MARCH 27, 2022 10:00 AM

WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Prelude Greeting Introit Video Announcements Pastoral Welcome Music Meditation

Call to Worship Craig Roberts

One: God's reach is endless.

All: God's mercy is unstoppable.

One: God's grace is lavish. **All: God's love is constant.**One: God's wisdom is vast. **All: God's hope is stubborn.**One: God's presence is here—

All: with us, among us, moving through us.

One: Breathe easy. Breathe deeply.

All: We are in God's house.

One: Let us worship the One who welcomes us home.

*Opening Hymn #378

Solo: Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

Choir: The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come; 'tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun,

"Amazing Grace" v.1-4 & 6

we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun.

*Confession Craig Roberts

All: The prodigal son isn't given a name, but we know his name. It sounds like ours. And we know his story. It sounds like ours. For who among us hasn't burned a bridge? Who among us hasn't forgotten that we belong to one another? Who among us has not ached for home? The prodigal son isn't given a name, but we know his name. Forgive us God. We want to come home.

*Words of Forgiveness

Adam Marshall-Lopez

One: Family of faith, the word 'prodigal' can be defined as wasteful or imprudent, hence the name, "Prodigal Son." However, 'prodigal' can also be described as extravagant and excessive. Friends, we worship a prodigal God—a God who is extravagant in mercy and excessive in grace. For no matter how many times we run, no matter how far we go or how lost we get, God is standing at the end of the driveway waiting for us. The doors are open. The feast is for you. This grace is extravagant.

All: Thanks be to God, amen.

*Sharing the Peace of Christ (safely pass the peace as we sing "Blessed Be Your Name" #3002)

Solo: Blessed be your name in the land that is plentiful,

Where your streams of abundance flow, blessed be your name.

Blessed be your name when I'm found in the desert place,

Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be your name.

Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise. When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say, Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name. Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your glorious name!

Solo: Blessed be your name when the sun is shining down on me, When the world's all as it should be, blessed be your name. Blessed be your name on the road marked with suffering, Though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name.

Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise.
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name.
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your glorious name!
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WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Children in Ministry Music to Lift Our Spirits Pastor Lori

Scripture: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 Craig Roberts
Message: "Lost and Found" Bailey Brawner

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE

*Affirmation of Faith Michelle Arias

All: We believe in a God who waits in the driveway for us. We believe in a God who leaves the porch light on and throws a feast when we are found. We believe in a God who doesn't stop looking for us when we get lost. We believe in a God of prodigal grace—excessive, extravagant, over-the-top grace. In response to this grace, we hold tighter to each other. We remember that humans are not meant to go through life alone; so we look for ways to welcome each other in, to live like we are family, and to lead with grace—excessive, extravagant, over-the-top grace. We believe that this is our call. Let it be so. Amen.

Song of Prayer (we pray for God's guidance as we join after the solo in the chorus of # 2176 "Make Me a Servant")

Soloist: Make me a servant, humble and meek, Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.

All: And may the prayer of my heart always be:
Make me a servant, make me a servant today.

Soloist: Make me a servant, humble and meek, Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.

All: And may the prayer of my heart always be:
Make me a servant, make me a servant today.

Prayers of the People

The 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.

*Hymn #377

"It is Well with My Soul" v. 1 & 4

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain: It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well with my soul. And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll; the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul. (Refrain)

*Benediction

*Eagle's Wings

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of God's hand.



If you or someone you know would possibly be interested in being a Sunday School teacher please contact Jesse Hodge at youth@pbumc.org

The beautiful flower arrangements you see each Sunday, are paid for each week through a \$50 flower dedication from the people of the church or friends and family. Please reach out to the church office at admin@pbumc.org or (858)274-6573 to select your day.

Alter flowers are given today in loving memory of Steve Whelchel who went home to God 8 years ago this month.

For pastoral support or spiritual conversation, please contact Pastor Lori at the church office or via the website.

Want to know what's happening at PB UMC? Sign up for our weekly emails! We have several different categories you can sign up for: there's the weekly news with a rundown of that week's sermon and events happening soon, a weekly email with prayer requests, a monthly email with a link to our Beach Breeze newsletter, as well as youth/Sunday school emails and memorial notifications. Whether you'd like to sign up for one or sign up for all, visit https://pbumc.flocknote.com/!

To support the ministries of PBUMC in this community and beyond, please go to pbumc.org/give.

We lift up the following members and friends in prayer. We pray that they feel God's presence and that God's love surrounds them in their time of need.

Family:

Carsm, Bill Easter's grandson Jack Petersen, church family

Louis Adams, Tim Adams' Mother

Jamie, cousin of Joe Petersen

Julie, family member of Zanette Petersen

Dart Rhoades, church family

Marina Marsh & Dale Blackford, church family

Carol Falde, Beth Rhodes' Mother

Friends:

Derek, Associate Pastor at La Jolla UMC

JG, Mary Margaret Rowe's neighbor

World:

Deployed armed forces in the Ukraine, Zach Rhodes

People of Ukraine

All those here and abroad living in hunger and poverty

Please let us know if there is a loved one, a worry, or a celebration for which your church family can support you in prayer. Please contact Jesse Hodge, Pastor Lori, or reach out to us in the church office

What's Happening This Week:

SUNDAY, Mar 27

9:40 AM, Prayer Circle, Lanai

10:00 AM, In-Person & Livestream Worship

11:30 AM, Growing In Faith Meeting, Lanai and Zoom

MONDAY, Mar 28

6:00 PM, Al-Anon, 205

TUESDAY, Mar 29

6:00 PM, Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, Mar 30

11:30 AM, Scripture and Sermon Study, Narthex and Zoom

4:00 PM, SD Project Grace Meal

6:30 PM, Lenten Study make-up session

THURSDAY, Mar 31

7:00 PM, AA, 205

FRIDAY, Apr 1

SATURDAY, Apr 2

SUNDAY, Apr 3

9:40 AM, Prayer Circle

10:00 AM, In-Person & Livestream Worship

Looking Ahead:

4/10 Palm Sunday, Voices of Praise present "Upon This Rock" 4/14 Maundy Thursday Service, 7:00, at La Jolla UMC 4/15 Good Friday Service, 7:00, at Pacific Beach UMC





SEEKING VOLUNTEERS!

Have you wondered how you can be a part of someone's transition off the street but don't know where to begin?

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Interested? Want to find out more? RSVP with Caryn Blanton at 858.900.7024 OR info@shorelinecs.org

Shoreline Community Services is seeking VOLUNTEERS to serve at our new local drop-in center in Pacific Beach to serve our unhoused neighbors – offering resources and services to help them on their journey off the street.

Issues of homelessness are complex and sometimes confusing. Volunteers trained to serve through a trauma-informed lens will allow them to offer positive, affirming support to navigate the convoluted system and offer the personal touch that traditional case managers rarely have time to provide.

Trauma-informed Volunteer Training Will Include:

- Building awareness and education of the prevalence of trauma
- Supporting a culture that promotes safety, empowerment and healing
- Encouraging a volunteer workforce that embodies the values of traumainformed care
- Assessment of safe physical, social and emotional environment of The Compass Station guests



Training provided by Angela Bianco Smith, Clinical Social Work/Therapist,

A Choice of Two Training Dates:

Monday, April 18th at 6:30 PM

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1050 Thomas Ave. San Diego, CA 92109

Wednesday, April 27th at 6:30 PM

1004 Chalcedony St. San Diego, CA 92109