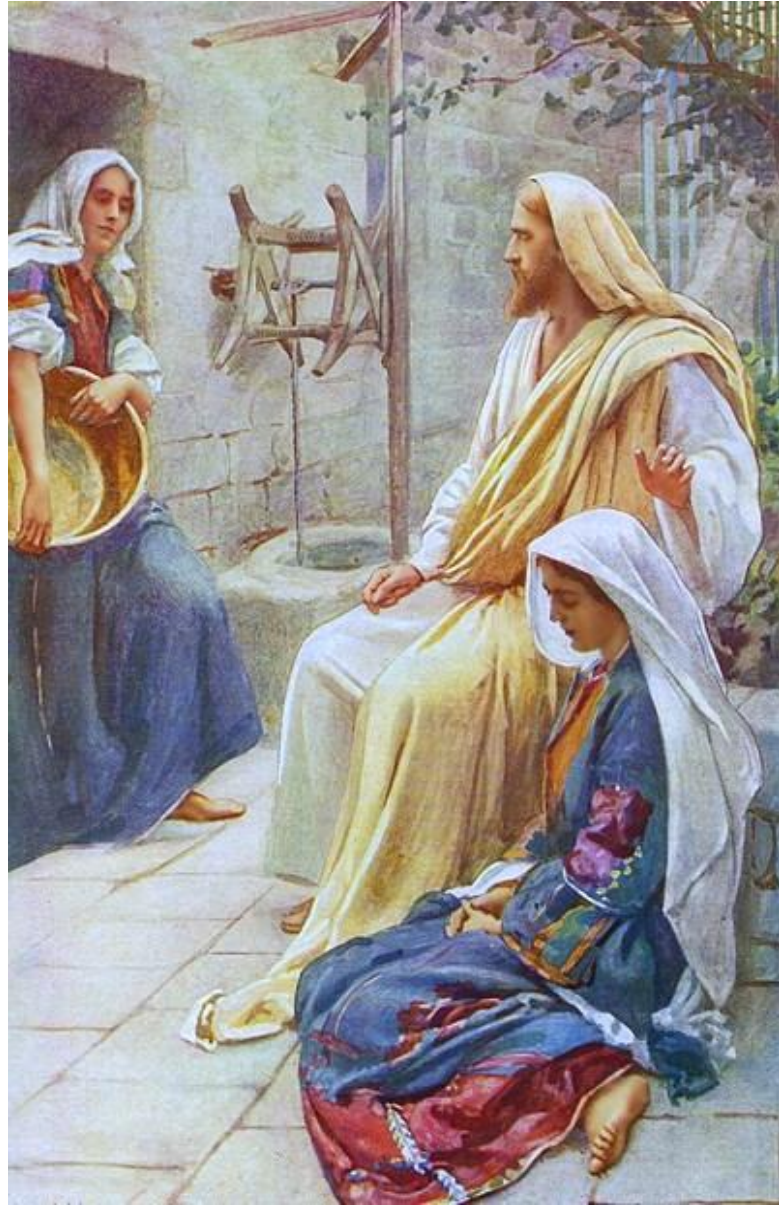




PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
OF THE ROSES

Reaching Out with Nurturing Love to All People



Jesus at the home of Martha and Mary by Harold Copping

July 21, 2019
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 worshippers 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 *Zehn Trio Op. 49#V* by Joseph Rheinberger

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR MISSION Church Retreat at the Woods

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

INTROIT "*Lord Prepare Me*" and "*Come and Fill our Hearts*"

An instrumental Medley by Nate Scoble, Steve Yeager and Octavio Leal

*CALL TO WORSHIP (inspired by Colossians 1)

One: Come and worship Christ,

All: The visible image of the invisible God,

One: The firstborn of creation, the eternal God:

All: The one through whom all things were created, and in whom all things are held together.

One: This is our God!

All: Let's worship together!

*HYMN#629 (vs 1 & 3) *Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee* E. Caswall, 1849

*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

One: Eternal God, Creator of all that is, in you we live and move and have our being. You have placed us on earth and sustained our being through the produce of the land and the cleanness of the air we breathe. You call us to tend and care for the weak and ensure a just sharing of the earth's resources.

