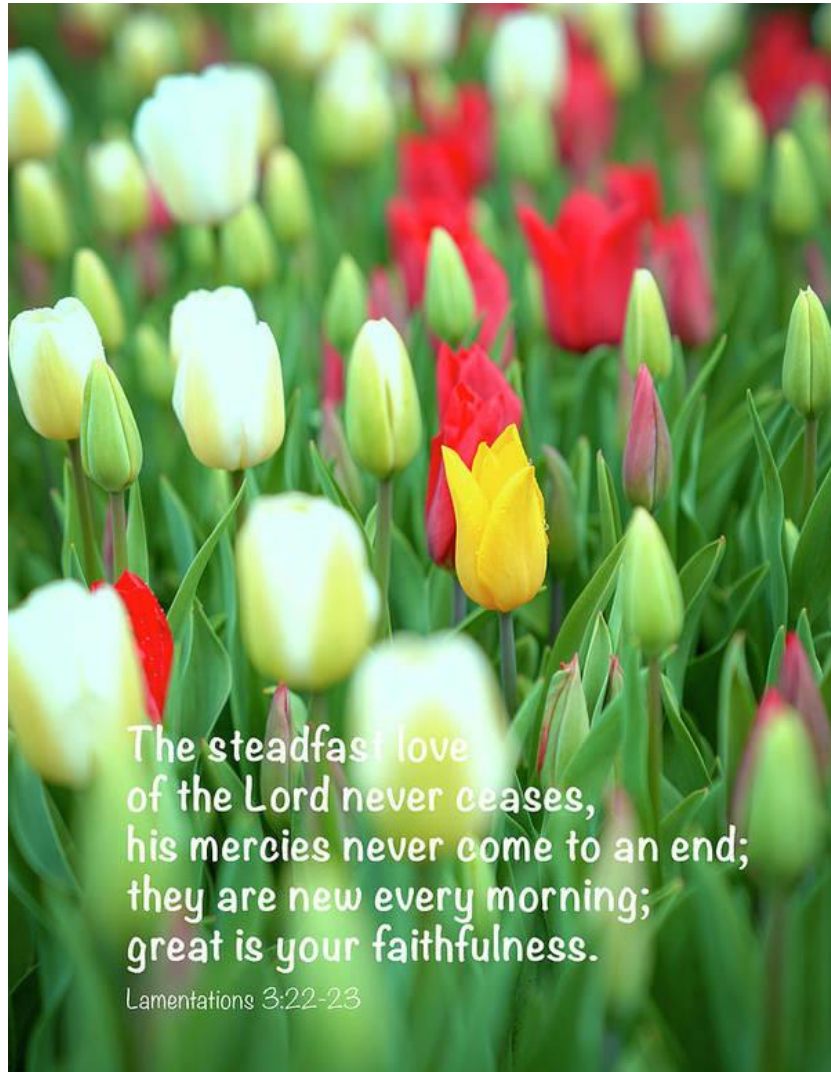


First Presbyterian Church



April 7, 2024, at 10am

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172 years in Mountain View

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

Tan Sang

WELCOME

Pastor Larry Thorson

*PRAISE

"I Could Sing of Your Love Forever"

Praise Team

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Jerry Kixmoeller

ONE: Happy are those who inhabit the house of the Lord, for they may ever praise you.

ALL: Happy are the people whose strength is in God, for their hearts are set on the pilgrim way.

ONE: Lord God of hosts, hear our prayers as we worship.

ALL: For you, O Lord, are our sun and our shield; yours alone is the grace and the glory.

*HYMN

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

#234 (1,3)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION/UNISON

Jerry Kixmoeller

Loving God, you have shown us the way of Jesus, and invite us to be compassionate and kind, faithful and loving. While you direct us to embrace the qualities that marked his life, we confess that we have stumbled and fallen. Our sins are real, and they are many. Have mercy on us and forgive our failings. Encourage us to trust that what we have seen in Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life. And now search our hearts as we pause quietly before you.

