

Worship Bulletin of the United Methodist Church of Vista

August 29, 2021 10:00 a.m. 14th Sunday after Pentecost

Please be aware: For best conservation and stewardship practice, the worship bulletin will not be printed from the office. The order of Worship and weekly information will be on the screens, and continue to be emailed to your use.

Gathering

Gathering Music with Praise Band

Pastoral Welcome with Rev. Frank Hallock

Opening Prayer with Dakota Koenig

God, our Mystery and Power, there is no other God like you in heaven above or earth below, keeping covenant

and steadfast love with all who walk before you with pure and upright hearts. Fill our lives with your glory.

Give us the strength and the power to withstand the forces of evil at work in our lives and in our world. Amen.

Song of Welcome
"My Life is in You, Lord"
Words and Music: Daniel Gardner

Praise Band

*Children's Time (and released to Sunday School) with Rev. Frank Hallock



Sharing the Word

Scripture with Barbara Mitchell James 1:17-27 in the New Testament (NRSV)

Proclamation of the Word Word of God, for the people of God. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Message No Random Acts of Kindness Rev. Sandra K. Olewine, South District Superintendent

Song of the Word "Better is One Day"

Words and Music: Matt Redman

Praise Band Pastoral Prayer with Rev. Frank Hallock

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.

Response to the Word

Special Music "Raindrop Prelude - Op. 28, No. 15" Music: Frédéric Chopin Adam Ferrara, Piano

*Call to Mission: The Boys and Girls Club of Vista, hosted by Dr. Richard Muir Invitation and Dedication: Prayer



Generous, giving God; we offer our gifts to you in gratitude for all the blessings you rain down upon us.

Your sunshine warms us, your earth feeds us, and your word nourishes us. We give our money, ourselves, our time and energy, that we may be doers of your word and not just hearers only. We ask your blessing upon our time, talents and treasures. Amen.

Commissioned into the World

Song of Sending

"Are Ye Able" (Vs. 1 & 2)

Words: Earl Marlatt Music: Harry S. Mason Adam Ferrara, Organ

Benediction

Postlude "Trumpet Tune" Music: Adam Ferrara Adam Ferrara, Organ

Please keep the aisles clear for safety and fire code enforcement. Wheelchair seating is available; please speak to an usher.

Reminder: Please turn off the sound on your cell phone during worship so that others can enjoy and stay focused on worship. Thank you.

Partners in Ministry: Lead Pastor, Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw (on sabbatical) and Associate Pastor of Music and Visitation. Rev. Frank Hallock

^{**}Please wait to leave until the pastors have recessed.



Music Acknowledgements

Praise Band: Greg Rye, Roy Good, Jimmy Patton, Adam Ferrara, Heather Clarke and Barbara Mitchell

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Announcements

The Call to Mission and Offering highlights our response to God's love through our action, service and financial support. Each week we pray for a community partner, special project and/or people who are making a difference in our community and world. The United Methodist Church and this local congregation live our faith through our giving in many ways. Your giving starts here and is multiplied by God. Thank you.



Our Call to Mission and Offering inspiration is The Boys and Girls Club of Vista. Providing a safe place for children and young people to gather after school, learn and study, join groups focused on music, farming and life skills. Founded in Vista, CA in 1963, this long-standing club is at the heart of Vista, changing lives and helping young people grow into thriving adults. For more information contact Tommy Thomson.

We welcome to the pulpit: Rev. Sandra K. Olewine, South District Superintendent of the California Pacific

Annual conference. Rev. Olewine has served with Rev. Dr. James Lawson, Jr., served as a Missionary in Jerusalem for over 10 years, and been a delegate to General and Jurisdictional Conferences. She has served churches in Long Beach, San Diego and Pasadena. Pastor Sandy is a gifted leader and pastoral presence in our district and annual conference.

Next week: Welcome to Vista UMC, Rev. Jan Wiley and Rev. Mark Wiley are a clergy couple, both ordained elders, retired, in the United Methodist Church. They have served churches from Point Loma UMC to Cal-Heights UMC, La Mesa 1st UMC to Claremont UMC. They are creative leaders who've served the church with creativity and compassion. Be sure to ask about their awesome children and grandchildren.

The Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets Friday mornings, 7:30 a.m. at Pegah's Kitchen, 945 South Santa Fe Avenue in Vista. Men and friends of UMC Vista are invited! Contact Tom Humphrey or Jim McGlocklin for more information.

Flowers for Birthdays, Anniversaries and Special Events - Is there someone or something you would like to recognize and celebrate? Let us know WHAT and WHEN you would like & Flowers; and Michael Beu will create a Flower Slide just for you. Please click on this link: http://specialeventslides.umcvista.org/ to fill out a form in order to request the flowers.

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