All: But we are part of a proud and hard-hearted people who hoard what the earth provides and seem loathe to share the fruits of our labors, who live for today with little thought for tomorrow who are afraid to let pain and suffering affect us.

One: Spirit of God open our hearts and minds that we may grasp your forgiveness and forgiven seek to forgive others and to live a life of reconciling love modeled on the example of Jesus Christ in whose name we make this prayer. Amen.

*WORDS OF AFFIRMATION

One: Incarnate God, you know us in our inner being. In your grace you offer us forgiveness even before we have the chance to articulate our sorrow.

All: You embrace us in all our sinfulness and in doing so give us the chance to start again fresh to learn from the example you have given us in Jesus, who chose the way of the Cross that all might know the depth of your love for all. Alleluia! Amen!

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581

Gloria Patri

CALL FOR OFFERING

OFFERTORY

All For Jesus

Anonymous, arr. By Fred Bock

*DOXOLOGY #606 AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION #288 *Spirit of the Living God* (vs.1)

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: Colossians 1: 24-28

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

ANTHEM *"Gotta Serve Somebody"* Bob Dylan, 1979

Performed by: Steve Yeager, Nate Scoble, Octavio Leal, Rick Minervini
and The Rosettes

SECOND SCRIPTURE: Luke 10:38-42

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

SERMON *"Faithful Women Unite!"* Rev. Dr Cindy Alloway

*HYMN #324 *For All the Faithful Women* H. Stuempfle Jr. 1975

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

One: Gracious and generous God, creator of all, birth giver of summer, of sun and warmth, of the green earth and blue seas,

All: We give thanks for the many blessings flowing from you to us, like a basket of summer fruit.

One: Gracious and generous God, creator of all, pouring your love into Christ Jesus, Your steadfast promise of love, of hope, to us, our faith.

All: May we hear your words calling us to be your body.

One: Gracious and generous God, merciful lover of souls, tend to those who grieve. We pray for the suffering of this world of body, mind, and spirit,

All: May your healing love embrace the pain holding it with tender care.

One: Gracious and generous God, merciful lover of souls, take our worries and the brokenness of the world and heal it.

All: As only you are able. Speak into our lives and show us the way to be your love and healing.

One: As Martha offers hospitality to the stranger as Mary listens carefully to your word,

All: May we learn from our sisters to be your hands and heart in the world. As we pray the prayer Jesus taught us saying: (The Lord's Prayer). Amen.

*HYMN#327

From All That Dwell Below the Skies

I. Watts, 1719

*BENEDICTION

One: May God give you mercy and peace; may Christ Jesus give you power over all that would harm you; and may the Holy Spirit produce within you a rich harvest of joy and life.

All: We go in peace to love and serve the Lord, in the name of Christ. Amen.

POSTLUDE

At the Name of Jesus

by Ralph Vaughan Williams

Ref: Congregational prayer from the Church of Scotland's Starters for Sunday suggestions for Lent 4C, from the Very Rev. Dr. Sheilagh Kesting. <http://www.churchofscotland.org.uk/>

Prayer of the People~ posted on RevGalBlogPals <http://revgalblogpals.blogspot.ca/>



*Flowers are given
in celebration of all the July
birthdays. Happy Birthday!*



Today's Liturgist: Anita Pinney

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Myles Ellis, *Director of Music*
Althea Wright, *Accompanist*
Chelsea Howard, *Sunday School Teacher*
Bajun Mavalwalla II, *Audio-Visual Tech*
Eddie Seamans, *Director of Youth Activities*
Ruth Canniff, *Office Administrator*
Nancy Morgan, *Finance Administrator*
Jami Knuthson, *Receptionist*
Susan Jenkins, *Rosebud Preschool Director*



PRAYER REQUESTS: *Please include in your prayers*

- ❖ The family of Nancy Lee, who is the daughter- in- law of Nancy Hansen, as they mourn her passing.
- ❖ The family of Suzanne Barthel as they mourn her passing on July 9th.
Her memorial is pending.
- ❖ The family of Jeanne and Fred Recknagel as they mourn their passing on June 23rd.
- ❖ The family of Alice Crouch as they mourn her passing on June 6th.
Her memorial will be on Saturday, August 3rd at 11:00 a.m.
- ❖ The family of John Post as they mourn his passing on May 8th.
- ❖ The family of Mickey Marshall as they mourn her passing on April 25th.
- ❖ The family of Sylvia Turner as they mourn her passing on April 30th.
Her memorial service will be at Daniel's on Friday, July 26th at 11:00 am.


