

Avon Lake Presbyterian Church

Eat This Book

May 10, 2026 – 10:00 am



Gathering Music	<i>The Gift of Love</i> <i>O Love That Will Not Let Me Go</i>	Doug Day, piano
Welcome & Invitation		
Hymn*	<i>Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise</i>	No. 12
First Reading	Acts 17:22-31	Bob Palisin
Message	“One True God”	Kristian Bendoraitis
Confession/Assurance		
Anthem	<i>Anthems of Love</i>	Chancel Choir
Passing of the Peace		
Second Reading	John 14:15-21	Bob Palisin
Message	“Praise God and How?”	Kristian Bendoraitis
Prayers of the People		
Hymn*	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	No. 450
Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Love Divine, All Loves Excelling</i>	

Prayer Concerns

Georgene Meador – for strength, comfort, and the reassurance of God’s presence

Jill Ralston – doing well after surgery

Ed Homer – for strength

The Week Ahead

May 10 – 17

Today!
11 am **Happy Mother's Day!**
The Chosen Group Study
CE Room
Mission Lunch Packing

Monday
8:30 am Walking Group
7 pm Deacons Meeting
Narthex

Tuesday
10:30 am Ruth Circle
CE Office
1:30 pm Church Staff Meeting
Church Office
3 pm Prayer Group
on Zoom
5 pm TrueNorth Rehearsal
Sanctuary
6:30 pm CE Committee Meeting

Wednesday
8:30 am Walking Group
6:45 pm Handbell Choir Practice
8 pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday
12 pm Bible Reading
CE Office
4:15 pm Mission Meeting
Church Office
5 pm TrueNorth Rehearsal
Sanctuary

Friday
8:30 am Walking Group

Saturday
10 am Grief Seminar
7:30 pm TrueNorth Patriot Concert

Sunday
10 am Worship
11 am The Chosen Group Study
CE Room

Announcements

Join us on Saturday, May 16, from 10-2 pm for a time of reflection and support as we seek God's help with grief, loss, and life's transitions. We will explore Scripture together and share our journeys, encouraging one another to experience God's love and guidance in every season. Lunch will be provided. Please sign up in the narthex. This **Grief Seminar** is being facilitated by Arlene Strauch.

ALPC is excited to once again host **TrueNorth Cultural Arts!** Join us Saturday, May 16 at 7:30 pm for a patriotic concert featuring chorale and orchestra music, including *America the Beautiful*, *Battle Hymn of the Republic*, and *God Bless America*.

Saints Alive articles are needed! Please consider writing something and supporting our church newsletter. Email Kenzi by May 17.

Who doesn't love a parade? Sign up in the narthex to march in Avon Lake's **Memorial Day Parade** and represent ALPC on Monday, May 25 at 10 am.

Save the dates for **upcoming memorial services** honoring two beloved members of our community. A service for Jim Hough will be held on Saturday, May 30 at 11 am, followed by a service for Tim Kurak on Sunday, May 31 at 3 pm.

Interested in nurturing faith across generations? The **Christian Education Committee** is looking for new members! Contact Terry Vine to learn more.

Pentecost is Sunday, May 24. The Worship & Spiritual Life Committee encourages all worshippers to wear red to church that Sunday.

We're excited to share that John Knox Presbyterian Church has invited the children and youth of Avon Lake Presbyterian Church to join them for **Vacation Bible School** this summer! VBS will run June 22-25 (Monday-Thursday) in the evenings, with a final celebration session on Sunday, June 28. This year's VBS is open to all ages, from preschool through youth. Older youth are also encouraged to jump in as helpers or leaders, making it a great chance to grow, serve, and have fun together. More details are coming soon, but we're thrilled to offer our families a fresh opportunity to connect, explore, and experience something meaningful.

Office Hours

Monday – Thursday | 9:30 am – 3 pm
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