Order of Worship

# TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

9:30 am – November 13, 2022

## Participating Live?

*Text your prayer requests to 805-309-6867 before the end of the first hymn.* 

PRELUDE

Toccata in D major
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Lance Crane, Organ

Johann Pachelbel

GREETING

HYMN

What Gift Can We Bring

**UMH 87** 

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- 1. What gift can we bring, what present, what token? What words can convey it, the joy of this day? When grateful we come, remembering, rejoicing, what song can we offer in honor and praise?
- 2. Give thanks for the past, for those who had vision, who planted and watered so dreams could come true. Give thanks for the now, for study, for worship, for mission that bids us turn prayer into deed.
  - 3. Give thanks for tomorrow, full of surprises, for knowing whatever tomorrow may bring, The Word is our promise always, forever; we rest in God's keeping and live in God's love.
  - 4. This gift we now bring, this present, this token, these words can convey it, the joy of this day! When grateful we come, remembering, rejoicing, this song we now offer in honor and praise!

## CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

Tasha Salas, liturgist

- L Give thanks to the Lord, calling upon his name. Make known his deeds to the world.
- P. We will share and live in a way that witnesses to his wondrous works.
- L. God's covenant is forever from generation to generation.
- P. The sure mercies of God never fail.
- L. We have been appointed heralds of the gospel.
- P. Let us rejoice and share the good news made possible through our Savior, Jesus Christ.

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#### HYMN

#### For the Fruit of All Creation

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- 1. For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God. For the gifts to every nation, thanks be to God. For the plowing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping Future needs in earth's safekeeping, thanks be to God.
- 2. In the just reward of labor, God's will be done. In the help we give our neighbor, God's will be done. In our worldwide task of caring for the hungry and despairing, in the harvests we are sharing, God's will done.
  - 3. For the harvests of the Spirit, thanks be to God. For the good we all inherit, thanks be to God. For the wonders that astound us, for the truths that still confound us, Most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.

#### PASTORAL PRAYER & 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**CHORAL OFFERING** 

Go Ye Into All the World (words on page 3)

Eugene Butler

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Chancel Choir, Clara Johnson-director; Lance Crane-accompanist;

SCRIPTURE

Deuteronomy 26: 6-11 (NRSV) 2 Corinthians 9: 6-15 (NRSV)

Tasha Salas, liturgist

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

Message Pastor Matt McPhee

Hymn

*In Our Lives Lord, Be Glorified* (verses 1 & 4) CCLI / Streaming: 345977 / 20105371 / CCLI Song # 26368

**TFWS 2150** 

- 1. In our lives, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In our lives, Lord, be glorified today.
- **4.** In Your world, Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In Your world, Lord, be glorified today.

#### OFFERTORY PRAYER

God of abundant grace and compassion, you heap blessings on us with the reminder that we have been blessed to be a blessing. In gratitude for your abundance, we respond by sharing these tithes and offerings for the work of your church. As we put these gifts in your hands and lift our eyes in gratitude, bless these gifts and multiply them so that they may be put to work for your Kingdom, in the holy name of Jesus, the Christ. Amen.

HYMN

God, We See What You Have Given

Carolyn Winfrey Gillette

Tune: Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken (UMH 731)

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- 1. God, we see what You have given; Signs of grace are everywhere! All around are gifts from heaven—Gifts enough for all to share. We are stewards of Your bounty, called to give as we've received; And Your blessings have been plenty from the day we first believed.
- 2. We are stewards of the richness that You send from heav'n above. For in Christ, You gave up greatness, humbly showing us Your love. In a manger—gift from heaven! On a cross—with love and pain! You proclaimed we are forgiven; now You send us in Your name.
- 3. We are stewards of your welcome that You showed through Christ the Son.
  In his living and his teaching, Jesus welcomed everyone.
  To the outcast and the stranger, he showed hospitality!
  By Your Spirit, may we also give the welcome we've received.
  - 4. We are stewards, sent out sharing, offering You our very best. Through our serving and our caring may we give as we've been blessed. God of love, may faithful living be much more than Sunday talk. Send us loving, serving, giving; help us daily walk Your walk!

# Prayer Requests

Lance Crane

Glendale First UMC—Pastor Kris Tate & Pastor Stephanie Rice
First UMC of San Fernando—Pastor Paul Tangonan
All those suffering from illness or loss of loved ones.

### Go Ye Into All the World

Go ye into all the world and preach My gospel to ev'ry creature! Jesus said, "This is the great commandment: that ye love one another as I have loved you. Greater love hath no one than this; that they lay down their life for their friends."

Go ye into all the world and preach My gospel to ev'ry creature! "Let not your heart be troubled, you believe in God, If you believe in God, you believe in Me!"

Go ye into all the world and preach My gospel to ev'ry creature!
Alleluia! Go!

# PR JECT Understanding

Please contribute to our mission project by donating these items to the church office by Sunday, November 20:

Stuffing Mix · Mashed Potatoes (box) · Canned Sweet Potatoes & Marshmallows · Turkey Gravy · Cranberry Sauce · Canned Vegetables (corn, peas, carrots, green beans) · Canned Fruit (cups ok, too) · Hot Chocolate packets · Juice (Apple / Cranberry)



For these kits that are for the Oxnard Food Pantry we are in need of the following (smaller or travel size to fit in a gallon bag): Kleenex, tooth brush, tooth paste, shampoo, soap, bandaids, sunscreen or lotion, lip balm, hand wipes, tampons, razors, bottled water, socks, gloves. These can be dropped off at the office during the week or the sanctuary on Sundays. We will be putting the kits together on the 20th at our Thanksgiving dinner.