

# First Presbyterian Church Wichita, Kansas



July 24, 2016  
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**10th Sunday after Pentecost**

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Prelude

*Préambule*

Louis Vierne

Entering with the Candles of Presence

Sailor Sulier

Greetings

\*Call to Worship

Show us your steadfast love,  
O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

**The Lord will speak peace to the faithful,  
to those who turn to God in their hearts.**

Surely salvation is at hand for those who fear the lord,  
and God's glory will dwell in our land.

\*Prayer of the Day

Holy God, you are our faithful lover, our generous parent, our patient teacher, our constant friend. We live by the hope of your promises, seek to follow your way, and rely on the gift of your spirit, by whose power we breathe, and move, and pray. **Amen.**

\*Hymn

*Great is Thy Faithfulness*

No. 276

Prayer of Confession

**Ever-faithful God, how often we turn away from you, yet you remain constant to us. We run from you, but you call us back. In our words and our deeds, we dishonor you, yet, you still profess your love for us. We cut ourselves off from you and from others, but you will not let us go. Forgive our faithless and fickle ways and increase our gratitude, that we might grow in faithfulness to you, for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

Silence

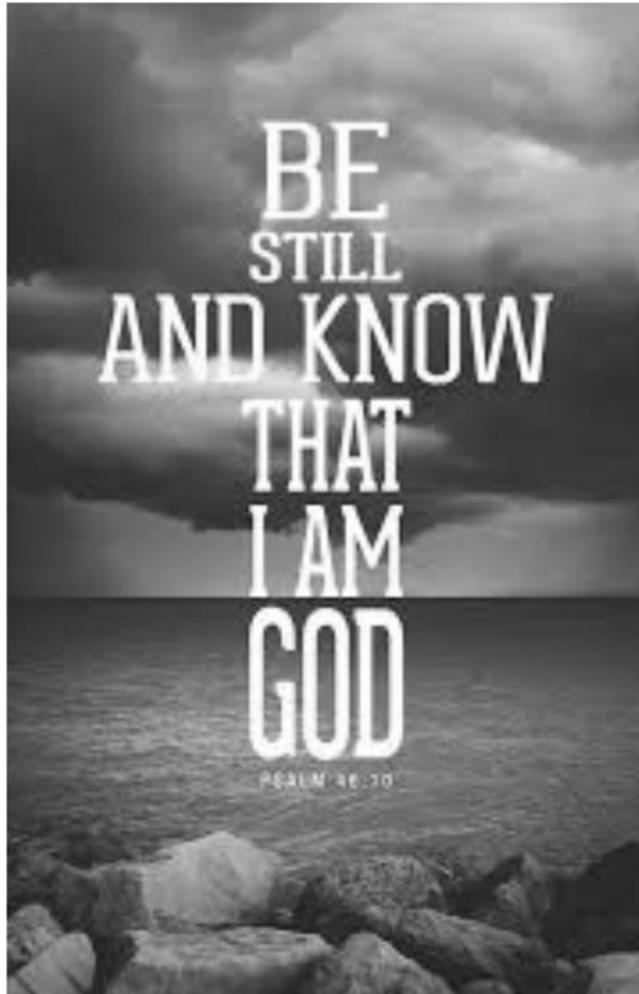
Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news! When you were buried with Christ in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God. By that power we are made clean and set free to live in gratitude and love with zeal. As you have received Christ Jesus, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and abounding in thanksgiving.

**Thanks be to God!**

*Song of Thanksgiving	“Gloria Patri”	No. 579
*The Peace		
Leader:	Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.	
<b>People:</b>	<b>And also with you.</b>	
First Reading		Psalms 85
Anthem	<i>I Don't Know How to Love Him</i> from <i>Jesus Christ Superstar</i> Marilyn Heffner, Alto	Andrew Lloyd Weber
Second Reading		Luke 11:1-13
Leader:	The Word of the Lord.	
<b>People:</b>	<b>Thanks be to God.</b>	
Sermon	“Persistence in Praying, Receiving More than We Ask” The Rev. Dr. Brent O. Johnston	
Ordination/Installation of Daryl Ott		
Pastoral Prayer & the Lord’s Prayer		P.H. Page 16
Call to Stewardship		
Offertory	<i>Cantilena</i>	Eugene Butler
*Doxology		No. 592
*Prayer of Dedication		
*Hymn	<i>There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy</i>	No. 298
*Charge and Benediction		
Leader:	The Lord be with you.	
<b>People:</b>	<b>And also with you.</b>	
Recessing with the Candles of Presence		
*Postlude	<i>Allegro</i>	Everett Titcomb

\*signifies congregation standing (for those able)



**Worship Leaders**

Senior Pastor  
Liturgist  
Director of Music  
Organist

Brent O. Johnston  
Jane Rhoads  
Steve Bixler  
Mark Sweeney