



Sunday October 19, 2025

## GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE "Festive Psalm of Gladness" by Hart Morris  
Handbells

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

CALL TO WORSHIP Joshua Morimoto

Leader: Jesus Christ, our Savior, fill us with your grace,  
**People** : For our hope is in you, throughout all of our days.  
Leader: Holy Spirit, our comforter, reveal God's truth and goodness,  
**People**: And empower us to follow in God's ways.  
Leader: Come, let us worship our mighty God today!

HYMN #32 "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" ELLACOMBE

PRAYER of CONFESSION & ASSURANCE of PARDON Rev. Dr. David Watermulder  
**Gracious God, we are filled with your love. We can do much more in the power of your love than we ever thought possible. However, sometimes we try to do things in our own power and we get it all wrong. We confess today that we have made self-serving decisions that lead us astray. We have not always sought goodness and we have fallen short of our commitments. Lord, forgive us! Grant us favor in your sight, show us your ways and set us on the right path of love. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. AMEN**

SONG OF PRAISE "The Way" Worship Band

PASSING OF THE PEACE Rev. Dr. David Watermulder

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Erin Heath

## PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 11:25–30 Joshua Morimoto

THE WORSHIP OF GOD THROUGH GIVING Rev. Erica Rader

OFFERTORY "Here I am Lord" arr. Jack Schrader  
Music Director, Michael Taylor, Chancel Choir, Katie Gueorgieva Organist

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

SCRIPTURE LESSON Exodus 33:12-16

SERMON "Rest up and Wait" Rev. Erica Rader

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. AMEN**

HYMN "Living Hope" 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. Erica Rader

POSTLUDE "Barcarolle Op. 60" by Frederic Chopin  
Nicki Ledford

**Keep in Your Prayers:** Pat Jones. Linda Ikeda. Jeff Yergler, recovering from pneumonia. Uhuru's son, brother to Lydia and Julie Sebaziga passed away. Patty Kelly. Jo Ann Van Ballegooijen. Mikal Cox (Jack Longley's nephew) struggling with advanced cancer. Eleanor Gallmeister. Emily Barrett. Julie Sebaziga's nephew. Patricia Caputo (Jean Ritchie's daughter). Kristy Cole. Tony Bayne. Judy Momrow.

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### **Women's Retreat: More Information to Come This Week**

A near-record total of 57 women are planning to attend this year's PCLG Women's Retreat, scheduled for Nov. 7-9. Thanks to all who signed up, and to all who gave generously to our retreat scholarship fund. **Registrants should watch for an important informational email that will go out this week.** Its subject will be "Pre-Retreat Email" and its sender will be Church Administrator Veronica Nourse. Those who indicated an interest in carpooling will receive a separate email from Brenda Costanzo. If you have any problems or questions, contact Veronica ([veronica.nourse@pclg.org](mailto:veronica.nourse@pclg.org), 408-356-6156) or Retreat Coordinator Beth Barry ([bethbarry1@comcast.net](mailto:bethbarry1@comcast.net), 408-402-2125).

**Worship Band** The Worship Band is recruiting guitar, bass, drums, keyboard and singers to lead the more "blended" songs in our worship! If you or someone you know has a talent to share, come and talk to me on a Sunday morning or email me. Rita Hoegel [rita.hoegel@pclg.org](mailto:rita.hoegel@pclg.org)

**Grace notes from Las Cascabeles:** Today's bell piece is dedicated to the memory of long time bell ringer Gerry Peters who would've been 100 this fall. Fun fact: Gerry's dad is Billy Jones of LG railroad fame. We also recognize today Norma Rose's birthday, our director for many years.

**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](mailto:erin.heath@pclg.org).

### **Youth Update**

Good morning! We have a full day in youth activities today. Join us!

- Middle School Sunday School during worship
- Confirmation class for High School students @ 11:30 a.m.
- SNIFF for Middle School @ 5 p.m.
- YG for High School @ 7:30 p.m.

### **Dates To Remember**

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| October 26   | Reformed Worship Talk with Pastor Dave                         |
| November 2   | Encountering the Border Team Presentation                      |
| November 7-9 | Women's Retreat, St. Francis Retreat Center, San Juan Bautista |
| November 20  | Interfaith Thanksgiving Service at St Mary's Church            |
| November 23  | Gabriel Nyok Visit and Presentation after worship              |
| March 13-15  | Men's Retreat with guest speaker Erik Khoobyarian              |

## **Recurring Group Meetings**

**Pastor's Bible Study** – Wednesdays at 2:00 pm in the Fireside room.

**WOW** – (*Women's Weekly Bible study*) Thursdays at 10:00 am in the Fireside room.  
contact: JHLasher01@gmail.com.

**PW Morning Circle** – (*Women's Monthly Bible study*) Third Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to noon at the Terraces in the Sunroom, located on the 2nd floor in the Assistant Living area.

**MINOW Men's Bible Study** - MINOW (Men In Need Of Wisdom) is a Men's Weekly Bible Study held on Wednesdays at 6:30 a.m. in the Fireside Room. And we are also on Zoom, if you can't make it to PCLG in the early morning. We are starting a new book this week, so now is a good time to join. Please reach out to [minow@pclg.org](mailto:minow@pclg.org) to be added to the weekly email invite.

**Bookends** – (Monthly Book Club) –Sunday Oct 26 at 2pm The book is Tattoos on the Heart by Greg Boyle. It's amazing how this one man makes such an incredible difference in the lives of young people in Los Angeles

**Sign Language Group** We are learning sign language through worship songs, and we meet on the **2nd** and **4th Sunday** after the worship service in Room 9 in the Children's Wing. We will not meet on the second Sunday, October 12. Our next meeting will be on the fourth Sunday, **October 26**. For questions or more information, please contact Youngla Kwon at [youngla0707@gmail.com](mailto:youngla0707@gmail.com).

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