

✚ stand as able

ORDER OF WORSHIP for June 13, 2021 11am

(Those not wanting to be on the video recording of the service, please be seated under the balcony.)

Location of hymns: HB is "The Hymnbook" (burgundy) & HoF is "Hymns of Faith" (scarlet)

Chimes, followed by the **Prelude** played by Collin Richardson

✚ **Opening Hymn: HB #104 2nd tune "The Lord Is My Shepherd"** *(Public Domain, CCLI size A: 405570 & Streaming 20373701)*

✚ **Welcome** by Pastor Janet

✚ **Call to Worship: Psalm 23 (KJV unison):**

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

✚ **Prayer of Confession:** based on Hebrews 13:1-19 *(unison):*

For our failing: to love one another as brothers & sisters; to show hospitality to strangers; to help those in prison & being mistreated; to keep the marriage bed pure, by practicing or imagining sexual immorality; to be content with what we have by coveting money & goods; to discern strange & false teaching; to offer a sacrifice of praise; to share with others; and to submit to the authority of leaders, Jesus, hear our confession & forgive our sin. *(Pause in silent confession.)*

✚ **Assurance of Forgiveness:** Hebrews 9:27-28 *(responsively)*

Just as people are destined to die only once, and after that to face judgment,

So Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin,

but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him.

immediately followed by **HB #546 The Gloria Patri**

✚ **Call to God's Word (unison): "Scripture cannot be set aside... What does Scripture say?"** Jn 10:35 & Rm 4:3.

✚ **Prayer for Illumination (unison): Lord, through your Spirit enable us to consider your Word, and to enact it in our lives to bring you glory and praise. Amen.**

Scripture Readings: Genesis 2:1-2; Exodus 20:8-11; Psalm 23; Hebrews 3:7-4:13; and more!

SERMON: "Enter Rest where Nothing is Hidden" by The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford

PRAYERS of Joy & Concern, followed by *(unison): Our Father... forgive us our debts... (front of some HBs)*

Benediction by Pastor Janet

Kathy Wallace, ruling elder chair of Christian education, assisting below

Announcements on back

Invitation to Give followed by **Offertory** played by Collin Richardson

✚ **Prayer of Dedication (unison): Jesus, in view of your mercy, we offer up thanks thru giving. Amen.**

immediately followed by **HB #544 The Doxology**

✚ **Affirmation of Faith (unison): Apostles' Creed** *(front of some HBs)*

✚ **Closing Hymn: HB #437 "The Church's One Foundation"** *(Public Domain, CCLI size A: 405570 & Streaming 20373701)*

Postlude played by Collin Richardson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1) Text **Karen & Jon Davis** to check about dropping in for a **visit**, with or without food in hand! When inclined to provide **dinner on a Tuesday or Thursday**, to schedule for 6/22 or after please call or text Nancy Lord. However, the meals are no longer needed as much as they are appreciated, being quite scrumptious!
- 2) Lord's day **communion** is next Sunday 6/20.
- 3) **Live streaming** is to start from the sanctuary next Sunday 6/20, when both in-person & virtual worship will occur at 11am! On 6/27 **virtual Bible study** will then move to 1pm. (No study on 6/20 for Father's Day.)
- 4) **Bereans** for women to resume 4th Thursday at noon with brown bag lunches, starting on 6/24.
- 5) **New organist/pianist, Tracy** (Qian Yu), international doctoral student of music at OSU, starts on 7/4! To learn more about her, her website is: <https://1019319663.wixsite.com/yuqianyu>
- 6) 7/23 8:30pm FPCP Open House & VBS registration; 9pm **Friday Family Film** & snack. (BYOChair for outdoor seating along gravel lot weather permitting.)
- 7) **Vacation Bible School** registration begins soon for 7/25-27 6:30-8pm @FPCP in partnership with Outville PC.

Send requests to fpcfopataskala@gmail.com or text Pastor Janet @ 412-877-9310.

