



Pacific Beach

United Methodist Church

SUNDAY WORSHIP

JUNE 18, 2023 10:00 AM

FATHER'S DAY & PROMOTION SUNDAY

WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Prelude
Greeting
Introit
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Welcome

Call to Worship

Lucia Leon

One: People of God, look about and see the faces of those we know and love -- neighbors and friends, sisters and brothers -- a community of kindred hearts.

All: People of God, look about and see the faces of those we don't yet know - strangers, sojourners, pilgrims who come today seeking loving kindness.

One: People of God, look about and see all the images of God assembled here. In me and you, in each one of us, God's spirit shines for all to see.

All: People of God, we are gathered. Let us worship God together.

*Opening Hymn #145

"Morning Has Broken" Vs. 1 & 3

**Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!**

**Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning;
Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's recreation of the new day!**

*Opening Prayer

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Holy One, we are seeking you. We are looking this morning with uncertainty beyond our old-worn-out grasping for what-we've-always-done-before answers. Persistent One, instead this morning we seek a softer, more permeable aliveness which so often feels at the brink of death. Graceful One, we yearn for something new to be born in us, if we but let it. Loving One, we stand at a new doorway, awaiting that which comes...daring to be fully human, fully alive....praying to be vulnerable enough to embrace this one beautiful, precious gift of life. Creator God, teach us this day to love. Amen.

**Please stand as you are able*

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Refrain:

**If it had not been for the Lord on my side,
Tell me where I would be, where would I be.**

**He kept my enemies away;
He let the sun shine through a cloudy day.
He rocked me in the cradle of his arm
When he knew I had been battered and scorned, so
Refrain**

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Time – Promotion Sunday

Jesse Hodge

Music to Lift Our Spirits

Scripture: Matthew 9:35-10:8a

Lucia Leon

Message: Starting (as if) for the First Time

Rev. Lesley Brogan

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE

Song of Prayer # 3096

"Gentle Shepherd" *Sung twice*

Trio sings first time, then the Choir & Congregation join in:

**Gentle Shepherd, come and lead us, for we need you to help us find our way.
Gentle Shepherd, come and feed us, for we need your strength from day to day.
There's no other we can turn to who can help us face another day;
Gentle Shepherd, come and lead us, for we need you to help us find our way.**

Pastoral Prayer

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!**

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*Prayer of Dedication

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O God, most merciful and gracious, of whose bounty we have all received, accept, we pray, this offering of your people. Remember in your love those who have brought it and those for whom it is given; and so follow it with your blessing that it may promote peace and goodwill among all your people. Amen.

*Closing Hymn #100

"God, Whose Love Is Reigning o'er Us" Vs. 1, 4 & 5

**God, whose love is reigning o'er us, source of all the ending true;
Hear the universal chorus raised in joyful praise to you:
Alleluia, Alleluia, worship ancient, worship new.**

**Covenant, new again in Jesus, Star-child born to set us free;
Sent to heal us, sent to teach us how love's children we might be.
Alleluia, Alleluia, risen Christ, our Savior he!**

**Lift we then our human voices in the songs that faith would bring;
Live we then in human choices lives that, like our music, sing:
Alleluia, Alleluia, joined in love our praises ring!**

*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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Today's altar flowers are generously donated by Vicki Trimble in honor of Father's Day, all our Graduates getting promoted including Andrew Trimble and our own PB UMC children and youth.

Thank you for worshipping with PBUMC today! You make this gathering richer, brighter, and better by your participation. **All** are welcome at PBUMC!

PB UMC offers a three week "Belonging Class" for those who are interested in church membership and for others for who seek deeper involvement in the life of the church.

Class 1: What's a United Methodist?

Class 2: Connected and Involved

Class 3: Next Steps to Church Membership

Our next Belonging Class will be held on Sundays, September 10th, 17th and 24th following church with a light lunch provided. If you are interested in attending or have other questions related to church membership, please contact Pastor Lori.

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 financially support the ministries of PBUMC in this community and beyond, please go to pbumc.org/give or scan the QR code.



Our May/June Memory Verse

For I am sure that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:38-39

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