



*Luke 11:1*

*"Lord,  
teach  
us to  
pray."*

**JULY 24, 2022**  
**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**



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# Welcome

## *Thank you for worshiping with us!*

We invite you to write your name and contact information on the Friendship Pad and pass it down the pew for others to sign.

If you would like a children's folder, large print bulletin, *wireless hearing assistance device* or back pillow, the ushers will be happy to assist you. We currently offer two types of hearing assistance devices: one with earphones, and one which works with "T" coil hearing aids.

If you are visiting with us, and don't have a Bible you can read and understand, please take one from your pew as our gift to you!

Please join us for coffee and tea in Boll Hall after the service.

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~ *The prelude is to be a time of reflection and preparation for worship* ~

## Welcome

### Prelude

*Andante*

Gerald Finzi

## Announcements

### Introit

*Spirit of the Living God*

Daniel Iverson

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.

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Melt us. Mold us. Fill us. Use us.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on us.

### **\*Call to Worship** (read responsively)

One: We come before God with thanks and praise.

**All: We will praise God for God's unfailing love and faithfulness.**

One: We bow before God in worship.

**All: We will worship God, for the glory of the Lord is great.**

One: We lift up our prayers to God with confidence.

**All: We have faith that God answers our prayers and increases our strength.**

### **\*Opening Prayer**

\* Please rise in body or spirit.

# \*Hymn

## Praise God for This Holy Ground

Capo 2: (D)



1 Praise God for this ho - ly ground,  
 2 Praise God in whose word we find  
 3 Praise God who through Christ makes known  
 4 Praise God's Spir - it who be - friends,  
 5 Though praise ends, praise is be - gun



place and peo - ple, sight and sound.  
 food for bod - y, soul, and mind.  
 all are loved and called God's own.  
 rais - es, hum - bles, breaks, and mends.  
 where God's will is glad - ly done.

Refrain



Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!



God's good - ness is e - ter - nal.

## Call to Confession

### Prayer of Confession (unison)

Ever faithful God, we often forget the gifts we have received from your grace; instead of giving thanks, we ask for more. We complain about what we lack and fail to trust your generosity. We refuse others the forgiveness we seek for ourselves. Forgive us, O God. Transform our hearts and reshape our desires to reflect your goodness in the way we live. Amen.

*(Silent Confession)*

## **Assurance of Forgiveness**

### **Children's Message**

**Sarah French**

*Children are invited to come forward to the chancel steps. Following the message, elementary and preschool age children depart for Sunday School in the Education Rooms. After you exit the sanctuary, someone in the Narthex will direct you.*

## **Prayer for Illumination**

## **Scripture Readings**

**First Reading: Colossians 2: 6-9**

**Second Reading: Luke 11: 1-13**

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Meditation**      "Teach Us to Pray"      **Rev. Jacqueline Spycher**

## **Call for the Offering**

### **Offertory**

*Day by Day*  
Summer Choir

Gerald Custer

**\*Doxology**      Praise God, from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Christ, all people here below  
Praise Holy Spirit ever more;  
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

## **\*Prayer of Thanksgiving**

## **Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in  
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us  
our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into  
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the  
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**\*Sending Hymn**     *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*



1 \*Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther;  
 2 Sum - mer and win - ter, and spring - time and har - vest,  
 3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth,



there is no shad - ow of turn - ing with thee.  
 sun, moon, and stars in their cours - es a - bove  
 thine own dear pres - ence to cheer and to guide,



Thou chang - est not; thy com - pas - sions they fail not.  
 join with all na - ture in man - i - fold wit - ness  
 strength for to - day and bright hope for to - mor - row:



As thou hast been thou for - ev - er wilt be.  
 to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.  
 bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

*Refrain*



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness!



Morn - ing by morn - ing, new mer - cies I see.



All I have need - ed thy hand hath pro - vid - ed.



Great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord un - to me!

