



THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN MORRISTOWN

July 4, 2021

The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Celebration of Worship

*Thank you for protecting the health of the most vulnerable members of our community
by keeping physical distance and by wearing masks while you are in the building.*

Prelude

Sweet Hour of Prayer
Kevin Graf, organ

William Bolcom

Call to Worship (*responsively, adapted from Psalm 48*) The Reverend Leslie Dobbs-Allsopp

One: We ponder your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple.

Many: **Your name, O God, like your praise, reaches to the ends of the
earth.**

All: **God will be our guide forever. Let us worship God!**

Hymn 49

The God of Abraham Praise
Please hum along, read the words, and sing in your heart.

Leoni

Prayer of Confession

The Reverend Sarah Green

O God, you have loved us from the beginning. Forgive us when we do not share your love with the world. Forgive us when we choose selfishness over compassion. Forgive us when we choose what is comfortable rather than what is right. Forgive us when we strive for success instead of faithfulness. Forgive us, O God, of the ways we fall short. Free us to try again, and let your love lead the way. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon (*responsively*)

One: Hear the good news! God's mercy is from everlasting to everlasting.
I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.

Many: **Amen! Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Green

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

First Scripture Reading

Ezekiel 2:1-5

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Second Scripture Reading

Mark 6:1-13

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Prophets

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

Offering

Sacrament of Communion

Revs. Dobbs-Allsopp & Green

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution and Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Communion Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Rev. Green

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.

Hymn 463

How Firm a Foundation

Foundation

Please hum along, read the words, and sing in your heart.

Benediction

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

Postlude

Fugue in C Major
Kevin Graf, organ

John Knowles Paine

Today's service is led by the Reverend Leslie Dobbs-Allsopp, the Reverend Sarah Green, Dr. Matthew Webb, Alexandra Mead, Kevin Graf, and the Choral Scholars.

Special thanks to our Sound and Video team for assisting in our in-person and live-streamed worship services.

**Sunday Morning Worship will be
live streamed every Sunday at 10am on**

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and our website www.pcmorristoryn.org

*After the live stream, the service will be available
on our YouTube channel @pcmorristoryn*

Worship in the Sanctuary

next Sunday, July 11, 2021 at 10 a.m.!

Please reserve your seat [here](#), or call the church office.



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