



Sunday May 18, 2025

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

Allegro Spiritoso
Handbells

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

CALL TO WORSHIP
(From Psalm 148)

Bill Bynum

Leader: Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

People: Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!

Leader: Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!

People: Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!

Leader: Let them praise the name of the Lord, for he commanded and they were created.

People: He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.

Leader: Come, let us worship our God today!

HYMN #697 (vs1,2,5,6)

"Take My Life"

HENDON

PRAYER of CONFESSION & ASSURANCE of PARDON

Rev. Jack Longley

God of Alleluia and Amazing Grace, we pray to you today. You are the one we can rely on in every part of our lives. We turn to you as our Judge and our Redeemer, the one who holds our hearts in your hands. We confess today that we have not fully walked in your path this week. In our thoughts, words, actions and attitudes, we have moved away from you and from our neighbors. Call us back again, by your great mercy. Forgive us and set us free. Send us out to be your people in the world once again. Amen!

SONG OF PRAISE

"Let Everything That Has Breath"

Worship Band

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Rev. Jack Longley

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Isabelle Mulliken child of Mary Palisoul & Grant Mulliken

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 148:1-14

Bill Bynum

THE WORSHIP OF GOD THROUGH GIVING

Rev. Jack Longley

OFFERTORY

"There is a Name I Love to Hear"

by David Lantz III

DOXOLOGY #606 "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" OLD HUNDREDTH

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 11:1-18

SERMON

"What to Keep and What to Leave Behind"

Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

HYMN

"The Way"

Worship Band

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

GO IN GOD'S NAME

HYMN # 546

"Lord Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"

SICILIAN MARINERS

BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

POSTLUDE

"Air and Variations: The Harmonious Blacksmith" by George Handel
Katie Gueorguieva

Keep in Your Prayers: Barbara Snyder at the end of her life. Tom Wolfe on hospice care. Praise: Eleanor Gallmeister, home after hospitalization. Women's Camino Pilgrimage. Ben Fong recovering from Gall Bladder surgery. Julie Sebaziga's nephew. Jan Wilson's daughter Jennifer. Gary Kuhn recovering at Terraces Health Center.. Patricia Caputo (Jean Ritchie's daughter). GFP director Vanessa's mom. Kristy Cole. Emily Barrett. Tony Bayne. Judy Momrow. Barbara Snyder's daughter, Terry. Rosemary Will.

Calling all Grads: do you have a graduate in your family this year? Please send in the name, school, and degree (if applicable) so we can include it in the PCLG bulletin on Sunday, June 15. Submit to Veronica at veronica.nourse@pclg.org. Help us celebrate 8th graders and above who are graduating this year.

The Mission Committee invites you to visit Immanuel House with us on Saturday May 24th at 11:00 AM. Immanuel House provides transitional housing to newly arrived refugees seeking freedom from persecution and the opportunity to thrive. We hope to meet some of the residents and hear their stories. We will meet at Immanuel House at 11:00 AM located at 68 South 11th St., San Jose. If you would like to carpool there, meet at PCLG at 10:30 AM. Questions? Please contact Peggy Heath at 408-921-0425 or Jeff Thompson at 408-455-2784.

PCLG Summer Day Camp for 4-6 Year olds All are welcome, enrollment is open now. Camps offered June 9-August 8 9am-1pm, Monday through Friday. Come for one or all weeks, with different fun themes each week. Program is led by our GFP preschool teachers with special music and dance provided by Rita Hoegel and Erin Heath. Fee per week : \$305 for 4 days or \$345 for 5 days. See our flyer, or find more information at www.growingfootprints.org

Growing Footprints Preschool is now Enrolling! Did you know that the PCLG has a preschool and afterschool program right here on campus? We are now enrolling, and have a full time space available in our two year old program which boasts an incredible ratio of 1 to 6. We also have a full time space and few 3 day spaces available in our 3 year old classroom that has a 1 to 8 ratio. We have two 5 day slots in our afterschool program.

Children's Ministry (Infant -5th grade) Welcome Families! On Sundays our Nursery is available for children and infants at the beginning of worship. Preschool-1st grade will meet in our Preschool Ministry Wing and 2nd-5th grade will meet in our Children's Ministry Wing. Visiting families should walk their child back to Sunday School after the children's message so that teachers can meet the parents and know who they are dismissing the child to at pickup. Please reach out with any questions to Erin Heath, the Director of Children's Ministry, at erin.heath@pclg.org.

Youth Update

The school year is nearly over. Wow!

Today we have a "regular" Sunday. Middle school students can join us for Sunday school in the Youth Center following the Children's message. SNIFF for Middle School meets from 5 to 6:15 p.m. High School YG meets at 7:30 p.m. Find or contact Steve Fainer to learn more.

Giving Online Please visit www.pclg.org/online-giving, or use this QR code, to access our online giving tools. You can give a one-time gift or set up a recurring gift.



Dates To Remember

May 18	Packing lunches after worship
May 25	Middle School White Water Rafting trip
June 11	Summer BBQ
June 28	Gigi McNulty Memorial Service 11am
June 21-28	All Church Mexico Mission Trip

Regular Group meeting dates

Pastor's Bible Study meets every Wednesday 2pm Fireside room.

WOW – weekly drop in Bible study meets every Thursday at 10 am in the Fireside room contact JHLasher01@gmail.com.

PW Morning Circle The PW Morning Bible Circle will be meeting the third Thursday of each month from 10 to 12 am at the Terraces in the Sun Room, located on the 2nd floor in the Assistant Living area.

Minow Bible study meets every Wed. 6:30 am Fireside Room contact minow@pclg.org

Sign Language Group For questions or info, contact Youngla Kwon at youngla0707@gmail.com. For May, we will not meet on May 11th in observance of Mother's Day. However, we will meet on **May 25th** as scheduled.

Bookends Sunday June 1 at 2:30 in the Fireside room or join on zoom. The PCLG book club is reading "The Indigo Girl" by Natasha Boyd.

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