

WELCOME TO THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF FARMINGTON
Seventh Sunday of Easter/Mother's Day
May 12, 2024

Prelude
Ring the Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

*Passing the Peace of Christ

Introit "Surely the Presence of the Lord"

*Call to Worship (Responsive)

From God comes my salvation.

For God alone my soul waits in silence.

God alone is my rock and my salvation.

God is my fortress; I shall never be shaken.

*Opening Hymn # 14 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

*Call to Confession: (Pastoral)

Trusting in the promise of grace, let us pour out our hearts before God.

*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Forgiving God, we repent of all the ways we turn from you. You call, but we do not listen; you show us your path, but we prefer our own way.

Forgive us, heal us, and lead us back to you, that we might show mercy to others. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon (Pastoral)

This is the word of the Lord: in Jesus Christ, you are forgiven by God and given new life.

*Gloria Patri

Children's Sermon

Anthem "Special Moments"

Scripture Lessons Psalm 62: 5-12
Jonah 3:1-5, 10

Sermon "Walk This Way"

Birthdays

Joys/Concerns/Prayers of the People

Call to Offering (Pastoral)

God is our rock and our fortress. Let us celebrate our salvation by fearlessly giving a portion of what has already been given to us.

Offertory

*Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving for our Tithes and Offerings (Unison)

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions.

Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love; through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, Amen.

*Closing Hymn #463 "How Firm a Foundation"

* Charge and Benediction (Pastoral)

Go out into the world in peace; have courage; hold onto what is good; return no one evil for evil; support the weak; help the suffering; honor all people; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.

Postlude