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Prelude

In the Garden

Word of Grace and Greeting

Opening Hymn

“The Old Rugged Cross” #504 v.1 & 4

**On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross,
the emblem of suffering and shame;
and I love that old cross where the dearest and best
for a world of lost sinners was slain.**

Refrain:

**So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
and exchange it some day for a crown.**

**To that old rugged cross I will ever be true,
its shame and reproach gladly bear;
then he'll call me some day to my home far away,
where his glory forever I'll share.**

Refrain:

**So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
and exchange it some day for a crown.**

Prayer

Psalm 23

**The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul.
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; for thou art with me.
Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;
Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in
the house of the Lord forever.**

Special Music

Abide with Me

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 40:28-31

John 14:1-4

Meditation

Special Music

Hymn of Promise

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

**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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

Closing Hymn

"How Great Thou Art" #77 v. 1 & 4

**O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder
consider all the worlds thy hand have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
thy power throughout the universe displayed.**

Refrain:

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;
how great thou art, how great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;
how great thou art, how great thou art!**

**When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
and there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!**

Refrain

Benediction

Please join us on the Zoom gathering following the service so we can greet the family, one another and share memories of Harrell! Find the link at pbumc.org/live

Please sign the digital friendship pad and leave a message of care and support for Harrell's family.

Memorial gifts can be designated [online](#) or sent to the Pacific Beach United Methodist Church office at 1561 Thomas Ave. San Diego, CA 92109.

Participating in today's service:

Pianist: Laura Williams

Vocalists: Michelle Gallegos-Arias and Steven Spence

Livestream: Joe Peterson

Pastor: Lori Leopold



Harrell P. Hurt of Pacific Beach in San Diego died on December 2, 2021.

Harrell was born in Appalachia, Virginia. He graduated from high school in 1943 and was immediately drafted into the army where he served for 3 years. He was on Okinawa in 1946 when the war ended.

Harrell came to San Diego where his brother Jack was working for Convair. After working for other companies, he joined the astronautics division of Convair. He worked as an accountant at Convair/General Dynamics for 32 years.

Harrell was a long time member of Pacific Beach United Methodist Church. He held many volunteer positions and also volunteered with the Pacific Beach Town Council and Meals on Wheels. He was very proud of being the honorary mayor of Pacific Beach in 2003.

He loved being near the ocean! In earlier days he biked along the beach and bay boardwalks. Until recently he still walked to the ocean most days.

He is survived by his daughter, Malea Sandstrom, his son, Brian Hurt, grandsons, Dennis and Darrell Sandstrom, granddaughter, Jillian Hurt, great-grandsons, Noah and Erik Sandstrom plus many other extended family members.