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*We invite you to stand as able.

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

~The Gathering~

PRELUDE

May God Bestow on Us His Grace Tami Newsom, organ Walther

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Greeting Rev. Matt Nieman

CALL TO WORSHIP

We ponder your steadfast love, O God,

and our praise reaches to the ends of the earth.

Tell the next generation:

Our God will be our guide forever.

Come, let us rejoice and worship the Lord.

*HYMN #469

Morning Has Broken

Bunessan

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*CALL TO CONFESSION

*Prayer of Confession

O Teacher, in Jesus Christ you have shown that even a prophet can be rejected by us, who think we know best.

Forgive us for our sins, O Lord.

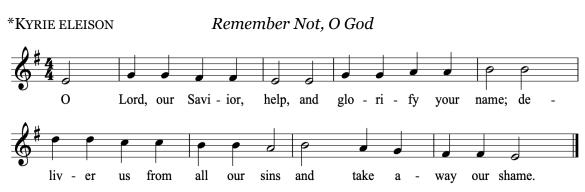
Teach us to listen for your word in our midst;

let us not be too proud to hear.

Open our hearts to those we too easily disregard and the voices we readily exclude.

All this we pray through the power of your Holy Spirit.

(please continue in silent prayer)



*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS





let your own be - lov-ed ones your great sal - va-tion share.

*THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

~The Word~

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Mary Overstreet

Come, Holy Spirit; when we become stubborn and unbelieving, open our hearts to receive your Word, then set us free to follow in the power of Christ's love. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

[Pew Bible pg. 279]

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 48

Dr. Angela Batey, cantor

Hopson



How great is the Lord and worthy of praise, whose glory above Mount Zion displays! In light of your splendor our cities are dust, eternal our refuge, unquestioned our trust. **(R)**

The rulers of earth are shaken with fright when you in your wrath appear in their sight; But we as your chosen have witnessed your heart, and at its remembrance all fear soon depart. **(R)**

The far fashioned bounds of earth lift their voice, and for your goodwill the mountains rejoice. Your kindness still follows the course of our days; whatever our pathway, our guide for all days. **(R)**

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SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Mark 6:1-13

Rev. Matt Nieman

The Gospel of the Lord.

[Pew Bible pg. 247]

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

"A Determined Life"

Rev. Matt Nieman

~The Response~

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – from the Heidelberg Catechism

We believe that we belong, in life and in death, not to ourselves but to our faithful savior Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own life has freed us from the dominion of evil. Everything fits his purpose of salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he reassures us of eternal life and makes us willing and ready to live for him.

ANTHEM

Always Remember Dr. Angela Batey, soprano

Sewell

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

~The Eucharist~

THE INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

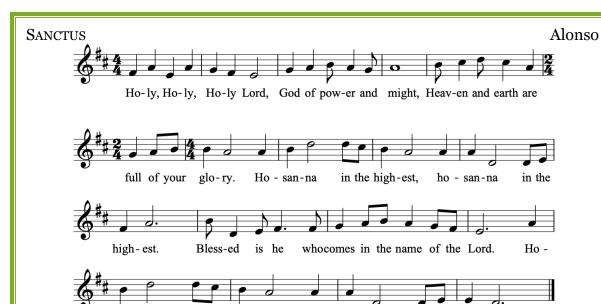
We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

(prayer continues)





in the high-est,

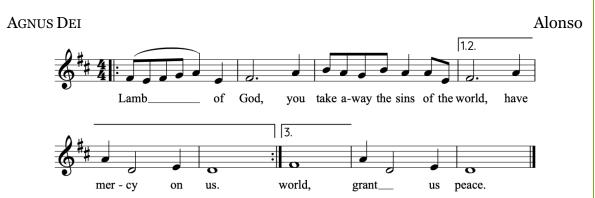
THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

ho - san - na

in the high-est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION



THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

~The Sending~

*HYMN #435

We All Are One in Mission

Es flog ein kleins Waldvögelein

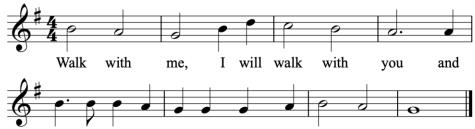
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*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE



build the land that God has planned where love shines through.

