

MAYFLOWER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
A SERVICE OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, June 21, 2026, 10:30 a.m.

Fourth Sunday After Pentecost
Father's Day

Welcome and Greeting - Pastor Mark

Prelude: "My Faith Has Found a Resting Place" (Norwegian Folk Melody, arr. Tom Fettke) - DeeAnn

Opening Sentences - Jenn

Hymn 53: "God Moves in a Mysterious Way" - DeeAnn et al.

Opening Prayer - Jenn

Special Music: "Father's Love" (Bob Carlisle) - Jill/DeeAnn

Giving and Receiving of Our Gifts - Pastor Mark

Doxology (Hymn 563) - DeeAnn et al.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors) - Pastor Mark

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 21:8-21 - Lorraine

The child grew, and was weaned; and Abraham made a great feast on the day that Isaac was weaned. But Sarah saw the son of Hagar the Egyptian, whom she had borne to Abraham, playing with her son Isaac. So she said to Abraham, 'Cast out this slave woman with her son; for the son of this slave woman shall not inherit along with my son Isaac.' The matter was very distressing to Abraham on account of his son. But God said to Abraham, 'Do not be distressed because of the boy and because of your slave woman; whatever Sarah says to you, do as she tells you, for it is through Isaac that offspring shall be named after you. As for the son of the slave woman, I will make a nation of him also, because he is your offspring.' So Abraham rose early in the morning, and took bread and a skin of water, and gave it to Hagar, putting it on her shoulder, along with the child, and sent her away. And she departed, and wandered about in the wilderness of Beer-sheba. When the water in the skin was gone, she cast the child under one of the bushes. Then she went and sat down opposite him a good way off, about the distance of a bowshot; for she said, 'Do not let me look on the death of the child.' And as she sat opposite him, she lifted up her voice and wept. And God heard the voice of the boy; and the angel of God called to Hagar from heaven, and said to her, 'What troubles you, Hagar? Do not be afraid; for God has heard the voice of the boy where he is. Come, lift up the boy and hold him fast with your hand, for I will make a great nation of him.' Then God opened her eyes, and she saw a well of water. She went, and filled the skin with water, and gave the boy a drink. God was with the boy, and he grew up; he lived in the wilderness, and became an expert with the bow. He lived in the wilderness of Paran; and his mother got a wife for him from the land of Egypt.

Sermon: "FAMILIES, FATHERS, FAILURES, AND FAITH" - Pastor Mark

Hymn 334: "Amazing Grace" - DeeAnn et al.

Benediction - Pastor Mark

Benediction Response 430 (refrain and v. 2): "Just a Closer Walk With Thee" - DeeAnn et al.

Through this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares? Who with me my burden shares? None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee. Just a closer walk with Thee, grant it, Jesus, is my plea. Daily walking close to Thee, let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Greet One Another - All

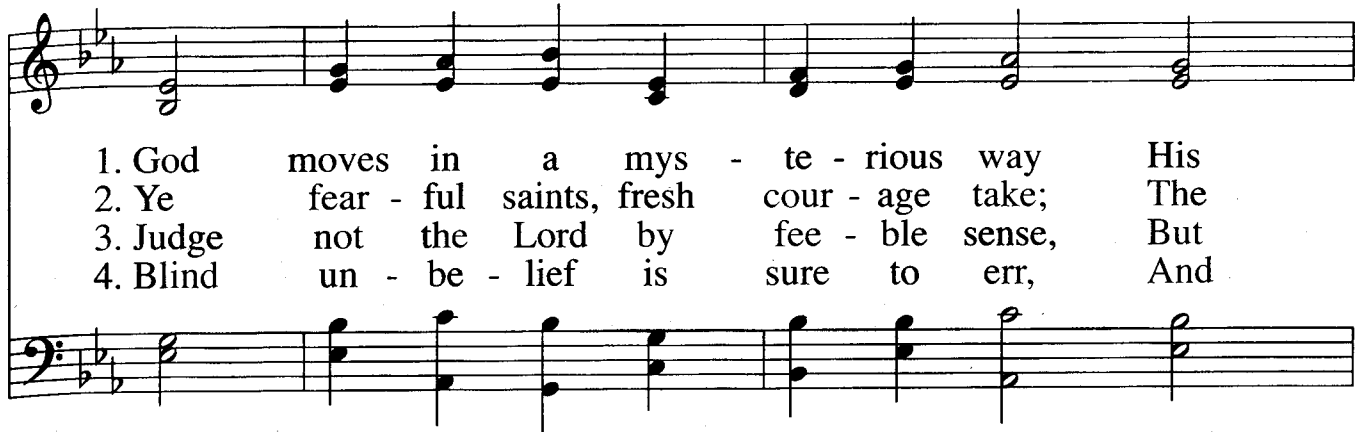
Participants: Pastor Mark and DeeAnn McCormick, Barb Fuller, Jenn Hall, Lorraine Finison, Jill Young

