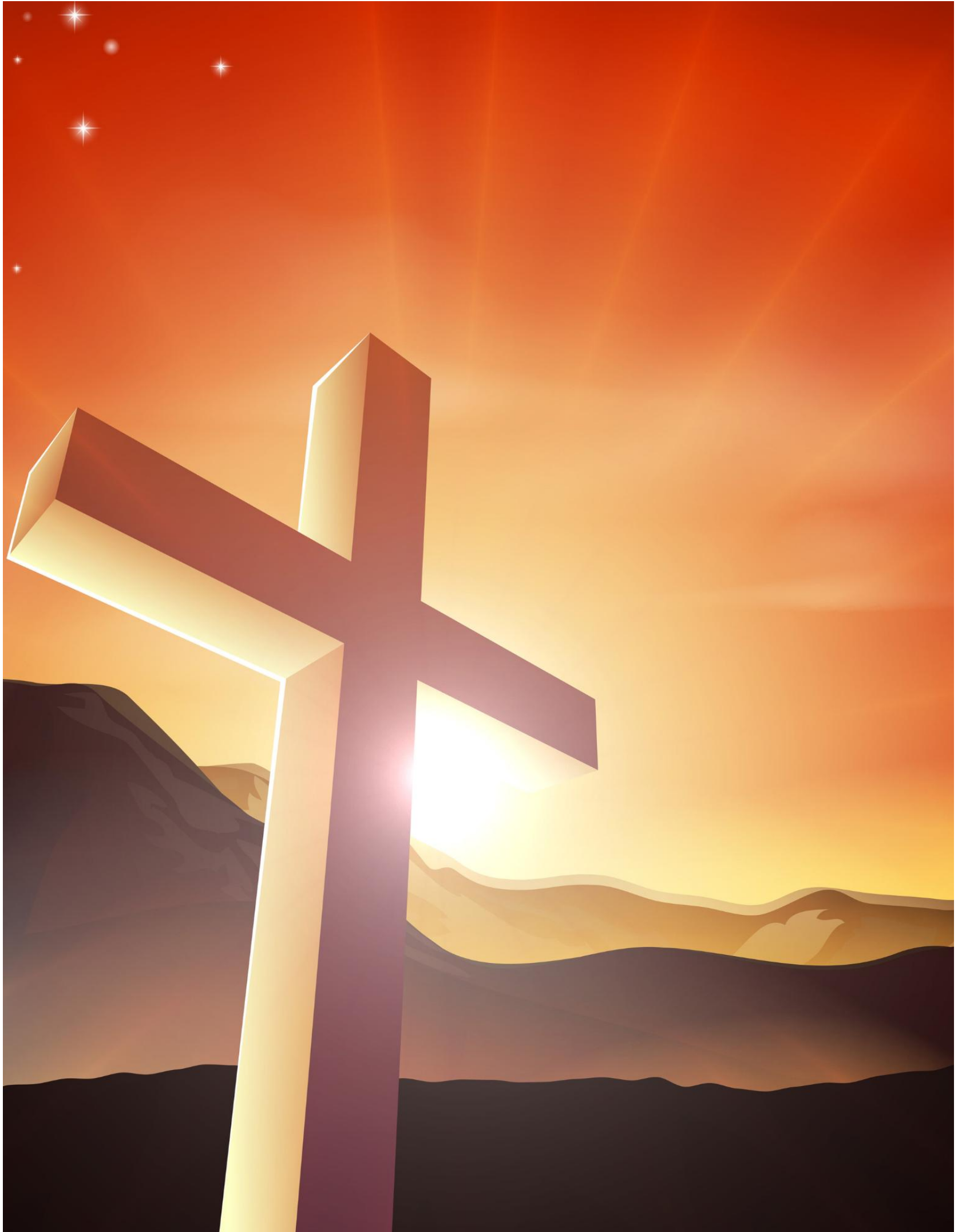


FOREST HILL CHURCH, PRESBYTERIAN

June 13, 2025 – 10:00 AM

**The 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Outdoor Worship**



**You may also join worship online using this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1PdpEmfYxKI>**

Prayer Requests: To request prayers for a personal concern, please email the church office (office@fhcpresb.org).

