



Dear All,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

This coming Sunday, July 20, is the Seventh Sunday of Pentecost! If weather permits, we will be worshipping outside in the garden! I am excited to join with all of you in the splendor of God's Creation! Bring a comfortable chair and wear whatever clothes work for the temperature. We will have extra chairs there if you need one.

We will be continuing our beautiful journey with the Holy Spirit who has been leading us through the season of Pentecost and the book of *Acts*. This week we will meet Stephen, one of the first deacons, as he boldly stands before the accusing crowd to proclaim the law of love.

We will continue our practice of hybrid worship. This means that you are welcome to join us in person and that you are welcome to join us from home, whatever works best for you. If you are able to access technology for online worship, we will be live streaming the service via Youtube and Facebook.

For Youtube Live, please go to our channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPh2zjtSFxk2uo9_YWEusCQ/, subscribe to it, and enable notifications. The live video should be up and running just before the service starts. If you watch later, click on our channel and then select "Live" videos. You can also watch afterward on our website at: <https://fpchighland.org/worship>.

For Facebook Live, please go to our page here: <https://www.facebook.com/firstpchighland/> around the start of worship. A recording of the service will remain on our Facebook page if you want to watch later.

As always, I have included worship materials, including the bulletin, readings, hymns, a sermon, and creative activities for disciples of all ages.

I leave you with these words from *Colossians*:

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

In Christ and with Love,

Rev. Tyler Orem