



# Faith Presbyterian Church



**Order of Worship June 28, 2026**

**10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary**

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**THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP**  
**June 28, 2026 – 10:00am**

*\*The Congregation is Invited to Stand in Body or Spirit*

**Prelude**

"I Need Thee Every Hour"  
"Wonderful Peace"  
"Praise to The Lord, The Almighty"

Rory Dowse, pianist

**Welcome and Announcements**

Pastor Greg Emery

**Opening Prayer**

Rory Dowse

Dear Lord, help us to rise up and enter into the city of Your will. Guide us and show us what we must do to fulfill Your purpose for our lives. Give us the strength and courage to follow Your path and trust in You as we worship today. Amen.

**Call to Worship**

The light of God has broken into our world, scattering our darkness and changing our direction.

**Once we were blind, but now we see; we were lost in our own pursuits, but God has found us.**

The Lord calls each of us by name, transforming our brokenness into a story of grace.

**Open our eyes and our hearts, Lord. Make us ready to follow wherever You lead.**

Let us worship the God of new beginnings!

**Special Music**

"Handel: Largo"  
Heather Van Beek, Clarinet, and Rory Dowse, pianist

**Prayer of Confession**

**Heavenly Father, our hearts are broken over the sorrows of the world—for the lack of unity, sympathy, and brotherly love around and in us. We grieve.**

**Give us all in this nation tender hearts and humble minds. We have chased after the wind, seeking to abide in things which don't give life. We have turned to vanity for meaning, to mist for something of substance. Have mercy. You are the only Savior. Teach us to abide in You, and in You, to bear fruit in keeping with repentance.**

### **Words of Assurance**

God's anger lasts but a moment,  
but God's favor lasts a lifetime.  
The Lord forgives our shortcomings  
and sends deliverance through Christ,  
just as the Lord forgave Saul  
and used him to spread the gospel.  
**Thanks be to God!**

### **\*Gloria Patri**

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**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.**

### **\*Welcome Wave / Passing of The Peace**

#### **Special Music**

"Bach: Arioso"  
Heather Van Beek, Clarinet, and Rory Dowse, pianist

#### **Scripture**

Acts 8: 1-3, 9: 23-31

#### **Sermon**

"Saul Becomes a Basket Case"

Pastor Greg Emery

### **Pastoral Prayer**

#### **The Lord's Prayer**

**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.**

**Offertory**

“Rachmaninov: Vocalise”

Heather Van Beek, Clarinet, and Rory Dowse, pianist

**\*Doxology**

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

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**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

Gracious God, just as You transformed Saul’s heart on the road to Damascus, open our eyes and redirect our paths. We offer these gifts not as a mere duty, but as a bold declaration of Your transforming power. May our resources and our lives break down barriers, bringing Your light and healing to a broken world. In Jesus' name, Amen.

**\*Closing Hymn**

“It Is Well With My Soul”

**When peace like a river, attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say  
It is well, it is well, with my soul**

**It is well  
With my soul  
It is well, it is well with my soul**

**Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come  
Let this blest assurance control  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul**

**It is well (it is well)  
With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul**

**My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!  
My sin, not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!**

**It is well (it is well)  
With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul  
It is well (it is well)  
With my soul (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well with my soul.**

**\*Benediction**

Go forth as God's chosen instruments—unafraid of the unexpected, moving forward in the power of the Holy Spirit, and shining the light of Christ to everyone you meet. And may the God of new beginnings bless your going out and your coming in, now and forevermore. Amen and **Amen**.

**\*Postlude** "Crown Him with Many Crowns" Rory Dowse

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**Welcome Visitors! Faith Presbyterian Church welcomes you. Everyone is invited to Illingworth Hall for fellowship following the service.**

**Our thanks to** Heather Van Beek, Clarinet, from the Scottsdale Symphonic Orchestra and Rory Dowse, musician, for the beautiful music in worship this morning.

**Monday, June 29, 2026, Men's Fellowship (Billiards) Lakeview Rec Center at 1:30pm.**

**Monday, June 29, 2026, Yarn Angels Knit/Crochet Group will meet from 11:00am – 2pm (time change) for the summer in the Iona Room.**

**Wednesday, July 1, 2026, - Forward in Faith and “Monday Morning Musings” at 10:00am in Westminster Room.**

**Contact information for: Rev. Anne Emery, Honorably Retired**  
Contact information can be found in the church directory.

**Hand & Foot** will be meeting all summer on the second Wednesdays at 12:00pm in the Iona Room. All are invited.

**Monday, July 6, 2026, - Faith Office and Campus will be closed observing the 4<sup>th</sup> of July.**

**July 12, 2026**

**Free Donations Accepted**

**Ice Cream Social**

**Banana Split**      **Sundae Or Build Your Own**      **Cone**      **Cup**

**YOUTH PRESBYTERIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP GROUP**

**In Illingworth Hall Following Service**

The flyer features a central illustration of three ice cream characters (a cone, a sundae, and a cup) and a photograph of an ice cream parlor with a checkered floor and stools.

Please prayerfully consider your contribution to the capital campaign for our vision of The Faith Center. If you did not receive a mailing, please let us know. Be sure to contact Vern Meury or Pastor Greg to discuss the various ways to give.



# Welcome!

*Welcome to those who have no church home, need strength, have doubt, want to follow Christ, or do not believe. Welcome to those who have worshiped in this place for years! Welcome to our first-time guests! Welcome to all generations, single people, couples, believers, and to questioners, and, of course, to questioning believers! We hope you find peace and uplift in our worship today.*

*We are very glad you are here!*

## **PASTORAL STAFF**

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## **MINISTERS All Members**

## **WELCOMING TEAM**

### **GREETERS**

Jan Dias

## **WELCOME CENTER**

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## **FAITH CHURCH**

"If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, great things are possible." (Matthew 17:20)

That is our theme. It plays out this way: we are big enough to flourish, but small enough to be personal; caring for the world & community, but above politics; take the Word seriously, but ourselves not so much.

Our pastor, elders, deacons and members are here for you.