SILENT TIME OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jerry Kixmoeller

Forgiveness comes from God, who does not count our sin against us. For God has reconciled us through Christ and entrusts to us the message of reconciliation. Believe the gospel! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*PRAISE

"Freedom"

Praise Team

*PASSING THE PEACE

Jerry Kixmoeller

ONE: May the peace of Christ be with you.

ALL: And also with you!

ONE: Greet one another with the peace of Christ.

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Kings 19:14-19 Jerry Kixmoeller

***HYMN** “Breathe on Me, Breath of God” #259

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 18:1-8

MESSAGE “Every Problem Has Its Limits” Pastor Larry Thorson

***APOSTLES’ CREED**

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Servers: Tom Perloff and Lora Shirley

RESPONSE TO GOD’S GOODNESS “Oh, How He Loves You and Me”
Ian-Carl Floirendo

PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR THE OFFERING/UNISON

A TIME FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

A TIME FOR PRAISES AND PRAYERS

THE LORD’S PRAYER

***HYMN** “O for a Thousand Tongues” #76 (1,2,5)

***THE BENEDICTION**

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

Serving in Worship

Marie Casey, Greeter, Jerry Kixmoeller, Liturgist

Janelle Herrera, Music Director, Praise Band Co-Leader

Ian-Carl Floirendo, AV Director, Son Ringers Director, Praise Band Co-Leader

Tan Sang, Pianist

Band: Daniel Williams, Sophie Schoepp, Janelle Herrera, Ian-Carl Floirendo

Benji Bhattacharya and Gabe Escatel, AV Assistants



Week at FPCMV

Sunday	9:00am	Bible Study on Isaiah/Chapel
	10:00am	Worship
	11:15am	Son Ringers Rehearsal (see Ian please)
Monday	7:00pm	Session/Zoom
Thursday	7:00pm	Choir Rehearsal/Chapel

*The Zoom links are in the weekly emails. Contact the office at 650.968.4473 or firstpresbyterian@fpcmv.org if you wish to be sent the weekly emails.

Reverend Kim Dorr-Tilley Pentecost Sunday, May 19



Pastor Kim, her husband Bob and their dog Tebow will move here from Los Angeles in May. Pentecost Sunday will be her first Sunday as our new pastor. Please hold them in your prayers during this time of transition.

**Community Services Agency Fundraiser
Sundaes on Sunday | Empty Bowls
April 28 from 2-4pm | Rengstorff Park | BBQ Area**

This popular event helps support the Homeless Services at CSA. Featuring bottomless ice cream in beautiful bowls, and fun children's activities. All ages will enjoy this event. Baskin Robbins provides the "as much as you can eat" ice cream and OVCAG provides the handmade bowls for you to keep. For more information please go to: <https://www.csacares.org/events/>

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Crown Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne.
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem
drowns all music but its own!

Awake, my soul, and sing.
Of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King,
Through all eternity.

Verse 3

Crown Him the Lord of life,
Who triumphed o'er the grave,
Who rose victorious to the strife,
For those He came to save.

His glories now we sing,
Who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring,
And lives that death may die.

Amen.

Breathe on me, Breath of God

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Fill me with life anew,
That I may love what Thou dost love,
And do what Thou wouldst do.

Verse 2

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Until my heart is pure,
Until my will is one with Thine,
To do and to endure.

Verse 3

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Till I am wholly Thine,
Until this earthly part of me,
Glows with Thy fire divine.

Verse 4

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
So shall I never die,
But live with Thee the perfect life,
Of Thine eternity.
Amen.

O for a Thousnd Tongues to Sing

O for a thousand tongues to sing,
My great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace.

Verse 2

Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
That bids our sorrows cease,
'Tis music in the sinner's ears,
'Tis life and health and peace.

Verse 5

my gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim,
To spread thro' all the earth abroad,
The honors of Thy name.
Amen.