



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF THE ROSES

Reaching Out with Nurturing Love to All God's People

WORK FOR THE WELL
OF THE CITY BEING
WHERE I have sent YOU,
AND PRAY TO THE LORD
FOR IF IT IS WELL WITH THE CITY
you live in. IT WILL BE
Well with you.
JEREMIAH 29:7

August 26, 2018 ~ Worship 10 am

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

The Fifers

Francois Dandrieu

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

RINGING OF THE CHIMES

*CALL TO WORSHIP – A Place of Sanctuary

One: From the corners of worry and fear, from the shadows where we huddle with our doubts,

All: God calls us to this place of sanctuary where we can draw from Love's deep wells.

One: In every moment where we look for strength to continue, in every time wonder if faith is worth it,

All: Jesus calls us to this time where we can welcome the peace given to us.

One: In every person who embraces us with acceptance, in every touch that offers healing and hope,

All: the Spirit calls us to see those around us as God's beloved, our sisters and brothers of grace. Together as one family, let us worship God!

*HYMN #494, vs 1, 4, 5

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

R. Palmer 1858

*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER (responsively)

One: Almighty God, across the ages you have guided your people through the wilderness, assuring us of a home in your eternal city.

All: Strengthen us along the way, that we might not neglect our call to serve the cities and towns where we live. Help us to trust in your unfailing presence amid all our fears. Grant us wisdom to discern your way in this world even as we hope for the next. Amen.

*WORDS OF AFFIRMATION (responsively)

One: Even the Most High God regards the lowly with love and compassion. Even the perfect Christ welcomes the sinful and lost with open arms. Come, we are the brothers and sisters of Christ. All are forgiven by grace.

All: We are the family of God. Praise be for forgiveness in Christ's love!

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581 *Gloria Patri*

CALL FOR OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us* William Bradbury

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN #519 vs1

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

You are My Strength When I am Weak

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 137

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

SPECIAL MUSIC

Lift Thine Eyes

Felix Mendelssohn

Sopranos: Linda Burille, Barbara Nelson, Anita Pinney

Altos: Ellen Marks, Elaine Trowbridge, Kay Young

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Jeremiah 29: 4-7

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

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

One: Let us pray to our God saying Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Holy God, you knew us before we took our first breath. You uttered your living Word and brought forth light, love, and life. You gathered us from the dust of the earth and called us your people. You sent us into the world to proclaim your mighty and wondrous deeds. You are with us even now as we continue our call. Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Mighty God, you have done great things; who is like you? You alone are our rock of refuge. You alone are our strong fortress. You alone are our hope and in you alone is our trust. Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Merciful God, your love never ends. We confess to you that we do not always share your love as we should. Where you have called us to live as one body, we exist as divided members. Where you have called us to give our Spirit-given gifts, we ignore your call. Where you have called us to forgive, we have forgotten your mercy. Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Gracious God do not be far from us! Strengthen us that we might be givers of your grace and may your steadfast love be known to all of your children. Send your Holy Spirit to empower our hands to clothe the naked, feed the hungry, and love all as you have first loved us. Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Loving God hear today the prayers that we lift up to you. (Silence) Give us hearts of courage and songs of your grace to tell others of your righteous acts and deeds of salvation. Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Abundant God be with those of us that yearn for your restoration and healing. Today, we ask your blessing upon all those in need of healing. We who

are the Church of the Roses also lift up to you those who we bring before you with our lips or within our hearts... the Adeney-Risakottas and their ministry in Indonesia.....Lord, in your righteousness,

All: deliver us and set us free.

One: Faithful God, your power and your righteousness reach the heavens. Hear us, your servants, as we follow you to the day when faith, hope, and love will be upon the lips of all of us, your children. These things we pray in the name of your Son who taught us to pray saying...(The Lord's Prayer). Amen

*HYMN #649 *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound* John Newton, 1772

*BENEDICTION

Following the service today we invite you to join Bernie and Farijana in the Rose Room to ask questions and hear more about their ministry in Indonesia.

References: Call to Worship written by Thom Schuman, and posted on Lectionary Liturgies.
<http://lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.ca/>

Prayer of the People: ~ written by Stephen M. Fearing, and posted on Wild and Precious Life.
<http://stephenmfearing.wordpress.com/tag/jeremiah-14-10/>)

POSTLUDE

Magnificat

Jean Titelouze

Dr. Bernie Adeney-Risakotta is Professor of Religion and Social Science and founding director of the Indonesian Consortium for Religious Studies (ICRS) at Gadjah Mada University in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. He also teaches at Duta Wacana Christian University (DWCU) and Muhammadiyah University Yogyakarta. ICRS is the first and only consortium in the world, of Muslim, Christian and secular universities, for studying the impact of religions on society. From 1982 until 1991, he taught at the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley and has since lived and worked in Indonesia. His wife, Dr. Farsijana Adeney-Risakotta, also teaches at DWCU and has served as head of the Indonesian Women's Coalition in their province—a predominantly Muslim group that seeks to empower women and children. Bernie and Farsijana are Presbyterian Mission Co-Workers, supported in their work by PCUSA.



