



Sunday, July 28th, 2024  
10:00 AM

*Prelude*

St. Patrick's Breastplate

Ginny Landgraf, Kaen

*Statio*

*\*Call to Worship*

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice!

**Let the sea and everything in it shout in praise!**

Let the fields and their crops burst forth with joy!

**Let the trees of the forest rustle with praise before the Lord!**

For God is here with us today!

**Let us worship God!**

*\*Hymn 32*

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

ELLACOMBE

*Prayer of Confession*

God, you are always with us, and yet we often forget you are near. You have created each one of us in your image and love us, but we repeatedly choose to believe that about ourselves, but not about others. You have created the heavens and the earth, yet often we turn our back on caring for it. When we do not listen to your voice calling us to love and forgive, be gracious with us. When we do not listen to your voice calling us to welcome the stranger and create community, forgive us. When we do not listen to your voice calling us to work for justice and to make peace, have mercy on us. When we do not live the lives you have called us to, reorient us toward you and help us be transformed by your love. Amen.

*Kyrie*

Lord, Have Mercy

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Lord, have mer - cy.

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*Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace*

*Time for Young Disciples*

*Statio*

*Prayer for Illumination*

Hymn 455

Listen to the Word that God Has Spoken

LISTEN

**Listen to the word that God has spoken; listen to the One who is close at hand;  
listen to the voice that began creation; listen even if you don't understand.**

*Scripture Reading*

Romans 8:24a-27

*Sermon*

If You Want To See A Whale...

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

What is Sacred Time?

**For God, all time is sacred. For us, every moment has the potential to become sacred time. We sanctify ordinary time by seeking the presence of the Holy Spirit and opening ourselves to its Truth.**

**\*Hymn 291**

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness  
(Stanzas 1, 2 and 4)

SPIRIT

*Call to Offering*

*Offertory*

God is My Shepherd (Biblical Songs)  
Text of Psalm 23

Antonin Dvorak

**\*Doxology 609 and Prayer of Dedication**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all creatures high and low.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

*Sacrament of Holy Communion*

**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.**

*Music at Communion*

Improvisation on "Lacquiparle"

Ginny Landgraf, Kaen

**\*Hymn 541**

God Be with You Till We Meet Again

RANDOLPH

**\*Charge and Benediction**

*Postlude*

Prelude of Organ

Ancient of Days

Gary Sadler and Jamie Harvill  
Fanny Mendelssohn (Hensel)

The Sanctuary flowers are given in celebration of Pastor Lindsay's devoted ministry, her sabbatical, and for many whale wishes!

## July 28, 2024 Announcements



### Worship Notes

#### **Participating in Worship:**

Rev. Ryan Wallace, Pastor  
Rev. Lindsay Harren-Lewis, Pastor  
Rev. Andrew Genzsler, Pastor  
Nada Montgomery, pianist  
Jackie Josten, soloist  
Ginny Landgraft, Kaen

**This Morning!** Pastor Lindsay will preach her final sermon before she leaves for sabbatical. The Sisterhood of Service Luncheon will be held in the Ganson Room following worship and our Coffee Hour. The Forum hosted by the Session's 8:30 a.m. worship task force will meet in the chapel.

### Music Ministry

This morning we welcome back Nada Montgomery who is serving as pianist today. We also warmly welcome Ginny Landgraf, daughter of Nana Landgraf, who is visiting from Chicago. Ginny plays her Kaen which is a Thai/Lao mouth organ with bamboo pipes. The sound is similar to the reed stops on an organ. She learned this instrument in the Peace Corps 1988-1990 and has played at Fairmount in the past. Thank you for sharing your gifts with us, Ginny.

### **Summer Worship**

Join Fairmount for our Summer Worship with one Sunday service at 10:00 a.m. in the sanctuary and online. Communion served every Sunday, through September 8th. We unveiled the full Summer 2024 schedule for Fairmounters, including a book of Summer Sabbath Meditations.

### Calendar of Community Summer Events

As we go out into the community this summer, we want our neighbors to see Fairmount. We want our neighbors to know that Fairmount is a church that cares about them; a church that shows up and that participates in the life of our community. And so we've designed a brand new Fairmount t-shirt! You can buy your own Fairmount t-shirt (or sweatshirt) here. We encourage you to get a t-shirt and wear it proudly as we venture out into our community this summer! Scan the QR code to visit the Fairmount shop!



*Scan me*

### **August 1st: Cleveland Guardians vs Baltimore Orioles**

On Thursday, August 1st, join the Eastside Interfaith Congregations from the Interfaith Group Against Hate for a Cleveland Guardians game as our Division Leading team takes on the AL Eastern Division Baltimore Orioles! Enjoy food, friends, and fellowship as we cheer on Jose Ramirez, Josh Naylor, Steven Kwan and the gang! There is no need to purchase individual tickets for this game. By scanning the QR code to fill out the form, you are claiming a ticket. We will make a group ticket purchase and follow up with instructions on how to pay for your ticket(s). You may meet the group at Shaker Square RTA station at 5:30 p.m. that evening so that we can take the RTA train together, or meet us at Progressive Field. First pitch is at 6:40 p.m.



**August 6th: A Labyrinth Walk** for peace in our lives, our community, and our world. At 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 6 (Hiroshima Day) gather at the outdoor labyrinth on the Fairmount lawn for a guided meditation, an opportunity to write messages of peace, and to walk the labyrinth. For more information and/or questions, contact Jim Riggs ([jim@fpccl.org](mailto:jim@fpccl.org)).

The link to the digital Summer Sabbath Meditations booklet and Summer community events can be found by scanning the sunny QR code.



### **Cleveland Heights Meals on Wheels for Seniors**

Would you or a loved one like an affordable meal delivered to your home? The Cleveland Heights Meals on Wheels volunteers deliver hot and cold meals four times a week to Cleveland Heights senior citizens who would benefit from meal deliveries. Meals are delivered by volunteers on weekdays (except Tuesday) between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., along with a friendly greeting. The meals are prepared and portioned in the Fairmount Presbyterian kitchen. The cost is \$7.25 per day, with the option to receive a frozen meal on Monday to be eaten on Tuesday. The hot meal includes a meat, vegetable, and side dish, while the cold meal includes a sandwich, salad, fruit, and dessert. To request service or for more information, call the Cleveland Heights Office on Aging/Senior Activity Center at (216) 691-7377.

### **A Fairmount & Friends Evening at Topgolf!**

Fairmount Members and Friends! Get ready for a night of fun, laughter, and a bit of friendly competition. Join us at Topgolf (5820 Rockside Rd.) on Saturday, August 24th, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.! Topgolf is the perfect place for everyone – whether you're a golf pro or just looking to have some fun. This event is for singles, couples, families, and friends! This Fairmount social event includes 2 hours of golfing and socializing with delicious food, while a portion of every ticket supports Fairmount's mission project in Batey 105. Cash bar available for drinks. Scan the QR code to let us know you're interested. Pricing will be determined based on the number of participants. Space is limited, so RSVP as soon as possible to secure your spot. Let's make this a night to remember - we hope to see you at Topgolf! Keep an eye out for more Fairmount social events this fall and winter.



Full Announcements can be found at <https://fpccl.org/blog/>.