

# WORSHIP

Sunday, June 27, 2021

*Church in the Courtyard*

You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you... **Psalm 63:1**

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## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Matthew Roy

Welcome to Our Life Together

Lauri Haugen

Prayer of Invocation

Music of Preparation

## GIVING PRAISE TO GOD

**\*Call to Worship**

Psalm 63:1-8

Leader: You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water.

**People: I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory.**

Leader: Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.

**People: I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.**

Leader: I will be fully satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise you.

**People: On my bed I remember you; I think of you through the watches of the night.**

Leader: Because you are my help, I sing in the shadow of your wings.

**All: I cling to you; your right hand upholds me.**

**\*Hymn Of Praise**

*How Great is Our God*

Geoffrey Carter

1. The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty;  
Let all the earth rejoice, let all the earth rejoice.  
He wraps Himself in light  
and darkness tries to hide,  
And trembles at His voice,  
and trembles at His voice.

**Refrain:**

How great is our God!  
Sing with me: How great is our God!  
And all will see how great, how great is our God!

2. And age to age He stands  
and time is in His hands;  
Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End.  
The Godhead, Three in One, Father, Spirit, Son,  
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

**Refrain**

Name above all names,  
Worthy of all praise;  
My heart will sing: "How great is our God!" x2

**Refrain**

**Confession of Sin** Unison

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

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

## Assurance of Forgiveness

Titus 3:4-7

But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life.

Pastor: 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 to the Courtyard, you can also mail or drop your tithes and offerings in the box outside the office doors or follow [this link to give online](#). 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

Patty Wilson

### Music of Reflection

*Oh God, You Are My God (Psalm 63)*

### \*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 & the World

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

### \*Hymn of Preparation

*Be Still My Soul*

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| <p>1. Be still my soul, the Lord is on thy side.<br/>Bear patiently, the cross of grief or pain.<br/>Leave to thy God to order and provide.<br/>In ev'ry change, He faithful will remain.<br/>Be still, my soul, thy best, thy heav'nly friend.<br/>Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.</p> <p>2. Be still, my soul, thy God doth undertake<br/>To guide the future as He has the past.<br/>Thy hope, thy confidence, let nothing shake.<br/>All now mysterious shall be bright at last.<br/>Be still, my soul, the waves and winds still know<br/>His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.</p> | <p>3. Be still, my soul, the hour is hast'ning on<br/>When we shall be forever with the Lord.<br/>When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,<br/>Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.<br/>Be still, my soul, when change and tears are past.<br/>All safe and blessed, we shall meet at last.</p> |
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### Scripture

**Psalm 63**

<sup>1</sup>You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water. <sup>2</sup>I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory. <sup>3</sup>Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you. <sup>4</sup>I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name, I will lift up my hands. <sup>5</sup>I will be fully satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise you. <sup>6</sup>On my bed I remember you; I think of you through the watches of the night. <sup>7</sup>Because you are my help, I sing in the shadow of your wings. <sup>8</sup>I cling to you; your right hand upholds me. <sup>9</sup>Those who want to kill me will be destroyed; they will go down to the depths of the earth. <sup>10</sup>They will be given over to the sword and become food for jackals. <sup>11</sup>But the king will rejoice in God; all who swear by God will glory in him, while the mouths of liars will be silenced.

### Sermon

*The Fulfillment of All Desire, Part 2*

Ben Patterson

## GOING IN GOD'S NAME

### \*Hymn of Response

*Living Waters (As the Deer)*

1. Are you thirsty, are you empty?  
Come and drink these living waters.  
Tired and broken, peace unspoken;  
Rest beside these living waters.

#### **Refrain:**

There's a river that flows with mercy and love,  
Bringing joy to the city of our God.  
There our hope is secure,  
Do not fear anymore;  
Praise the Lord of living waters.

2. Christ is calling, find refreshing,  
At the cross of living waters.  
Lay your life down, all the old gone;  
Rise up in these living waters.

#### **Refrain**

As the deer pants for streams of water,  
So my soul longs after You.  
You alone are my heart's desire,  
And I long to worship You.  
You alone are my Strength, my Shield;  
To You alone may my spirit yield.  
You alone are my heart's desire,  
And I long to worship You.

3. Spirit moving, mercy washing,  
Healing in these living waters.  
Lead your children to the shoreline:  
Life is in these living waters.

