

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 21, 2017

6th Sunday of Easter

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

A Joyful Ring
Fairfield Ringers

Kinyon

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit

Come, We That Love the Lord

Call to Worship

Leader: Bless the Lord, O people, sing!

People: Let the sound of praise ring out.

Leader: Come and hear what the Lord has done,

People: the Lord who has made everything!

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn #148**

Come, Thou Almighty King

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we do not always keep your commandments; we fail to love you; our conscience is not clear. Wash us in the water of life that we may live again through the grace and mercy of Jesus, our resurrected Savior. 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

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

Anthem

On Eagle’s Wings

Joncas-Wagner

soloists: Donna Horn & Jerry Williamson

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Scripture Lesson

John 14: 15 - 21

Pew Bible p. 109 - New Testament

Sermon Series Message

Closer and Closer

The Air We Breathe

Dr. Steve Starzer

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

***Hymn of Response #149**

God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian

*** Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles’ Creed

(inside Hymnbook)

Offering

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

Offertory

The Old Rugged Cross

arr. Larson

Fairfield Ringers

***The Doxology #44** *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn #136** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

***Benediction**

***Postlude** *How Majestic Is Your Name* arr. Carter

* Those who are able, please stand.

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

Our memory verse for May is: *“For by the grace given me I say to every one of you, Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the faith God has distributed to each of you.”* Romans 12:3