Prayers are requested this week for: Jennifer Blakeney, Elsie Boyd, Janet Dauer, Bob Dawson, Diane Doyle, Sheryl Dugard, Deborah Howard, Chuck and Jane Ishler, Jessica Owusu, Roz Peters, Ron Register, Joyce Senger, and Amy Wheatley.

Please remember these homebound members in your prayers: Ron Klein, Carol Hopkins-Lutz, Pat Musick, Grace Uhle and Warren Young.

Care Groups will assist our pastor with members' needs. Please call the church office to report an illness, hospitalization, family emergency, birth or death. Information will be passed on to the head of the Deacons.

The Deacon Card Ministry, with cards for all occasions, is available in Fellowship Hall most Sundays after worship. Deacon Nathaniel Martin will be happy to help you pick a card for someone who needs to hear from you and our church. Brighten someone's day with a reminder of our care.

Thank you, office volunteers: Joan Bacon, Lynda Bernays, Cathy Ghiandoni, Nancy Grube, and Kim Hill.

Thank you, Stream Team Volunteers! Anyone interested in helping stream Sunday services should contact Kurt Haas at kurt@dangereddy.com.

Please remember to leave your name tag in the appropriate column on the magnetic board outside Fellowship Hall before you leave today. You want it to be waiting for you next week!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday, July 18:

- North Presbyterian Church Arts Gala at 5:30 pm.

Saturday, July 19:

- Pacesetters Pool Party at 3:00 pm.

Sunday, July 20:

- Summer Choir resumes at 9:15 am.

Sunday, July 27:

- Labre Ministry Serving at North Church at 10:15 am.

*Information on all events are listed on the church website (www.fhcpresb.org), monthly **TOWER** located on the church information tables in the church hallways, and our digital and paper bulletin boards located outside of the sanctuary. You may also scan the QR code below.*



****Please stand in body and/or spirit.***

CENTERING WORDS

“We need to reject any politics that targets people because of race or religion. This isn’t a matter of political correctness. It’s a matter of understanding what makes us strong. The world respects us not just for our arsenal; it respects us for our diversity and our openness and the way we respect every faith.”

– President Barack Obama (b. 1961)

CENTERING MUSIC

James MacQueen

“Cleveland Skies”

James MacQueen, Scottish fiddle

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Joe Frolik

Come, people of God, let us find our safety in the LORD.

God is our nourishment and our strength.

God is always before us, waiting in our future.

Because God is with us, we shall not be shaken.

God makes known to us the path of life.

And in God’s presence, there is everlasting joy!

***HYMN NO. 399**

“God Welcomes All”

(sung three times)

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Welcoming God, you have welcomed us and we are glad. Yet we know that we continue to move through your world with self-imposed limits, seeing what we want and expect to see, hearing what we want and expect to hear, and loving what we want and expect to love. For all of our failures of love and sight and courage, we ask your forgiveness. Enlarge our love, clear our sight, and strengthen our wills. For your love’s sake we ask this.

SILENCE

KYRIE HYMN NO. 456

“Listen, God Is Calling”

Leader All

Lis - ten, lis - ten, God is call - ing, through the Word in - vit - ing,
Ne - no, ne - no la - ke Mu - ngu la - ku - i - ta we - we,
of - fer - ing for - give - ness, com - fort, and joy. joy.
ne - no la wo - ko - vu, te - na je - ma. ma.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE

“Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me”

Capo 3: (G) (D) (G) (D) (G) (D) (Em) (D)
B \flat F B \flat F B \flat F Gm F

1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me,
2 World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(D) (G) (C) (G) (Em7) (A7)
F B \flat E \flat B \flat Gm7 C7

and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,
World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(A7) (D) (F \sharp) (Bm)
C7 F A Dm

and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.
World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(Bm7) (D) (Bdim7) (Em7) (Dm)(A7) (D)
Dm7 F Ddim7 Gm7 Fm C7 F

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS/FRIENDSHIP REGISTER

To participate in our online Friendship Register, please leave a comment in the Live Chat box listing the names of those participating in this morning's Live Worship or email the office.

