

First Presbyterian Church

1530 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, Florida 33020-5240

6th Sunday after Pentecost

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Welcome to our Worship Service!

We are so glad you are here.

July 12, 2020

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WELCOME & CALL TO REFLECTION

PRELUDE – *Be Thou My Vision* arr. Albin Whitworth

PRAYER OF TRANSFORMATION

***HYMN – Great Is Thy Faithfulness**

**Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;
As Thou hast been Thou forever will be.**

**Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!**

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS Adapted from Thomas Wilson (1663-1775)

Forgive us our sins, O Lord: the sins of our present and the sins of our past, the sins of our soul, and the sins of our body, the sins which we have done to please ourselves, and the sins which we have done to please others. Forgive us our casual sins and our deliberate sins, and those which we have labored so to hide that we have hidden them from ourselves. Forgive us, O Lord, forgive all our sins, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

A TIME OF SILENCE

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

***Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing**

**O to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be!
Let that grace now, like a fetter, Bind my wandering heart to Thee:
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it Prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts above.**

THE NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

Solo - Purify My Heart Brian Doerksen
Carolyn Smylie, soloist

SCRIPTURE READING – Psalm 32 (NRSV)

Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Happy are those to whom the LORD imputes no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. While I kept silence, my body wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and you forgave the guilt of my sin. Therefore let all who are faithful offer prayer to you; at a time of distress, the rush of mighty waters shall not reach them. You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with glad cries of deliverance. I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you. Do not be like a horse or a mule, without understanding, whose temper must be curbed with bit and bridle, else it will not stay near you. Many are the torments of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the LORD. Be glad in the LORD and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD Kennedy M. McGowan

The Ways of Worship, A Journey Through the Psalms
Worship Means Truth-Telling

THE LORD'S PRAYER - Debtors version

**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.
FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS,
AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS.
LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION.
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL.
FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM,
THE POWER AND THE GLORY. AMEN.**

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

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***OFFERING OF PRAYER (in unison) Adapted from a prayer by John L. Bell, b. 1949**

**O God, bring new life where we are worn and tired; new love where we
have turned hard-hearted; forgiveness where we have wounded; and the
joy and freedom of your Holy Spirit where we are the prisoners of
ourselves. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

***HYMN – God of Grace and God of Glory**

**God of grace and God of glory, On Thy people pour Thy power;
Crown Thine ancient church's story; Bring its bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, For the facing of this hour,
For the facing of this hour.**

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

***POSTLUDE** – *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* Charles Callahan

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Facebook Live! — Broadcast at Noon, each Monday through Friday
Zoom meeting Bible study and prayer time — Each Sunday at 11 AM
9:00 a.m. – Prayer on the patio
Remember - everyone is always invited, welcomed and loved!

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WELCOME VISITORS!

It is our hope that you will feel invited, welcomed, and loved as you worship with us. First Presbyterian Church is a family of faith committed to families, peacemaking, and mission. All are welcome. For information, visit us at our **web site at: fpcOH.org**

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A hard copy of the worship bulletin is available on our website: fpcoh.org
Go to “Worship;” click on “Sermon & Worship;” on right side of screen, click on
“download this week’s church bulletin.”

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To keep up-to-date on changes to the schedule, check out: website: fpcoh.org

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Each Sunday morning:

at 9:00 a.m., **Prayer on the Patio**, in-person with Pastor Kennedy; and

at 11 AM, Pastor Kennedy’s **Zoom meeting Bible study and prayer time.**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/762642399?pwd=R2NmZ2NiSERlcWRrRzEwLlpLL2lSUT09>

And if they ask for a password, it will always be - Invited.

(Since Zoom might feel a little intimidating, included is a link with a brief and super helpful video that will tell you all you need to know about joining a zoom

meeting: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9isp3qPeQ0E> - if you watch this, you’ll be Zoom ready.

As the narrator of the video explains, Zoom is a great way to stay connected in these days of Covid 19.

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