

Faith Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Worship

June 9, 2024



Engage, Nurture, Bless

*Faith Presbyterian Church wishes to **engage** the community with meaningful worship, **nurture** this wonderful community with lasting discipleship and warm fellowship, and **bless** the larger world with an amazing heart for mission.*

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FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 9, 2024
10:00 AM Service

Welcome and News of our Church Family

Prelude

Does Jesus Care?

Arr. Duane Ream, Stephen Sivley, Piano

† Call to Worship:

John Haley, Liturgist

L: Let us lift up the name of our God!

A: Let us praise the faithfulness of the Lord!

L: For just as the Lord's greatness fills the heavens,

A: The Lord's love embraces the earth,

L: Preserving our life in the midst of trouble.

A: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

† Opening Hymn 455

All Creatures of Our God and King

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession: (Unison)

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, and what our hearts can no longer bear. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

† Congregational Response Hymn 579

Gloria Patri

Passing of the Peace

Time for Little Presbyterians

Prayer of Illumination

First Scripture Lesson

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Anthem

On Eagle's Wings
Comp. Michael Joncas, Stephen Sivley, Soloist

Second Scripture Lesson

1 Samuel 8:4-20

Sermon

“Finding God”

Dr. Michael Bowe

† Second Hymn 366

Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me

Dedication of Gifts, Tithes and Offerings

† Doxology 592

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

Prayer of Dedication

† Affirmation of Faith: (From the New Creed of 1968, the United Church of Canada)
We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

† Closing Hymn 563

Lift Every Voice and Sing

† Benediction

Postlude

Trust and Obey
Arr. Duane Ream, Stephen Sivley, Piano

† You are invited to stand.

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP. We are delighted that you joined us this morning. We encourage families with children to sit near the front. Childcare is provided for children ages 4 and under throughout the service in Room 120.

Prayer request cards can be found in the pew racks. Place in offering plate if you have a prayer request.

Hearing Aids Available – We provide hearing aids for the service. An usher will be happy to assist you.



Are you visiting? Welcome! Would you like to know more about the life and ministry of Faith Presbyterian Church? We invite you to scan the QR code or go to our website <https://presby.org/worship-contact/> to submit a form requesting information.