

Here are some facts you might not know:

East Liberty is home to Fire Company 8, the "Dragon Fighters" and busiest fire company in Pittsburgh.

East Liberty was a free grazing area in the 1700s and later was farm land owned by the Winbiddle and Negley clans.

East Liberty was annexed by the city of Pittsburgh in 1868 after which time it became a shopping area for the wealthy citizens of Shadyside and Point Breeze.

Penn Circle was created in the 1960s in an attempt to retain businesses who might otherwise move out to new suburban shopping centers.

Highland Park has 6,749 residents, according to the 2000 census.

in 1778 Alexander Negley owned a 300 Acre farm that is today much of the Highland Park Neighborhood.

The PPG Aquarium in Highland Park currently is exhibiting Sand Tiger Sharks!

Sand sharks only develop two embryos, one in each uterus. The strongest pups eat other embryos and any other unfertilized eggs in a process called "intrauterine cannibalism" before being born. Whoa!

Places you'll see today and might want more information about:

Food Glorious Food:

*They are a catering company, provide cooking lessons, and they are bakery on Saturday morning from 10am - 2ish.

*http://www.foodgloriousfood.org

Nuin Center:

*The Center is Pittsburgh's premier holistic and integrative wellness center.

*They offer a free practitioners lecture on the first Wednesday of each month.

*Some of the specialties include:

Acupuncture, Chiropractic, Homeopathy, Massage, Reiki, Gestalt psychotherapy, Biological Physician, Spiritual Counseling, Chinese Herbal Medicine, Nutrition Therapy, Holistic Psychotherapy, Kinesiology, Cellular Expansion and Healing, and Rolfing.

*http://www.nuincenter.com/

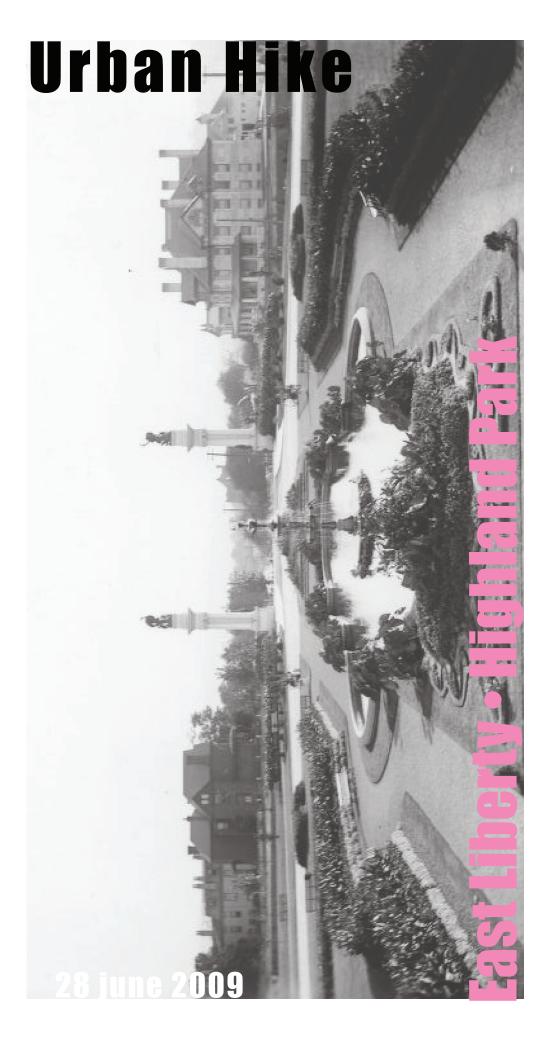
Pittsburgh Theological Seminary:

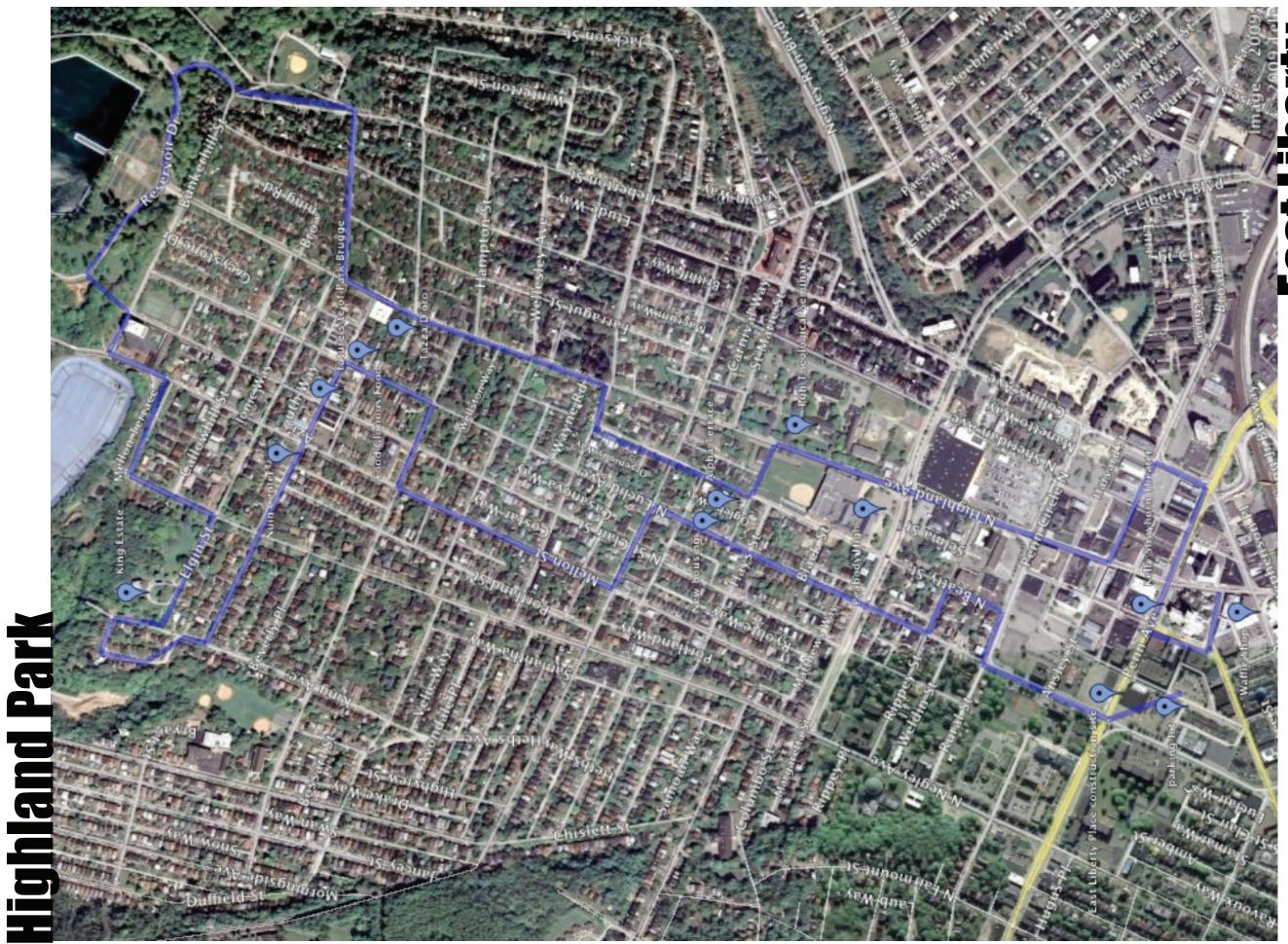
*Founded in 1794

*Affiliated with the Presbyterian Church (USA), but ecumenically minded, with more than 20 denominations represented.

*PTS currently excavates four sites in the Bible Lands including Bab Edh Dhra, Tell Beit Mirsim, Bethel, and Tulul el Alayiq. Artifacts from these digs are on display in the Bible Lands Museum, which is housed on campus *Since 1987, the Center for Business, Religion and Public Life has has provided resources for understanding the relation of faith, vocation, and public issues to the PTS and wider communities.

*http://www.pts.edu/





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