#### **Refrain x2**

### \*Benediction

### Postlude

## Welcome to El Montecito Presbyterian Church

**Welcome Visitors!** We are glad you chose to worship with us today in the courtyard and online. Please fill out the Visitor Card that can be found at the entrance or email us at [admin@elmopres.org](mailto:admin@elmopres.org) so that we can get to know you better and send you our weekly emails. You can also connect with us on our website at: [elmopres.org](http://elmopres.org) or on Instagram @elmopres or subscribe to our YouTube channel: El Montecito Presbyterian Church.

**ELMO Pres Kids & Youth!** Childcare available for ages 0-5 during worship. Drop off: outside Early School before worship. Pick up: playground after worship. Nursery care (birth to 1.5 years) will remain in the Early School outside space. Our elementary kids and youth are invited to Church in the Courtyard this summer. Pick up a Bible Activity Pack on your way in to worship!

## 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](mailto:prayers@elmopres.org).

Our Missionaries the Bultemas, Callisons, Ostbys, Alex Smith and Mexico Mission Partners.

Ruth Perry for healing and strength.

Curtis Whiteman for continued recovery.

Ann Marie King, continued treatment of AFib.

Bill Allmon, for his heart condition and Anita as caregiver.

Gordon Reisig, for peace for him, Darlene and their family while he is on hospice care at home.

Ken Working, for health challenges for him and for the family.

Bereavement for the family and friends of Lynette Johnson and David Atkinson.

## Connecting & Serving

### **Men's Bible Study: Thursdays, 9:00 AM in the Courtyard**

You're invited to join us for a study of the Gospel according to Matthew. Please bring your Bible, a cup of coffee and your mask.

### **Outdoor Movie Night: Friday, July 9th 7:30 PM in the Courtyard**

All are welcome to attend an Outdoor Movie Night featuring Disney's *Moana*. Bring your lawn chairs and a blanket.

### **Worship Team: Sunday mornings**

The worship team is looking for *vocalists* to sing hymns and praise songs on Sunday mornings & Praise Band Members to fill out our Church in the Courtyard instruments, including: *guitarists, keyboardists and percussionists*. If you are interested, contact Matthew Roy at: [music@elmopres.org](mailto:music@elmopres.org)

### **Kitchen Ministry: Times TBD**

We are looking for volunteers to help manage our kitchen. This ministry includes those who love to be in the kitchen, have the gift of hospitality, enjoy preparing & serving food and a knack for keeping things neat and organized. If this sounds like you, please contact the church office or email: [admin@elmopres.org](mailto:admin@elmopres.org)

### **Connect with our Missionaries**

Send a note of encouragement to our Missionaries. Greg and Chris Callison: [gregandchris@callison.net](mailto:gregandchris@callison.net); James and Renata Bultema: [jamesbultema@spccturkey.com](mailto:jamesbultema@spccturkey.com), [renatabultema@spccturkey.com](mailto:renatabultema@spccturkey.com) and Alex Smith: [alex.smith@e3partners.org](mailto:alex.smith@e3partners.org)

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

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

*Rev. Tom Haugen, Pastor*

*Rev. Lauri Haugen, Asst. Pastor to Families*

*Suzy Dobreski, Early School Director*

*Dr. Matthew Roy, Music Director*

*Maryann Spradley, Office Administrator*

*Michele Sullivan, Accountant*

*Shawn Monroe, Facilities*

*The Entire Congregation, Ministers of the Gospel*

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#### **Elders**

*Tom Haugen, Moderator*

*Janet Gates, Clerk of Session*

*Terry Foil, Early School*

*Nathan Gates, Outreach*

*Kirk Gilbert, Worship & Prayer*

*Susan Hughes, Congregational Life*

*Ginger Ketznel, Nominating*

*Carl Perry, Finance & Property*

*Mary Slater, Human Resources*

*Jeffrey Smith, Children & Youth Ministries*

#### **Deacons**

*Betty Delk, Co-Moderator*

*Jeff Delk, Co-Moderator*

*Bob Aguirre, At-Large*

*Sandy Aguirre, Friendship Visitation*

*Anita Allmon*

*Errin Cecil-Smith, Secretary, Treasurer*

*Cathy Clemens, Holiday Gifts*

*Melissa Hillegas, Hospital Visitation*

*Pam Jepson, Care Notes*

*Paul Jepson, Early School Committee*

*Nancy Johnke, Coffee Fellowship*

*Martha Kay, Chancel Flowers & Distribution*