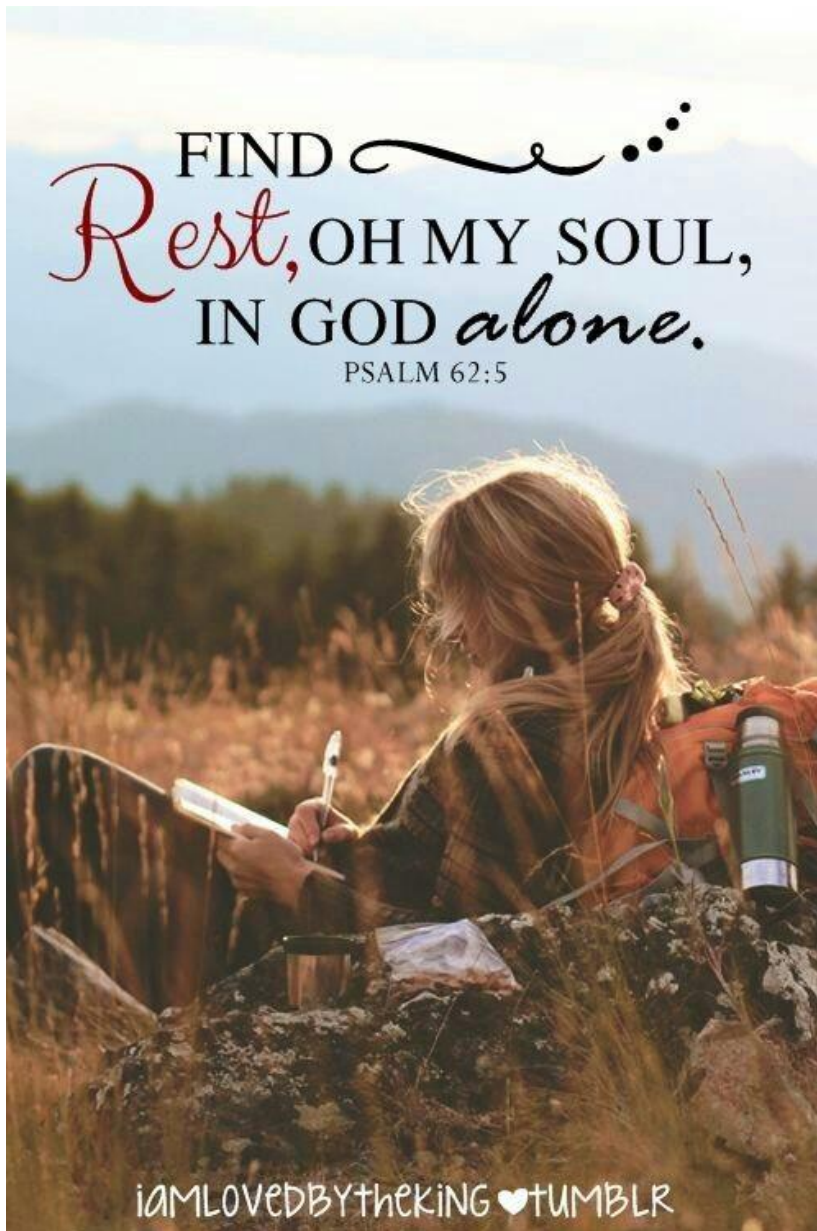




PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF THE ROSES

Reaching Out with Nurturing Love to All God's People



JANUARY 21, 2018 | WORSHIP 10 AM
Third Sunday after Epiphany

First time here?

Thank you for coming! Please pick up a Welcome Bag in the narthex. Please join us for coffee and fellowship in Bowen Hall.

Assistance needed?

Large print bulletins and hearing devices are available from the ushers.

Tip for the Service

*Asterisk means please stand if able.

The **BOLD** is spoken by the congregation. Please sign the red friendship pad in the pews and pass it.

Children with you?

Activity materials for young worshipers are in the entry way. Childcare and Sunday School are provided during the service.

Questions on where to go?

Please ask the Ushers by the doors.

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

"Elegiac Melody"

by G.W. Cassler

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

RINGING OF THE CHIMES

INTROIT

"The Lord is in His Holy Temple"

*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)

For God alone our souls wait in silence

God alone is our rock and our salvation

God is my fortress and I shall never be shaken!

