

First Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship

September 27, 2026

Prelude

– Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

Piano Concert No. 1, Op. 23: No. 1, Andante non troppo e molto maestoso

Amazing Grace

– arr. Jim Martinez

Video — Lift Up My Hands (Psalm 63)

Gathering

What a Beautiful Name

– Ben Fielding, Brook Ligertwood

HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation

*Call to Worship

Praise

– Lake, Moore, Brown, Carnes, Barrett, Furtick

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Call to Confession

Todd Ramsey

Unison Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we trust you when the way is easy, and question you when it is not. We grow restless. We grow hard. We treat your silence as absence, and our fear as proof that we are on our own. We have been quick to judge, slow to give thanks, and unwilling to bring you the whole truth of our lives. We look for water on our own terms. We withhold our hearts, even as we ask you to help us.

Forgive us. Do not let us hide in our thirst. Make us new by the mercy of Jesus Christ, who was faithful where we have not been. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Pass the Peace

Video – A Love That Never Fails

Time with our Children

Anita Ramsey

Prayer for Illumination

Todd Ramsey

New Testament Readings – 1 Corinthians 10:1-4 (NRSVUE)

Anthem

Great Is Thy Faithfulness
Sanctuary Choir

– arr. Mark Hayes

Sermon The Rock Who Stays Rev. Christian Johnson

Scripture — Exodus 17:1-7 (NRSVUE)

Hymn of Affirmation – Nockels, Carson, Reeves, Stanfill, Maher

Lord I Need You
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Minute for Ministry Brent Gregory

Call to Offering

*Doxology *Our God is an Awesome God* – Rich Mullins

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Prayer of Dedication & Pastoral Prayer Rev. Christian Johnson

The Lord's Prayer

*Closing Hymn *Firm Foundation (He Won't)* – Davis, Moore, Carnes

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*Benediction Rev. Christian Johnson

Postlude *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go* – Albert Peace

*Please rise in body or spirit.

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