



Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 2, 2023

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Order of Worship

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To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

REFLECTIONS

Love does not envy.

-1 Corinthians 13:4

The nature of charity or Christian love to men is directly contrary to envy. For love does not grudge, but rejoices at the good of those who are loved. And surely love to our neighbor does not dispose us to hate him for his prosperity, or be unhappy at his good.

-Jonathan Edwards

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME OF PRAISE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 100

Leader: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

People: Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

Leader: Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us and we are his;

People: We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise;
give thanks to him and praise his name.

**All: For the LORD is good and his love endures forever;
his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

**Please stand if you are able.*

As a courtesy, please set all communication devices to silent. Thank you.

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HYMN OF ADORATION

Trinity Hymnal #2 (1,2,5)

O Worship The King

PRAYER OF ADORATION

SONGS OF PRAISE*

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder
Oh How Good It Is

_____ TIME OF RENEWAL _____

CONFESSION OF SIN

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

PRIVATE CONFESSION AND REFLECTION

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Isaiah 1:18

“Come now, let’s settle this,” says the Lord. “Though your sins are like scarlet, I will make them as white as snow. Though they are red like crimson, I will make them as white as wool.”

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

Trinity Hymnal #261 (1,2,3)

What Wondrous Love Is This

TIME OF COMMITMENT

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Giving an offering is one way for members and friends of BAPC to support the church’s mission and ministry. If you are our guest today, please do not feel under any obligation to give.

Online
*Please visit
bapc.org/give*

Cash or Check
*Lobby box or mailed
to the church office*

Text Message
*Text “Give” to
833-921-6502*

CHORAL ANTHEM

Foley

Sweetest Name I Know

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN FOR CHILDREN’S CHURCH

Children ages 4 years through 2nd grade are invited to attend Children’s Church in Room 103. If you and your child have not yet received matching security tags, please accompany them to the table in the lobby for check-in.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SCRIPTURE

A tranquil heart gives life to the flesh, but envy makes the bones rot.

Proverbs 14:30

¹⁷ Let not your heart envy sinners, but continue in the fear of the LORD all the day.

¹⁸ Surely there is a future, and your hope will not be cut off.

Proverbs 23:17-18

¹ Truly God is good to Israel, to those who are pure in heart.

² But as for me, my feet had almost stumbled, my steps had nearly slipped.

³ For I was envious of the arrogant when I saw the prosperity of the wicked.

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²⁰ Like a dream when one awakes, O Lord, when you rouse yourself, you despise them as phantoms.

²¹ When my soul was embittered, when I was pricked in heart,

²² I was brutish and ignorant; I was like a beast toward you.

²³ Nevertheless, I am continually with you; you hold my right hand.

²⁴ You guide me with your counsel, and afterward you will receive me to glory.

²⁵ Whom have I in heaven but you? And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides you.

²⁶ My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

Psalms 73:1-3, 20-26

MESSAGE

Pastor Taylor Leachman

The Foolishness of Envy

SONG OF RESPONSE*

By Faith

BENEDICTION*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome! We're so glad you're here with us today.
To find out more about our upcoming events, studies, and more
please visit bapc.org/announcements**

7/2	Sunday Supper	5:30pm
7/7	Garage Sale Drop-Off and Set Up	3pm-7pm
7/8	Garage Sale	7am-2pm
7/9	Communion Sunday, Officer Ordination & Installation	10:30am

**Please note that both the Women's Bible studies and youth groups will not meet this week.*



Sunday Supper, Today at 5:30pm

Join us for a red, white, and blue Sunday Supper picnic tonight! We will have hamburgers, hot dogs, snow cones, a water slide, and wading pools, and we encourage you to invite friends, neighbors, and coworkers to join us for this fellowship event.



Churchwide Garage Sale, Next Saturday

Bring your gently used treasures and donations to the gym this Friday between 3-7pm! Your contributions will directly support the refresh of our playground, creating a safe and enjoyable space for our children to grow and play.

We are also seeking enthusiastic volunteers to make this event a success. If you have a heart for service and enjoy organizing, setting up, or breaking down, we would greatly appreciate your help. Please feel free to come and go as your schedule permits.

Assistance needed:

Friday: 3-7pm as we accept donations, sort items, and set up tables.

Saturday: 7am-2pm as we assist shoppers, donate unsold items at the close of sale and break down

Please contact Anna Hansen with any questions. Thank you for your support!



