

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- ◆ **Food Donations**—are brought on the last Sunday of each month.

Pastor Henry’s “Normal Hours” at the church

Tues. & Thurs. mornings. Afternoons by appointment

To reach Henry at any time call/text 626-808-7472 or email jlandhjdg@msn.com

Marilyn’s “Normal Office Hours”

Tues. 9am—1 pm

Please welcome Rev. Sylvia Karcher to the pulpit today.



October 21, 2018

10:30 A.M.

We Enter to Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements *(Please sign and pass the Welcome Book)*

One: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

All: God’s love endures forever.

Gathering Song Kum Ba Yah 338

***Call to Worship**

One: Let us come with gratitude to the God who made us and cares for us.

All: We come with joy to praise and thank our God.

One: Come, let us worship the Lord.

***Hymn** Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim 477

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, too often we go our own ways. With so many things to distract us—work, school, and the general busyness of life—we lie unresponsive to your calls to service.

(Moment of silence and reflection)

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, hear the good news! Jesus, came among us to remind us of God’s love, Through him we are forgiven, and called once again to serve. Amen.

***Gloria Patri.**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

***Passing of the Peace**

	DATE	TIME	
Sun.	Oct. 21	10:30 AM	Worship (Lock-up: Terrie Burbank)
Tues.	Oct. 23	9:30 AM	Community Bible Study
Wed.	Oct. 24	9:00 AM	Sacred Space Prayer group, Jean Marsh’s home
Thurs.	Oct. 25	10:00 AM	Session

Welcome! *We’re so glad you’re with us for worship today. Our prayer is that you will experience God’s presence and power in your life. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we hope First Presbyterian Corona becomes a place you can call home.*

Making disciples of Jesus Christ through Worship, Discipleship, Fellowship, Ministry, and Mission.

We Hear a Word from the Lord

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Psalm 91-9-1, Mark 10:35-45

Children's Message

Sermon Being Great Rev. Sylvia Karcher

We Respond in Joyful Service

***Hymn** O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee 357

Affirmation of Faith

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

Joys and Concerns/Prayer of Intercession/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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory for ever. Amen

Call for the Offering

Jesus came not to be served but to serve. Let us follow this example and share our gifts so that we may also experience the joys and challenges of serving.

Offering

Dedication

Parent God, may this offering assist us in continuing Christ's work in the world to heal the grief, transgressions, and illnesses that oppress and harm your creation. Amen.

***Doxology** Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow 592

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

We Go forth to Serve

***Hymn** Creator of Mountains #10 (Make a Joyful Noise)

***Charge**

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

**We invite you to stand if you are comfortable standing.
Join us after worship for Refreshments and Fellowship
Nursery care available for children up to 3 years of age
All musical lyrics are printed under authority of CCLI #1014630
Please silence your cell phones during worship.*

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CORONA

Pastor (Transitional Pastor) Henry DeGraaff
Administrative Assistant Judy Hanson/Marilyn Mittelstadt
Accompanist Delia E. Martinez-Samojluk
Treasurer Terrie Burbank
Bookkeeper Teri White
Web Servant Judy Hanson

SMALL GROUPS / ORGANIZATIONS

Adult Bible Study Sunday 9:30 AM
Community Bible Study Tuesday 9:30-11:30 AM
Loving Needles Group 3rd Tuesday 6:30 PM & 4th Saturday 10:00 AM
Women's Breakfast 4th Saturday, Original Pancake House, Norco, 8:00 AM

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Joys & Concerns

Marilyn - Pete is having surgery on Tuesday at Kaiser Fontana; friend, Diana Scofield, has Celiac disease; is having further testing this week. Henry - all affected by hurricanes. Sue - Percy (friend who teaches with her) has dialysis weekly and is having further problems. Joyce, thanks for prayers about her hand; prayer for all who have been abused and to bring all together. Mike - his sheriff partner passed away this week. Teri - Vivian had surgery on her elbow and is back home; her sister is here taking care of her.

Continuing Prayers

Prayers for our country and elected ones. All people, law enforcement & civilians, affected by current violence in this country. Lynn Rodisch - healing. Pete - healing. Kofi - prayer. Loren Nelson - continued prayer.

**Please Pray During Week of October 21, 2018 for
The families of:**
* Gerry Lister
* Stan & Elaine Lively