



Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 18, 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.

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME OF PRAISE

CALL TO WORSHIP*

Romans 11:33-36

Leader: Oh, the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable his judgments, and his paths beyond tracing out!

All: **Who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has been his counselor?
Who has ever given to God, that God should repay them? For from him
and through him and for him are all things. To him be the glory forever!
Amen.**

HYMN OF ADORATION*

Trinity Hymnal #115 (1,4,5)

All Creatures of Our God and King

PRAYER OF ADORATION

**Please stand if you are able.*

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

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SONGS OF PRAISE*

Isaiah 43
Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

_____ TIME OF RENEWAL _____

CONFESSION OF SIN

Heavenly Father, you are our God. You have loved us with an everlasting love and redeemed us from the penalty and power of our sin. For this we owe you eternal praise. Yet this morning we are grieved to confess that we frequently struggle with giving you first place in our lives and living deliberately for your glory on a daily basis. At times we are burdened with fear and doubt, and fail to walk in the power of your Spirit. We thank you that Jesus died on the cross for sinful people like us. Father, increase our faith, help us to trust your power to change our lives, and grant that we would manifest the reality of Christ's resurrection in our daily living, experiencing the joy of abundant life given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

PRIVATE CONFESSION AND REFLECTION

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

1 Peter 2:24

"He himself bore our sins" in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; 'by his wounds you have been healed.'

SONG OF RESPONSE*

Before the Throne of God Above

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

Choplin

Feel the Joy of Worship

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*

Matthew 13:44-46

⁴⁴ The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. ⁴⁵ Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, ⁴⁶ who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.

MESSAGE

Elder Mike Bliss

Series: Jesus On...
Jesus on the Value of the Gospel

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

Be Thou My Vision

Trinity Hymnal #642 (1,2,4,5)

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**

6/20	Women's Zoom Bible Study: Alive in Him	7:30pm
6/21	Women's In Person Study: Women & God	10am
6/21	Youth Group	7pm
6/24	Men's Breakfast	8am
6/25	Congregational Meeting	12pm



Congregational Meeting, June 25th

The Session is calling a congregational meeting for the purpose of electing church officers on Sunday, June 25th immediately after worship. The candidates approved for consideration at this meeting are: Mike Smith (Elder), Steve Ramsey (Deacon), Dennis Radford (Trustee), and Chris D'Souza (Trustee).



Sunday Supper - Red, White, and Blue Picnic, July 2nd at 5:30pm

Join us for a red, white, and blue Sunday Supper picnic on July 2nd! We will have hamburgers, hot dogs, snow cones, a water slide, and wading pools, so we encourage you to invite friends, neighbors, and coworkers to join us for this fellowship event. Please RSVP at bapc.org and consider signing up to bring a side dish or dessert to share.



Churchwide Garage Sale, July 8th

Save the date for our indoor garage sale! Beginning today, donated items may be dropped off in Room 89, or there will be an opportunity to drop them off in the gym on July 7th beginning at 3pm. For details or to volunteer, please contact Anna Hansen.



Disaster Response Ministry Training

If you'd like to help communities with debris cleanup after natural disasters by driving a mini track loader, Mission to North America is offering local training days. Training includes dinner, a 3-hour classroom overview, and one hour of hands-on training with a Bobcat MT-85. For details, please email bapc@bapc.org

MISSIONS UPDATE



Dony and Sharon are dedicated to the cause of Haitian and Haitian-American Ministries, under the umbrella of Missions to North America (MNA) and El Shaddai Ministries International (ESMI). Dony is the pastor of El Shaddai Presbyterian in Miami, which serves as a home base for outreach to the ever-growing Haitian people of South Florida. Through ESMI, the St. Germaines and their team minister to the people of Haiti through education, evangelism, empathy, and economic development. This month, please pray that God would continue to grow their support and ministry, and encourage them as they meet the practical and spiritual needs of their community, which has been heavily hit with recent flooding and earthquakes.

CHURCH MINISTRIES

MEN'S MINISTRY



Men's Fellowship Breakfast **June 24, 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 June 24th at 8am.

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

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Middle & High School Youth Groups **Wednesdays, 7pm**

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.



Game Night **June 30th, 6pm**

From Catan to Scattagories, join us for a night of games, fun, competition, and fellowship at the home of Melissa Smith.

Have a favorite game? Bring it! Please also bring a snack to share. Need the address? Email bapc@bapc.org

VOLUNTEER ROTATION

Elder of the Day

Today: Curtis Briggs
Next Week: Bill Calhoun

Deacon of the Day

Today: John Cover
Next Week: Dennis Radford

Greeters

Today: Bill + Lauren Shaw
Next Week: Marilyn Smith + Amy Antill

Communion Preparation

July: Marilyn Smith + Clay McCarty
August: Jack + Heather Amuny

Children's Church

Today: Scott + Anna Hansen
Next Week: Lynn Hilmers & DeAnne Meeh

Infant Nursery

Today: Karen Radford
Next Week: TBD

Toddler Nursery

Today: Rachael Beth Henry + Hannah Stahl
Next Week: TBD

Coffee & Donuts

Today: Lynn Hershey
Next Week: Mike Smith

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

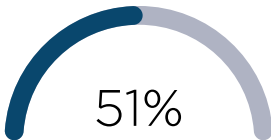
Toddler Nursery, Room 108

Infant Nursery, Room 106

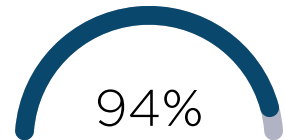
**Children in PreK-2nd grade begin the Sunday School with a time of singing and musical instruction from our Choir Director, Kathy Wright.*

GIVING UPDATE

June Giving Goal: \$52,520
June Actual Giving: \$26,687
Amount Under: (\$25,833)



July 2022-June 2023 Annual Budget Goal: \$682,760
Received as of 6/4/23: \$643,477
Amount Under: (\$39,283)



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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