

# FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcoming Beulah Presbyterian Church

June 5, 2016

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

**Prelude**

*I Love to Tell the Story*

arr. Warriner

**Chiming of the Hour**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Introit**

*This is the Day the Lord Hath Made*

**Call to Worship**

Leader: In you, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame.

**People: In your righteousness deliver me and rescue me;  
incline your ear to me and save me.**

Leader: Be to me a strong fortress, to save me,  
for you are my rock and my refuge.

**People: For you, O Lord, are my hope, my trust.  
My praise is continually of you.**

Leader: Let us worship God!

## WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

**\*Hymn #90**

*Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!*

**Prayer of Confession**

If love is patient, why are we irritable? If love is kind, why are we hostile? If love is not jealous or boastful, why do we flaunt our achievements in the presence of others? O God, in Jesus you have shown love which forgives imperfection; only in him can we forsake childish ways. Forgive our lack of love, and have mercy upon us. Amen. *(Silent prayer and reflection)*

## **Words of Assurance**

Leader: Friends, in Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven!

People: **Thanks be to God!**

**\*Gloria Patri #734**

*“Glory Be to the Father”*

## **Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer**

### **Time with the Children**

Darlene Shegogue

(\* After the Children’s Message, children ages 4 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are welcome to go to our Infant/Toddler Nursery. )

### **Anthem**

*I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*  
Spiritual

arr. Whalum

## **WE HEAR GOD’S WORD**

### **Scripture Lesson**

I Corinthians 13

Pew Bible p. 175-New Testament

### **Sermon Series**

The Spirit of the Church

### **Message**

“The Highest Goal”

Dr. Steve Starzer

## **WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD**

**\*Hymn of Response #464**

*May the Mind of Christ, My Savior*

### **Offering**

*(Please sign and pass the Friendship Pads during this time)*

### **Offertory**

**\*The Doxology #44**

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**The Lord's Supper** (insert)

**\*Closing Hymn #366**

*And Can it Be*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

*Celebrate Life*

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\* Those who are able, please stand.

Hearing assistance devices are available for anyone who needs them.  
Please ask an usher.

The memory verse for June is: *“God chose us in Christ to be holy and blameless in God’s presence before the creation of the world. God destined us to be his adopted children through Jesus Christ because of his love.”*  
(Ephesians 1:4-5a)