

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 4, 2021

6th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Let There Be Peace On Earth

arr. Smith

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

L: Why do we come to worship God?

P: We come seeking a blessing from our Lord.

L: What is this blessing that we seek?

**P: We seek an encounter with our God,
who washes us in mercy, calls us to service, and fills us with love.**

L: Let us worship God together.

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn # 501**

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Unison Prayer of Confession

You are love, O God, and you have loved us from the beginning. Forgive us when we do not share your love with the world: when we choose selfishness over compassion; what feels comfortable rather than what is right; when we strive for success instead of faithfulness; when we value independence over community. Forgive us, O God, of the ways we fall short. Free us to try again, and let your love lead the way. Amen. *(Silent prayer and reflection)*

Words of Assurance

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

People: Thanks be to God!

***Gloria Patri**

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, Amen.*

Psalter Reading

Psalm 123

L: To you I lift up my eyes,
to you enthroned in the heavens.

P: **As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters,
and the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress,**

L: so our eyes look to you, O Lord our God,
until you show us your mercy.

P: **Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy,
for we have had more than enough of contempt,**

All: **too much of the scorn of the indolent rich,
and of the derision of the proud.**

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Amazing Grace
Celeste Underdown & Congregation

Newton

(Please join me in singing Amazing Grace. It is Hymn 422)

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Ezekiel 2: 1-5

Pew Bible p. 770

Sermon Series

Everyday Prophecy

Message

"Ezekiel: React or Respond"

Dr. Steve Starzer

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn of Response # 440**

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Offering

Offertory

***The Doxology #44**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Dedication**

The Lord's Supper (insert)

***Closing Hymn # 411**

How Firm a Foundation

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Praise!

Martin