

February 13, 2022



First Presbyterian Church of Mountain View

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Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Gathering

“10,000 Reasons”

FPCMV Praise Band

Welcome and Announcements

Elder Tom Perloff

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 66:1-4

Leader: Shout for joy to God, all the earth;

People: Sing the glory of his name; Give to him glorious praise!

Leader: Say to God, “How awesome are your deeds!

People: So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to You.

Leader: All the earth worships You and sings praises to You;

People: They sing praises to your name.

***Hymn of Praise**

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

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Call to Confession

“Come to me, all you who labor and are heavily burdened, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy, and my burden is light.” Matthew 11:28-30

Prayer of Confession

Leader: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved You with our whole heart.

People: We have made idols of our desires and possessions.

Leader: Instead of trusting You, we rely on ourselves.

People: We do everything but give our problems to You.

Leader: We do not love our neighbor.

People: **We do not show your love to your children.**

Leader: We do not forgive others.

People: **We judge others.**

Leader: We pray You forgive our spoken sins and the silent sins of our hearts in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

(Take a moment at this time for silent reflection and confession.)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Far as high of the Heavens are above the earth,

People: **So great his steadfast love towards those who fear Him.**

Leader: As far as east is from the west,

People: **So far does he remove our transgressions from us.**

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

***Hymn of Response**

“Glory Be to the Father”

Prayer for Illumination

Time of Reflection

“Mountains Breathing”

Written and performed by Charito Soriano and Rowenalyn “Chen” Conlu

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 121

I lift up my eyes to the hills. From whence does my help come?

² My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

³ He will not let your foot be moved, he who keeps you will not slumber. ⁴ Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor

sleep. ⁵ The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand. ⁶ The sun shall not smite you by day,

nor the moon by night. ⁷ The LORD will keep you from all evil;

he will keep your life. ⁸ The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and for evermore.

Leader: This is the Word of Our Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Song of Preparation

“Open Our Eyes, Lord”

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Second Scripture Reading Isaiah 43:16-19

¹⁶ Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, ¹⁷ who brings forth chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: ¹⁸ “Remember not the former things, nor consider the things of old. ¹⁹ Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.

Leader: This is the Word of Our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“The Best Days are Yet to Come”

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer (*In unison*)

Our father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us, and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen

Presentation of Offering

Prayer of Dedication for Offering *(In unison)*

God, you have given each of us gifts to use as members of the body of Christ. Here are our gifts – the work of our hands, our hearts, and our lives. We pray that they may help to bring the Good News of Jesus Christ to our world, today and always, here and everywhere. Amen.

***Closing Hymn**

“We Are God’s People”

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***Benediction**

**We invite all to stand either in body or in spirit.*

FPCM V Worship Participants

Wendy Nelson | Greeter Today

Karl Park/piano | Mary Hamilton/organ and piano

Praise Band Members: Janelle Herrera/vocals/flute,

Sophie Schoepp/bass,

Parker Russell/piano, Daniel Williams/drums,

Ian-Carl Floirendo/vocals/guitar

Ian-Carl Floirendo and Janelle Herrera/IT

97 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

God . . . gave Him the name that is above every name . . . Jesus Christ is Lord. Phil. 2:9-11

1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros-trate fall;
 2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye ran-somed from the fall,
 3. Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On this ter - res - trial ball,
 4. O that with yon - der sa - cred throng We at His feet may fall!

Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown Him Lord of all;
 Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all;
 To Him all maj - es - ty as - crite, And crown Him Lord of all;
 We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, And crown Him Lord of all;

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Optional choral ending

all! Crown Him, crown Him, al - le - lu - ia! Crown Him, crown Him,

TEXT: Edward Perronet; adapted by John Rippon
 MUSIC: Oliver Holden; Choral ending by Tom Fettek

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CORONATION
 C.M. with Repeats

Glory Be to the Father

Gloria Patri

Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

The first system of music consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The vocal line is in treble clef with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics are: "Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the". The piano accompaniment is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, providing harmonic support for the vocal line.

Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is

The second system of music continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line lyrics are: "Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines.

now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, A - men.

The third system of music concludes the piece. The vocal line lyrics are: "now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, A - men." The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord and a double bar line.