MUSIC

Jules Massenet

“Méditation”

James MacQueen, violin

Ushers will collect prayer requests.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE PRAYER OF OUR SAVIOR

Our Loving Parent, 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 kin-dom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

CALL TO GIVING

OFFERING

By texting: 216-400-5300

You may give online with PayPal, credit or debit card: www.fhcpresb.org

Or you may also mail a check to the church office

OFFERTORY

George Gershwin

“Summertime”

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Bless us, Holy One, and the gifts we have offered. May the good of our lives and the good of our offerings advance your realm of peace with justice. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

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*HYMN NO. 735

“I Need Thee Every Hour”

(vv. 1, 3, 4)

SERMON

“Fruitful Resistance”

*HYMN NO. 295

“Go to the World!”

*BENEDICTION AND CHARGE

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true; With thanksgiving, I’ll be a living sanctuary for you.

DEPARTING MUSIC

James MacQueen

“The Botanist/ The Squirrel’s Shadow/ The Corn Snake”

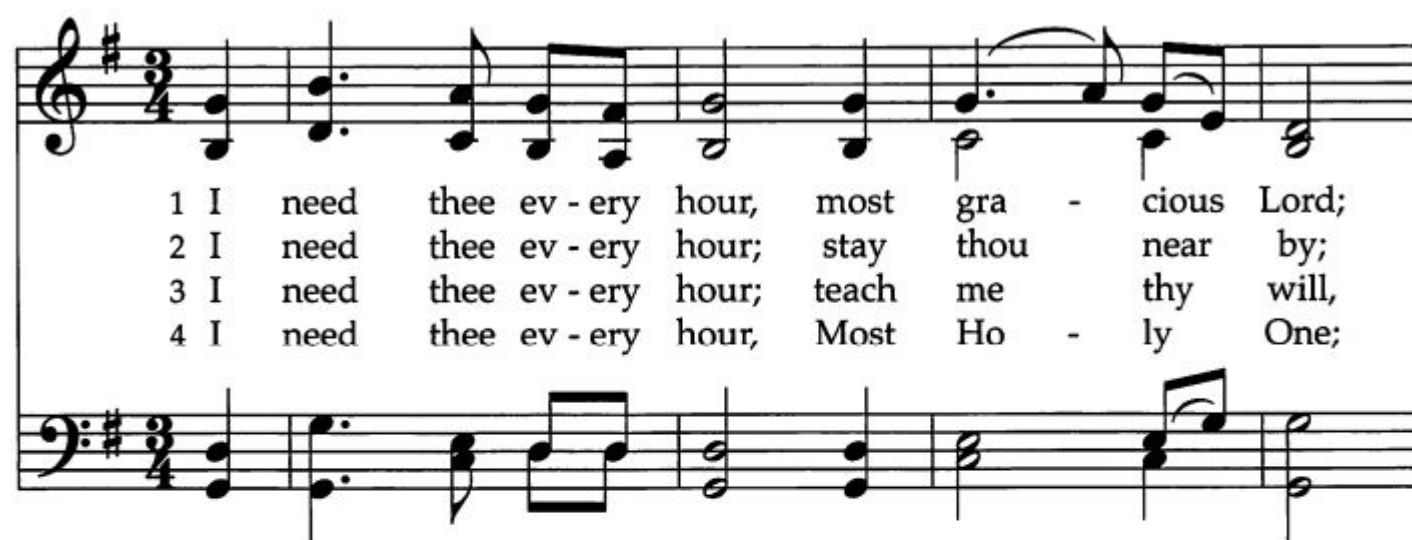
God Welcomes All 399

God wel - comes all, strang - ers and friends;