## \*Benediction

### \*Sung Response O Christ, Surround Me (v. 1, 5)

1 God, be the love to search and keep me; God, be the prayer to  
5 Christ in the eyes of all who see me, Christ in the ears that  
move my voice; God, be the strength to now up - hold me:  
hear my voice, Christ in the hearts of all who know me:  
O Christ, sur-round me; O Christ, sur-round me.

## Postlude

*Voluntary in A Major*

William Selby

*At the close of the worship service, you may depart during the postlude, or stay to enjoy the music.*

## Worship Leaders:

### Senior Pastor

Rev. Jacqueline Spycher

### Parish Associate

Rev. Linda Cochran

### Liturgist

Louise Fisher

### Music Ministry

Dr. Jerry Custer, Vocal Music Director

Dr. Dave Wagner, Organist/Accompanist

### Youth Ministry

Sarah French, Children and

Youth Director

## Song Credits:

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\* Please rise in body or spirit.



**Membership Class**— A one day class will be held this summer—if you are interested in membership at FPC, please contact the church office with your name and contact information.

**The Men's Wednesday Morning Bible Study** meets at 8:00 a.m. via Zoom and we are currently studying Matthew 16. Contact Tom Lahiff for the meeting link: 734-260-5676.

**Crossroads Sunday Lunch** — volunteers are needed for Sunday, August 14. Please sign up using the SignUp Genius link in our Friday Email News, or contact Tom Lahiff: 734-260-5676.



**Congregation:** all caregivers; Jim Atkinson; Bonnie Bakewell; Grant Beringer; Phil & Ginny Cavaretta; Marge Dabney; Kathy Gricius; Elizabeth Hartigan; Ron Housman; Donald Morgan; Marilyn Overmyer; Melissa Weiss; Dick Werther

**Friends and Family:** Kimberly Atkinson (family of Jim & Marilyn Atkinson); Roy Awe (friend of Marilyn Thibodeau); Patricia Bader (mother of Dave Bader); Claude Coleman (brother of Coline Coleman), Brant Doty (brother of Tim Doty); Jackie Fisher (mother of Louise Fisher); Patrick Gill (husband of Neyssa Gill); Sally Gillies (sister of Ron Austin); Grandson of friend of Janet Heath-Morgan; Connie Hassaballa (sister of Sandy Robison & Judy Russell); Mark Ivankovics (brother-in-law of Louise Fisher); Nina & Nikolai (residing in Ukraine; relatives of Marcia Booth); Marc Noga (friend of Jim & Liz Murtfeldt); Penny Norton (mother of Guy Sartorius); Barbara Onofrio (friend of Georgeann & Lynn Stringer); Tina Tate (friend of Mary Ann Gingrich); Bob Trombley (husband of Sandy Trombley and brother of Maureen Trombley and Barbara Ulbrich); Terry Wingblad (friend of Darleen Sweeney); Randy Wisner (cousin of Darleen Sweeney).

**All Military Personnel** currently serving here and abroad.



*Our sympathy and continued prayers are extended to the families of Dale Haskin and Betty Allen*

Sunday 7/24    8:45 am    Kerygma Bible Study, Middle Sch. Rm  
                      9:00 am    Summer Choir, Sanctuary  
                      10:00 am    Worship, Sanctuary & Facebook Live  
                      10:15 am    Children's Sunday School, Education Wing

Tue. 7/26	12:00 pm	Rotary, Boll Hall
	4:30 pm	Women's Golf League, Riverbank G.C.
	7:00 pm	Caregiver Group, Youth Room
	8:00 pm	AA Meeting, CLC
	8:00 pm	AL-ANON, Boll Hall

Wed. 7/27	8:00 am	Men's Morning Small Group, via Zoom
	7:00 pm	Matthew 25 Meeting, via Zoom

Thur. 7/28      7:00 pm    Handbell Rehearsal, Music Center

Fri. 7/29            9:30 pm    Northville Library Meeting, CLC

Sat. 7/30

Sunday 7/31    8:45 am    Kerygma Bible Study, Middle Sch. Rm  
                      9:00 am    Summer Choir, Sanctuary  
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