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

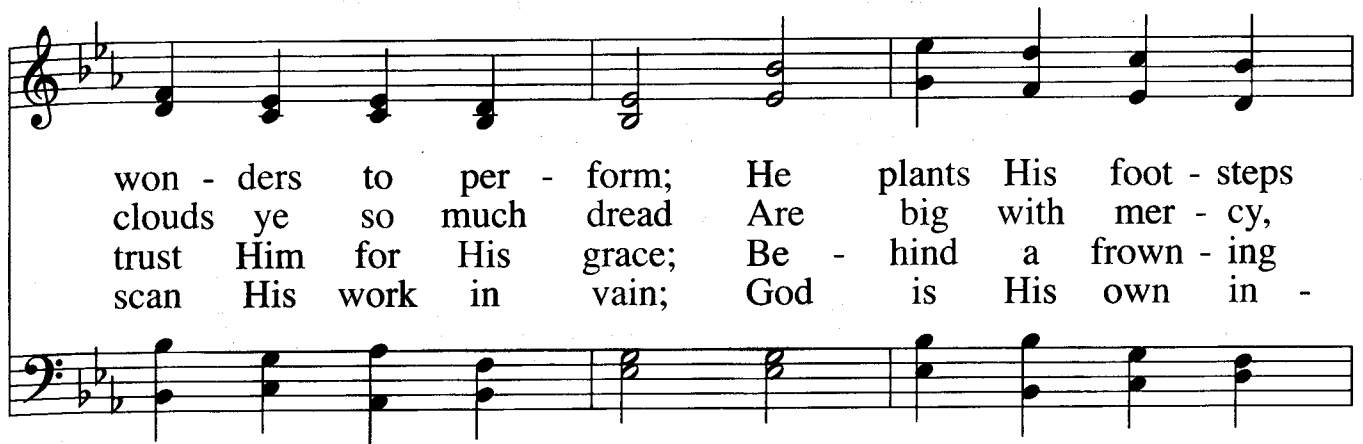
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William Cowper, 1731-1800

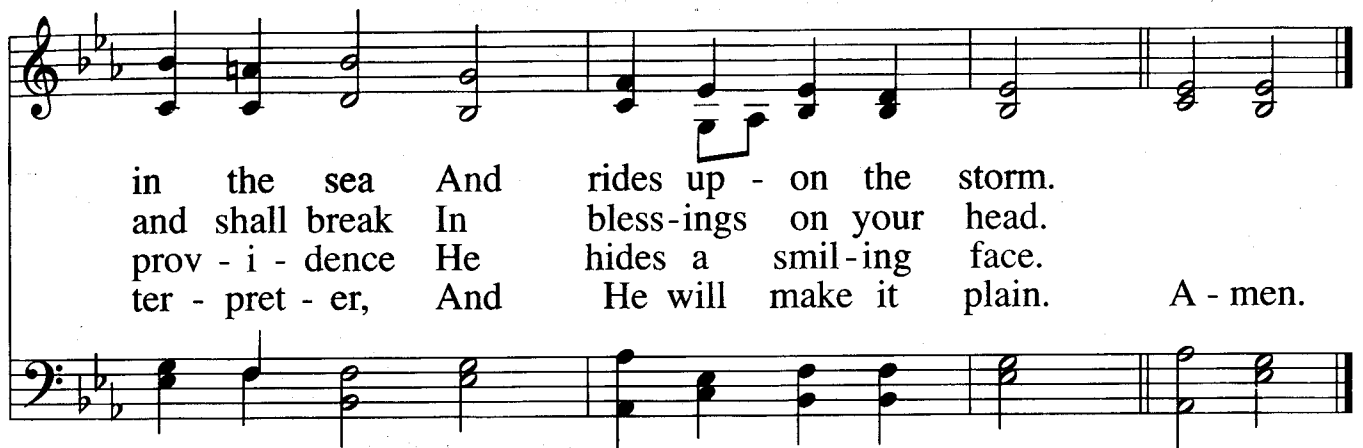
Scottish Psalter, 1615



1. God moves in a mys - te - rious way His
2. Ye fear - ful saints, fresh cour - age take; The
3. Judge not the Lord by fee - ble sense, But
4. Blind un - be - lief is sure to err, And



won - ders to per - form; He plants His foot - steps
clouds ye so much dread Are big with mer - cy,
trust Him for His grace; Be - hind a frown - ing
scan His work in vain; God is His own in -



in the sea And rides up - on the storm.
and shall break In bless - ings on your head.
prov - i - dence He hides a smil - ing face.
ter - pret - er, And He will make it plain. A - men.

"He," "Him," or "His" may be replaced by "God('s)" or "You(r)."

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Amazing Grace

John Newton, 1725-1807

St. 6, anonymous

Traditional American Melody

Carrell and Clayton's *Virginia Harmony*, 1831

Arr. by Edwin O. Excell, 1851-1921

1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound That
 2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And
 3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 4. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His
 5. Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail, And
 6. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
 grace my fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that
 have al - read - y come; 'Tis grace hath brought me
 word my hope se - cures; He will my shield and
 mor - tal life shall cease, I shall pos - sess, with -
 shin - ing as the sun, We've no less days to

now am found; Was blind, but now I see.
 grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved.
 safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
 por - tion be, As long as life en - dures.
 in the veil, A life of joy and peace.
 sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

Just a Closer Walk with Thee

Anonymous

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Refrain: Just a clos - er walk with Thee, Grant it
 1. I am weak but Thou art strong; Je - sus,
 2. Through this world of toil and snares, If I
 3. When my fee - ble life is o'er, Time for

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Je - sus, is my plea. Dai - ly walk - ing close to
 keep me from all wrong; I'll be sat - is - fied as
 fal - ter, Lord, who cares? Who with me my bur - den
 me will be no more; Guide me gen - tly, safe - ly

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Thee, Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.
 long As I walk, dear Lord, close to Thee.
 shares? None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.
 o'er To Thy king - dom shore, to Thy shore.