

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 6, 2023

10th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Just a Closer Walk With Thee

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit

Love Lifted Me

Call to Worship

Leader: We come, carrying just what we need for the journey;

People: five loaves, two fish.

Leader: We come, bringing whatever we have to offer:

People: our time, our talents, our gifts.

Leader: We come, knowing God will multiply our offerings:

People: in God's hands, what we have is enough.

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn # 443**

Trust and Obey

Sammis/Towner

Prayer of Confession

Generous God, you freely offer us all we need. You offer us the bread of life, so we may never be hungry again. You offer us living water, so we will never thirst. But we scoff at your gifts, wasting our money, time, and energy on things that do not satisfy.

Forgive us and call to us again, reminding us of your gifts of new life that are ours if we would only accept them. (*Silent prayer and reflection*) Amen.

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"

Greatorex

Psalter Reading

Psalm 17: 1-7, 15

L: Hear a just cause, O Lord; give heed to my cry;
listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.

**P: Let my vindication come forth from your presence;
let your eyes be fixed on justice.**

L: Examine my heart, visit me by night,
melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.

**P: I have not regarded what others do;
at the word of your lips I have avoided the ways of the violent.**

L: My footsteps hold fast to your well-worn path;
and my feet do not slip.

**P: I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me;
incline your ear to me and hear my words.**

L: But at my vindication I shall see your face;
when I awake, I shall be satisfied, beholding your likeness.

Time for Children

Sarah Dobson

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Amazing Grace

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Genesis 32: 22-31

Pew Bible p. 30- Old Testament

Sermon Series

Family Reunion 2023

Message

"Holy Wrestling"

Dr. Steve Starzer

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn # 428**

When Peace Like a River

Ville Du Havre

Offering

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

Offertory

Are You Washed in The Blood

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

***Prayer of Dedication**

The Lord's Supper (insert)

***Closing Hymn # 451**

Be Still, My Soul

Finlandia

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

This Little Light of Mine

* Those who are able, please stand.

A big "Thank You" to the musicians who provided the music for our service today. They are: Dennis Byrd, Randy Green, A. T. Scruggs and Jerry Williamson.