



# **BAY AREA**

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 23, 2022

# 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

If the Church is not Making Disciples, then all the cathedrals, clergy, missions, sermons, even the Bible, are a waste of time.

-C.S. Lewis

Discipleship is not an option. Jesus says that if anyone would come after me, he must follow me.

-Tim Keller

Christianity without discipleship is always Christianity without Christ.

-Dietrich Bonhoeffer

## WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

————— TIME OF PRAISE —————

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 145:8-10

Leader: The Lord is gracious and compassionate,  
slow to anger and rich in love.

**People: The Lord is good to all;  
he has compassion on all he has made.**

Leader: All your works praise you, Lord;

**All: Your faithful people extol you.**

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

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

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## **HYMN OF PRAISE\***

Trinity Hymnal #263 (1,3,5)

*Lift High The Cross*

## **PRAYER OF ADORATION**

## **SONGS OF PRAISE\***

*Oh How Good It Is*

*Lord I Need You*

*I Will Wait for You (Psalm 130)*

————— TIME OF RENEWAL —————

## **CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN**

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and turn them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

## **PRIVATE CONFESSION AND REFLECTION**

## **WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT**

Isaiah 43:25

“I, even I, am he who blots out your transgressions, for my own sake, and remembers your sins no more.”

## **HYMN OF RESPONSE\***

Trinity Hymnal #252 (1,2,3,4)

*When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*

## 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.*

*Giving options include the offering box in the lobby, mailing a check to the church office at 670 E. Medical Center Blvd., Webster, TX 77598, or giving online at [www.bapc.org/giveonline](http://www.bapc.org/giveonline).*

## CHORAL ANTHEM

Butler

*Bring to the Lord a Song*

## 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

Philippians 2:1-11

**2**So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, <sup>2</sup>complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. <sup>3</sup>Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. <sup>4</sup>Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. <sup>5</sup>Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, <sup>7</sup>but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. <sup>8</sup>And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. <sup>9</sup>Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, <sup>10</sup>so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, <sup>11</sup>and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

## **MESSAGE**

Pastor Taylor Leachman

*Forming Disciples As Disciples*

## **SONG OF RESPONSE\***

*The Lord Is My Salvation*

## **BENEDICTION\***

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Welcome! We're so glad you're here with us today.  
For a full list of upcoming events, Bible studies and more,  
please visit [www.bapc.org/calendar](http://www.bapc.org/calendar)**

10/25	Men's Bible Study: The Parables of Jesus	6:30am
10/25	Women's Zoom Study: Praying The Lord's Prayer	7:30pm
10/26	Women's Bible Study: What's SHE Doing Here?	10am & 7pm
10/26	High School and Middle School Youth Groups	7pm
10/26	Discover BAPC	7pm
10/29	Celebration of Life for Anne Lockett	1pm
11/6	Sunday Supper	5:30pm



### **Operation Christmas Child, Now through November 6th**

Help us touch the lives of children around the world and bring hope through the Good News of Jesus Christ by packing a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child! Please pick up your shoeboxes in the lobby today. If you would prefer to donate rather than shop, a gift of \$25 will enable our youth to pack and ship a shoebox for you. Thank you for your generosity and your prayers!



### **Sunday Supper, November 6th at 5:30pm**

Grow in community with us through fellowship and a free meal on the first Sunday of every month. Join us on November 6th at 5:30pm for a Sausage Smorgasbord. Please sign up to bring a side dish or a dessert and RSVP at [bapc.org](http://bapc.org). We hope to see you there!



### **Anchor Point Run For Health, November 12th**

Join us in supporting one of Anchor Point's biggest fundraisers. Their annual Run for Health will take place on November 12th. They are seeking volunteers of all ages to help with a variety of tasks. Please contact Scott Hansen or the church office for more details.

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## VOLUNTEER ROTATION

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### **Elder of the Day**

Today: Bill Calhoun  
Next Week: Chris D'Souza

### **Deacon of the Day**

Today: Andrew Kroese  
Next Week: David Kelley

### **Greeters**

Today: Marilyn Smith + Kris Benavides  
Next Week: Sandy Tuck + Gracie Briggs

### **Children's Church**

Today: Sonia Benitez + Judy Gidden  
Next Week: Alison + Joshua Banks

### **Nursery**

Today: D'Souza Family  
Next Week: Bouck Family

### **Communion Preparation**

November: Marilyn Smith + Clay McCarty  
December: Jack + Heather Amuny

**MEN'S MINISTRY**



**Men's Bible Study  
Tuesdays, 6:30am**

Looking to deepen your knowledge and enjoyment of Scripture— and get connected to other men at BAPC? Join us for coffee and study each Tuesday from 6:30-7:30am, as Chris D'Souza leads us through the parables of Jesus.



**Men's Ministry Winter Kickoff  
December 9, 7pm**

You're invited to the home of Ethan Stahl on December 9th for food, beverages, and more as we get to know one another better and introduce our new Men's Ministry team. More details will be announced soon!

**WOMEN'S MINISTRY**



**Women's Zoom Bible Study  
Tuesdays, 7:30pm**

You're invited to a study of *Praying the Lord's Prayer* by J.I. Packer each Tuesday night from the comfort of your home!

Together, we'll walk through Christ's pattern of prayer and learn how to strengthen our communication with him. For further details, please see the Women of the Way table in the lobby or contact Fran Bliss.



**Women's In-Person Bible Study  
Wednesdays, 10am & 7pm**

Join us for an in-person study on Wednesdays at 10am or 7pm! Together we'll study *What's SHE Doing Here? The Messy*

*Women in Jesus's Genealogy* by Susan Tyner. More information is available at the Women of the Way table.

**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!

High school students meet in the upstairs youth room, middle school guys in the conference room, and middle school girls in the upstairs middle school room.

MISSIONS UPDATE



During the month of October, please be praying for Craig and Heather Gahagen, who serve in the Amazon region of Peru through a cooperative between Mission to the World (MTW) and South America Mission (SAM). Craig is the director of SAMAIR, which flies missionaries into remote regions of the jungle, so that they may spread God's word where there are no roads. These flights save missionaries weeks of travel by foot and canoe. In addition, he and Heather are leaders in their local church, Mil Palmeras. Please pray that God would continue to grant them endurance and resources as they seek to spread the gospel in these remote areas through aviation, and that Mil Palmeras would be able to engage their city of Pucallpa and beyond.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9AM**

**Adults**

Hebrews, Room 88

**Youth Membership Class**

Room 94

**9th - 12th Grade**

Westminster Confession of Faith, Youth Room

**5th - 8th Grade**

Survey of the Old Testament, Room 91

**3rd - 4th Grade**

God's Grace in the Law, Room 104

**1st - 2nd Grade**

Obedying God, Room 102

**PreK - Kindergarten**

God Created All Things, Room 107

**Nursery**

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

Infant Nursery, Room 106

**FELLOWSHIP - 10AM**

Donuts, coffee, and conversation in the gym

**WORSHIP - 10:30AM**

Nursery for 0-3 years, Rooms 108 & 106

Children's Church for ages 4 years through 2nd grade,  
dismissed from service. Pick up in Room 103

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

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GIVING UPDATE

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October Giving Goal:	\$65,650	YTD Giving Goal:	\$210,080
October Actual Giving:	\$30,721	YTD Giving Total:	\$176,528

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STAFF & LEADERSHIP

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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, Choir Director

**Elders**  
Mike Bliss  
Curtis Briggs  
Bill Calhoun  
Chris D'Souza  
Josh Mehling

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John Cover  
David Kelley  
Andrew Kroese  
Dennis Radford  
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