

✠ **DOXOLOGY:** (*unison*) Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

✠ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** :“Book of Order: F-1.0304  
The Great Ends of the Church” (*unison*)

The great ends of the Church are:  
the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind;  
the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God;  
the maintenance of divine worship;  
the preservation of the truth;  
the promotion of social righteousness; and  
the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.

## Go Out as God’s People in the World

✠ **Closing Hymn HoF #92:** “Sweet Hour of Prayer”

✠ **BENEDICTION:** by *Pastor Janet*

✠ **Patriotic POSTLUDE** by *Tracy (Yu) Qian*

Following today’s service please join us in the upstairs  
hall for coffee & conversation.



If you are **visiting** today, we thank you for coming and hope you return soon.

Like Us on Facebook, and Leave a Comment to Invite Others to  
Come and See What Good God is Doing at FPC!



See the FPC website for a recording of a sermon or the worship service:  
[www.FPCpataskala.com](http://www.FPCpataskala.com)

Please email [FPCofPataskala@gmail.com](mailto:FPCofPataskala@gmail.com) to request access to live  
streaming.

(CCLI size A: 405570 & Streaming 20373701)

## First Presbyterian Church

405 S. Main St. Pataskala, OH 43062

WEB: [www.FPCpataskala.com](http://www.FPCpataskala.com)

Email: [FPCpataskala@gmail.com](mailto:FPCpataskala@gmail.com)

Church Office: 740-927-4796

**July 3, 2022**

FOR PASTORAL CARE, PLEASE CALL:

The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford at 412-877-9310



### Today’s Worship Leaders:

Organist/Pianist: Tracy (Yu) Qian

Officer Assisting: Tom Johnston

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

# The Lord's Day Worship

July 3, 2022 – Independence Day - Worship, 11am

Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship.

(Those not wanting to be seen on the video recording, please sit under the balcony.)

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

## Gathering of God's People

*After the chimes, please be in quiet reverence & silence cell phones.*

**3 RINGS OF THE STEEPLE BELL & CHIMES**

**WELCOME** by Tom Johnston

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** (See insert.)

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Patriotic PRELUDE** by Tracy (Yu) Qian

↑ stand as able

↑ **Opening Hymn HoF #549:** "Star-Spangled Banner"

↑ **CALL TO WORSHIP:** (unison):

I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag and to the Savior for whose Kingdom it stands. One Savior, crucified, risen, and coming again with life and liberty to all who believe. I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word, I will make it a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path and will hide its words in my heart that I might not sin against God.

↑ **PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** 4/12/1752 entry from handwritten manuscript of George Washington (unison)

"Most Glorious God, in Jesus Christ, my merciful and loving Father; I acknowledge and confess my guilt in the weak and imperfect performance of the duties of this day. I have called on Thee for pardon and forgiveness of my sins, but so coldly and carelessly that my prayers are become my sin, and they stand in need of pardon. I have sinned against heaven and before Thee in thought, word, and deed. I have [shown contempt for] Thy majesty and holy laws. I have likewise sinned by omitting what I ought to have done and committing what I ought not. I have rebelled against the light, despising Thy mercies and judgment, and broken my vows and promise. I have neglected the better things. My iniquities are multiplied and my sins are very great. I confess them, O Lord, with shame and sorrow, detestation and loathing and desire to be vile in

my own eyes as I have rendered myself vile in Thine. I humbly beseech Thee to be merciful to me in the free pardon of my sins for the sake of Thy dear Son and only Savior Jesus Christ who came to call not the righteous, but sinners to repentance. Thou gave Thy Son to die for me. Make me to know what is acceptable in Thy sight, and therein to delight, open the eyes of my understanding, and help me thoroughly to examine myself concerning my knowledge, faith, and repentance, increase my faith, and direct me to the true object, Jesus Christ the Way, the Truth, and the Life."

(Pause in silent confession.) Amen.

↑ **ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:** 1John 1:9 (unison)

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all righteousness.

↑ **GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE:** (unison) Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.

## Proclamation of God's Word

↑ **CALL TO GOD'S WORD:** John 10:35 & Romans 4:3 (unison)

"Scripture cannot be set aside... What does Scripture say?"

↑ **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE:** (Church Era) Acts 4:1-4, 18-24a, 30-31 N.T. p. 1553-5

**SERMON:** "After They Prayed... They were Filled with the Holy Spirit"

by the Reverend Janet Hufford.

## Response to God's Word

**PRAYERS** of JOYS & CONCERNS followed by **LORD'S PRAYER** (unison)

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.

↑ **Hymn of Response** "Listen to Your Children Praying" HoF #102

**CALL TO STEWARDSHIP**

**OFFERTORY** to prayerfully consider giving in thankfulness.

(Receptacles for offerings are found at each sanctuary exit.)

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**