LIFE IN CHRIST

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Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Matt. 5:8

1. O - pen our eyes, Lord, we want to see Je - sus,
2. O - pen our ears, Lord, and help us to lis - ten,

1

to reach out and touch Him, and say that we love
O - pen our eyes,

2

Him. Lord, we want to see Je - sus.

TEXT and MUSIC: Robert Cull;
arranged by David Allen

OPEN OUR EYES
11.12.11.11.

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You are a chosen people . . . a people belonging to God. 1 Pet. 2:9

Unison

1. We are God's peo - ple, the cho - sen of the Lord,
 2. We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord,
 3. We are the Bod - y of which the Lord is Head,
 4. We are a Tem - ple, the Spir - it's dwell - ing place,

Born of His Spir - it, es - tab - lished by His Word; Our
 For we have known it, the love of God out - poured; Now
 Called to o - bey Him, now ris - en from the dead; He
 Formed in great weak - ness, a cup to hold God's grace; We

cor - ner - stone is Christ a - lone, And strong in Him we stand: O let us
 let us learn how to re - turn The gift of love once given: O let us
 wills us be a fam - i - ly Di - verse yet tru - ly one: O let us
 die a - lone, for on its own Each em - ber los - es fire: Yet joined in

live trans - par - ent - ly, And walk heart to heart and hand in hand.
 share each joy and care, And live with a zeal that pleas - es Heaven.
 give our gifts to God, And so shall His work on earth be done.
 one the flame burns on To give warmth and light, and to in - spire.

Session

Elder Mickey Hu, Elder Wendy Nelson, Elder Tom Perloff

Treasurer and Clerk of Session: Bruce Edmundson

Deacons

Ron Breedlove, Kathleen Jarvis Breedlove, Jennifer Perloff

Committees of Session

Stewardship/Personnel/Finance

Nominating

Worship

Buildings and Grounds

Congregational Life/Fellowship/Outreach/Education

Mission

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Mountain View

CALENDAR

Sunday	February 13	9:00am	Bible Study/L/C & Zoom
		10:00am	Exploration of Genesis
Monday	February 14	7:00pm	Worship/Sanctuary
			Elder Tom Perloff
Tuesday	February 15	7:00pm	Pulpit Guest
Thursday	February 17	5:00pm	Session/Zoom
		6:15pm	Zoom/YouTube
		7:30pm	*BSF/Zoom
Saturday	February 19	10:00am	Sing Along/Zoom
Sunday	February 20	9:00am	Bells/Sanctuary
		10:00am	Choir/Narthex
		10:00am	Book Club/Zoom
			Bible Study/L/C & Zoom
			Worship/Sanctuary
			Elder Tom Perloff
			Pulpit Guest
			Patio/Zoom/YouTube

***Bible Study Fellowship**

If you are interested, contact: Daryl Lieu bsf522em@gmail.com

FPCMV March Newsletter

Please submit articles for the newsletter to Margie by Friday, February 18 at firstpresbyterian@fpcmv.org. Thank you!

The Session of the church has met with representatives from the presbytery and they are working to assist us in finding another transitional pastor. This process may take some time however. While we await the arrival of another transitional pastor to serve with us our elected officers, the elders and deacons, will take on some of the responsibilities a pastor normally fulfills. Below is a list of the particular focus of each officer. Please contact them with needs, concerns or suggestions in their areas.

Pastoral Care Needs/Illness/Hospitalization/Shut-in Visitation

Deacon Kathleen Jarvis Breedlove

(The Deacons will be providing pastoral care. Kathleen will coordinate.)

Liaison Coordinator for Pulpit Supply

Elder Tom Perloff

Sunday Bulletin/Worship Coordinator

Elder Tom Perloff

Margie Haines (create and prepare bulletin to completion)

Sunday Service Coordinators

Greeters: Marie Casey and Elder Lora Shirley

Liturgists: Elder Wendy Nelson

Communion Coordinator

Elder Tom Perloff

(servers, training, prep & clean-up)

Coordinator to oversee Buildings and Grounds Issues

Deacon Ron Breedlove with Brad Meyer/Margie Haines, assists

Liaison with Little Acorn Christian Preschool

Elise Russell

Fellowship/Outreach/Christian Education

Congregational Life

Elder Lora Shirley

Liaison with Menlo Church

Bruce Edmundson/Margie Haines, assists

Liaison to the Session and Presbytery

Clerk of Session Bruce Edmundson

