

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ There will be a **congregational meeting** after worship **TODAY**, for the purpose of electing elders and deacons. Your vote is important. Please plan to attend.
- ◆ If you have not paid your **Per Capita Apportionment (PCA)**, you may still do so. Per Capita giving is a method of funding some of the essential functions of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A). PCA provides for the financial participation of all local churches (on a per member basis) as a part of a connectional and representative church, thus providing for unity and mutual responsibility within the Church. The amount per member is \$35.
- ◆ **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—1pm



November 18, 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 God the Sculptor of the Mountains

*Call to Worship

One: Come worship the Lord who is in our midst today.

All: There is no Holy One like our God.

One: Like Hannah of old, we raise our voices to praise the Lord of strength.

All: There is no Rock like our God.

One: We prepare to listen and learn with open hearts and open minds.

All: There is no Source of knowledge like our God.

One: We trust that righteousness will come on the heels of God's judgment.

All: There is no Justice like our God.

One: May the Son of our God lead us into faith. There is no Guide like our God. Come, let us worship the Lord.

***Hymn** I Will Call Upon the Lord

Prayer of Confession

Rock of Salvation, you give children to the barren and strength to the feeble; you exalt the poor and lift up the needy. We praise your holy name from morning to night, yet we build walls that separate us: from you, from one another, from the world, even from ourselves. We place stumbling blocks in the way of goodness and truth. We are led astray by promises of earthly treasure. We confess our fallibility and seek solace in the mother of our joy. Teach us to pray and praise without pause, confessing hope ceaselessly. Guide us in our efforts to encourage one another, to work together for good in the world, and to prepare for the day of the Lord. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

Our hearts are sprinkled clean and our bodies washed with the water of God's love. Through the gift of Jesus Christ, God assures us that we are pardoned, forgiven, absolved, and released from our sin. Amen.

	DATE	TIME	
Sun.	Nov. 18	9:30 AM	Adult Sunday School
		10:30 AM	Worship (Lock-up: Terrie Burbank)
Wed.	Nov. 21	9:00 AM	Sacred Space Prayer group, meet at the church
Thurs.	Nov. 22		Have a blessed Thanksgiving
Sat.	Nov. 24	8:00 AM	Women's breakfast, Original Pancake House, Norco
		9:45 AM	Loving Needles

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.

***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**

We Hear a Word from the Lord

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Mark 13:1-8
***Hymn** I Love You, Lord #36 (Make a Joyful Noise)

Children’s Message

Sermon Get Ready for Thanksgiving Rev. Henry DeGraaff

We Respond in Joyful Service

Affirmation of Faith

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God’s image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community.

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

Offering

***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** What Wondrous Love is This 85

***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

Henry - Elaine for comfort at the loss of her husband, Stan. Marilyn - joy that Pete’s skin graft surgery was successful; prayers for friend Lynne and daughter Rachel at the passing of Rachel’s husband, Kevin. Kelly Killion’s friend has family in Paradise who lost their homes. Teri - Squeak’s Aunt Cherie is battling cancer again; starting chemo this week. Joy to have Rochelle in worship today with daughter, Jaime. Prayers for all affected by fires and shooting. Sarah - prayers for the people of Cameroon; her brother was shot. Margie - prayers for safety of Janice Horner’s family in Thousand Oaks. Delia - Seventh Day Adventist Church in Paradise has been lost. Terrie - prayers for her friend, Wendy, who had a stroke this week. Kathy Shepardson - prayers for Karen who is in deep depression. Ryan Marie - prayers for her sister who had surgery for a cracked sternum. Rylie - prayers for her friend, Avery, whose grandfather and cousin both passed away.

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 November 18, 2018 for
The families of:**
* John & Qi Liu Nyeango
* Alison Osborne