

First Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship
September 28, 2025

Prelude I *To Love Our God* – Barbara Harbach

Prelude II *Love the Lord* – Lincoln Brewster
HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation

Welcome & Announcements Bridget Mitchell
Pass the Peace

Video – Our Mess, God’s Masterpiece

Responsive Call to Worship Lubna Dent

One: Come, thirsty and weary, for God invites us to find refreshment in His love. As the psalmist sings, “My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.” Let us gather with open hearts.

Many: **We come, seeking the living waters that renew us.**

One: Cleansed and called, let us say, “Here we are, Lord; speak to us.”

Many: **Send us with Your grace to share Your love.**

All: **Praise God, who welcomes and transforms us!**

*Opening Hymn *Our God, Our Help in Ages Past* #687, Vss. 1,2,4,6

Call to Confession Lubna Dent

Unison Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have wandered from Your truth, seeking our own way instead of Yours. We have ignored Your call to love and serve, clinging to our fears and failings. Forgive us for the times we’ve turned away from Your grace. Draw us near, cleanse our hearts, and restore us to Your purpose. We now confess in silence the burdens we carry.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*Doxology *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!* #591, Refrain x 2

Prayer for Illumination Lubna Dent

Scripture — Isaiah 6:6-8

Anthem *We Are Singing for the Lord is Our Light* – arr. Hal Hopson
Sanctuary Choir

Time with our Children		Anita Ramsey
Scripture — John 4:1-29 (NRSVUE)		Dion Sanchez
Sermon	The Desperate Wife	Rev. Micka Sanchez
Hymn of Affirmation	<i>Holy Forever</i> HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation	– Tomlin, Ingram, Wickham
Minute for Mission		Susan Chesko
Call to Offering		Lubna Dent
Offertory	<i>He Will</i> HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation	– Ben Bannister, Ellie Holcomb
Prayer of Dedication & Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer		Rev. Micka Sanchez
*Closing Hymn	<i>We Shall Overcome</i>	#379, Vss. 1-3,5
*Benediction		Rev. Micka Sanchez
Postlude	<i>Carillon</i>	– Herbert Murrill

***Please rise in body or spirit.**

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