

# WORSHIP



Sunday, April 24, 2022

*So after they had fasted and prayed, they placed their hands on them and sent them off.*

**Acts 13:3**

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## 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: What is Faith in Jesus Christ?*

*Answer: Receiving and resting on him alone for salvation as he is offered to us in the gospel.*

**\*Call to Worship**

Psalm 96:1-9

Leader: Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth. Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

**People: Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples. For great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.**

Leader: For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the LORD made the heavens. Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary.

**All: Ascribe to the LORD, all you families of nations, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth.**

*\* Please stand if you are able.*

1. Thine is the glory, Risen, conqu'ring Son;  
Endless is the vict'ry Thou o'er death has won.  
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,  
Kept the folded grave-clothes where Thy body lay.

**Refrain:**

Thine is the glory, Risen, conqu'ring Son;  
Endless is the vict'ry Thou o'er death has won!

2. Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;  
Lovingly He greets us, scatters fear and gloom;  
Let His church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,  
For her Lord now liveth; Death hath lost its sting.

**Refrain**

3. No more we doubt Thee, Glorious Prince of Life!  
Life is naught without Thee; aid us in our strife;  
Make us more than conqu'rors, through Thy deathless love;  
Bring us safe through Jordan with Thy power and love.

**Refrain**

**Confession of Sin** Unison

**O Lord, we have not longed for your coming and your kingdom as we ought. We have not denied ourselves, taken up the cross and followed you. Instead, clinging to the things of this world and counting them dear, we have grown callous to the needs of the poor, the lonely and the suffering. We have not cried out for justice nor cared about those who are without Christ and without hope in this world. Lord, forgive us for our offenses and grant that by the power of your Spirit, we might live in light of your coming again.**

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

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

Romans 4:25

Jesus was delivered over to death for our sins and raised to life for our justification.

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, or in the foyer on the table. 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**

**Kirk Gilbert**

**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

**\*Hymn of Preparation**

*Blessed Assurance*

No. 345

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
O what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

2. Perfect submission, perfect delight!  
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
Angels descending bring from above  
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

**Refrain**

**Refrain:**

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

3. Perfect submission—all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest;  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

**Refrain**

**Scripture**

Acts 13-14

**Sermon**

*"To the Ends of the Earth"*

Tom Haugen

# GOING IN GOD'S NAME

**\*Hymn of Response**

*Come, People of the Risen King*

1. Come, peo - ple of the ris - en King, who de - light to bring Him praise. Come,  
2. Come, those whose joy is morn - ing sun, and those weep - ing through the night. Come,  
3. Come, young and old from ev - 'ry land, men and wo - men of the faith. Come,

all and tune your hearts to sing to the Morn - ing Star of grace. From the  
those who tell of bat - tles won, and those strug - gling in the flight. For His  
those with full or empt - ty hands; find the rich - es of His grace. O - ver

shift - ing sha - dows of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him, where  
per - fect love will nev - er change, and His mer - cies nev - er cease, but  
all the world His peo - ple sing; shore to shore we hear them call the

stead - y arms of mer - cy reach to gath - er child - ren in. Re -  
fol - low us through all our days with the cer - tain hope of peace.  
Truth that cries through ev - 'ry age: "Our God is all in all!"

joyce! Re - joyce! Let ev - 'ry tongue re - joyce! One heart, one voice; oh, Church of Christ, re - joyce!

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Come, People of the Risen King* words and music by Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, and Stuart Townend

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Sermon Notes:

## 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](mailto: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](http://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.

**Middle School** Youth Group (6th-8th grade) on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month from 6:30-8:30 PM on the lower patio at ELMO Pres. Games, pizza, friends and God's Word!

### 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 Ministry Partners the Bullemas, Callisons, Ostbys, Warners, Alex Smith 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.

Sylvia Hamilton, praise for a successful surgery and for her recovery.

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

### **Westmont Choral Concert, Tonight at 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary**

You are invited to a concert presented by the Westmont Chamber Singers and Choral Union. The Westmont Chamber Singers is led by Dr. Daniel Gee and will be presenting *Las Canciones Indianas* by Argentine composer Carlos Guastavino. The Westmont Choral Union, led by Dr. Grey Brothers, will be performing a range of choral works for various groups from within the ensemble, from Renaissance motets to African American spirituals. As Dr. Brothers will be retiring after 27 years of teaching at Westmont, the concert will feature two world premieres written in his honor by Dr. Gee and (our very own) Dr. Matthew Roy.

### **Veteran Breakfast, Saturday April 30, 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall**

Please join this time of fellowship and food at no charge. RSVP to Bill Gowler by Monday, April 25th: billgowler@gmail.com or call 805-845-3522.

### **Compassion Sunday is May 1 at ELMO**

Join us for an opportunity to learn more about the ministry of [Compassion International](#) and sponsoring a Compassion child.

### **Women in the Word Bible Study, Mondays 9:30 to 11:15 AM in the Parish Hall**

Last meeting is Monday, April 25th. For information about the next study contact Patty Wilson: pattywjjoy@gmail.com.

### **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 Courtyard**

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

### **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; Ryan and Brittany Warner: rwarner@fca.org, bwarner@fca.org and Alex Smith: alex.smith@e3partners.org

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

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*Terry Foil, Early School*

*Nathan Gates, Outreach*

*Kirk Gilbert, Worship & Prayer*

*Susan Hughes, Congregational Life*

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*Mary Slater, Human Resources*

*Jeffrey Smith, Youth Ministries*

### **Deacons**

*Betty Delk, Co-Moderator*

*Jeff Delk, Co-Moderator*

*Sandy Aguirre, Friendship Visitation*

*Cathy Clemens, Holiday Gifts*

*Chase Enright, Greeters*

*Melissa Hillegas, Hospital Visitation*

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