

# SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

June 7, 2026 – 11:00 am

\* Those that are able and comfortable standing please stand.

**Prelude:** Traumerei (Schumann)

## Welcome and Announcements

### Call to Worship

Leader: The one who calls you together this day yearns for each of you and for all people to hear and be blessed.

*People: Speak, Lord, your servants are listening.*

Leader: Blessed is the One who comes bringing trustworthy words for the healing of the world.

*People: Speak, Lord, your servants are listening.*

\*Hymn **Open My Eyes That I May See #563**

### Call to Confession

#### \*Prayer of Confession

*Holy God, you see into each of us and know us fully as creatures in need of your constant care. We confess that we have neither heard your word nor followed your will. Give us ears to hear your wisdom. Lead us to honesty and faith so that we may begin again with renewed strength; in Jesus' name. Amen.*

### Time of Silent Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Believe the good news of the gospel.

*People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen.*

\*Gloria Patri **Glory Be to the Father #813**

### Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

*People: And also with you.*

### Children's Sermon

**Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 3: 1-10**

Pastor: This is the Word of the LORD.

*People: Thanks be to God.*

### Sermon Series:

Gracious Discernment: Faithfully Following Where the Spirit Leads  
"Listening for God's Voice" Rev. Diane Flynn

### Affirmation of Faith:

*We hold that what God says to us and does for us centers in Jesus Christ, our living Lord as he is remembered, known, and expected. In Christ, God's Word of acceptance takes flesh: by grace through faith we are set right with God, adopted as children of God, not because of anything we have done, but because of what Christ has done. In Christ, God's Word of demand is lived out: to love God and neighbor as Jesus did is what God requires of us. The Spirit adds no different Word from God but leads us deeper into the truth of God uttered in Jesus Christ.*

### Communion

The Lord be with you.

*And also, with you.*

Lift up your hearts.

*We lift them to the Lord.*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*It is right to give our thanks and praise.*

### Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Leader: God of all mercies,

*People: hear our prayer.*

### Offering

\*Hymn **Doxology #815**

#### \*Prayer of Dedication for the Offering

*Bless in every way, O Lord, the gifts of the people here given. Enrich the ministries of your people and make us grateful to be able to let go of the things we do not, finally, own. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.*

\*Hymn **Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us #688**

### Benediction

**Postlude: Sweet, Sweet Spirit**

## This Week at First Presbyterian Church

### **SUNDAY, June 7**

11:00 a.m. – Worship Service

### **THURSDAY, June 11**

10:00 a.m. – Good Morning Bible Study

### **SUNDAY, June 14**

11:00 a.m. – Worship Service

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- The Blessings Box is in need of canned pasta, granola bars, tuna pouches and juice boxes. Thank you for helping your neighbors in need!

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### **Mother's Day - May 10th through Father's Day - June 21st**

Imagine a culture of life where abortion is no longer an option. Your partnership helps make that vision a reality by reaching women in vulnerable situations—connecting them with Heartbeats for support and truth before they turn to an abortion provider. We are pleased to partner with **Heartbeats** again this year for their **2026 Campaign: Subscribe to Life**. If you write a check for this offering, please indicate "Heartbeats" in the memo line.

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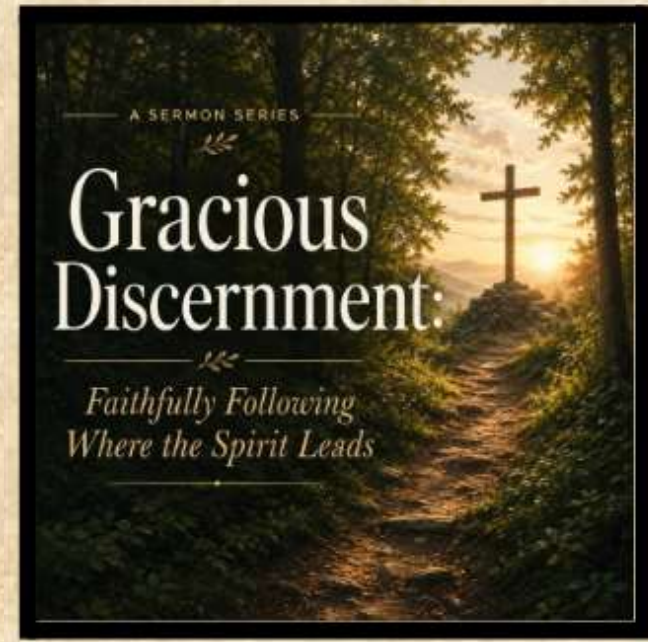
### **Serving This Sunday, 6/7**

**Liturgist:** Keith Hare; **Sound Room:** Becky Mahon

### **Serving Next Sunday, 6/14**

**Liturgist:** Carol Floyd; **Sound Room:** Becky Mahon

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Gracious Discernment:  
Faithfully Following Where the Spirit Leads

### **“Listening for God’s Voice”**

Rev. Diane C. Flynn

June 7, 2026

11:00 a.m.

65 N. Third St.

Newark, OH 43055

Chris Rainey, Worship Elder