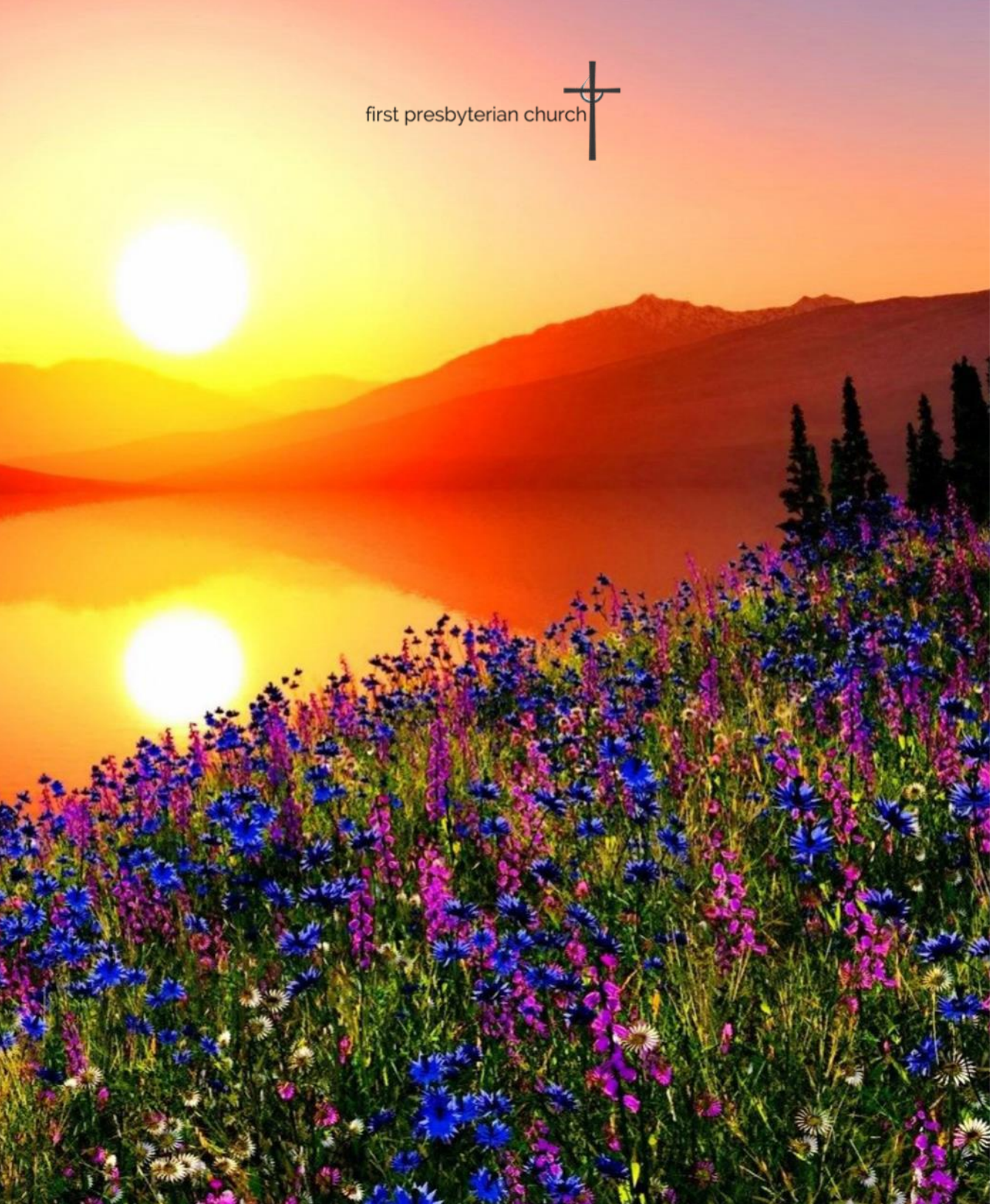


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ORDER OF WORSHIP
7th Sunday after Pentecost // July 24, 2022
10:00 am

ENTERING GOD'S PRESENCE

GATHERING SONG

We Celebrate a Place for All

Carlos Yo Juego

LIFE AT FIRST

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Give thanks to God that God's steadfast love endures forever!