PRAYERS OF JOY for:

- Those celebrating **birthdays & anniversaries**. (Look in back of church directory to send cards & to extend blessings & prayers.)
 - **PRAYERS OF CONCERNS for:**
- **Revival** to enable the Church to fulfill our call of witness. Revival does not necessarily mean that tents will pop up in our nation's farmers' fields, like in the past. The result of revival comes only through the Holy Spirit when faith is enlivened like in Ezekiel 37, from prayer like in the book of Acts and when we praise like in HoF #44 "Revive Us Again"! Pray, "Revive us, O Lord!"
- **For our nation.**
- **For Israel.** Recommend reading "Alignment" by Asher Intrater, messianic Jewish rabbi in Israel.
- **For the gospel to spread in the middle east & Asia**, for **Christians, who suffer persecution** around the world, and for Missionary advocates to Japan, Pierce & Erin Johnson and other missionaries & evangelists.
- **Pataskala community near FPCP, especially youth.** Those with financial struggles.
- **Victims of human trafficking** & the ministry of Gracehaven.
- **Victims of natural disasters.** Mt Pleasant Presbyterian **Church** in Darlington (where Crawford's were married) **destroyed by fire.**
- **Those in grief.**
- **Homebound:** Connie DeRose, Diane Krisoff, Joan Mauger, Pat Morrison, Rob Peters (Jean's brother), Edith Smith & Karen Davis in home hospice & Jon. For clarity & provision in upcoming projects to help those with **disabilities**.
- Those dealing with **cancer:** Jane Byrne (Dick L's cousin) pancreatic; Karen Davis in home hospice with metastasized cancer & Jon Davis to transition into assisted living; Bruce DeHart (Sherril's brother-in-law) bladder; Darrell Glenn (Marshall's brother) needs strength & encouragement; Darlie Hart (Dick L's sister) bladder; Lisa Johnson & her mother (Laura M.'s friends); Laura Keesor (substitute organist); Linda (Tom K's niece) removal of tumor on kidney; Al Lumannick (father of Joyce's daughter Jen Cook) aggressive brain tumor; Doris M (friend of Celler) spot on lung; Debbie Peters (Jean's sister); Bill Swift (Nancy's brother) trial treatment; Martha Swift (Lord's niece) 6/14 surgery for uterine cancer; Tony (friend of Mathews) metastatic melanoma
- Prayers for those with long term consequences from **COVID-19**.
- **Leaders** in all levels of government, health, education, businesses and the Church, for wisdom & discernment.
- **1st responders:** EMTs, firefighters, & police officers. **Military: Dalton Adkins** (Beckner's nephew) Air Force deployment; **Nathan Dupler** (Mathew's grandson) Air Force deployment in middle east; **John Peter** (Edith's grandson in coast guard); **Peter Witt** with the Ohio Nat'l Guard in Akron.
- **Christopher** (Sally K's son-in-law) on medication for blood clots causing pain and difficulty in standing long
- **Linda Linda Deming** (Joyce's sister) cont'd kidney function & rehab
- **Justin E.** (Crawford's nephew) in personal assisted living
- **Reverend Ellsworth** now in rehab following a stroke from a few weeks ago
- **Lucy G. & family** (Sally's sister-of-law) hospice care
- **Michael Galloway** (Fran's 4 year old grandson) diagnosis regarding speech
- **Frank Gieseck** healing from silent stroke
- **Connor Gilmore** (14 year old friend of Jean J.'s) with continued health concerns after a previous severe car accident and more.
- **Sydney Gunton** (pre-teen friend of Crawford family) watching old aneurysm.
- **Dave Johnson** migraines & **Jean** arthritis pain
- **Megan Ladd** 7/18 MRI to discern which of 5 types of surgery is needed to solve popitential entrapment, cutting off blood flow in both legs.
- **Linda Long** (Tom K's niece) recovery from surgery to remove left kidney with tumor.
- **Denise Metzger-Kelling** pray injections on 6/18 & for blood to clear from right eye. Due to blood pool, surgery is delayed. Further, there has only been a slight improvement of her vision, so please keep praying for healing!
- **Cliff Mortimer** (Karen C.'s brother) severe health issues, including heart
- **Jerika Ransomer** (Fran's granddaughter) young mother of 2 in pain from kidney stones

- **Gen Sartori** (Pastor Janet's mother) that dry macular degeneration, recently diagnosed in right eye, will not progress quickly.
- **Tom** (friend of Crawford family) recovery from brain aneurysm & stroke