



FARMINGTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SERVICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 14, 2026

*Rise in body or spirit.

Bold Type—Participate in unison.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION†

Gracious God, thank you for all the ways you are with us and equip us in sharing the good news and in caring for others. Thank you for all of the people you called to serve you this week with kind and compassionate hearts filled with love for children. Take our words and actions and perfect them. Let them teach and guide those who were here along their faith journey. Continue to guide us as we seek to live out your mission. Show us ways to share your love with others. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

WELCOME

Visitors and members are encouraged to fill out the attendance folder located on the center aisle of each pew and pass it to those seated along the pew.

PRELUDE “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

Bradbury

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, dreamers and doubters, guides and explorers!

God welcomes all.

Here, in this place, we praise God.

Here, in this time, we remember all of God's gifts to us.

Here, in these moments, we are reminded that God is with us, always!

Here, in faith, we sing Alleluia !

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*PROCESSIONAL HYMN—NO. 267 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

Come, Christians, join to sing: Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King: Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice; praise is his gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high: Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky: Alleluia! Amen! He is our guide and friend; to us he'll condescend; his love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!

Choir:

Sing Alleluia! O Sing Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise yet our Christ again: Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain: Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore his goodness we'll adore, singing forever more: Alleluia! Amen!

Please be seated.

MOUNTAIN MOTTO

“I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me!” - Philippians 4:13

LIFT LESSON PRAYER

Dear God, let the lessons of Vacation Bible School echo in the lives of all who participated. Remind us that you have given each of us unique abilities and **we can share our gifts**. Encourage us when we are nervous to try something new or difficult that you are with us and help us. When we are scared, teach us that **we can be brave** and do the right thing anyway. Sometimes we feel like we don't have enough to offer, though – not enough time or money, not enough energy or talent. You do big things when we are generous with what we have. Remind us that **we can give our all**. When we face challenges that are bigger than we are, settle us down to connect with you, God. **We can pray** and tell you about what we are feeling. We can share our enthusiasm and our fears, what is making us upset and what is making us happy. You always listen. When we read about miracles in the Bible, we are assured of your power over everything and know that you can help us with our troubles. **We can hope!** In the name of Jesus we pray, **Amen.**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

JOSEPH INTERPRETS THE DREAMS OF PHAROAH

Dr. Bob Freymeyer

ESTHER SHOWS COURAGE WITH THE KING

Sharaze Colley

THE WIDOW'S OFFERING

Liv Palmer

General Assembly Update

The 227th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) convenes June 22—July 2, 2026, with online committee meetings June 22-June 24, followed by travel to Milwaukee, a community day of service, Sunday worship with area congregations, and plenaries June 27—July 2.

Rev. Rebecca Luter is the Teaching Elder Commissioner to the 227th General Assembly for the Presbytery of the Mid-South. She has been endorsed by our Presbytery to stand for Co-Moderator of the General Assembly. On July 2, new co-moderators will be elected to act as ambassadors as we tell the story of God's work across and through the PC(USA). Rev. Rebecca Luter is standing with Rev. Chris Peters, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church in Lincoln, Nebraska. Please be in prayer for Rev. Rebecca, for the assembly, and for the life and witness of the Presbyterian Church (USA).



THIS SERVICE IS BEING LIVE-STREAMED
AND RECORDED. ATTENDEES
IMPLICITLY AGREE THAT THEY, AND
ANY CHILDREN ACCOMPANYING
THEM, MAY BE ON CAMERA.

Worship Online at 11:00 Sunday Mornings
www.farmingtonpres.org , click “Worship with us!”

2026 Flower Calendar Giving flowers for worship is a way to remember those we love and celebrate significant moments in our lives. You may sign up on our website under “Sign-ups.”

Electronic Giving We are now able to receive gifts through texts and this QR code. It is a simple process to set up an account or to make a one-time gift as a visitor. You will soon receive much more information about our new church app with Church Directory, calendar, signups, and more available on your mobile phone. Text FarmPresGive (not case-sensitive) to 1-888-364-GIVE (4483) in order to receive a reply with the link to your giving interface, or scan this QR code with your phone’s camera.



This Week at Farmington We received notification that our Rise Against Hunger meals have shipped to South Africa to support educational programs by providing meals to children at schools and early child development centers. In some cases, the food children receive at school will be the majority of the food they eat in a day. The meals you packaged will help ensure that children have access to the consistent nourishment they need to live healthy lives and successfully pursue their education.

Prayer Concerns

Remember in Prayer Our Farmington Family, Session, and Staff; Vacation Bible School; Earleen Anderson, Kathy and Bill Argo, Jackie Baker, Kevin Beard, Bonnie Blair, Bo Bradham, Judith Cassidy, Jim Collins, Dan Freymeyer, Joe Gaul, Brenda Geise, Adrienne Pakis Gillion, Betzabe Guzman, Bill Harrington, Martha Hart, Annette Hosier, Jerry Hosier, John Ingram, Peter Kendall, Bill Knight, Tammy Lee, Jim Mable, Annette Main, Sara Millar, Ed Myers, Tommy Nagel, Nancy & Dennis Palmer, Sandra Piggies, Bill Renfrow, Ellen Renfrow, Bob and Linda Seidman, Karen Smaili, William Stephens, Jon Still, Joan Wallace, Frank Whited, and from our Presbytery: Balmoral Presbyterian Church, Memphis, TN.