Summer Service Opportunities

Each summer, Anchor Point hosts camps that teach parents and children from hard situations the skills needed to connect and thrive as a family. This year, they are asking adults and mature teens to consider signing up to be a 'Camp Buddy', or to assist with set up or break down at UBC. For more details, please contact Amanda Ring at amanda.ring@anchorpoint.us

MISSIONS UPDATE



Kurt and Jill have served many years in Europe working alongside a local denomination. Their ministry of outreach and evangelism in a South Asian community led to calling a local pastor to plant a church there. While a part of that church, Kurt developed an evangelism plan and tools for equipping the church based on their years of experience. In 2022, they left that church to begin a new role of helping other churches with outreach and training in evangelism. They are also offering his training to people who come on short-term trips and internships with the goal of equipping them with cross-cultural skills and helping them to discern a call to ministry among unreached peoples.

CHURCH MINISTRIES

MEN'S MINISTRY



Men's Fellowship Breakfast July 22, 8am

While our monthly men's Bible study will be taking a break until September, the monthly breakfasts will continue through the summer! Men, college age and up, are invited to join us for breakfast, a short devotional, and fellowship in the gym on July 22th at 8am.

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Middle School Girls & High School Youth Groups

Build friendships, deepen your knowledge of God, and discover practical ways to live out your faith with us each Wednesday at

7pm! Students meet in the upstairs youth rooms on the school end of the building.

Please note, there will be no youth group this week, due to the July 4th holiday.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY



Women's Bible Studies Online and In-Person

Grow your relationship with Christ and your friendships with other women with us this summer! Join us on Zoom Tuesday nights at 7:30 as we study Ephesians using *Alive In Him* or at the church on Wednesdays at 10am as we go through *Women & God*. For more info, please visit bapc.org/women

Please note, there will be no classes this week, due to the July 4th holiday.



Ladies' Lunch Out July 13th, 11:30am

Get connected to other women at BAPC over lunch and conversation! Join us at Rudy's BBQ on Thursday, July 13th.

Questions? Please contact Karen Calhoun.

VOLUNTEER ROTATION

Elder of the Day

Today: Chris D'Souza

Next Week: Mike Bliss

Deacon of the Day

Today: Morris Tuck

Next Week: Dennis Radford

Greeters

Today: Cathy Mahlstedt + Kris Benavides

Next Week: Ned Penley + Niko Laliotitis

Communion Preparation

July: Marilyn Smith + Clay McCarty

August: Jack + Heather Amuny

Children's Church

Today: Andrew Boone

Next Week: TBD

Infant Nursery

Today: Kathy Felts

Next Week: TBD

Toddler Nursery

Today: D'Souza Family

Next Week: TBD

Coffee & Donuts

Today: Clay McCarty

Next Week: Kyle Bullock

SUNDAY SCHOOL AT BAY AREA PRESBYTERIAN

Adults

Questions Answered: Theology, Apologetics and Culture

9th - 12th Grade

History of the Canon, Youth Room

5th - 8th Grade

Acts to Romans, Room 91

3rd - 4th Grade

God's Growing Church, Room 104

1st - 2nd Grade

Serving God, Room 102

PreK - Kindergarten

Jesus Is the Savior, Room 107

Nursery

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

Infant Nursery, Room 106

**Children in PreK-2nd grade begin the Sunday School with a time of singing and musical instruction from our Choir Director, Kathy Wright.*

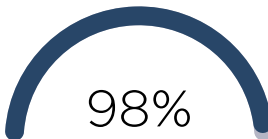
GIVING UPDATE

June Giving Goal: \$52,520
June Actual Giving: \$54,008
Amount Over: \$1,488

July 2022-June 2023 Annual Budget Goal: \$682,760
Received as of 6/30/23: \$670,798
Amount Under: (\$11,962)



103%



98%

STAFF & LEADERSHIP

Chris Yates, Pastor
Kaitlin Fenner, Director of Business Operations
Whitney Kelley, Director of Communications & Media
Traci Lewis, Director of Accounting
Hannah Stahl, Director of Youth & Children's Ministries
Kathy Wright, Director of Choirs

Elders

Mike Bliss
Curtis Briggs
Bill Calhoun
Chris D'Souza

Deacons

John Cover
David Kelley
Andrew Kroese
Dennis Radford
Morris Tuck

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