

## Mission Statement

St. Paul United Methodist Church exists to honor God by making more disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

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## UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 21, 2026

8:30 a.m.

Prelude                      God of Our Fathers                      by G.W. Warren arr. R.C. Wilson  
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### Welcome and Announcements:

### Father's Day Prayer

#### \*Call to Worship:

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord our God,

**People: the Maker of heaven and earth,**

Leader: who comes to our aid in times of need,

**People: who gives us the courage to do what we know is right,**

Leader: who invites us to turn away from the influences of the world around us

**People: and confess Him alone as Savior and Lord.**

Leader: This is our God!

**People: Let's worship together.**

#### \*Opening Prayer:

Leader: Together let us pray.

**People: Lord God, Maker of heaven and earth, we gather together in Your name. We come as living sacrifices, to offer You our worship and thanksgiving, our praise and our prayers. come among us, living Lord. Through the power of Your Holy Spirit, transform our hearts and minds so that we may recognize your presence, hear Your voice, know Your will, and walk in Your way. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.**

<https://re-worship.blogspot.com/2011/08/opening-prayer-proper-16a.html>

#### \*Hymn of Praise:

Faith of our Fathers

No. 710

Faith of our fathers, living still, in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword; O how our hearts beat high with joy when-e'er we hear that glorious word!



that they are not alone. Shape us into people who hear because we have been heard. Amen.

<https://www.umcdiscipleship.org/worship-planning/forming-a-family-preparing-a-people/week-3-fourth-sunday-after-pentecost-year-a/week-3-fourth-sunday-after-pentecost-year-a-offertory-prayer>

**\*Closing Hymn: Jesus Is All the World to Me No. 469**  
Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my joy, my all; he is my strength from day to day, without him I would fall. When I am sad, to him I go, no other one can cheer me so; when I am sad, he makes me glad, he's my friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, my friend in trials sore; I go to him for blessings, and he gives them o'er and o'er. He sends the sunshine and the rain, he sends the harvest's golden grain; sunshine and rain, harvest of grain, he's my friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, and true to him I'll be; O how could I this friend deny, when he's so true to me? Following him I know I'm right, he watches o'er me day and night; following him by day and night, he's my friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, I want no better friend; I trust him now, I'll trust him when life's fleeting days shall end. Beautiful life with such a friend, beautiful life that has no end; eternal life, eternal joy, he's my friend.

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**\*The Sending Forth and Benediction**

**\*Postlude: When Morning Gilds the Skies with Trumpet Voluntary**  
by J. Barnby & J. Clarke arr. S. Caudill

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**\*Those who are able please stand.**

The altar vases are in loving memory of her mother June Beaver  
by Brenda Bailey.

### Serving in Worship Today

**Greeter**  
**Worship Leader**  
**Head Usher**

**Barb & Chris Buhrman**  
**Hunter West**  
**Dave Bowers**

**Worship Resources: CCLI #1518856, Streaming #20211595, [umcdiscipleship.org](http://umcdiscipleship.org), [re-worship.blogspot.com](http://re-worship.blogspot.com)**

During the service, the nursery is staffed and available for your children on the main floor Sharing room (A9).

**Welcome Families with young children!** St. Paul UMC values our children. We strive to teach each child who visits with us more about God and Jesus.

When you enter the Sanctuary or FLC for church, you will see a white rack in the back of the room. On this rack are "Fruits of the Spirit" cloth bags. Inside each bag is an activity book based on Biblical stories. There is also a small notebook, a pen, and a pack of crayons. Please feel free to borrow one of these Children's Activity bags for the duration of the church service.

When the service ends, we kindly ask you to return all of the materials to the cloth bag and hang the bag back on the white rack before you leave to go home. That way, the bags are there for all children to enjoy. Thank you.