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First Presbyterian Church of Mountain View

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> > **171 years in Mountain View**

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

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

PRELUDE

Tan Sang

*OPENING PRAISE SONG "In Christ Alone"

Praise Band

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Shout for joy! The Savior is here.

People: Sing with gladness! Our darkness is turned into light.

Leader: Let every heart prepare a space. Let every home make ready.

- People: For a new day has dawned. The world has been made new.
- Leader: The Savior Christ is to be worshipped. Let's sing together with joy!

*HYMN

"Open Our Eyes, Lord"

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Shalini Perumpral

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of all, you love us beyond comparison and are faithful to us even when we turn away. You are patient and wise, caring and just. We admit that we are not worthy of your love for us or deserving of your good favor. We have ignored your will, treated others of your children with disdain, and failed to be grateful for your mercy and blessings. Forgive us once again. Restore us to a right relationship with you and with one another. Search our hearts now as we remain silent before you.

SILENT TIME OF PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Shalini Perumpral Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Anyone who lives in Christ becomes a new creation. When the old life has gone; a new life begins. Friends, believe the gospel.

*RESPONSE	"Gloria Patri"	#623		
*PASSING THE PEACE Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you. People: And also with you!				
SCRIPTURE READING	Lamentations 3:19-27 (NIV)	Shalini Perumpral		
SPECIAL MUSIC	"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name	" Son Ringers		

SCRIPTURE READING	G Matthew 10:16-23 (NIV)	Larry Thorson			
SERMON	"Sent Out Like Sheep Among Wolves"	Larry Thorson			
SHARING OF PRAISES AND PRAYERS					
THE LORD'S PRAYER	र				
*HYMN	"Cleanse Me"	#438 vss. 1 & 2			
*BENEDICTION					
*CONGREGATIONAL	RESPONSE "Hosanna" (Praise is Rising)				

Assisting in Worship Today

Today: Mickey Hu, Greeter | Shalini Perumpral, Liturgist

Janelle Hererra, Music Director, Praise Band Co-Leader Ian-Carl Floirendo, AV Director, Son Ringers Director, Praise Band Co-Leader Tan Sang, Pianist | Mary Hamilton, Choir Director & Pianist Richard Concepcion, AV Assistant | Praise Band

This Week at FPCMV			
Sunday	9:00am Bible Study/Library & Zoom		
	Study of the Book of Job		
	10:00am Worship/Sanctuary		
	5:00pm Sing Along/Zoom		
	6:15pm Bell Rehearsal/Sanctuary		
	7:30pm Choir Rehearsal/Narthex		
Saturday	9:00am Book Club (next meetings; November 5 & 19)		

November Newsletter Due Date

Please submit your articles by Thursday, October 20 to Margie Haines at the church office at firstpresbyterian@fpcmv.org Thank you!

October Mission Collection

Every Sunday this month we will be collecting **travel-size** toiletries for Hope's Corner. Accepted items include travel sizes of shampoo, soap, shower gel, lotion, mouthwash, foot/body powder, deodorant, shaving supplies, sewing kits, manicure kits, cotton swabs, and toothpaste. NOTE: please no toothbrushes, currently they have an abundant supply.

Trick-Or-Treat Extravaganza | Invitation from Menlo Church Saturday, October 29 | 4-6pm

Everyone is invited to join the fun. The campus will have lots of fun trick-or-treat stations, balloon artists, face painting, games, fresh kettle corn and candy. Costumes are encouraged, nothing scary, please. Bring your family, friends, neighbors AND a canned food item to donate to charity.

Welcome

If you are visiting today, we welcome you and hope you enjoy worshipping with us. If you have any questions, or would like to communicate with Pastor Larry, the contact information is on the front of this bulletin.







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