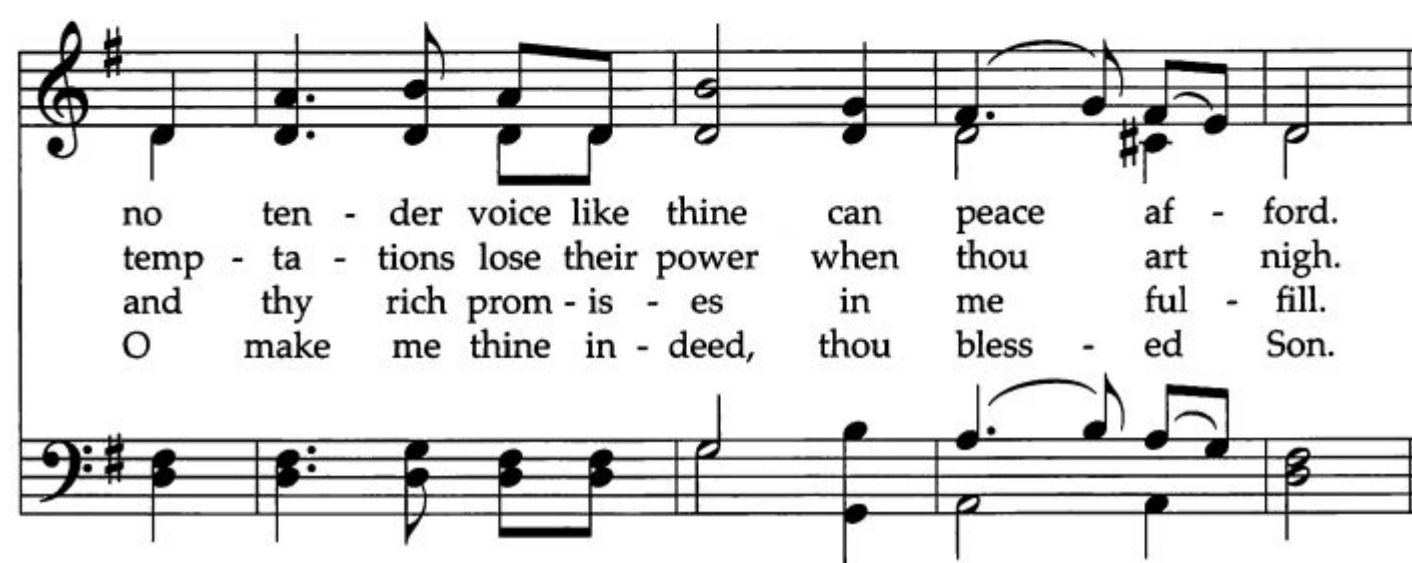
God's love is strong and it nev - er ends.

The musical score is written for two staves, treble and bass clef, in 4/4 time. The key signature has one sharp (F#). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first system covers the first line of the song, and the second system covers the second line. The score ends with a double bar line.

735 I Need Thee Every Hour



1 I need thee ev - ery hour, most gra - cious Lord;
 2 I need thee ev - ery hour; stay thou near by;
 3 I need thee ev - ery hour; teach me thy will,
 4 I need thee ev - ery hour, Most Ho - ly One;



no ten - der voice like thine can peace af - ford.
 temp - ta - tions lose their power when thou art nigh.
 and thy rich prom - is - es in me ful - fill.
 O make me thine in - deed, thou bless - ed Son.

Refrain



I need thee, O I need thee, ev - ery hour I need thee!



O bless me now, my Sav - ior— I come to thee!

Go to the World! 295

1 Go to the world! Go in - to all the earth.
2 Go to the world! Go in - to ev - ery place.
3 Go to the world! Go strug - gle, bless, and pray;
4 Go to the world! Go as the ones I send,

Go preach the cross where Christ re - news life's worth,
Go live the word of God's re - deem - ing grace.
the nights of tears give way to joy - ous day.
for I am with you till the age shall end,

bap - tiz - ing as the sign of our re - birth.
Go seek God's pres - ence in each time and space.
As ser - vant church, you fol - low Christ's own way.
when all the hosts of glo - ry cry "A - men!"

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

*Special thanks to Joe Frolik, James MacQueen
and Larissa Ungemach for their help in worship today.*