

FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 5, 2026

6th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love

arr. Robert J. Powell

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit

Spirit of the Living God

Iverson

Call to Worship

Psalm 5

L: In the morning, O Lord, you hear our prayers.

P: **In the light of this day, we praise your name.**

L: Through the abundance of your steadfast love
you have gathered us into your house.

P: **In the holiness of your presence,
we bow down to worship and adore you.**

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

***Hymn # 358**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Unison Prayer of Confession

Holy God. Too often our speech resembles a resounding gong or clanging cymbal, our empty giving returns nothing. We quickly turn to envy, boasting, pride, dishonor, or anger. Despite the ways of love you have shown and taught us in Jesus Christ, we seek our own way of living in this world, leaning on our own knowledge instead of your eternal goodness. Forgive us, God of mercy, for abandoning your way. Forgive us for not loving you with all our heart, soul, and mind. Forgive us for not loving our neighbor as we love ourselves. Turn us from the ways of sin that we may experience and share your abundant grace.

(Silent prayer and confession) Amen.

Words of Assurance

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

P: **Thanks be to God!**

***Gloria Patri #733**

"Glory Be to the Father"

Meineke

Psalter Reading

Psalm 103:8-13

L: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

P: **He will not always accuse, nor will he keep his anger forever.**

L: He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.

P: **For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;**

L: as far as the east is from the west, so far he removes our transgressions from us.

Anthem

How Great Thou Art
Ellis and Jerry Williamson

Hine

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson Galatians 5:22-23 & Matthew 22: 36-40

Message "The Fruit of Love"

Rev. Mike Watson

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn # 621**

For the Healing of the Nations

Offering

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

Offertory

Love Note
Ellis Williamson

Gamboa

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

*** Prayer of Dedication**

The Lord's Supper

***Closing Hymn #689**

One Bread, One Body

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

arr. Harold DeCou

* Those who are able, please stand.