Those with health issues

John Baker	Marge Dreger	Polly Post
Bill Beaumont	Dick Draper	Debbie Seat
Judy Bello	Barbara Flannery	Bob Simmons
Carol Browne	Ray Foreaker	Jim Taylor Sr.
Bob Bunting	Marilyn Hilen	Bob Weber
Patrick Butler	Jason Montsier	Helen Wikle
Peggy Call	Jessica Morse	Betty Witchey-Ryer
Wes Cox	Jeanette Nichols	Avery Yudice
Margie Donaldson	Carolyn Kenworthy	

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.

If you have borrowed a wheelchair and are no longer using it, please drop it by the church office. Thank you!

New Time  Revised Format

WRITING GROUP

A Support Group for Writers
You may bring a short piece to share for feedback.

Third Sunday of the month at 11:30 in the Sunday School Room

July 21 - Sunday

8:00 AM Korean Worship
 9:00 AM Learn Ukulele
 10:00 AM Worship
11:15 AM Healthy BP Screening
11:30 AM Writing Group
 3:00 PM Sonoma Dev. Ctr Worship
 6:00 PM CoDA

July 22 - Monday

9:30 AM Adult Social Club
 11:00 AM Qi Gong
 7:00 PM Boy Scouts #135
 7:00 PM Preschool Board

July 23 - Tuesday

8:30 AM B&G

July 24 - Wednesday

9:30 AM Adult Social Club
 11:15 AM Pre-k Bowen
 7:00 PM Women's Al-Anon

July 25 - Thursday

11:00 AM Tai Chi
 12:00 PM Noon Prayer
 7:00 PM A.A.

July 26 - Friday

Office Closed
5:30 PM PNO (Parent's Night Out)
 7:00 PM Gamblers Anon.
 7:00 PM Korean Youth

July 27 - Saturday

6:30 AM Korean Prayer

July 28 - Sunday

8:00 AM Korean Worship
 9:00 AM Learn Ukulele
10:00 AM Worship - Pat Kerrigan
 11:15 AM Plan Sacred Space
2:00 PM Voyagers @ SRJC Mamma Mia
 3:00 PM Sonoma Dev. Ctr Worship
 6:00 PM CoDA

NOT MEETING IN JULY/AUG.

- PW Quilting
- PW Bible Study & Luncheon
- Deacons, Choir, Bells

SAVE THE DATE

- Forum on Gullah Culture 7/31
- Forum on Peru 8/4
- MHS Volunteer Potluck 8/9
- MHS Breakfast begins Wed. 8/14
- Hearing Loss Forum
- LifeTouch Photos Sept. 10,11,12
- All Church Retreat Sept. 13-14

PARENT'S NIGHT OUT
 Friday, JULY 26th
 5:30-7:30 pm

KSRO'S PAT KERRIGAN
 GUEST PREACHING

SUNDAY JULY 28 @ 10AM

HEARING ASSISTANCE
 GO TO THE SOUND DESK
 IN THE BACK OF CHURCH

QI GONG
 with Felipa Jones
Mondays @ 11 am

Improve Balance and Reduce Stress

**Sunday, August 4
 11:30 a.m.
 In the Rose Room**

**Pedagoguery in Peru
 With Don Marshall**

ONLY MEETS ONCE IN JULY - ON THE 25TH

TAI CHI
 with Roger Wong
Thursdays @ 11 am

Improve Balance and Reduce Stress

WANTED
 FLOWERS FOR THE
 SANCTUARY

In Honor of My Good Friend

All Creation Proclaims the Glory of God

YOU ARE INVITED TO A PRESENTATION ON GULLAH CULTURE
 By Dr. Susan Quindag
 Wed., July 31 @ 11am
 in the Rose Rm.

Gullahs are descendants of the West African slaves who settled along the eastern coast from North Carolina to Florida. Despite suffering enslavement, they developed their music, storytelling, children's games, dance, cuisine, and other arts that integrated and enriched American culture.
 Come and sing!