All: We have gathered from east and west, north and south to this place of prayer.

One: God satisfies the hungry and gives rest to the weary;

All: We come hungering and thirsting for the love of God to fill us.

One: Come, celebrate this place where all may meet the Bread of Life; let us worship God.

***HYMN** #264 *At the Name of Jesus*

CALL TO CONFESSION AND PRAYER

One: We have received Jesus Christ into our hearts; we are alive in him and dead to sin, but the reality of life here on earth is that we struggle with the temptation to put our selves before others even as we make idols of our possessions before God.

Let us pray:

All: Holy One, you teach us to live in love with one another and with you. Forgive our behavior that does not reflect the Christ that lives in our hearts. Forgive our desire for power over others and the lies we tell ourselves about how good we are. Help us be kinder, more generous, and forgiving towards others as you have forgiven us.

KYRIE ELEISON

Cantor: Kyrie eleison, *Lord, have mercy.*

All: Kyrie eleison.

Cantor: Christe eleison, Christ, have mercy.

All: Christe eleison.

Cantor: Kyrie eleison, *Lord, have mercy.*

All: Kyrie eleison.

*ASSURANCE OF LOVE AND FORGIVENESS

#774 *There Is Now a New Creation* vs. 1 and 5

**There is now a new creation through the grace of Jesus Christ,
peace and reconciliation with the God of endless life.**

**There is now a new creation through the grace of Jesus Christ.
Sing, with thanks and adoration, to the God of endless life!**

*PASSING THE PEACE

REFLECTIVE MUSIC

HEARING GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH CHILDREN *Jesus Loves Me!*

Jesus loves me! This I know, as he loved so long ago,
taking children on his knee, saying, "Let them come to me."

Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!

Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION #175 *Seek Ye First*

SERMON

When Gospel Becomes Law

Rev. Linda Male

RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Eternal Spirit,
Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:

The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!
The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
In times of temptation and test, strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and forever.
Amen.

GIVING OF OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND LIVES

***DOXOLOGY** #606 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

***PRAYER**

***CLOSING HYMN** #438 *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Worship Leaders: Rev. Linda Male, Jan Goodwin, Emily Grabinski Conklin,
Chuck Norris, Natalie Bengston

Thanks to: Technical Support Team, Greeters and Ushers, Bus Drivers,
and M&M Café Providers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Office Hours // Monday - Thursday 9am-3pm and Friday 9am - 12noon

Outdoor Discovery Center Sunday Worship // On Sunday, August 7, we will once again experience the fullness of God's creation as we worship and share communion at the Outdoor Discovery Center (4214 56 th St, Holland, MI). This is a 10-minute drive from the Church. Worship begins at 10 am. If you wish, bring a lunch to eat after the service, which will be held under the pavilion. Afterwards, have fun walking the trails or enjoying activities in the Visitor's Center.

Shrimp Boil // The FPC Annual Shrimp Boil is back!

When: Saturday, August 20 at 5:30pm

Where: FPC parking lot (or in the Fellowship Hall in case of bad weather)

Who: All are Welcome! Kids are invited!

What: Hot dogs will be provided for kids, or feel free to bring your own something to throw on the grill. Bring a side, salad, or appetizer to share!

Strawberry shortcake, ice cream and Texas sheet cake will be provided for dessert

Cost: \$10 per adult for shrimp

Kids under 12 and new members who have joined FPC since 2020 eat FREE!

Soundboard Training // Interested in learning how to run the soundboard? Volunteers are desperately needed to have enough trained operators to fill a shift rotation. Sound operators issue microphones before the service and take them off mute and adjust volume as needed through the service. We are also operating the live stream camera feed. I invite anyone interested to sit with me and watch and learn, then I will sit with you until you are comfortable driving solo. Please consider joining this team that provides an essential service to the congregation. Contact Tim Richardson with questions, tim36r@yahoo.com



A deep thank-you to all who offered prayers and sent cards during my recovery from surgery. I hope you don't find yourself having unexpected surgery on the first day of a planned week's vacation. But if it happens to you, I hope you receive an FPC level of caring and support like I did. Thank you to all. ~ Barb Schreur

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We Celebrate a Place for All

Carlos Yo Juego

The musical score is written for two staves in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is in the upper staff, and the accompaniment is in the lower staff. The lyrics are written below the notes.