Let us worship God!

*HYMN #408 "There's a Sweet Sweet Spirit in this Place" Doris Akers, 1962

*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER (responsively)

God of all our moments, of our days and our nights,

you speak and you act in the world around us,

not only to call all people to you, but also to direct and guide us in the way of healing and wholeness.

Awaken us Lord, to hear what you would say to us.
Help us to open our ears, our eyes, and our hearts to your presence.
Help us to know when it is your voice we are hearing
and when it is our prejudices and desires to which we are focusing on...

Lord hear our prayer...

Forgiving God. We repent all the ways we turn from you.

You call, but we do not listen; you show us your path, but we prefer our own way. Forgive us, heal us, and lead us back to you, that we might show mercy to others. In Jesus' name we pray Amen.

*WORDS OF AFFIRMATION: from Psalm 27 (responsively)

I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Thanks be to God for grace, mercy, and hope!

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581

Gloria Patri

CALL FOR OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Prelude on a Swedish Folk Song" by Robert Condick

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PASSING OF THE PEACE

HYMN #288 PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

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Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 62: 5-12

This is the word of the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM

"Be Still"

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Mark 1: 14-20

Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

"Make Time for Your Soul"

Rev. Dr Cynthia Alloway

*HYMN #819 (Vs.1 & 4) "Be Still My Soul"

Jean Sibelius, 1899

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

Holy Spirit, help your fractured church to be of one heart and soul, that our proclamation will resonate with great power, and great grace may be upon us all. Set our minds on heavenly things.

Fill us with your joy.

We bring before you people we know with special needs...burdens too heavy to bear alone, disease that will not be healed on this earth, and afflictions that can be healed by your precious touch. Set our minds on heavenly things.

Fill us with your joy.

Help us listen closely to you, even as you listen closely to our prayers as we pray the way you taught us saying: **(The Lord's Prayer). Amen.**

*HYMN #840 (vs. 1 & 4) "When Peace Like a River"

Philip P. Bliss, 1876

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Voluntary II"

by Richard Peek

(Prayer of the People— written by Paul Sauer, and posted on the [Lutheran Forum](#) website.)

- **NOTICE: The Annual Congregational Meeting and Luncheon will take place Sunday, January 28, 2018.**

Liturgist: Ellen Marks



***Flowers are given
To the Glory of God***

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Prayer Requests: Please include in your prayers:
Those mourning the loss of a friend or family member

- Please pray for the family of Nicolas St. Juste, who passed away on Jan. 2nd.
- Please pray for the family of Virginia Rylett, who passed away on Jan. 2nd.
- Please pray for Jeanette Bauer's family as they mourn the passing of her brother, Don Morse. **His memorial service is February 3rd at 1:00 pm.**

Those facing health issues

John Baker	Ted McCarthy	Bob Simmons
Judy Bello	Jason Montsier	Marguerite St. Juste
Barbara Blinn	Jessica Morse	Marisa Taylor
Bob Bunting	Lucrecia Muñoz	Ines Teague
Patrick Butler	Patricia Currier (Joy	Betty and Norm
Kathryn Alloway Culver	Olson's mother)	Thornton
Dick Draper	Marie Patchin	Bob Weber
Peggy Erhardt	Rhonda Patton Knoles	Helen Wickle
Ray Foreaker	Polly Post	Betty Witchey-Ryer
Eric Hoeche	Fred Recknagel	Jamie Yen
Frank Lloyd		
Helen MacKenzie		

Those serving in our military

Sgt. David A. Dickens, USAF Jason Morse, Coast Guard Lt. Ian Alloway Culver, Lt. Col. David Trowbridge, M.D. is stationed at the Joint Air Force Base Elmendorf-Richardson in Anchorage, Ak and serves as a Cardiologist with the Alaska Native Medical Center, Chris Loranger serving in Afghanistan.

Singing for Their Supper
An Afternoon of Vocal Music
To Benefit F.I.S.H. Food Pantry
Sunday Feb 18, 2018 2:00 p.m.
Four For His Glory
Marrillo Carrillo High Jazz Choir
Marrillo Carrillo High Song Birds
All donations will go to F.I.S.H.



YOU ARE INVITED!

