



Pacific Beach
United Methodist Church
LEARNING AND LIVING GOD'S LOVE FOR ALL
SUNDAY WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 23, 2025 10:00 AM

WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Greeting
Introit
Welcome

Call to Worship

Mark Berry

One: Take delight in the Lord and receive the desires of your heart.

All: We will bring a generosity of spirit and sing the harmony of mercy.

One: The meek shall inherit the land and rejoice in God's love.

All: We praise the Lord of mercy, pouring it out for all.

One: Do good and trust the Lord. Love first; forgive first; give first.

All: We come to worship, to heed the Word, and to grow in faith and love.

*Opening Hymn #2001

"We Sing to You, O God" Vs 1,3 & 4

We sing to you, O God, the Rock who gave us birth,

Let our rejoicing sing your name in all the earth.

To you, O God, let songs be raised, in joyful hymns, our feast of praise.

You bear us through the world, an eagle to her young,

Who rises on her wings and bears us toward the sun.

We ride the vaults of light and air and trust in your unflinching care.

O God, eternal God, we hide within your wings,

The everlasting arms to whom our praises ring.

Your word is true, your way is just, you are the God in whom we trust.

Opening Prayer

Holy One, we come together to pause, pray, and praise. Be with us in this place, that we may touch your mercy. You provide for us; help us claim the power of your love for our lives.

Help us to measure out grace, shaking it together with forgiveness and give them to others as you would have us do. Amen.

*Sharing the Peace of Christ #2082

"Woke Up This Morning"

Sing twice:

O I woke up this morning with my mind, stayed on Jesus,

Woke up this morning with my mind, stayed on Jesus,

Woke up this morning with my mind, stayed on Jesus,

Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah.

**Please stand as you are able*

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WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Time

Dale Blackford

Music to Lift Our Spirits

Scripture:

Luke 6:27-38

Message:

Rule Followers

Rev. Lori Leopold

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVE

Song of Prayer #2016

"Glorify Thy Name"

Trio:

**Jesus, we love you, we worship and adore you, glorify thy name in all the earth.
Glorify thy name, glorify thy name, glorify thy name in all the earth.**

Choir and Congregation:

**Spirit, we love you, we worship and adore you, glorify thy name in all the earth.
Glorify thy name, glorify thy name, glorify thy name in all the earth.**

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering/Offertory

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Dedication

Holy God, we bring this offering of our money, prayer, and labor to advance your work of mercy. We willingly and joyfully celebrate your generosity, by sharing our abundance with the church, our community, and the world. Bless these gifts, as they go forth to do good in your world without judgment or prejudice. Amen.

*Closing Hymn #2153

“I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me” Vs 1,2 & 4

I’m gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I’m gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I’m gonna work so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I’m gonna work so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I’m gonna sing so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I’m gonna sing so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

*Benediction

*On Eagle’s Wings #143

And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings,

Bear you on the breath of dawn,

Make you to shine like the sun,

And hold you in the palm of God’s hand.

Assisting in Worship Today:

Worship Leader: Mark Berry

Head Usher: Ken Brown

Greeters: Sean Spence, Liesl Spence

Volunteer Media Technicians: Bruce Trumbo, BL Wild, Amy Samuel

Coffee Hour Coordinator: Dick VerSteeg

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