



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Men of Church Sunday

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 16, 2019

10:45 a.m.

*Welcome to Faith Church; we are glad you are here.
Childcare for infants and preschoolers is provided all morning in the nursery,
the second room on the right through the door by the pulpit.*

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THE CHURCH GATHERS

The candle is lighted as a prayer for peace.

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Mary Barrett Speers

Prelude Bottom of the Slide

words & music **Mike Shirey**

see lyrics on page 5

**Please rise in body or in spirit; unison parts are in bold.*

*Call to Worship

Kurtis Moore

One: God is our safe place, our help in trouble

All: Our Savior surrounds us in times of distress.

One: Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, O righteous!

All: Shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

~ from Psalm 32

*Hymn 39 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS

Prayer of Confession

God of grace, you see us, and you know us. We judge others harshly and fail to see our own sin. We treasure things that are worthless and squander your precious gifts. We neglect to show hospitality to strangers. We withhold the grace and love that you give us so freely. Forgive us. Pour out your grace upon us. Pour out your blessing and let your grace flow through our lives into the lives of others; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

moment of silence

Assurance of Pardon

One: ...Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***Sung Response** *from the Taizé community, sung first in unison, then twice in a round, the left side of the aisle taking part A, and the right side taking part B.*

A

B

Glor-y to God, Glor-y to God, Glor-y to God in the high - est!

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Glor - y - to God, Glor - y to God, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

*The Peace of Christ

One: The peace of Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

TO PROCLAIM AND EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD

Time with Faith Kids

Mike Shirey

Sung Prayer for Illumination

Hymn 288 Spirit of the Living God

LIVING GOD

**Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. (*repeat*)
melt me, mold me, fill me, use me...
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

Lesson Luke 7:36-50

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One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

Sermon

"The Gift of Doing"

Rev. Speers

***Hymn This Is My Father's World**

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TERRA PATRIS

Prayers of the People

God, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in Heaven hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever.

OFFERING

Offertory Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song

Les Petites Soeurs
Little Sisters of Jesus

***Doxology 605**

DA N'ASE

**Praise to God the Father; praise to God the Son;
Praise to God the Spirit; praise to the Three in One.
Sing praise, sing praise, to the Lord on high.
Praise to God Almighty; praise to the Holy One.**

***Dedication of Self & Substance**

We give you thanks, O God, for the great love that you have lavished upon us in Christ Jesus. Teach us to share this love with others, bringing the good news of your kingdom to all the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

TO GO FORTH INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE IN CHRIST'S NAME

***Hymn 700** I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

I'M GONNA LIVE

***Charge to the Congregation and Benediction**

Postlude *Rigaudon*

André Campra
(1660-1744)

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

Rev. Mary Barrett Speers, *Interim Pastor*
Dr. Samuel Springer, *Minister of Music & Organist*

MEN OF FAITH CHURCH

Readers

Andy Fuller
Kurtis Moore
Ron Sperling

Prelude and Children's Sermon

Mike Shirey

Ushers

Dave Brown
Bobby Hall
Ellsworth Jackson
Ron Sperling

Pick Up Men's Choir

Bill Hyde
Andy Fuller
Robert Gardner
Neil Nemser
Mike Shirey
Ted Wallace

FAITH FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, Sunday June 16, Immediately Following Worship

Congregational Meeting called for the purpose of electing Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC).

CPR Training

Faith will be offering CPR Training on **June 29** at 9:00 p.m. The cost is \$45 per person. Please contact the office this week if you are interested.

Habitat Workdays

Habitat Workday is **June 22**. There is a maximum of 5 people per day. Contact **Natalie Wallace** Nrew62@msn.com or 410-207-7190. *Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities, and hope.*

CARES Panty

The Panty is in urgent need of **large boxed cereal** and **canned beef-based soups**. Your donation, large or small, of any non-perishable food will make a difference. On behalf of GEDCO CARES' clients, thank you for your continued outpouring of generosity.

McCabe Camp Volunteers Needed

Help the children of the McCabe neighborhood enjoy some fun this summer! Join Faith, Govans, and others uniting to support a great summer camp, **July 15-19, 12-4pm**. Please go to <http://tiny.cc/McCabe2019> to indicate your availability and interest. Or, chat with Charles Minor, Illy Martinez-Castillo, Bill Millen, or Mozella Williams for details.

Yoga at Faith *Wednesdays 2:00-3:15 The Chapel*

Gentle Yoga class is led by certified instructor, **Leanora Eubanks**. All are welcome, experienced or new to yoga. \$40/4 sessions or \$12.50/drop in. For more information call the church office 410-435-4330.

Please pray for our homebound members:

Betty Bunce

Nan Pohl

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The Bottom of the Slide

When I was three I sat and cried
At the top of the slide
Fear and trepidation dulled the call
Of my Dad who would stand
With feet spread wide and outstretched
hands
Reassuring me he'd catch me as I fall

And it's a hard climb up and a long slide
down
Heaven knows it's gonna be a rocky ride
When we slide back down again, again
and again
Lord I'll see you at the bottom of the slide

In the Spring of '94 my Love's and my
reward
Was a baby girl whose birth consumed our
hearts
And as we watched her on the slide
We knew she had a faithful guide
A guiding hand whose love never would
depart

And it's a hard climb up and a long slide
down
Heaven knows it's gonna be a rocky ride
When we slide back down again and again
and again
Lord I'll see you at the bottom of the slide

Now with decades and years gone by
There are days when I still cry
For joy or sorrow in the memories of
what's past
The Joy in knowing that I had
A real-life hero I called Dad
The sorrow in realizing it was gone so fast
What's done is done yet we hold hands
with the past

And it's a hard climb up and a long slide
down
Heaven knows it's gonna be a rocky ride
When we slide back down again, again
and again
Lord I'll see you at the bottom of the slide

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This Is My Father's World

Rev. Maltbie D. Bahcock, 1901

S. M. D.

TERRA PATRIS
Melody by Franklin L. Sheppard, 1915
This Arr. by Edward Shippen Barnes, 1926

In moderate time and graceful rhythm



1. This is my Fa-ther's world, And to my list-ening ears,
2. This is my Fa-ther's world, The birds their car - ols raise,
3. This is my Fa-ther's world, O let me ne'er for - get



All na - ture sings, and round me rings The mu - sic of the spheres.
The morn - ing light, the lil - y white, De - clare their Mak - er's praise.
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Rul - er yet.



This is my Fa-ther's world: I rest me in the thought Of
This is my Fa-ther's world: He shines in all that's fair; In the
This is my Fa-ther's world: Why should my heart be sad? The



rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the won - ders wrought
rust - ling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me ev - ery - where.
Lord is King: let the heav - ens ring! God reigns: let the earth be glad!



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