



St. Matthew's United Methodist Church

Welcome Home

Order of Worship

July 31, 2022

To know Jesus is to know God

Prelude

Kevin Su Fukagawa

Welcome

Linda Domes

*Call to Worship

Cheryl Qualls

The Lord be with you

And Also with you

The Lord God, creator of all things, be with you

And Also With You!

God who revealed God's self to us all in Christ Jesus be with you!

AND ALSO WITH YOU!

*Opening Prayer

Lord God,

You were pleased to have all your fullness dwell in Christ Jesus.

You have reconciled us through Christ Jesus,

You have reconciled us here on earth with all things in heaven.

Make us yours again. Restore our peace through Christ again.

Through his blood on the Cross, make us one. Amen

*Opening Hymn "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

Hymnal #334

Verse 1

There's a sweet sweet

Spirit in this place

And I know that it's the

Spirit of the Lord

There are sweet

expressions on each face

And I know they feel the

presence of the Lord

Chorus

Sweet Holy Spirit

Sweet heavenly Dove

Stay right here with us

Filling us with Your love

And for these blessings

We lift our hearts in praise

Without a doubt we'll know

That we have been revived

When we shall leave this place

Verse 2

There are blessings you cannot receive

Till you know Him in

His fullness and believe

You're the one to profit when you say

I am going to walk with Jesus all the way

(Chorus)

Verse 3

If you say He saved you from your sin

Now You're weak you're bound and cannot

enter in

You can make it right if you will yield

You'll enjoy the Holy Spirit that we feel

(Chorus)



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Ministry Message: VBS

Pastor Jim Powell

Children's Message

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Scripture: Colossians 1: 15-23

15 He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; 16 for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. 17 He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. 18 He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. 19 For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, 20 and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. 21 And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, 22 he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him— 23 provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel.

Anthem

Emma Blanck

Sermon "The Face of God"

Pastor Jim Powell

Moving into a Spirit of Prayer

Covenant Prayers for Cal-Pac Churches

Linda Domes

El Buen Pastor UMC, Santa Paula and Crescenta Valley UMC, La Crescenta

Pastoral Prayers

NEW PRAISE AND PRAYER REQUESTS

CONTINUED PRAYERS

IN MOURNING

Roger and the family of Mike on his passing (B-I-L of Roger Tripp)

Carla and the family of David on his passing (VonZell)

Delia and the family of Gary on his passing (Kellogg)

The Askey family of 6yr old Mabel upon her accidental death (friend of Linda Domes)

HEALING & RECOVERY

Ronnie healing from surgery (Valles, Jennifer Winter)

Mickey recovery from a pancreatic infection and in rehab (Roger Tripp's B-i-L)

Michael recovery from pneumonia (Wendy Kaszycki's stepson)

Pat Recovery and success from ankle surgery (Granning)

A Grandma with a stroke (Metzgus family, Madelynn & Nikki)

Carolyn & Hanna (Sylvester)

Nick recovery from jaw cancer surgery (Hatzidakis, Suzanne Ford's brother)

Steve recovery from brain cancer surgery with a poor prognosis (Friend of the McEacherns)

Tom recovery from a bike accident (Wendy K's daughter-in-law's brother)

Valledares family member institutionalized with Anorexia (Taty's Granddaughter)



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CANCER TREATMENT

Debbie, JoAnn Y, Joshua (Leslie's son), Ruby (cousin of Emmie), Ariel (friend of Pam M), Pat (Dan O's family), Dick, Romana, Bob and Gonzalo (friends of McEachern's), Toni, Sylvia (friend of Pam P), Stephnia, Brandon, Lynne (Friends of Casey), Joey (Friend of Taty) and Melissa (Pastor Bob & Beth Ferguson's D-I-L)

HOSPICE

A mom with terminal cancer (Metzgus family, Madelynn & Nikki)
Robert, (Neighbor of Meribeth F)
John (Thompson, friend of Roger T)
Carol's mother (Tripp)
Richard's mother (Overton)

The Lord's Prayer

Moving Beyond a Spirit of Prayer

Invitation to Give our Blessings back to God
Offertory

Linda Domes
Kevin Su Fukagawa

***Doxology "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"**
*Blessing of our Gifts and Tithes

Hymnal #95
Linda Domes

***Closing Hymn "He Leadeth Me"**

Hymnal #128 v1, 2, 4

Verse 1

**He leadeth me O blessed thought
O words with heavenly comfort fraught
Whate'er I do where'er I be
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me**

Chorus

**He leadeth me He leadeth me
By His own hand He leadeth me
His faithful follower I would be
For by His hand He leadeth me**

Verse 2

**Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom
Sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom
By water's calm o'er troubled sea
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me**

(Chorus)

Verse 4

**And when my task on earth is done
When by Thy grace the victory's won
E'en death's cold waves I would not flee
Since Thou through Jordan leadeth me
(Chorus)**

*Benediction

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Ministry & Life of the Church Announcements

WELCOME EMMA BLANCK to the Nursery Staff

[Funding the Fight](#) against Human Trafficking continues through August

8/3 - Pastor's Study group returns Wednesdays at 11am in the Fireside Room

8/4 - Seamless Study with Carol 10am, Thurs 1pm in Camarillo

8/6 - Boys Breakfast (of all ages) at Denny's NP 8:00am

8/13 - Girls Breakfast (of all ages) TBD

8/19 - Movie Night "Coco" come at 5:30pm, movie starts at 6pm on the patio

8/23 - Book of James Study 10am Tuesdays with Pastor Jim (Fireside Room) Book \$6

9/24 & 25 – Quilt & Craft Sale to support Wheels for the World ministry

10/1 – Women's Retreat \$40 includes 2 meals on Saturday, potluck kick-off on 9/30

Birthdays: 7/31 Alice Huston, 8/1 Kevin Knoedler, 8/1 Bob Rich, 8/4 Carol Vargeson, 8/7

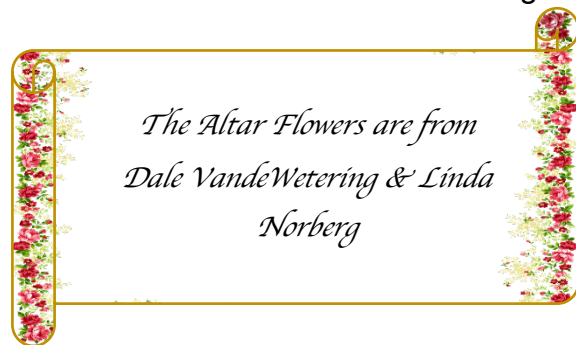
Sandy Walker

Postlude

Kevin Su Fukagawa

Thank you

Linda & Cheryl for leading us in worship,
Pastor Jim Powell for the Sermon Message, and
Kevin Su Fukagawa & Emma Blanck
for our music



Thank you to our Fellowship hosts Cheryl Qualls & Judy Khoury

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