

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 18, 2022

15th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude *Fanfare on "Lauda Anima"* arr. Robert J. Hughes

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit *Come, Let us Worship and Bow Down* Doherty

Call to Worship

L: Beloved children of God, in supplication and prayer,
with intercessions and with thanksgiving,

P: we come to worship God.

L: In hope and in humility,
with joy and with concerns,

P: we come to worship God.

L: In faith and in uncertainty,
with questions and with conviction,

P: let us worship God.

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn # 502**

Be Thou My Vision

Unison Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we confess that we are too concerned with our own peace. We seek the comfort of silence, and ignore the cries of the oppressed. We are inwardly focused, missing your call to serve the world in justice and love. Forgive us, O God. Equip us to fulfill your will for a world in which all know dignity and all are treated with equity, as your beloved children. (Silent prayer and reflection) Amen.

Words of Assurance

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

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Gloria Patri #733

Glory Be to the Father

Psalter Reading

Psalm 138

L: I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with my whole heart;
before the gods I will sing your praise.

**P: I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise
your name, because of your love and faithfulness;**

L: for you have glorified your name and your word above all things.

**P: When I called you, you answered me;
you increased my strength within me.**

L: All the rulers of the earth will praise you, O Lord,
when they have heard the words of your mouth.

**P: They will sing of the ways of the Lord,
that great is the glory of the Lord.**

L: The Lord is high, yet the Lord cares for the lowly
and perceives the haughty from afar.

**P: Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe;
you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my
enemies; your right hand shall save me.**

**All: O Lord, you will make good your purpose for me;
O Lord, your love endures forever;
do not abandon the works of your hands.**

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Seek Ye First

Lafferty

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Luke 11: 1-13 (Pew Bible p. 72 - New Test.)

**Sermon Series
Message**

The Prayer You Thought You Knew

“Our Father in Heaven” Rev. Shannon Hendricks

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

***Hymn of Response # 21**

This Is My Father’s World

*** Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles’ Creed

(inside Hymnbook)

Offering

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

Offertory

Our Father Who Art in Heaven

Johann Krieger

***The Doxology #44**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn # 748**

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Hornpipe

Samuel Wesley

* Those who are able, please stand.