

First Presbyterian Church

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Embodying Christ's inclusive love through heart, mind, and service

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Oak Ridge, Tennessee
A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

June 19, 2022 • *Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Please stand, in body or in spirit. Text printed in bold italics to be read in unison.*

Prelude

Welcome

***Call to Worship**

Our souls long for you, O God;

Where are you?

In raging wind?

In trembling earth?

In blazing flames?

Our souls long for you, O God; where are you?

(silence)

Meet us once more, O God, in stillness, in silence, in smallness.

Come now, O God, enter our hearts and minds, present now for you.

***Hymn 42**

Your Faithfulness, O Lord, Is Sure

***Call to Confession**

***Prayer of Confession**

(a moment of silence for personal confession)

God of grace, we confess that we do not always understand your ways. We are easily discouraged when life takes unexpected turns and our carefully laid plans come to nothing. We are quick to give up when things get difficult. Forgive us, we pray. Grant us patience to wait for your good timing. Open our eyes to recognize your leading in our lives—to listen for your gentle whisper when we least expect it. Then give us courage to step out in faith and obedience, so that we may follow you more closely; through Christ we pray. Amen.

***Assurance of Forgiveness**

***The Peace of Christ**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

***Sung Response** *We are forgiven* *Glory to God, 447*
We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.
We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.

Time with the Children

Anthem *As the Deer* arr. Larson

Scripture Readings Psalm 42:1-3
1 Kings 19:9-13

Sermon *In the Silence* Dave Mullins

***Affirmation of Faith** (*adapted by members of FPC*)

We believe in God, the Father Almighty, and in Jesus Christ, his Son, our Lord, and in the Holy Spirit. We seek to know God's will, to walk in God's ways, and to proclaim the Gospel to all people, by our lives as well as by our words. We work and pray for the progress of knowledge, the promotion of justice, the reign of peace, and the realization of human unity in our time. And we look with faith for the triumph of righteousness in our community and in our world. Amen.

Call to Prayer *Glory to God, 692*

*Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving.
Spirit open my heart.*

Prayers of the People with The Lord's Prayer (*ecumenical*)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

***Hymn 722** *Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak*

***Charge and Blessing**

***Sung Response** *Irish Blessing*
*May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back,
May the sun shine warmly on your face.
May the rain fall softly on your field,
And until we meet again, until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.*

Postlude



*The flowers today are given by Mike and Peggy Hilliard to the glory of God
and in memory of Peggy's father, Milner Bradley Wilson, III.*



Announcements

—Thank you to Bob Cantrell for serving as our liturgist today.

—Special thanks to our musicians Mary Lou Holt, Peggy Terpstra, and Jason Goodman for sharing their musical gifts with us today, and to Dave Mullins for being our guest preacher while Sharon is away on vacation.

—**This Friday, June 24**, we will have our family movie night! The movie begins at 8:00 p.m. in the courtyard of the Activities building. Bring a chair or blanket and a beverage. Snacks will be provided. If it is raining, the movie will be shown in the fellowship hall.

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church!

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here. We hope you feel the love that is present and our joy in having you with us. If you'd like to know more about First Presbyterian Church, let's talk! Please speak with Sharon or any of the ushers after the service.

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