare & Sandy Hillgartner, Bev & Barry Harcum, Glenn H, Sallie Kaser, Kordalski Family, Knight Family, Cindie M, Jenn M, Cindy & Ken McCall, Peg M, Howard N, Mark Pascarella, Arthur R, Renee R, Cindy S. Susan S, Shawn, Laura Shawley, Bill Szmuc, Bruce S, Dick T, Glenda T, Jen T, Tracey, Pat V, Kevin W, Scott W, Linda Wetzler, Rebecca W, Waszkiewicz Family

Welcome Children!

Sunday School: age 5 thru 5th grade. Every Sun. during the 10:30 service after Time With the Children. Finishes at 11:30.

Coloring/Activity Sheets: are available at the Sanctuary entrance for children. Please help yourself or ask a Deacon.

The Nursery: is open for parents/guardians should you need to step out a moment with a little one. It is located out the front left doors & down the hall. Speakers allow you to hear the service.

Kid's Club: See you in the fall!

Linway Preschool: Currently registering children for next year's 3 & 4 year old's classes which start in Sept. Contact church office.

Missions: Help our local + international mission projects by placing a donation in a pew envelope & mark it “Mission Fund”. Loose change left in the pew is also given to Missions. Thank you for assisting these worthy programs.

Sharing Their Time

Coffee Conn: Today's Snack:

8/2/26 Snack:

Deacon Duty: Today: Kris D, Lynn M., Leslie G
8/2/26: Kim B, Kris D, Stephanie S

Sunday School: Today: Kim B
8/2/26: Leslie G

Technology: Today: 9:15 Jamie 10:30 Rich
8/2/26: 9:15 Jamie 10:30 Rich

Security: This Week: Glenn M. 8/2/26: Zach H.

Church Fundraisers

Available after the service or contact the church office.

Giant Eagle Gift Cards - In \$25, \$50, or \$100 amounts.
-The church receives 5% of the value of the card.

Eat'n Park, Dunkin' Donuts, or Denny's Gift Cards,
-The church receives a percentage for each card.

Sarris Candy – Will return in the fall.



Good Morning and Welcome to all who are worshipping with us today! We hope you will find the service meaningful and that you can come back and join us again. Please enjoy a refreshment inside the church entrance. We ask everyone to please complete a “Welcome to Linway” Card found in the pews. Restrooms and the Nursery are located out the front left Sanctuary doors, and then down the hallway.

LINWAY HAPPENINGS

Today 7/26

Summer Communion during both services

9:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

1:35 p.m. Pirate's Baseball Game

Wed 7/29

9:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast at NV Eat N'Park

Next Sun 8/2

9:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

Next Mon 8/3

10:00 a.m.(tentative) VBS Set-Up. See Jaime R.

Mon-Th 8/3-8/6

6:30p.m. –8:30p.m. Vacation Bible School

VBS Volunteers please wear a Linway Volunteer shirt or even a Hawaiian shirt if you'd like, since it's a beach theme. See Jaime Ruffing if you need a volunteer shirt.

There's still time if you'd like to lend a hand! See Jaime R. and let her know which night you're available to help.

VBS Mission this year is to adopt the sea turtles at the Pittsburgh Zoo. If you would like to give a donation towards this mission, please mark your donation “VBS Mission” and place in the offering plate or mail to church. Money received for the VBS Mission will be given to the Zoo for their care.

Help with Recorded Music: A few more individuals are needed to help play the recorded organ music during the 10:30 service. Please talk to Pastor Jakob or the church office if you would like to learn and be on the schedule.

Funeral Luncheon Team Please contact Clara Welty 412-953-7227 or Sandi Szmuc 412-719-2926 if you would like to be on the list to help when there is a funeral luncheon. One of the ladies will then contact you as needed.

Need a Ride To/From Church?

Contact Amy Gida, Christine Stewart or call the church office (412-824-3555) before Thursday.