We ce- le- brate a place for all, God's love tran-sends the tall- est wall!

Wel- come! Wel- come! Wel- come one and all!

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We wel- come you, we heed his call, ____ We cel- e brate a place for all!

Wel- come! Wel- come! Wel- come one and all!

At the Name of Jesus

264

Capo 5: (Am)

(G) (Am) (C) (Am)

(Dm) (Am)

Dm

C Dm

F Dm

Gm Dm



1 At the name of Je - sus ev - ery knee shall bow,
 2 Hum-bled for a sea - son to re-ceive a name
 3 Bore it up tri - um - phant, with its hu - man light,
 4 Chris-tians, this Lord Je - sus shall re - turn a - gain,

(C)

(G)

(Am)

(C)

(Dm)

F

C

Dm

F

Gm



ev - ery tongue con - fess him King of glo - ry now;
 from the lips of sin - ners un - to whom he came,
 through all ranks of crea - tures, to the cen - tral height,
 with his Fa - ther's glo - ry o'er the earth to reign;

(G)

(Em)

(Am)

(G)

(D)

(G)

C

Am

Dm

C

G

C



'tis the Fa - ther's plea - sure we should call him Lord,
 faith - ful - ly he bore it spot - less to the last,
 to the throne of God - head, to the Fa - ther's breast,
 for all wreaths of em - pire meet up - on his brow,

(Am)

(G)

(Em)

(Dm)

(C)

(G)

(Am)

Dm

C

Am

Gm

F

C

Dm



who from the be - gin - ning was the might - y Word.
 brought it back vic - to - rious, when from death he passed;
 filled it with the glo - ry of that per - fect rest.
 and our hearts con - fess him King of glo - ry now.

774 There Is Now a New Creation



- 1 There is now a new cre - a - tion through the grace of Je - sus Christ,
- 2 Call the lost and found to - geth - er; tell the news to ev - ery - one:
- 3 Wrap the prod - i - gal in wel - come; run to greet the way - ward child.
- 4 Come and join the cel - e - bra - tion; come and join this hap - py feast;
- 5 There is now a new cre - a - tion through the grace of Je - sus Christ.



peace and rec - on - cil - i - a - tion with the God of end - less life.
 now the past is gone for - ev - er and a new life has be - gun.
 All is fin - ished and for - giv - en; let us now be rec - on - ciled.
 Je - sus makes an in - vi - ta - tion to the great - est and the least.
 Sing, with thanks and ad - o - ra - tion, to the God of end - less life!



175

Seek Ye First

Descant

Al - le - lu - ia,

1 Seek ye first the king - dom of God
 2 Ask, and it shall be giv - en un - to you;
 3 You shall not live by bread a - lone,

al - le - lu - ia,

and seek, its and righ - teous - ness,
 but you shall find;
 by ev - ery word

al - le - lu - ia,

and all these things shall be add - ed un - to you.
 knock, and the door shall be o - pened un - to you.
 that pro - ceeds from the mouth of God.

al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!

694 Great God of Every Blessing

1 Great God of ev - ery bless - ing, of faith - ful, lov - ing care,
 2 Your Word is our sal - va - tion, the source of end - less grace,
 3 Your Spir - it is our teach - er, the light that guides our search,

you are the fount of good - ness, the dai - ly bread we share.
 in death and life ex - tend - ing your cov - e - nant em - brace.
 trans - form - ing bro - ken peo - ple in - to the ho - ly church.

How can we hope to thank you? Our praise is but a start:
 In Christ we are one bod - y; each mem - ber has a part:
 For feed - ing us with mer - cy, for wis - dom you im - part:

sin - cere - ly and com - plete - ly I of - fer you my heart.

438 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me



1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.
 2 Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fill thy law's de - mands.
 3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; sim - ply to thy cross I cling;
 4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when my eye - lids close in death,



Let the wa - ter and the blood from thy wound - ed side which flowed
 Could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,
 na - ked, come to thee for dress, help - less, look to thee for grace;
 when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,



be of sin the dou - ble cure, cleanse from guilt and make me pure.
 all for sin could not a - tone. Thou must save, and thou a - lone.
 foul, I to the foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

