



**Pacific Beach**  
United Methodist Church  
*LEARNING AND LIVING GOD'S LOVE FOR ALL*

**SUNDAY WORSHIP**

**APRIL 19, 2026, 10:00 AM**

**WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD**

Greeting  
Introit  
Welcome

Call to Worship

Mary Margaret Rowe

One: We need your presence on the long road, Lord. The road between fear and hope,

**All: the road between the place where all is lost and the place of resurrection.**

One: Like the disciples walking the road to Emmaus, we are in need of your company!

**All: Jesus, stand among us, in your risen power, let this time of worship, be a hallowed hour.**

\*Opening Hymn #304

“Easter People, Raise Your Voices”

**Easter people, raise your voices, sounds of heaven in earth should ring.**

**Christ has brought us heaven's choices; heavenly music, let it ring.**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Easter people, let us sing.**

**Fear of death can no more stop us from our pressing here below.**

**For our Lord empowered us to triumph over every foe.**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! On to victory now we go.**

**Every day to us is Easter, with its resurrection song.**

**When in trouble move the faster to our God who rights the wrong.**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! See the power of heavenly throngs.**

Opening Prayer

Risen Christ, as you journeyed with the two who travelled the Emmaus Road travel with us on our journey of faith. In our encounters on the way give us compassion to listen to the other's story, patience to explain what may seem obvious to ourselves, and courage to make ourselves vulnerable, so that others may encounter you through us and we may rediscover you through them. Amen.

\*Sharing the Peace of Christ #2086

*Sing Twice*

“Halle, Halle, Halleluja”

**Halle, Halle, Halleluja!**

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**Halle, Halle, Halleluja!**

*\*Please stand as you are able*

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**WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD**

Children's Time

Pastor Lori

Music to Lift Our Spirits

Scripture: Luke 24:13-35

Message: While You Walk Along

Adam Marshall

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE**

Song of Prayer #2158

"Just A Closer Walk with Thee" Vs 1 & 2

**I am weak, but thou art strong;  
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;  
I'll be satisfied as long  
As I walk, let me walk close to thee.**

***Refrain:***

**Just a close walk with thee,  
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,  
Daily walking close to thee:  
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.**

**Through this world of toil and snares,  
If I falter, Lord, who cares?  
Who with me my burden shares?  
None but thee, dear Lord, none but thee. *Refrain***

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

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Maker, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

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\*Prayer of Dedication

**Like the disciples at Emmaus, we offer what we have. They offered their company, their table, their bread. We invite you to be with us as we offer you our love, our devotion, these gifts. May our eyes be opened to your holy presence, now and always. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn #310

“He Lives” Vs 1 & 2

**I serve a risen Savior, he’s in the world today;  
I know that he is living, whatever foes may say.  
I see his hand of mercy, I hear his voice of cheer,  
And just the time I need him, he’s always near.**

***Refrain:***

**He lives, he lives, Christ Jesus lives today!  
He walks with me and talks with me along life’s narrow way.  
He lives, he lives, salvation to impart!  
You ask me how I know he lives? He lives within my heart.**

**In all the world around me I see his loving care,  
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair.  
I know that he is leading through all the stormy blast;  
The day of his appearing will come at last. *Refrain***

\*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.**

Assisting in Worship Today

Worship Leader: Mary Margaret Rowe; Head Usher: Ken Brown; Greeter: Phillip Spence  
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