# WORSHIP

# Sunday, October 23, 2022

There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. Ephesians 4:4-6

## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Welcome to Our Life Together

**Prayer of Invocation** 

**Music of Preparation** 

## **GIVING PRAISE TO GOD**

### \*Call to Worship

Leader: How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity! People: It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down on the collar of his robe. Leader: It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. All: For there the LORD bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.

*Hym	n of Praise	Come, Christians,	Join	to Sing	No. 10
1.	Come, Christians, join	n to sing	2.	Come, lift your hearts on high	gh,
	Alleluia! Amen!			Alleluia! Amen!	
	Loud praise to Christ	our King;		Let praises fill the sky;	
	Alleluia! Amen!			Alleluia! Amen!	
	Let all, with heart and	d voice,		He is our Guide and Friend	;
	Before His throne reje	pice;		To us He'll condescend;	
	Praise is His gracious	choice.		His love shall never end.	
	Alleluia! Amen!			Alleluia! Amen!	

David Talbott

Tom Haugen

Psalm 133

No. 108



 Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore, His goodness we'll adore, Singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"

#### Confession of Sin Unison

Almighty and merciful Father, you have called us to be your people and have made us one body. Yet we have not lived like we are one body. We have not loved one another as we ought. Selfish ambition has gripped us, and we have failed to look out for others' interest above our own. Conceit has gripped us, and we have failed to associate with and care for those who are different from ourselves. We have not treated one another as those in whom Christ dwells. Forgive us for our offenses against you, and by the power of your Spirit make us a community that shows forth your acceptance, kindness and love. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

#### **Assurance of Forgiveness**

#### Romans 5:1

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

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 <u>the online link</u>. 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

**Music of Reflection** 

Please use this time to pray and reflect.

Ginger Ketzel

\*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.

Prayers for the Church and the World

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

*Hymn of Preparation	O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus	No. 211
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- O the deep, deep love of Jesus, Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free! Rolling as a mighty ocean In its fullness over me. Underneath me, all around me, Is the current of Thy love; Leading onward, leading homeward To my glorious rest above.
- 2. O the deep, deep love of Jesus, Spread His praise from shore to shore! How He loveth, ever loveth, Changeth never, nevermore; How He watches o'er His loved ones, Died to call them all His own; How for them He intercedeth, Watcheth o'er them from the throne.
- 3. O the deep, deep love of Jesus, Love of every love the best;
  'Tis an ocean vast of blessing,
  'Tis a haven sweet of rest.
  O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
  'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me; And it lifts me up to glory, For it lifts me up to Thee. Amen.

## Scripture

#### Sermon

"Unity in the Church"

May the Mind of Christ, My Savior

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## GOING IN GOD'S NAME

#### \*Hymn of Response

- May the mind of Christ my Savior Live in me from day to day, By His love and pow'r controlling All I do and say.
- May the Word of God dwell richly In my heart from hour to hour, So that all may see I triumph Only thro' His pow'r.
- 3. May the peace of God my Father Rule my life in ev'rything, That I may be calm to comfort Sick and sorrowing.

### \*Benediction

### Postlude

- May the love of Jesus fill me as the waters fill the sea; Him exalting, self abasing -This is victory.
- 5. May I run the race before me Strong and brave to face the foe, Looking only unto Jesus As I onward go.
- May His beauty rest upon me As I seek the lost to win, And may they forget the channel, Seeing only Him.

No. 390

Ephesians 4:1-16

Tom Haugen



Sermon Notes:

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Shirley Fender's mother, Twila.

## Welcome to El Montecito Presbyterian Church

**Welcome Visitors!** We are glad you are worshiping 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

ELMO Pres Kids & Youth at 9:00 AM for nursery-8th grade.

**Children's Church** for nursery-kindergarten age children (age 0-6) from 10:00-11:00 AM. Please check-in at the Early School. Elementary age children remain in worship. **Pick up a worship activ-ity guide** on your way into worship!

**Middle School (5th—8th) Friday Nights at ELMO Pres** 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month from 6:30–8:30 PM. Pizza! Games! Bible! Friends! Fun!

**High School Bible Study:** Friday mornings from 7:15—8:15 AM at Dune Coffee on Anacapa. Contact Lauri for more information.

**Sign up for the ELMO Pres Family Newsletter** for more information on discipleship and service opportunities for youth, children and families. Email: LauriHaugen@elmopres.org.

## Caring

Please take some time to pray specifically for the needs of the Church, local community, state, country and world. Email your prayer requests to **prayers@elmopres.org.** 

Our Ministry Partners the Bultemas, Callisons, Ostbys, Warners, Vivancos. Mayu Luz Gullien Villanueva, Everetts at Rancho Sordo Mundo and Pastor Noe Perez Gomez at Iglesia Cristo es el Camino, SB Rescue Mission, Transition House and Network Medical Women's Center of SB.

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 friends and family of Al Silvera, memorial Friday Oct. 28th, 1 PM and Carol Gillis, memorial Oct. 29th, 1:00 PM at ELMO

Carla Talbott, for recovery from back surgery.

Janet Gates, for recovery from knee surgery.

Bill Allmon, for chemotherapy treatment.

Pam Jepson, for continued recovery from surgery.

Joyce Hutchinson, for healing from a fall and adjusting to her new room in Smith Center.

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

Curtis Whiteman for continued recovery.

The people of Ukraine.

Those impacted by Hurricane Ian.

# **Connecting & Serving**

## Adult Discipleship, Sundays at 9:00 AM

Join one of the Ephesians Discussion Groups or the Coffee and Chat in the courtyard.

## Women in the Word, Mondays at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall

"Pursuing Joy" will include the books of Philippians, Galatians and Ephesians.

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

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

## Men's Bible Study, Thursdays at 9:00 AM in the Library

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

## ELMO Transition House Team Dinner, 4th Thursday of each month 5:15 to 6:45 PM

We are looking for three volunteers to replace team members who wish to retire. Would you consider giving 1.5 hours a month and providing a portion of the meal to support this worthy cause? It is an amazing blessing to work on this team and serve people in need. Please call Barb Kennedy at 805-969-0173 or email at bkennedy@westmont.edu if you have questions or want to volunteer.

## **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, United World Mission, Mexico, Mayu Guillen Villanueva: mayuguivi@gmail.com and Manuel & Laura Vivanco: laura.vivanco@uwm.org, Rancho Sordo Mundo, Ed Everett: ranchosordomudo@hotmail.com, Luke Everett: sanlucasrsm@gmail.com.

Acts 1:8 Connection: The Vivancos, Mexico Mission Partner

- Pray for the "La Hermosa" church, part of the Chiconautla Evangelical Alliance. For God's intervention so they can open their doors again soon.
- Praise for the 1st anniversary of the Zumpango church, and formal naming of Fernando as pastor (after completing a 1-year trial period).
- Pray for the special concert/worship time in Chiconautla (Nicolas and Laura playing with worship team) October 22.
- Pray for missions emphasis week with nightly services, beginning with Missions Sunday, November 6-10.
- Pray for the Chiconautla church's 32nd anniversary celebration, November 13.

#### 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 Maryann Spradley, Office Administrator Michele Sullivan, Accountant The Entire Congregation, Ministers of the Gospel

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El Montecito Early School

Christine Hale, Early School Director

#### Deacons

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If you would like to connect with our **Elders:** elders@elmopres.org, **Deacons:** deacons@elmopres.org or have a **facilities request:** facilities@elmopres.org





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