

Worship Service

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 5, 2023 11am

*Congregation, please stand.
Please turn off the sound on all electronic devices.

Meditative Music Robert Carpenter, Pianist

Prelude Dr. Kimo Smith, Organist
Fairest Lord Jesus - arr. Robert Hebble

Choral Call to Worship Cathedral Choir
Come Let Us Sing

Welcome and Invocation Elder Jesse Corti

Teen Bell Choir Conductor, Belen Pachalian
"Open Our Eyes, Lord" - Robert Cull, Arr. Patricia Sanders Cota

Heaven Bound Choir Conductor, Belen Pachalian
"Praise The Savior's Holy Name" - Jan Sanborn
"Lamb of God" - Nikolaus Decius, arr. Marie Pooler, Transl. Arthur T. Russell

***Opening Song of Praise** Praise Band/Blake Russell Leader
Desert Song - Brooke Ligertwood
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Prayer of Confession Elder Jesse Corti

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 peace your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

Taizé Choral Response: Cathedral Choir & Congregation

Stay with me, remain here with me,
watch and pray, watch and pray

Scripture Reading Jody Carlson Actors Co-op
Psalm 121:1-8
Luke 11:5-13

Tithes & Offerings Elder Jesse Corti
Offertory: Cathedral Choir, Dr. Ariel Quintana, Conductor
It is Well With My Soul - Ernesto Herrera Ian Luna, Soloist

***Doxology** (a cappella)

Passing of the Peace Elder Jesse Corti

Sermon Dr. Nick Barrett
The Journey to Jerusalem
"The God Who Responds"
Luke 11:5-13

***Closing Hymn**
Hymn # 439 *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper Elder John Safoyan

Benediction Elder Jesse Corti

Choral Sending Cathedral Choir
Clair Benediction - John Rutter

Postlude Dr. Kimo Smith, Organist
How Great Thou Art - arr. Janet Linker

Flowers in Memory

Bible Classes & Fellowship

***Coffee Time** is 10:30am, Sundays, outside Wylie Chapel in the Booth.

***Christian Education Director** Teri Knox Email: tknox@fpch.org, or call direct: (323) 606-5213.

***Reaching for the SON – Sunday School Times**
Nursery Hours 9:15 – 12:15pm
Toddlers Sunday School 11:00 am – 12:00 noon
Elementary Sunday School 10:45–11:30am; Choir at 11:30am

***Jr. High & High School Students** (Youth Group) meets Sundays, 9:30-10:45am; Middle Terrace, and Thursdays, 6:30pm via Zoom. Email Rgomez@fpch.org

***City Lights** (FPCH Young Adults) meet Tuesdays at 7:30pm in the Studio (top floor-Grey Missions house behind the Sanctuary)
Contact: charlievalentine2020@gmail.com for more info.

***Berean Bible Study** taught by Elders Jesse Corti and John Safoyan for everyone in Mears 1 & 2, at 9:15am, with bagels & coffee and Thursdays at 7pm through Zoom. Email: jsafoyan@gmail.com

***Lamplighters** meet in Mears 3&4 at 9:30am.
Email Phil Horton: pkhmazi@sbcglobal.net

***Mariners** meets Sundays 9:30am in The Cellar - Currently are studying 1st Corinthians. Email: Thomas_clark_98@yahoo.com

***Prayer Gathering** a sacred and joyful time of prayer, Wednesdays at 7pm over Zoom. Email: thartshorn@fpch.org

***Lent Women Bible Study via Zoom**
February 22nd to April 5th Wednesdays 9:30-11am.
Join us for fellowship, discussion and prayer as we prepare our hearts for Easter. Book of Luke. Contact Elder Andrea Knox Email: Andrea.Knox.andrea1knox@gmail.com

***Women's Book Club** meets 7:00pm on Zoom, for more information: Email: wandaaa@pacbell.net

Announcements

*****Annual Congregational Meeting is NEXT Sunday,***
March 12, 2023 immediately following our 11am Worship Service**

***Welcome, Christin Ritter, FPCH's NEW Children's and Families Ministry Coordinator**

***The Lord's Supper** will be served on the 1st Sunday in March and the 3rd Sunday in April – It will be served one Sunday per month

***Oscars Watch Party! Sunday, March 12, 4:30-9pm.** - RSVP link is in the FPCH Communications weekly newsletter, ePres

***Oscars Prayer Walk** Thursday, March 9, 2023 from 7:00pm – 8:30
RSVP link is in FPCH Communications weekly newsletter, ePres

***DON'T MISS: FPCH's award-winning Actors Co-op presents 'The Human Comedy' opening March 10 at 8pm, tickets \$25-\$35.**
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***The Children's Library** is open and is located upstairs in the preschool building. Books and other learning materials are available for children and adults. Our librarian Starr is on campus from 9:15am to 1:00pm every Sunday.

***Blue Prayer Request Boxes** - Deacons pray over received prayer requests.

***GriefShare** - Tues. 7-9pm via ZOOM register [GriefShare.com](https://www.griefshare.com)
For more information Email: rlburbank7@gmail.com.

***Volunteers** - we have a job for you! email Deacon@fpch.org;
If you would like to join the team to Usher, call: 323- 606-5227.

***Sunday School Teachers** - Sign-up by Contacting Terri Knox
Email: tknox@fpch.org, (323) 606-5213.

***Sanctuary Flowers** - If you would like to donate flowers to celebrate the life of a loved one or to commemorate a special event, please call the Worship Office at 323-606-5227.

***Musicians/Praise Band/Choir/Instrumentalist**

Contact: Mary in the Music Office 323-606-5216

--**Sonshine Choir** (Pre-K -2nd) Mrs. Walsh-Email: tow@sonshinemusic.com.

--**Carol Choir** (3rd-6th) Mrs. Cheng-Email: akcinloor@yahoo.com.

--**Heaven Bound & Teen Bells**- Mrs. Pachalian-

Email: mbelen34@hotmail.com.

February /March 2023

Sunday, March 5th – 2nd Sunday of Lent - Dr. Nick Barrett

Sunday, March 12th - 3rd Sunday of Lent - Dr. Mark Brewer
"The Journey to Jerusalem: An Issue of Wealth" Luke 12: 13-34

Sunday, March 12th - 4th Sunday of Lent - Dr. Mark Brewer
"The Journey to Jerusalem: Child's Play" Mark 9: 30-37

Sunday, March 26th - 5th Sunday of Lent - Dr. Mark Brewer
"The Journey to Jerusalem: A Friend's Death" John 11

Wednesday, Lent Services in Wylie Chapel at 7pm A Lenten Journey /Holy Communion

March 1st, Elder Jesse Corti

March 8th, Elder Bob McAdoo

March 15th, Elder Bradley Campbell

March 22nd, Teri Knox , Director of Christian Ed

March 29th, Elder John Safoyan

Holy Week

Palm Sunday, April 2nd - Dr. Mark Brewer
"The Journey to Jerusalem: A Stunning Entrance" John 12

Maundy Thursday, April 6th, 7pm - Holy Communion

Good Friday, April 7th, 7pm - Service of Gathering Darkness

24 Hour Prayer Vigil, April 8th - Sign-ups

EASTER Sunday, April 9th at 11am



We believe God is calling us to be a praying and worshiping community in the city. Trusting in God's grace, centered on Jesus Christ, and equipped by the Holy Spirit, we desire to proclaim the good news of Christ with our words and lives. We want to be a blessing to our community and the world.

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