

Order of Worship

June 15, 2025 ~ 10:00 am

Trinity Sunday Father's Day

Welcome

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Hymnals and Bibles may be found under the pew in front of you. The asterisk (*) in the order of worship indicates when the congregation may stand.

Mission

Pilgrim Congregational Church is an independent community of Christian faith, which glorifies God through worship and service to others, respects individual spiritual growth, and inspires compassionate fellowship.

Vision

Pilgrim is the spiritual home of our community where all people are welcomed, known, and loved.

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Prelude	"Chorale BWV 957" "Contemplation on Tallis' Canon" Bruce Jones, organist	J.S. Bach Richard Purvis
Hymn #64*	"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"	NICAEA
Welcome		Rev. Dr. Patrick Horn
Parish Concerns		Dr. Horn
Call to Worship		Dr. Horn
Introit Surely the presence of I can feel His mighty I can hear the brush of I see glory on each fa Surely the presence of	Lanny Wolfe	
Surery the presence (of the Lord is in this place.	

Invocation*

Rev. Heather Miner

God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time You are the triune God: the Author of creation, the eternal Word of salvation, and the life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by Your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ revealed and rejoice in the glory He shared with us. Glory and praise to You, Father, Son, and Holy spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Gloria Patri*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Lesson One

Romans 5:1-5

Rev. Miner

¹Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. (*New Revised Standard Version*)

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Youth Message

Recognition of Fathers

(The youth are invited to attend Sunday School following the Lord's Prayer.)

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.

Anthem	"O for the Wings of a Dove"	Felix Mendelssohn
	Carolyn Wilson, mezzo-soprano	

verse

O, for the wings, for the wings of a dove Far away, far away would I rove! O, for the wings, for the wings of a dove Far away, far away, far away, far away would I rove!

chorus

In the wilderness build me a nest And remain there forever at rest In the wilderness build me, build me a nest And remain there forever at rest

In the wilderness build me a nest And remain there forever at rest And remain there forever at rest And remain there forever at rest...

verse

Offering

O, for the wings, for the wings of a dove Far away, far away would I rove! O, for the wings, for the wings of a dove Far away, far away, far away, far away would I rove!

chorus

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Forever at rest Forever at rest And remain there forever at rest And remain there forever at rest

Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer

"Threefold Amen"

Dr. Horn Philip Baker

Prayer Response

Amen, Amen, Amen

Dr. Horn

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Offertory Solo:

"My Lord, What a Morning" Carolyn Wilson, mezzo-soprano

arr. Mark Hayes

My Lord, what a morning! My Lord, what a morning! Oh, my Lord, what a morning! When the stars begin to fall. Done quit all my worldly ways, joined that heavenly band.

Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer *

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise God all creatures here below, Praise God above ye heavenly host, Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymn #189*	"Fairest Lord Jesus"	ST. ELIZABETH
Lesson Two	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31	Dr. Horn

Lesson Two

¹Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?

²On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;

³beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: ⁴"To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live....

²²The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago.

²³Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

²⁴When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water.

²⁵Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth

²⁶when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil.

²⁷When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,

²⁸when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep.

²⁹when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth,

³⁰then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always,

³¹rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

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Sermon	"Wisdom Rejoices"	Dr. Horn
Hymn #103*	"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"	ST. DENIO
Benediction *		Dr. Horn
Congregational Res	ponse* "God Be with You"	Hymn #672
God be with you till y	ve meet again By His counsels guide unhold you	

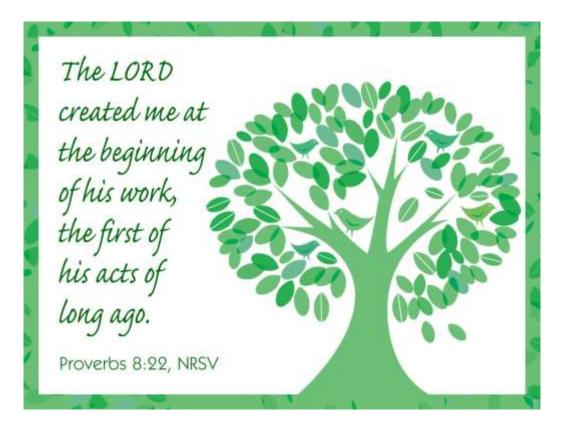
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God be with you till we meet again, By His counsels guide, uphold you, With His sheep securely fold you, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude	"Immortal, Invisible"	arr. Roger C. Wilson
	Bruce Jones, organist	

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Thank you for joining us today for worship service! Please join us for fellowship following the service.

Today's Theme: The relations between knowledge, wisdom and God

Color: White

Organists: Bruce Jones and Susan Winckler

Videographer: Bill Parnell and Andrew Olson

Flower Dedications: This morning's flowers are lovingly provided by:

- 1) Harriett Hartshorn: "In memory of my husband James M. Hartshorn, and congratulations to all the improvements Pilgrim has made this year."
- 2) "Happiest of Birthday Wishes to Megan Parnell from all your friends at Pilgrim!"
- 3) "Happy Father's Day to each and every Father and Grandfather in our Congregation this morning! Enjoy your day with our love and admiration!"

Boutonnieres: Our Boutonnieres for June are lovingly provided: "To Everyone who worships here at Pilgrim Congregational Church…where you are welcomed, known and loved."

Liturgical Notes by Rev. Dr. Patrick Horn: White symbolizes purity, innocence, and birth. It is associated with the brightness of the heavens during daytime and was used to symbolize the purity of heaven and the angels. It also came to be associated with joy, celebration, and peace. White is the Liturgical color of Christmas, Epiphany, and Easter.

Meeting & Event Reminders

9:00 am, Morning Devotional (online M-F)

Today

9:15 am, Donuts and Photos with Dad 11:30 am, Meeting Sunday

Tuesday, June 17th 5:45 pm to 6:45 pm, Twilight Bible Study (online and Minister's office)

> Wednesday, June 18th 9:00 am, Rummage Sorting

> **Thursday, June 19th** 10:00 am, Joyful Endeavors

Friday, June 20th 8:00 am to 9:00 am, Men's Breakfast (off campus)

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