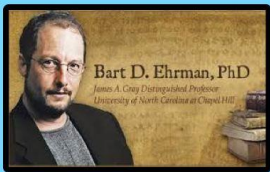
Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon

We want to thank everyone who has volunteered in ANY capacity this last year. Please join us

Wednesday, Feb. 14th at 12:30 pm.

Our church community would not function without your time and talents!

Please RSVP by contacting the office
542.4272, office@churchoftheroses.org



How Jesus Became God

This interesting class on the history of our faith resumes on January 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Rose Room.

Prof. Bart Ehrman PhD is the lecturer.



**Back on Mondays at 10:30 a.m..
Starting January 8**

The New Testament

**Learn about the Scriptures
from an historical perspective.**

**Jan. 8
The Book of Acts**

**Professor Bart Ehrman
is the teacher.**



**Favorite Film Series
Thursday Jan. 25
2:00 p.m.**

The Shack

**The film version of the
popular book**

THE SPIRITUALITY OF WRITING CLASS

A Sunday writing class TODAY with Judith Moore. We will skip Jan. 28th and resume

Feb. 4th on Working Under Deadlines
(Benefits, Expectations, Methods) with Ruth Canniff and Guidance by author, Judith Moore. Duration 1 - 1.5 hours.

Bring a sack lunch or power bar.

**Water and/or punch will be provided. Adult Ed
Rm or Sunday School Rms**



BOOMERS Trekking, Tapas and Tasting

FIRST: We'll explore all the wonderful sites the La Paz neighborhood offers: easy strolling around 1 mile in beautiful Bennett Valley around Fenner's house!

NEXT: We'll all return back to Fenners and enjoy wonderful Tapas (finger-foods) and each other's company. AND discuss what 2018 will bring!

FINALLY: We'll have a blind wine tasting. You are allowed to bring 1 bottle of your favorite, either a Chardonnay, a Pinot Noir, or a Zinfandel. It **MUST** be in a brown bag and we will assign it a number. The fun is in tasting each and rating it.

Date and Time: January 27, 2018 at 3:00 PM

Where: Steve and Julia Fenner's home

What to bring:

- 1) Walking shoes to amble along La Paz and take in the countryside. (approximately 1 mile)
- 2) Tapas to share
- 3) 1 bottle of either Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, or Zinfandel for a blind tasting (in a brown bag) Non-alcoholic drinks also will be available.

RSVP by Jan. 21: Steve and Julia Fenner: sjfenner@aol.com



VOYAGERS

We will have our first get-together of 2018 on Saturday, February 3, 2018 5 pm in Bowen Hall.

The activity will be a fun game called Rummykub, a lively version of gin rummy played with tiles.

Heavy hor d'oeuvres or a dessert are requested.

For more information, contact Nancy Taylor 703.9623 or Diane Pierce.

CALENDAR EVENTS 1/21 – 1/28

1/21 <i>Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Korean Worship
	9:00 AM	Learn Ukulele
	10:00 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	The Spirituality of Writing Class
1/22 <i>Monday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	10:30 AM	New Testament Video Class
	12:00 PM	Qi Gong with Josepha Eveleigh
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts
	7:00 PM	Preschool Board Meeting
1/23 <i>Tuesday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	8:30 AM	Buildings & Grounds
	10:00 AM	PW Sewing
	5:30 PM	Church and World
	7:00 PM	Session Meeting
1/24 <i>Wed</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	10:30 AM	Staff Meeting
	7:00 PM	How Jesus Became God - Video Class
1/25 <i>Thursday</i>		NEWSLETTER items due
	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	12:00 PM	Noon Hour of Prayer
	2:00 PM	Favorite Film Series
	6:00 PM	Bells practice
	7:00 PM	Girl Scouts
	7:30 PM	Choir practice
1/26 <i>Friday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	9:00 AM	Peace Making Global Mission Task Force
	11:30 AM	Widow Support @ Adel's
	7:00 PM	Korean Youth Group
1/27 <i>Saturday</i>	6:30 AM	Korean Prayer
	10:30 AM	Tai Chi
1/28 <i>Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Korean Worship
	9:00 AM	Learn Ukulele
	10:00 AM	Worship
	11:00 AM	Annual Congregational Meeting & Luncheon
	11:15 AM	Healthy BP Screenings