



NEW LIFE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
of **LA MESA**

June 14, 2026

5:00p

Prelude

Call to Worship Psalm 98:4–6

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all
the earth.

**People: Break forth into joyous song and
sing praises!**

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord with the
lyre.

**People: With the lyre and the sound of
melody!**

**All: With trumpets and the sound of the
horn
make a joyful noise before the King, the
Lord!**

Hymnal #15 “Stand Up and Bless the Lord”

Stand up and bless the Lord,
you people of his choice;

stand up and bless the Lord your God
with heart and soul and voice.

Though high above all praise,
above all blessing high,
who would not fear God's holy name,
and laud and magnify?

O for the living flame
from his own altar brought,
to touch our lips, our minds inspire,
and wing to heav'n our thought!

God is our strength and song,
and his salvation ours;
then be his love in Christ proclaimed
with all our ransomed pow'rs.

Stand up and bless the Lord,
the Lord your God adore;
stand up and bless his glorious name
henceforth forevermore.

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Hymnal #305 “Arise, My Soul, Arise”

Arise, my soul, arise,
shake off your guilty fears;
the bleeding Sacrifice
in my behalf appears:
before the throne my Surety stands,

before the throne my Surety stands,
my name is written on his hands.

He ever lives above,
for me to intercede,
his all-redeeming love,
his precious blood to plead;
his blood atoned for ev'ry race,
his blood atoned for ev'ry race,
and sprinkles now the throne of grace.

Five bleeding wounds he bears,
received on Calvary;
they pour effectual prayers,
they strongly plead for me.
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"nor let that ransomed sinner die!"

My God is reconciled;
his pard'ning voice I hear;
he owns me for his child,
I can no longer fear;
with confidence I now draw nigh,
with confidence I now draw nigh,
and "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 82

Q. 82 Is any man able perfectly to keep the commandments of God?

A. No mere man, since the fall, is able in this life perfectly to keep the commandments of God, but doth daily break them in thought, word, and deed.

Prayer of the Church Elder David Fredrickson

Hymnal #154 “Thou Art the Way”

Thou art the Way: to thee alone
from sin and death we flee;
and he who would the Father seek
must seek him, Lord, by thee.

Thou art the Truth: thy Word alone
true wisdom can impart;
thou only canst inform the mind,
and purify the heart.

Thou art the Life: the rending tomb
proclaims thy conquering arm,
and those who put their trust in thee
nor death nor hell shall harm.

Thou art the Way, the Truth, the Life:
grant us that Way to know,
that Truth to keep, that Life to win,
whose joys eternal flow.

God's Word Read Colossians 2:8-10

God's Word Preached “Gospel Presence” by
Pastor Joel E. Wood

Psalm 4:7-8 “Answer When I Call”

You have given my heart greater joy by far
Than when grain and new wine most
abundant are.

So in peace I lie down; I will rest and sleep,
For, O LORD, You only will me safely keep.

Benediction

Postlude