Sympathy to the family and friends of Mike Elvert, wife Glenda, friend of Glen Watkins; JoAnne Simpkins, FPC member, mother of Cyndi Bennett; mother of FPDS Staff member, Bren Gaustad; Ed Myers, former FPDS Staff member; Tom Stephenson, grandfather of FPDS Director, Gretchen Burch.

Congratulations to Tim and Lynn Rushdi on the birth of a granddaughter to Michael and Katie Rushdi Tilghman.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Together We Serve” Daniel Charles Damonte

Together we serve, united by love, inviting God’s world to the glorious feast. We work and we pray, through sorrow and joy, extending God’s love to the last and the least.

We seek to become a beacon of hope, a lamp for the heart and a light for the feet. We learn, year by year, to let love shine through, until we see Christ in each person we meet.

Together, by grace, we witness and work, remembering Jesus, in whom we grow strong. Together we serve in Spirit and truth, remembering love is the strength of our song.

DOXOLOGY—NO. 606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

God of many blessings, thank you for your generosity and for using us to help others in challenging times. Remind us that even in times when our contribution may be small, what we give with a heart for your Kingdom is able to do great things. In Jesus’s name. Amen.

PRAYER CONCERNS—*Please remember those on our prayer list.*

JESUS PRAYS IN THE GARDEN

Rev. Dr. Barb Johnson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

PETER AND JOHN HEAL A MAN

Rev. Rebecca Luter

*HYMN—NO. 765 “May the God of Hope Go with Us”

*INVITATION AND CHARGE

You have gifts to share.

I can share my gifts!

You are not alone.

I can be brave!

God blesses our generosity.

I can give my all!

God listens to you and cares about you.

I can pray!

God is working through you to bless others.

I can hope!

You can do all things through Christ who strengthens you!

I can do all things through Christ through strengthens me!

*BENEDICTION

*SENDING FORTH HYMN—NO. 300 “We Are One in the Spirit” Verses 1 & 2

We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord; we are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord, and we pray that all unity may one day be restored: And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love; yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand; we will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand, and together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land: And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love; yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

*POSTLUDE “Gavotte in F Major” Samuel Wesley

FARMINGTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Rebecca Luter, Pastor

Rev. Dr. Barb Johnson, Associate Pastor

Davis Howe, Youth Director

Jim Thrash, Director of Music

Dr. Tom Bryant, Accompanist

PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE TODAY

Dr. Bob Freymeyer, Sharaze Colley, and Liv Palmer

Gerrie and Gerry Wilder, Ushers

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Welcome

We seek to be a community that is a home for all of God’s family with a heart for God’s world. We hope that you will sense the presence of the Holy Spirit in this place and find that you feel at home. We are grateful for the visitors and friends of the Farmington family who add to our community each week.

Need more information? What to sign up for something? Looking for the livestream of worship? Go to our website: www.farmingtonpres.org

Need to give us information? What to ask a question? Looking for assistance with signing up? Email us at: church@farmingtonpres.org

How do I join the church? Members are received by Profession of Faith (for those who have never been a member of a church), Reaffirmation of Faith (for those who have joined a church in the past but not been involved in a while), and Transfer of Membership (for those who are coming from active participation in another church). If you are interested in knowing more about Farmington Presbyterian or about joining, let Rev. Rebecca or Rev. Barb know or email church@farmingtonpres.org. We look forward to officially welcoming you into the Farmington Presbyterian Church family!

Prayer Concerns and Pastoral Care You are encouraged to complete a Prayer Concern card in the pew rack to add someone to the church’s prayer list. Copies of the complete list are available in the folder under the Prayer Board in the church office. You may reach Rev. Rebecca Luter at (901)674-8000 or rluter@farmingtonpres.org.

Large print hymnals and hearing assistance devices are available from the ushers.

Happenings

Coffee in the Narthex After worship this morning, you are encouraged to enjoy fellowship over coffee and cookies in the Narthex.

Sanctuary Flowers The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God by Chris & Rev. Rebecca Luter in celebration of their wedding anniversary and their children’s Baptisms.

No Youth Fellowship or Sunday School on June 14 and 21. The youth left for Montreat Youth Conference this morning (June 14). Please pray for safe travels and a meaningful week.

Youth Fellowship The youth regularly meet Sunday evenings in the Youth Room from 5:30-7:30pm for a time of fellowship, games, faith-building, and food. For more information or to be notified of upcoming events, text or email Davis at 901-482-2503 or davis@farmingtonpres.org.

Adult Sunday School We are on Summer Break until August.