



Pacific Beach

United Methodist Church

SUNDAY WORSHIP

HOLY COMMUNION & ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 3, 2024 10:00 AM

WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Greeting

Introit

Congregational response #77

“How Great Thou Art” Refrain only

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!

Welcome

Call to Worship

Martin Saunders

*Opening Hymn

“Christ Has Broken Down the Wall”

Solo

Congregation:

We’re accepted as we are. We’re accepted as we are.

Through God’s love all is reconciled.

We’re accepted as we are.

Bringing in the Light of Christ and Opening Prayer

Cast aside your doubts and fears. Cast aside your doubts and fears.

Peace and love, freely offered here;

Cast aside your doubts and fears.

We will tear down the walls! We will tear down the wall!

God has called us, one and all.

Christ has broken down the wall.

Passing of the Peace

Reader 1: It has been an eye-opening experience to be here.

Reader 2: In the end I’m still not sure I’m capable of moving closer.

Reader 1: What if that never happens?

Reader 2: What if the chasm gets wider?

Reader 1: But I have begun to imagine a way to live together.

Reader 2: I know we both are still afraid, but I wish you no harm.

Leader: Yes.

People: Breathe.

**Please stand as you are able*

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Leader: Let us imagine this kind of outcome.

People: Breathe again.

Leader: We are not alone.

People: Christ is with us.

Leader: Let us take a deep breath together ... the rhythm of our breath and heartbeat is the same. Our desire for life and love is the same. Our desire for a peace in which we flourish is the same. Let this moment permeate our souls, and let us pass the peace of Christ between us. This peace is meant for all people. The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

*Sharing the Peace of Christ #2034

“Blessed Be the Name of the Lord”

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be the name of the Lord,

Blessed be the name of the Lord most high.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be the name of the Lord,

Blessed be the name of the Lord most high.

The name of the Lord is a strong tower, the righteous run in to it and they are saved.

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WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Children’s Time

Pastor Lori

Music to Lift Our Spirits #711

“For All the Saints” Vs. 1, 4 & 6

**For all the saints, who from their labors rest,
Who thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.**

Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia!

**O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
Yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. *Refrain***

**From earth’s wide bounds, from ocean’s farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: *Refrain***

Scripture: Matthew 22:34-40

Message: Do Unto Others: Love

Rev. Lori Leopold

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S LOVE

Song of Prayer #408

“The Gift of Love” Vs 1 & 3

**Though I may speak with bravest fire, and have the gift to all inspire,
And have not love, my words are vain, as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.**

**Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control, our spirits long to be made whole.
Let inward love guide every deed; by this we worship, and are freed.**

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Pastoral Prayer

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

O Giver of Life, continue to form in us a transparent spirit that by our giving and our living others may discover You. Reshape our priorities and grant us a willing vision to see and respond to those hidden saints who reveal something of you in the least likely ways and in the most surprising places. Thank you for calling us into a life such as this and bless these gifts that they may bless others. Amen.

Remembering the Saints

One: Absent from our midst.

All: Present with the Lord.

Rev. Djalma Araujo
Beverly Pile

Ruth Benson
Will Rasmussen

Brenda Best

TennieBee Hall

Holy Communion

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: It is right, and a good and joyful thing... And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

One: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ...And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again

One: Pour out your Holy Spirit...Through your son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

All: Amen.

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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.

*Closing Hymn #548

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

sung to tune of "Where Charity and Love Prevail"

**In Christ there is no east or west, in him no south or north;
But one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.**

**In Christ shall true hearts everywhere their high communion find;
His service is the golden cord close binding humankind.**

**In Christ is neither Jew nor Greek, and neither slave nor free;
Both male and female heirs are made, and all are kin to me.**

**In Christ now meet both east and west, in him meet south and north;
All Christly souls are one in him throughout the whole wide earth.**

*Benediction

*On Eagle's Wings #143

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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