



First Presbyterian Church  
Farmington, NM

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*Fifth Sunday in Easter*  
*May 18, 2025*

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Fifth Sunday in Easter

10:30 am

*Ring of the Bell*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRELUDE

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*  
(Gardiner/Behnke)

Julia Thom

### CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 57)

Allen DeSalme, Responsive

My heart is steadfast, O God; my heart is steadfast.

**Be exalted, O God, above the heavens.**

**Let your glory be over all the earth.**

Awake, my soul! Awake, O harp and lyre! I will awake the dawn.

**We will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples.**

**We will sing praises to you among the nations.**

For your steadfast love is as high as the heavens;  
your faithfulness extends to the clouds.

**Be exalted, O God, above the heavens.**

**Let your glory be over all the earth.**

Let us worship God, our loving Creator, our risen Redeemer,  
and abiding Sustainer!

**\*GATHERING HYMN #65** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

### \*CALL TO CONFESSION

Allen DeSalme

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Unison

Eternal God,  
in whom we live and move and have our being,  
whose face is hidden from us by our sins,  
and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts:  
Cleanse us from all our offenses,  
and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires,  
that with reverent and humble hearts  
we may draw near to you,  
confessing our faults,  
confiding in your grace,  
and finding in you our refuge and strength;  
through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.

### \*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**\*GLORIA** (tune #611, text by C. Wordsworth, 1872)

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high;  
To the Father, and the Savior, Who has gained the victory;  
Glory to the Holy Spirit, Fount of love and sanctity;  
Alleluia! Alleluia! To the Triune majesty.**

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

Allen DeSalme

**SCRIPTURE TEXT**

Hebrews 11:8-16 (pg. 225)

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**SCRIPTURE TEXT**

Psalms 121 (pg. 571)

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**SERMON**

"Your Going Out and Your Coming In"

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**\*HYMN #737**

*Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER**

**CALL TO OFFERING**

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**OFFERTORY**

*Fantasia*  
(Johann Pachelbel)

Julia Thom

**\*DOXOLOGY #609**

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

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**\*HYMN #741**

*Guide My Feet*

**\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

Rev. Dr. Klotz

**POSTLUDE**

*This Joyful Eastertide*  
(Edwin T. Childs)

Julia Thom

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*\*please stand if you are able*

We are grateful for your offering by cash or check in the offering plate, online via [fpcfarmington.org](http://fpcfarmington.org), or using this QR code!



**Prayer concerns:** Family of Cassie Matamores; Sandy Williamson; Sony Attencio; Family of Rachel Olejniczak; Tonia; Patrick Winters; Ava & Laura; Julie Rapp; Family of Paul Klotz; Family of Paul Briones; Morris McGarrh; Family of Jim Webster; Betsy Yazzie; Family of Doug Brown; Inez Bancroft; Kathy Dickerson; Susan Dunn; Tennille Taylor; Les Leach; Beth Sims; Marilyn Montoya; Chelsey Renn; Malcom Holm; Tura Hayes; Chris Whitney; Beverly Reese; Mary Boden; Francois Limondie; Pat Walters; Amy Hadden; Ashley Walters; Ed Singer; Sam & Mia Fisk; John Hall; Georgia Cotie; Alan Nelson; Judy Hitt; Betty Martini; Jacob Bean; Grace Shippey; Delthea Baneroft; Beth Klotz; Barbara James; Eunice Howard; Mary Marley; Larry Brewer; Richard Fitzhugh; Betty McConnel; Kathy Stewart; Cruz Marez; Evelyn Young; Rhonda & Fred Wagner; Craig O'Kelley; Arlene Butler; Janet Patterson

**THIS WEEK:**

- **Sunday, May 18:**
  - Adult Sunday School: 9:15 am
  - Kids Sunday School: 9:15 am
  - Worship: 10:30 am
  - Post Worship Discussion: following worship, Mary Jane Masters
  - Showcase on Dustin- Mozart, Musicals & More: 4 pm, Sanctuary
- **Wednesday, May 21:**
  - Choir is on summer break. Practice will resume in August.
- **Thursday, May 22:**
  - Book Group: 12 pm, Howieson Room

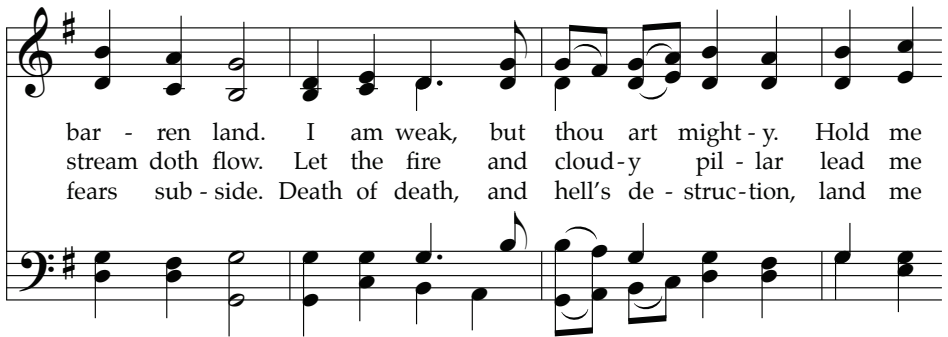
**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Showcase on Dustin Presents “Mozart, Musicals, & More” this afternoon at 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$10 at the door and the proceeds will benefit local non-profit, “Kiwanis—Clothes for Kids.”
- The Bonnie Dallas Senior Center is looking for volunteers to deliver meals to our homebound neighbors. Call the Bonnie Dallas Senior Center at (505) 599-1380 and ask for Patricia.

