

Traditional Service of Worship

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 20, 202511:00 a.m.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

J. S. Bach

Air for the G String

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please fill out a Connect Card located in the pew pocket or scan the QR code on the bottom right side of this bulletin.

*HYMN

No. 529

How Firm a Foundation

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Please respond by reading the bold text aloud.)

When you pass through the waters, God says, “*I will be with you.*”

Waves may crash and storms may rage, but we are never alone in Christ

When you come to uncertainty, God says “*Do not fear. I have called you by name.*”

The deep may churn, but God’s love is deeper still.

When you cry out, God says “*Take courage. You are mine.*”

Jesus walks us through the waves and saves us when we sink

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (THE APOSTLES’ CREED)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

No. 70

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. Amen.

*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

Let no one be a stranger in the house of God.

Please take this opportunity to greet those around you.

*HYMN

No. 521

I Want Jesus to Walk with Me (verse 1)

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 14:22–33

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

We value the gift of generations, so all kids are invited to grab a worship bag (or coloring supplies) and remain in the sanctuary as part of worship. The nursery is open and available for kids four and younger.

ANTHEM

Larson

How Great Thou Art

Kimberly Fishman

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERTORY

Phillips

It is Well With My Soul

Mary Holladay, organ

*DOXOLOGY

No. 95

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.

*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION

No. 377

It Is Well with My Soul

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 43:1-3a

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Emily Knight

“Waters and Waves”

*HYMN OF DEDICATION

No. 368

My Hope Is Built

*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Mouret

Rondeau

* Congregation, please stand.

Worship Attendance	- July 13, 2025
Contemporary Worship - In-person	74
Contemporary Worship- Online	13
Traditional Worship - In-person	111
Traditional Worship - Online	13
Total Worship	211

Serving in Worship Today

9 a.m. Contemporary Service

Greeters: Sharon & Jeff Joos

Tech Team: Judy & Danny Marks

Liturgist: Kimberly Julia

11 a.m. Traditional Service

Greeters: Karen Fleming, Alicia Frank

Tech Team: Kaitlyn Fuller, Britt Scott

Usher: Britanny Bruce

Liturgist: Chris Western

Our wonderful Chancel Choir is taking a well-deserved break for a few weeks. They will return to worship on August 10th.

What’s Happening This Week?

TODAY:

Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Kids Choir: 10:00 a.m. (Room 403)

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. (Rooms 202 & 204)

Youth Group: 10:00 a.m. (Room 302)

Kids Club: 10:30 a.m. (Room 402)

River City Chorus Concert: 3:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Summer Kids Chapel: Monday at 9:45 a.m. (Sanctuary)

Board of Trustees: Monday at 6:00 p.m. (Library)

Tai Chi: Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. & Thursday at 7:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

Karate: Tues. & Thurs. at 5:30 p.m., Sat. at 3:00 p.m. (Room 302)

Wednesday Night Ministry: Wed. at 5:30 p.m. (McCord Building)

Meals Served Last Week: 153

Memorial Candle

The memorial candle is lit in loving memory of Shirley Early who now rests in Christ.

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given in memory of Dan Francabandiero by his niece, Deborah Brewer.

Get Connected

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CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

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Gather with Song

Our God Saves - Paul Baloché

Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

Let The Nations Be Glad - Matt Boswell

Scripture

Matthew 14:22–33

My God - Jeremy Camp

Children's Message

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Announcements

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Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Offer Gifts to God

I Surrender - Hillsong Worship

Proclaim God's Word

Isaiah 43:1–3a

"Waters and Waves"

Rev. Emily Knight

Benediction and Sending

Good Good Father - Chris Tomlin



TODAY

Sunday, July 20th @3pm
Community Concert
RPUMC Sanctuary

Gather at the River

2025 Summer VBS for Adults
Next Session: 7/27@3pm
Snacks, crafts, Bible, music



Summer Kids Chapel

SONGS & SCRIPTURE FOR KIDS
RPUMC SANCTUARY @9:45-10:15
MONDAYS: JULY 21ST, JULY 28TH, & AUG 4TH

**YOUTH
BEACH DAY**

SATURDAY
AUGUST 2ND

email youth@riversideparkumc.com for more info.



August
2nd

**FREE
SCHOOL
Physicals**

in the Fellowship Hall 10-1

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