



# Pacific Beach

United Methodist Church

FIFTH SUNDAY WORSHIP

JANUARY 29, 2023 10:00 AM

## WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Prelude  
Greeting  
Introit  
Video Announcements  
Welcome

Call to Worship

Sean Spence

One: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.

**All: For once we were lost and felt so far away; now we have been found and welcomed home.**

One: Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.

**All: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!**

One: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love.

**All: AMEN!**

\*Opening Hymn #529

"How Firm a Foundation" Vs 1, 2 & 5

**How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
Is laid for your faith in his excellent word!  
What more can he say than to you he hath said,  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?**

**"Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed,  
For I am thy God and will still give thee aid;  
I'll strengthen and help thee, and cause thee to stand  
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.**

**"The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose,  
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;  
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,  
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake."**

\*Opening Prayer

Sean Spence

There is a richness here – a richness that greets and grows and holds and challenges and keeps.  
There is a richness here – a richness that surrounds and brings and delivers and gives.  
The richness holds us in our weakness, fills us in our hunger, finds us when we're lost.  
So here, richly blessed, we have come, and we have been found. Let this time together inspire us  
in richness and grace. Amen.

*\*Please stand as you are able*

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\*Sharing the Peace of Christ

“Everlasting God”

**Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord,  
We will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord. (2x)**

**Our God, you reign forever,  
Our Hope, our strong Deliverer.**

**You are the everlasting God, the everlasting God.  
You do not faint, you won't grow weary.**

**You're the defender of the weak, you comfort those in need;  
You lift us up on wings like eagles.**

## **WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD**

Children's Time  
Music to Lift Our Spirits

Louis Perez

Scripture: Ephesians 4:32  
Message: Unswervingly  
Special Music: “Beloved, Let Us Love One Another”

Sean Spence  
Dart Rhoades  
God Squad

## **WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE**

Song of Prayer  
**Take, O take me as I am;  
Summon out what I shall be;  
Set your seal upon my heart and live in me.**

“Take, O Take Me As I Am” *Sing twice*

Prayers of the People

Jesse Hodge

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.**

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

\*Doxology

**Gladly we praise you and bless you, Creator, O God of life.  
Christ, we adore you and thank you, Compassion of God, our light.  
Great Holy Spirit, by you we are born from above.  
Alleluia! Praise the God of blessing!  
Alleluia! Bless the God of love!**

\*Prayer of Dedication

Sean Spence

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**Generous God, you give us all we need. You ask only for faithful living in return.  
We bring these gifts to you today, that they may support your work of justice.  
Through this offering, we commit ourselves to do justice, embrace faithful love,  
and walk humbly with you. Amen.**

*\*Closing Hymn #714*

*"I Know Whom I Have Believed" Vs 1-3*

**I know not why God's wondrous grace to me he hath made known,  
Nor why, unworthy, Christ in love redeemed me for his own.**

*Refrain:*

**But I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able  
To keep that which I've committed unto him against that day.**

**I know not how this saving faith to me he did impart,  
Nor how believing in his word wrought peace within my heart**

*Refrain:*

**But I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able  
To keep that which I've committed unto him against that day.**

**I know not how the Spirit moves, convincing us of sin,  
Revealing Jesus through the word, creating faith in him.**

*Refrain:*

**But I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able  
To keep that which I've committed unto him against that day.**

*\*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.**

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*January Memory Scripture Verse*

*Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Psalm 23:5*

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