*POSTLUDE

Improvisation on Aberystwyth

Hopson

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Reader ~ Mary Overstreet

Ushers ~ Scott & Debby McKinney

Communion Server ~ Scott McKinney

Audio ~ Ken Ladrach / Video ~ Mason Warren, Turner Neely

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Scan this QR code and click on the generated google doc link, or

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- Sign the pew attendance pad.

SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS

Hello Friends! Farragut Presbyterian Church is looking for volunteers to assist in our worship services. If you can help in any of the submitted categories: usher, scripture reader, or communion server, please go to: http://tinyurl.com/FPCvolunteerSignUp and sign up in the appropriate available time slot. If you have any questions, please contact Mikie Lancaster, Ken Ladrach, or the church office (865/966-9547).

Sign up to be a PRAYER PARTNER!

FPC Family Ministry would like all church members to consider volunteering to be a Prayer Partner to a FPC child. Each partner will be assigned a young child to pray for during the 2024-2025 school year. You can sign up on the narthex table, or contact Mason Warren at masonwarren@fpctn.org for more information.





Special thanks to June meal coordinators Wayne & MaryAnne Walls, along with volunteers David & Megan Figel, and Gayle Williams for preparing and serving a meal to the homeless at **VOLUNTEER MINISTRY CENTER** on June 18th. Our FPC Youth will be serving in July. Farragut Presbyterian Church has been preparing lunch for the

hungry in the VMC Resource Center for over 25 years. VMC is grateful to all of our volunteer meal groups who cook and serve delicious meals for area neighbors working to achieve housing. Contact Jean Peretz for more information.

ALL ARE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL FOODIES PICNIC AT THE LAKE! - July 13th 3pm at Mikie Lancaster's Lake House - 227 Mainsail Rd. Kingston, TN 37763

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, and Brats will be served. There is a \$5 fee per adult to help cover the cost of meat and condiments. Please bring a salad, appetizer, or dessert to share along with your beverage of choice. Sign-up is in the narthex. For more information, contact Pat Hickman.





SUNSET GAP BACK-TO-SCHOOL sign-up list is now available both in the narthex and on-line to purchase needed school supplies for low income families in the Appalachian area.

We are sponsoring 26 children this year who attend Cosby Elementary school. Select a tag, sign your name and contact information on the sign-up. Be sure to note which tag you have taken. Items are due back by July 28. Sign up in the narthex, or online at:

https://tinyurl.com/SGback2school or use your phone's camera and the QR code here to sign up online as well. Be sure to write the tag number on the donated items when you return them, so we know which child you bought for. Contact Debbie Long with your questions.

The FPC Presbyterian Women are also collecting school supplies that will be distributed to **SPECIAL AREA TEACHERS** in Cocke and Sevier Counties. These include art, music, physical education, and special education teachers. Items most needed include: tissues, pencils, crayons, colored pencils, glue sticks, scissors, printed paper, ziplock bags, hand sanitizer, markers, construction paper, bottled glue, skin-toned crayons, and sketchbooks. You can place your donations in the designated basket in the narthex. If you have any questions about Sunset Gap, please contact Debbie Long.



PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Pat Dail, Denise Damelio, Wayne Davis, Carolyn DeGroot, Billie Fain, Chuck Foriska, Frank Guess, Paul Hanson, Beth Loyless, Ann McAnally, Irma McGuffey, Annette Meador, Maria Medina, Tami Newsom, Kimberly Platt, Jim Rich, Dee Robinson, Gail Wallace, Helen Weaver, Buddy Wert, Linda Wert

This Week at FPC

Sun, Jul 07	9:00 a.m. Casual and 11:00 am Traditional Worship Services		
	9:00 ****	a.m.	Kidzone Summer Program/Room A
Mon, Jul o8	10:00	a.m.	Youth/Soaky Mountain Waterpark Chair Yoga/Narthex
,	4:00	p.m.	Stephen Ministry Group/Library
	7:00	p.m.	Christian Education Committee/Zoom
Tues, Jul 09	6:00	p.m.	Personnel Committee/Library
	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scouts #444/FH, Narthex
Thur, Jul 11	8:00	a.m.	Men's Bible Study/Narthex
Fri, Jul 12	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
	7:00	p.m.	Xperience Christian Youth Concert/Sanctuary
Sat, Jul 13	3:00	p.m.	Foodies/Mikie's Lake House, Watts Bar Lake



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