

July 17, 2022

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP - inspired by Luke 10: 38-42

Come and worship!

**Be still and aware of God's presence
within and around you.**

Come and worship!

**Be still and aware of Jesus' presence
within and around you.**

Come and worship!

**Be still and aware of the Spirit's presence
within and around you.**

Be still and know the presence of the Triune God,
**the Father to whom we come,
the Son through whom we come,
the Spirit by whom we come.**

Hear the word:

Be STILL and know that I am God.

Rev. Dr. A.R. Neal Mathers

OPENING MUSIC

Grace Ludtke, harp

SEEKING GOD'S FORGIVENESS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious God, sometimes we think too much of
ourselves. Oftentimes we think too little of ourselves. We
doubt that we could be used for your kingdom work. We
suspect that we are not good enough, faithful enough,
kind enough, or wise enough. Remind us that any good
in us comes from you, and that we need only have open
hearts and the courage to listen to your calling, even
when it unsettles us. (Silent prayer)**

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE

HYMN 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

CHILDREN'S CONVERSATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 10: 38-42

SERMON "Few Things Are Needed..." Rev. Scott Lawson
*Above all else, guard your heart, for everything you do
flows from it. – Proverbs 4:23*

ANTHEM

The Peaceable Garden, Rhett Barnwell
Grace Ludtke, harp; Michael Parker, piano

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY

Offering boxes are available at the back of the sanctuary.
Gifts may also be made online at starmountpres.org.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Romans 8: 1, 28, 38, 39

**We believe there is no condemnation for those who are
in Christ Jesus; for we know that all things work together
for good for those who love God, who are called
according to God's purpose. We are convinced that
neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things
present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor
depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to
separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN 331

God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Grace Ludtke, harp

Announcements

VBS Volunteers needed – Starmount is looking for volunteers to help during VBS “Bible, Blast to the Past. Our program will be running Monday, July 25 – Thursday, July 28, 9 am to Noon. Please contact Cindy Lee, cindy@starmountpres.org if you are interested.

VBS Mission Project Supplies - One of the projects we will be completing during VBS this year is filling 60 bags with supplies for children attending Camp Hope this August. You can find a list of needed supplies at the Welcome Desk in the Narthex. Contact Cindy Lee, cindy@starmountpres.org, if you are interested in donating items.

Volunteers needed – The tutoring program needs volunteers to pick up food from Out of the Garden Project and then deliver them to the homes of families in our tutoring program on Wednesday, August 24. Our normal pick-up time is 11 am. Please call the office if you are interested to sign up for that date.



**Welcome to Sunday
Worship**

July 17, 2022 · 10:00 a.m.