



Sunday, May 22, 2022

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Psalm 96:8

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude Matthew Roy

Welcome to Our Life Together

Tom Haugen

Prayer of Invocation

Music of Preparation

GIVING PRAISE TO GOD

Question: Since we are redeemed by grace alone, through Christ alone, must we still do good works and obey God's Word?

Answer: Yes, so that our lives may show love and gratitude to God; and so that by our godly behavior others may be won to Christ.

*Call to Worship Psalm 145:1-13

Leader: I will exalt you, my God the King; I will praise your name for ever and ever. Every day I will praise you and extol your name for ever and ever.

People: Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; his greatness no one can fathom. One generation commends your works to another; they tell of your mighty acts. They speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty—and I will meditate on your wonderful works.

Leader: They tell of the power of your awesome works—and I will proclaim your great deeds. They celebrate your abundant goodness and joyfully sing of your righteousness.

People: The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. The LORD is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made. All your works praise you, LORD; your faithful people extol you.

Leader: They tell of the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might, so that all people may know of your mighty acts and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

All: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations.

^{*} Please stand if you are able.

- O worship the King, all glorious above,
 And gratefully sing His wonderful love;
 Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
 Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.
- 2. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space! His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
- 3. Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light, It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain
- 4. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail: Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

Confession of Sin Unison

O Lord, we want to enter your presence, awed by your majesty, greatness, and glory, yet encouraged by your love. Often there is a coldness in our hearts, a hardness toward you, an unwillingness to admit our sin and need for you. Forgive us. Come near and strengthen us until Christ reigns supreme within us, in every thought, word, and deed. Give us a faith that purifies the heart, overcomes the world, works by love, fastens us to you, and always clings to the cross. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Take a moment to confess your sins, knowing that God hears you.

Assurance of Forgiveness

1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Leader: Hear and believe the good news of the gospel!

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

GIVING OURSELVES & OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

To give, there are baskets near the entrance. You can also mail or drop your tithes and offerings in the box outside the office doors, scan the QR code or follow the online link. Remember our tithes and offerings are a continued act of worship and a physical act of trusting all of our lives to Jesus as we join God in his work in our community and around the world.

Prayer of Dedication for Our Tithes & Offerings

Susan Hughes

Music of Reflection

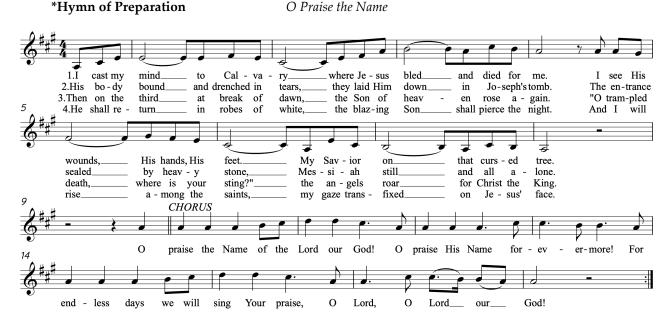
*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children Kindergarten - 5th grade are dismissed to Sunday School (10:30 AM)

Prayers for the Church and the World

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD



Scripture Psalm 96

Sermon "The Breadth of Worship: Praise" Tom Haugen

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn of Response

I Will Sing of My Redeemer

No. 66

1. To God be the glory – great things He hath done! So loved He the world that He gave us His Son, Who yielded His life an atonement for sin And opened the Life-gate that all may go

Refrain:

Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord. Let the people rejoice! O come to the Father through Jesus the Son, And give Him the glory – great things He hath done!

2. I will tell the wondrous story, How, my lost estate to save, In His boundless love and mercy, He the ransom freely gave.

Refrain

3. Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done, And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; But purer and higher and greater will be Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. Refrain

*Benediction

Postlude



Welcome to El Montecito Presbyterian Church

Welcome Visitors! We are glad you chose to worship with us today. Please fill out a Visitor Card found at the entrance or email us at admin@elmopres.org so we can get to know you better and send you our weekly newsletter. You can also connect with us on our website at: elmopres.org or on Instagram @elmopres or subscribe to our YouTube channel: El Montecito Presbyterian Church.

