

Sermon Notes:

Worship Celebration

July 24, 2016 – 8:00 a.m.



Clergy and Worship Leaders

- Rev. Dr. Dave Summers, Senior Pastor
- Rev. Eve Williams, Associate Pastor
- Rev. Andrea Address, Associate Pastor for Spiritual Formation of Children and Families
- Rev. Brenda Smith, Director, Children's Ministry and Young Adult Ministry
- Dr. Ashley Snavley, Music and Arts Ministries Director and Organist
- Dr. Andria Fennig, Worship Accompanist/Director of Contemporary Worship Arts
- Thomas Strawser, Assistant Music Director and Youth Choir Director

A complete staff listing can be found at pvumc.org/contact/staff-directory/

Assisting Today

USHERS: Wilma Lund, Clint Miller, Barbara Ratliff, Ken Rogers

READER: Debbie Doran **AUDIO:** Jim DeBusk



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4: Be Perfect in Love

Meditation

The conclusion is always the same:
love is the most powerful and still the most
unknown energy of the world.

~Paleontologist Teilhard de Chardin



*We welcome the members of the barbershop quartet Nostalgia
to our worship this morning:
Greg Lewis, Scott Holcomb, Don Richardson, and Dick Gray*

WORDS OF WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Dave Summers

CHORAL PRELUDE

Ride the Chariot
Traditional—arr. Earl Moon

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Bring your longing, bring your hope.

People: God is with us here.

Leader: Lay down your fears, lay aside your doubts.

People: Faith has called us here.

Leader: Come and find a new start, a second chance in Jesus Christ.

People: We come to worship God.

*** HYMN OF PRAISE** *The Church's One Foundation* vs. 1,2,5 Hymnal No. 545

*** OPENING PRAYER** (in unison)

Rev. Brenda Smith

**Faithful God, come to us in silence and song,
in prayer and praise.**

Speak to our hearts that we may hear and respond.

Soothe our souls that we may rest and renew.

Strengthen our faith that we may grow in grace and service.

In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

*** MOMENTS OF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

*** HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP** *This Little Light of Mine/Do Lord*
Traditional—arr. Val Hicks

**COMMISSIONING OUR JUNIOR HIGH AND YOUNG ADULT
MISSION TRIP PARTICIPANTS**

*When you see an * in the order of worship, please stand as you are able.*

(Please fill out and pass the fellowship pad)

ANTHEM

Gospel Medley
Traditional—arr. Ed Waesche

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER

SHARING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

I'll Walk with God
Webster & Bradszky—arr. Pete Rupay

*** DOXOLOGY** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 95

*** OFFERTORY PRAYER**

SCRIPTURE *Matthew 5:43-48*

Leader: God's Word for God's people.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

(Im)Perfect: 4. Be Perfect in Love
Rev. Dr. Dave Summers

*** HYMN OF COMMITMENT** *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* vs. 1,2,4
No. 384

*** BENEDICTION**

*** CHORAL BENEDICTION** *Irish Blessing*
Traditional—arr. Don Gray

*** CHORAL POSTLUDE** *Every Time I Feel the Spirit*
Traditional—arr. Don Richardson, Fraser Brown



Communion is available at the rail following the service.