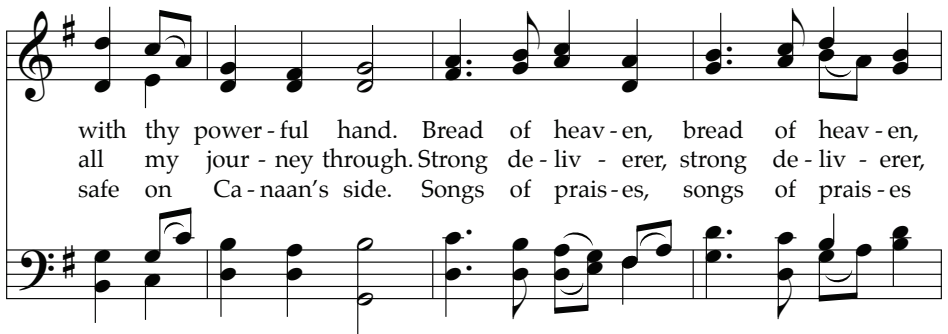
## Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah 65



1 Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this  
 2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing  
 3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious



bar - ren land. I am weak, but thou art might - y. Hold me  
 stream doth flow. Let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me  
 fears sub - side. Death of death, and hell's de - struc - tion, land me



with thy power - ful hand. Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,  
 all my jour - ney through. Strong de - liv - erer, strong de - liv - erer,  
 safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es



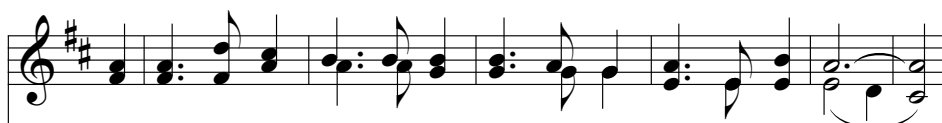
feed me till I want no more; feed me till I want no more.  
 be thou still my strength and shield; be thou still my strength and shield.  
 I will ev - er give to thee; I will ev - er give to thee.

Few Welsh hymns are as well known or loved as this 18th-century text that did not gain its popular tune until the early 20th century. In both its original text and in English translation, it is a stirring hymn of pilgrimage filled with vivid imagery from Hebrew Scripture.

## 737 Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song

*Jésus, je voudrais te chanter*

1 Lord Je - sus, you shall be my song as I jour - ney;  
 2 Lord Je - sus, I'll praise you as long as I jour - ney.  
 3 As long as I live, Je - sus, make me your ser - vant,  
 4 I fear in the dark and the doubt of my jour - ney;



I'll tell ev - ery - bod - y a - bout you wher - ev - er I go:  
 May all of my joy be a faith - ful re - flec - tion of you.  
 to car - ry your cross and to share all your bur - dens and tears.  
 but cour - age will come with the sound of your steps by my side.



you a - lone are our life and our peace and our love.  
 May the earth and the sea and the sky join my song.  
 For you saved me by giv - ing your bod - y and blood.  
 And with all of the fam - ily you saved by your love,



Originally created in French, this text reflects the ministry of a Roman Catholic religious community, the Little Sisters of Jesus, who work with people on the margins of society. This hymn is also beloved by the Ark (*L'Arche*) communities who minister to adults with disabilities.

Lord Je - sus, you shall be my song as I jour - ney.  
 Lord Je - sus, I'll praise you as long as I jour - ney.  
 As long as I live, Je - sus, make me your ser - vant.  
 we'll sing to your dawn at the end of our jour - ney.

## FRENCH

- 1 *Jésus, je voudrais te chanter sur ma route;  
 Jésus, je voudrais t'annoncer à mes voisins partout,  
 car toi seul es la vie et la paix et l'amour:  
 Jésus, je voudrais te chanter sur ma route.*
- 2 *Jésus, je voudrais te louer sur ma route;  
 Jésus, je voudrais que ma voix soit l'écho de ta joie,  
 et que chante la terre et que chante le ciel;  
 Jésus, je voudrais te louer sur ma route.*
- 3 *Jésus, je voudrais te servir sur ma route;  
 Jésus, je voudrais partager les souffrances de ta croix,  
 car tu livres pour moi et ton corps et ton sang;  
 Jésus, je voudrais te servir sur ma route.*
- 4 *Jésus, je voudrais tout au long de ma route  
 entendre tes pas résonner dans la nuit près de moi,  
 jusqu'à l'aube du jour où ton peuple sauvé,  
 Jésus, chantera ton retour sur ma route.*

## Guide My Feet

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1 Guide my feet while I run this race;  
(yes, my Lord!)

guide my feet while I run this race;  
(yes, my Lord!)

guide my feet while I run this race, for I

don't want to run this race in vain! (race in vain!)

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| 2 Hold my hand ...   | 5 Search my heart ... |
| 3 Stand by me ...    | 6 Guide my feet ...   |
| 4 I'm your child ... |                       |

This African American spiritual is based on the imagery of "the race that is set before us" in Hebrews 12:1-2. Its call-and-response structure allows for the improvisation and addition of stanzas related to an athletic metaphor that is as vivid today as it was centuries ago.