



# BEACH BREEZE

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A Monthly Newsletter From Pacific Beach United Methodist Church



## **SPECIAL EDITION IN HONOR AND MEMORIAM OF TENNIEBEE H.**

We are forever thankful to TennieBee and her years of service as the Beach Breeze Editor.

# A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR LORI

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Beloveds in Christ,

I want to say a big thank you to Jesse H. for his assistance with putting together this newsletter and to Craig R. for taking on the mantle of leadership for our Beach Breeze newsletter as we move forward. They follow in the footsteps of one who has done a remarkable job of keeping us connected and informed.

TennieBee H. became editor of the Beach Breeze newsletter in April of 2016 and made it her own. With a big heart for PB UMC and incredible attention to detail, TennieBee invited, gathered and organized input every month and then designed a newsletter appreciated by so many! TennieBee was thinking and talking about this upcoming issue and our hearts are heavy saying goodbye to her on a timeline that feels too fast and too soon. Yet we are thankful that she has made her way home...to God, to Bob and to other loved ones who have gone before her. We had hoped to have a Beach Breeze Sunday to thank TennieBee for her faithfulness in and to this ministry. I invite each one of us to lift up a prayer of thanksgiving for TennieBee and to join us on Saturday, April 20th at 2:00 as we celebrate TennieBee's life with her family and friends. May we feel TennieBee's sweet spirit with us as we continue to find creative ways to connect with one another and reach out in love and service to the world.

In Christ,  
Pastor Lori



# HOLY WEEK HAPPENINGS



Once again, we are delighted to share some Holy Week services with siblings from La Jolla UMC. Shared services are marked with an asterisk (\*) and include information about the location of the service. All are welcome!

March 24th: **Palm/Passion Sunday** at 10:00am at Pacific Beach UMC

March 28th: **\*Maundy Thursday Service** at 6:30pm, Pacific Beach UMC  
This service will include the ritual of footwashing. There will be several options to allow each person to participate in whatever way they are comfortable. If you plan to participate in the footwashing, please wear shoes and/or socks that are easy to remove.

March 29th: **Good Friday**

**\*Self-Guided Stations of Peter**, Noon to 3:00pm,  
Pacific Beach UMC

Drop in and spend as little or as much time as you'd like to walk the "way of sorrows" to the cross, through the eyes and experiences of Peter.

**\*Good Friday Service** at 6:30 at La Jolla UMC, 6063 La Jolla Blvd.

March 31st: **\*Easter Sunrise Service** at 6:00am at Crown Point Park

Gather with us to greet the dawn and sing alleluia to the Risen One!  
Dress warmly and bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on.

**Easter Sunday Service** at 10:00am at Pacific Beach UMC,  
followed by the Annual Easter Egg Hunt in the courtyard.

## MINISTRY MOMENT

Good Samaritan Ministry is looking for individuals who would be willing to sign up for service to others: taking meals to someone in need, picking up a prescription, taking someone to a doctor's appointment, watering a plant or two while someone is in the hospital, or checking on a pet for someone that needs it, etc. If this speaks to you and may be something of interest, please see Jesse H.

## DID YOU KNOW...

Anyone who donates something to the church can put a copy of the receipt in the offering plate (just needs to list your name and what the donation is for), and it can be put towards your church account for tax credit.

**ARE YOU 70-1/2 OR OLDER?  
DO YOU HAVE AN IRA?  
SAVE ON TAXES WITH A QUALIFIED  
CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION.**

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If you have a traditional IRA (not Roth) and are at least 70-1/2, then a direct distribution from your financial institution to the church or any qualified charity will allow you to report it so that the withdrawal is never counted as taxable income. The great part is that you don't need to itemize on your tax return. And it counts toward your required minimum distribution (RMD) if you have one. For more information, talk to your tax preparer or check out the details at [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov).

We need Easter eggs for our Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, March 31. If you can donate plastic Easter eggs by March 24, that would be great! You can have candy (non-peanut-based if possible) or little toys/trinkets inside the eggs. Anything helps and the kids love it! There will be a box in the sanctuary for these donations.





## KIDZ KORNER

Summer camps are just around the corner! Take a look at all the exciting camp opportunities.

We've had a successful year with our Sunday School curriculum (Whirl!). As the school year will be coming to a close, sooner than we think, the Education Department is already planning for what the Sunday School will look like this summer, and we're also planning for VBS.

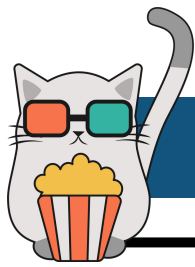
Confirmation Class will also be taking place April 21, April 28, and May 5. This is offered to 6th graders. Anyone above 6th grade that didn't get to participate in a confirmation class and may be interested, please see Jesse H.

## MARCH MEMORY VERSE

### PSALM 31:14-16 NIV

14 But I trust in you, LORD; I say, "You are my God." 15 My times are in your hands; deliver me from the hands of my enemies, from those who pursue me. 16 Let your face shine on your servant; save me in your unfailing love.





# MARCH HAPPENINGS



**Sunday, March 17**

9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle  
10:00 a.m. Worship

**Monday, March 18**

6:00 p.m. Al-Anon

**Tuesday, March 19**

6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

**Wednesday, March 20**

11:30 a.m. Scripture & Sermon Study

4:00 p.m. Project Grace

**Thursday, March 22**

7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

**Saturday, March 23**

10:00 a.m. Al-Anon

**Sunday, March 24**

9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
1:00 p.m. Movie Matinee

**Monday, March 25**

6:00 p.m. Al-Anon

**Tuesday, March 26**

9:30 a.m. Prayers & Squares  
6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

**Wednesday, March 27**

11:30 a.m. Scripture & Sermon Study

4:00 p.m. Project Grace

5:30 p.m. Storefront Ministries

**Thursday, March 28**

7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

**Saturday, March 30**

10:00 a.m. Al-Anon

*Easter*

**Sunday, March 31**  
9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
& Easter Egg Hunt




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**MOVIE MATINEE**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24 @ 1 P.M.  
IN THE SOCIAL HALL**



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