

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 19, 2018

19th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Simple Gifts

arr. Wagner

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

People: God's steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Wisdom has prepared a feast for us;

People: let us eat and drink of God's gifts.

Leader: Let us worship God.

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn #72**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your way. You bestow the gift of wisdom, yet we continue in our foolishness. You provide the bread of life, yet we persist in the ways of death.

Forgive us, God of grace. Help us to make better use of the lives you have given us, giving glory to you in all things; through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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”

Psalter Reading (insert)

Psalm 111

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Time with the Children

Vicky Brady

(* We urge children 4 and up to stay in worship, experiencing the fullness of worship as "family" during the summer. However, following the Children's talk, the nursery is available for all children through pre-school.)

Anthem

Nobody Knows

arr. Abel Nagytóthy-Toth

Donna Horn, Soprano & Hawthorne Davis, Guitar

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Ephesians 5: 6-20

Pew Bible p. 194 - New Testament

Sermon Series

No Longer Strangers

Message

Time Is Worship

Rev. Darren Utley

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

***Hymn of Response #502**

Be Thou My Vision

*** Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles’ Creed

(inside Hymnbook)

Offering

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

Offertory

Deep River

arr. Abel Nagytóthy-Toth

Donna Horn, Soprano & Hawthorne Davis, Guitar

***The Doxology #44**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn #22**

Let All Things Now Living

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Holy, Holy, Holy

arr. Tornquist

* Those who are able, please stand.

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

The memory verse for August is: “For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God—not the result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.” (Ephesians 2: 8-10)