ELMO Pres Kids & Youth

Sunday School for nursery age - grade 5 from 10:20—11:30 AM. Please check-in at the courtyard entrance. Elementary age children remain in worship until dismissed for ELMO Pres Kids Sunday school.

Caring

Please take some time to pray specifically for the needs of the Church, local community, state, country and world. Direct Prayer Requests to **prayers@elmopres.org.**

Our Ministry Partners the Bultemas, Callisons, Ostbys, Warners and Mexico Mission Partners.

Alex Barr, U.S. Navy, son of Erin Barr, and VFA 151 squadron while they are deployed. Jon Wentzel and James Wentzel, both serving in the Air Force as Lt. Cols. and F-16 pilots, sons of Bob and Nancy Phinney. Jack Burrows, the grandson of Sydney and Peter Tredick, currently serving in the Army's 101st Airborne "Screaming Eagles" Division.

Bereavement for the family and friends of Sara Moses' brother.

Gordon Smith, for continued health challenges.

Pamela Arneson, for continued healing and strength.

Ann Marie King, for her unstable heart condition and wisdom from her doctors.

Carol Gillis, for continued recovery.

Curtis Whiteman for continued recovery.

The people of Ukraine.

Connecting & Serving

Women's Bible Study: Thursdays 7:45 - 9:00 AM at IHOP

Please join us at IHOP, 1701 State Street. Current study is "Reading Romans with John Stott".

Men's Bible Study: Thursdays 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall

You're invited to join us in a study of the Book of John. Please bring your Bible, coffee is provided.

Congregational Meeting, Today after 10:30 AM Worship

A congregational meeting is called after the 10:30 AM worship gathering to elect Elders and Deacons for new terms beginning July 1. All Covenant Partners are asked to please join us for your vote.

Veterans Breakfast, Saturday June 4 - 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall

Please join this time of fellowship and food at no charge. RSVP to Bill Gowler by Tuesday, May 31st to: billgowler@gmail.com or call 805-845-3522.

Second Annual Sand Sculpture Contest, Saturday, June 4 9:00-11:30 AM

Meet at Santa Claus Beach in Carpinteria. Everyone is invited to form a team or join a team. Drag those sand tools and toys out of storage! Pick your epic event in the Old Testament to recreate in the sand.

Connect with our Ministry Partners

Please continue sending notes of encouragement to our Ministry Partners: Greg and Chris Callison: gregandchris@callison.net; James and Renata Bultema: jamesbultema@spccturkey.com, renatabultema@spccturkey.com, Dana and Karen Ostby: danaostby@gmail.com, karina@lite.email; and Ryan and Brittany Warner: rwarner@fca.org, bwarner@fca.org.

God is with you! And, we're here for you in person, by phone or online.

Office hours, Monday—Thursday, 9 AM to 2 PM

Rev. Dr. Tom Haugen, Pastor Rev. Lauri Haugen, Asst. Pastor to Families Brad Catron, Facilities Manager Meika McCrindle, Early School Interim Director Dr. Matthew Roy, Music Director Maryann Spradley, Office Administrator

The Entire Congregation, Ministers of the Gospel

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Shelley Fogg, Children's Ministries
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Susan Hughes, Congregational Life
Ginger Ketzel, Nominating
Finance & Property
Mary Slater, Human Resources
Jeffrey Smith, Youth Ministries

Michele Sullivan, Accountant

Deacons

Betty Delk, Co-Moderator

Jeff Delk, Co-Moderator

Sandy Aguirre, Friendship Visitation

Cathy Clemens, Holiday Gifts

Chase Enright, Greeters

Melissa Hillegas, Hospital Visitation

Pam Jepson, Care Notes

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