Prayer Requests

Please include in your prayers:

Those mourning the loss of a friend or family member

*Please pray for the family and friends of Kathy Ingram as they mourn her passing in June.

*Please pray for the family of Dr. Ted McCarthy who passed on August 2nd.
His memorial service will be held here on September 16th at 2:00 pm.

Those with health issues

John Baker
Jim Bauer
Bill Beaumont
Judy Bello
Barbara Blinn
Bob Bunting
Patrick Butler
Aileen Christie
Dick Draper
Ray Foreaker

Jason Montsier
Jessica Morse
Lucrecia Muñoz
Jeanette Nichols
Marie Patchin
Carolyn Kenworthy
Rhonda Patton Knoles
Polly Post
Evelyn Radunich
Mickey Marshall
Fred Recknagel

Bob Simmons
Marisa Taylor
Sylvia Turner
Bob Weber
Helen Wikle
Betty Witchey-Ryer
Jill White
Roger White
Jamie Yen

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.

Liturgist: Chris Rhodes



***Flowers are given by Ray Alden
~Remembering Sara on our 72nd
anniversary on August 30th ~***

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8/26 <i>Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Korean Worship
	9:00 AM	Learn Ukulele
	10:00 AM	Worship - Prof. Bernard Adeney-Risakotta
	11:15 AM	Plan Sacred Space
	6:00 PM	CoDA
8/27 <i>Monday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	11:00 AM	Tai Chi
	12:00 PM	Qi Gong
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts Troop #135
	7:00 PM	Preschool Board Meeting
8/28 <i>Tuesday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	8:30 AM	B&G
	5:30 PM	Church and World
	7:00 PM	Session Meeting
8/29 <i>Wednesday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	10:30 AM	Staff Meeting
8/30 <i>Thursday</i>	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	12:00 PM	Noon Hour of Prayer & Encouragement
	7:00 PM	A.A.
8/31 <i>Friday</i>		Office Closed
	7:00 AM	MHS Breakfast
	7:00 PM	Gamblers Anon.
	7:00 PM	Korean Youth
9/1 <i>Saturday</i>	6:30 AM	Korean Prayer
	11:00 AM	Fijian Facility Use
	6:00 PM	SACRED SPACE
9/2 <i>Sunday</i>	8:00 AM	Korean Worship
	9:00 AM	Learn Ukulele
	10:00 AM	Worship
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	6:00 PM	CoDA

Sacred Space

FIRST SATURDAYS

Monthly 6-7 PM

***Experience the Spirit
in a New Way!***

COMING IN LESS THAN 2 WEEKS!

A New Bible Study Coming Sept. 5 & 12

Eclipsing Empire

Paul, Rome and the Kingdom of God



Marcus Borg & John Dominic Crossan
On Location In Turkey



Mondays at 10:00
Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

FAIR TRADE GIFT MARKET

ALL proceeds benefit P4P

Sept. 9 @ 11:00 am

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2nd & 4th TUESDAYS

10:30-2pm

Bring a Sack Lunch!

Sunday School Rms.

STARTS IN
SEPTEMBER

THURSDAYS

NOON HOUR
OF PRAYER &
ENCOURAGEMENT

Improve Balance and Reduce Stress

TAI CHI

MONDAYS

11 am



with Roger Wong

QI GONG

MONDAYS

12 PM



with Felipa Jones

VOYAGERS

Clam Chowder! in Bodega Bay

Sat., Sept. 15th at 4:00 pm

Hors d'oeuvres, chowder, salad, bread, dessert, coffee and punch will be provided. The cost is \$5.00 per person; attendance needs to be limited to forty people. If you wish to have a special beverage, please BYOB. Callers will be contacting members with specific information and to take reservations. If you have questions, you can call the hosts, Carole and Gene Michel. (phone # in Santa Rosa – 542-5572; phone # in Bodega Bay – 875-9878.)

WANTED!

USED COMPACT FREEZER IN GOOD CONDITION - Your church needs a "back-up" freezer in good condition to preserve the items we purchase for our many social and food programs. Please contact Pastor Cindy or Ruth if you have one you no longer need. *Thank You!*