



SUNDAY, JULY 5, 2026

Morning Worship | 8:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Delighting in God's Glory | Demonstrating His Grace | Declaring His Gospel

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Intermezzo Sinfonico
Evelyn Song, violin; Annabelle Song, piano

Pietro Mascagni
arr. Gustav Saenger

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

Psalm 19:1–5

Creation

The spacious firmament on high, with all the blue ethereal sky,
And spangled heav'ns, a shining frame, their great Original proclaim.
Th'unwearied sun, from day to day, does his Creator's power display,
And publishes to every land the work of the almighty hand.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

The Triune God calls his church to worship him

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Asking God to attend and bless the worship of his people

*HYMN

“Awake, My Soul, and With the Sun”

Tallis' Canon

Awake, my soul, and with the sun your daily stage of duty run,
Shake off dull sloth and joyful rise to pay your morning sacrifice.

All praise to you, who safe have kept and have refreshed me whilst I slept:
Grant, Lord, when I from death shall wake, I may of endless light partake.

Lord, I my vows to you renew, disperse my sins as morning dew;
Guard my first springs of thought and will and with yourself my spirit fill.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below,
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty and all-knowing God, we acknowledge you are not the center of all our thoughts as you should be. We are doing well if you have a place in any of them. You are our Creator and Sustainer, yet we have neglected your rule and broken your law with our many sins. Our minds have focused on things utterly hollow and useless. Our hearts have been consumed with idols beyond number. In your mercy, forgive us for our self-seeking, self-sufficiency, and self-centeredness. Deliver us from our spiritual sloth and transform us by the renewing of our minds through your tender mercies to us in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

SENIOR PASTOR [Dr. Todd M. Smedley](#)

PASTORS [Rev. David Frerichs](#) | [Rev. Corey Gray](#) | [Rev. Jules Grisham](#) | [Dr. Isaiah Nengean](#)

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Acknowledging our sins before our Holy God and seeking his forgiveness in Christ

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord's declaration of our freedom from the guilt of sin and punishment of God's law

HYMN OF THANKS

“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

Solid Rock

When darkness veils his lovely face, I rest on his unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.
On Christ, the solid rock, I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

SHARING OF FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

8:00 *Rev. David Frerichs*; 11:00 *Dr. Isaiah Nengean*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 52:1–10

page 613, pew Bible

8:00 *Marti Carroll*; 11:00 *Alaina Conley*

*HYMN NO. 441

“Jesus Shall Reign”
verses 1–4

Duke Street

OFFERING AND PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

8:00 *Mark De Ravin*; 11:00 *Jeremy Williams*

8:00 OFFERTORY

“I Got Me Flowers” from *Five Mystical Songs*
Josh Bates, soloist; Wyeth Duncan, organ

Ralph Vaughan Williams

I got me flowers to strew thy way; I got me boughs off many a tree:
But thou wast up by break of day and brought'st thy sweets along with thee.
The sun arising in the east, though he give light, and the east perfume;
If they should offer to contest with thy arising, they presume.
Can there be any day but this, though many suns to shine endeavor?
We count three hundred, but we miss: there is but one and that one ever.

11:00 OFFERTORY

“And the Father Will Dance”
Summer Choir; Annabelle Song, piano; Wyeth Duncan, director

Mark Hayes

And the Father will dance over you in joy!
He will take delight in whom he loves.
Is that a choir I hear singing the praises of God?
No, the Lord God himself is exulting o'er you in song!
And he will joy over you in song; and he will joy over you in song!
My soul will make its boast in God, for he has answered all my cries.
His faithfulness to me is as sure as the dawn of a new day.
Awake, my soul! Awake, my soul, and sing!
Let my spirit rejoice, let my spirit rejoice, let my spirit rejoice in God!

Sing, O daughter of Zion, with all of your heart!
Cast away fear for you have been restored!
Put on the garment of praise as on a festival day.
Join with the Father in glorious, jubilant song.
And he will joy over you in song, and he will joy over you in song!
And the Father will dance over you in joy!
He will take delight in whom he loves!
Is that a choir I hear singing the praises of God?
No, the Lord God himself is exulting o'er you in song!
God rejoices over you. God rejoices over you. God rejoices over you in song!

Zephaniah 3:14, 17; Psalm 34:2, 4
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DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children age 3 through 3rd grade may go to the front when the pastor calls them for prayer and then will be escorted to their classrooms. If you are visiting today or your child does not have a name tag, please follow the group to register with a Children's Ministry volunteer. Please pick up your children in the Children's classrooms after the service.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Colossians 4:2-6

page 985, pew Bible

SERMON

"New Life in the World"
13th in a series on Paul's letter to the Colossians

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

*HYMN NO. 263

"Lift High the Cross"
verses 1-4

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CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*CONFESSION OF FAITH—APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION AND 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.

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*COMMUNION RESPONSE

“We Will Feast in the House of Zion”

Joshua Moore, Sandra McCracken

We will feast in the house of Zion, we will sing with our hearts restored.
“He has done great things!” we will say together. We will feast and weep no more.
Ev’ry vow we’ve broken and betrayed; you are the faithful One.
And from the garden to the grave, bind us together, bring shalom!
We will feast in the house of Zion, we will sing with our hearts restored.
“He has done great things!” we will say together. We will feast and weep no more.

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*BENEDICTION

Pronouncing God’s blessing on his people

POSTLUDE

“Doxology”

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav’nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Congregation standing as able*

TONIGHT’S SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

“Peace Like a River”

Isaiah 48:1–22

Rev. Jules Grisham

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 12

MORNING SERVICE

8:00 and 11:00 a.m.

“Communion of the Saints”

Colossians 4:7–18

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

Deacons’ Offering will be received.

EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

“A Light for the Nations”

Isaiah 49:1–6

Rev. David Frerichs

*Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper
will be celebrated.*

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

2026 Annual Budget	\$ 7,503,526
2026 Year-to-Date Received	\$ 2,633,571
2026 Year-to-Date Expenses	\$ 3,683,118

*Fourth Presbyterian Church is committed to glorifying God by making disciples of Jesus Christ through
Christ-centered worship, gospel-shaped community, neighbor-loving service, and kingdom-advancing multiplication.*

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