

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

"Grace Alone"

Praise Band

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: By grace we have been saved through faith.

People: And this is not our own doing; it is the gift of God.

Leader: For we are God's handiwork, redeemed in Christ Jesus for good

works,

People: works God has prepared for us, that we should walk in them.

Leader: Praise the Lord! The Lord's name be praised.

*HYMN "I Love You. Lord" #80

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

John Perumpral

God, you are the giver of every good gift. Forgive us for our lack of gratitude. We confess we always want more. We resent what we lack and are jealous of those who seem to have more. Forgive us for not taking pleasure in all the goodness you have showered upon our lives. In Jesus, you have shown us how to live in humility and service. Renew our spirit that we might be his faithful disciples, giving praise and thanksgiving always. Search our hearts now as we remain quiet before you in confession.

SILENT TIME OF PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John Perumpral

Hear the good news! The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin and be alive to all that is good. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Glory to God.

*RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" #623

*PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you!

SCRIPTURE READING	Isaiah 43:1-3 (NIV)	John Perumpral
SPECIAL MUSIC	"Golliwoggs Cakewalk"	Claude Dubussy

Benjamin Bhattacharya

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 10:37=42 (NIV) Larry Thorson

SERMON "What it Means to Be Reformed" Larry Thorson

SHARING OF PRAISES AND PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN "God of Grace and God of Glory!" #292

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Hosanna" (Praise is Rising)

Assisting in Worship Today

Today: Marie Casey, Greeter | John 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	
Tuesday	7:45am	Second Harvest Volunteers (ends at 11am)	
		St. Luke Lutheran, Sunnyvale	
Thursday	5:00pm	Sing Along/Zoom	
	6:15pm	Bell Rehearsal/Sanctuary	
	7:30pm	Choir Rehearsal/Narthex	
Saturday	9:00am	Book Club (meeting this week/next is November 19)	

Stroll & Lunch Today at 12Noon | Meet: Michael's at Shoreline Park (Café located at 2960 N Shoreline Blvd)

Let's meet for a bite to eat and a stroll in the park. Wear comfortable shoes for exploring the paths around the Bay.

Little Acorn Christian Preschool Halloween Parade | Monday, October 31 | 4:30-5pm

Everyone is welcome to attend the parade and see the happy faces on the little ones in their costumes!

Second Harvest

You are invited to join other volunteers from FPC on Tuesday morning from 7:45am-10:15am at St. Luke Lutheran Church at 1025 The Dalles Avenue, Sunnyvale. **The next opportunities to volunteer are November 1 and 15.** The link to sign up will be in the FPC weekly email or go to shfb.org and sign up as a FPC volunteer. Contact Wendy Nelson at wendymusikmom@aol.com if you have any questions or difficulty in signing up.

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.



80 I Love You, Lord

Love the Lord, all His saints! Ps. 31:23



TEXT and MUSIC: Laurie Klein; arranged by Eugene Thomas

I LOVE YOU LORD Irregular meter

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GREATOREX

Irregular meter



MUSIC: Henry W. Greatorex

