



When
you give a feast,
invite the poor, the crippled,
the lame, the blind,
and you will be blessed.

Luke 14:13-14, ESV

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 4, 2022

13th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit

When Peace Like a River
Randy Green & Jerry Williamson

Stafford/Bliss

Call to Worship

L: With endless creativity,
God forms and shapes our lives.

P: **Each of us bears the image of our maker.
Each of us is made in love.**

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn # 118**

Lord of the Dance

Unison Prayer of Confession

O God, you have given us a firm foundation in Jesus Christ, yet we have chosen to build on sinking sand. The works of our hands crumble around us, and our best efforts are not good enough; sin is real, and we are powerless before it. Forgive us for thinking we know best. Mend our broken values and create in us hearts that seek your purposes, so that what we build with our lives may give you glory. (Silent prayer and reflection) Amen.

Words of Assurance

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

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Psalter Reading

Psalm 46: 1-5

L: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

P: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea;

L: though its waters rage and foam, and though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

P: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

L: God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be shaken; God shall help it at the break of day.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

He Touched Me
Randy Green & Jerry Williamson

Gaither

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Luke 14: 1, 7-14

Pew Bible p. 77 (New Test.)

**Sermon Series
Message**

Our Story in Songs
"Here I Am Lord: Called to Labor On"

Rev. Dr. Keith Curran

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn of Response # 695**

As We Gather at Your Table

Offering

(Please sign and pass the Attendance 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 #559**

Here I Am, Lord

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

* Those who are able, please stand.