

Love God, Love One Another, Love the World



Notes:

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May 18  
2025

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9:30 am  
Sun

## A RINGERS' INVITATION

**Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus**

George J. Webb, arr. Berry and Valey

(Praise Ringers)

## WELCOME AND GREETING

## RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELLS

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Frank Serdy

## PRELUDE

**Medley: 'Come Thou Fount of Every  
Blessing,' 'Have Thine Own Way, Lord'**

John Wyeth/George C. Stebbins

arr. Berry and Valey

(Praise Ringers)

## OPENING HYMN

**Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing**

(TRURO) # 206

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Romans 6:3-4

Don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were  
baptized into his death?

**We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order  
that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the  
Father, we too may live a new life.**

## INVOCATION

## HYMN

**Baptized in Water**

(BUNESSAN) #790

## APOSTLE'S CREED

## OFFERTORY

**A Joyful Flourish** (*Rigaudon*)

Andre Campra, arr. Leavitt

(Praise Ringers)

## OFFERTORY RESPONSE

#900, vs. 6 (sung to TRURO)

Praise to the Fa-ther, Christ, His Word,  
and to the Spir-it: God the Lord,  
to Whom all hon-or, glo-ry be  
both now and for e-ter-ni-ty

## PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SCRIPTURE

Romans 8:14-17; 1 John 3:11-18

## SERMON

Pastor Marc Castro

**Join the Family**

## HYMN OF RESPONSE

**Who You Say I Am**

Ben Fielding, Reuben Morgan

## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

**Festival Voluntary (Op. 87)**

Flor Peeters

# HAPPENING THIS WEEK

MONDAY

Office Closed, Quilts of Valor 9 am, Reasonable Faith 7 pm

TUESDAY

Quilters 9:30 am, YarnWorks 10 am, Prayer call 1:30 pm, Martial Arts 6 pm

WEDNESDAY

Final meeting of the season for JAM 5:30 pm

THURSDAY

No Events Scheduled.

FRIDAY

Martial Arts 6 pm

SATURDAY

No Events Scheduled

SUNDAY

Worship Service 9:30am



June 16th-20th  
6:00-8:00 p.m.  
St. Paul's VBS  
2025



Scan Code  
to Register

For kids  
ages 3-11

Free family dinner  
at 5:30 p.m.



**JAM**  
JESUS AND ME

**Come Join the Fun!**

**LAST JAM OF THE  
SEASON THIS  
WEDNESDAY  
5:30 - 7 PM**

**Save the  
Date:  
Townhall  
Meeting**

**11 am,  
Sunday,  
June 1**



Scan to visit  
the website



**5K**  
Race for Reconciliation

**Saturday, June 14  
8:30 am  
Registration  
begins May 13**

RUN

WALK

VOLUNTEER

**SEE PASTOR MARC  
FOR DETAILS**

## ***Intercessory Prayer List***

Please call the church office to place a prayer request on our list. Prayers will remain on the list for one month unless you call to request an extension or update.

- **Eileen Carlson**, for relief of back pain and better bone strength.
- **Gloria Charlwood**, hospitalized after a fall. Now at NHC; for rehab success.
- **Gabby**, Lynn May's granddaughter, relief of stomach pain, for correct diagnosis.
- **April Gemignani**, has 4 more chemo treatments. Pray for strength and energy.
- **Keaton**, the van Dyk's neighbor, with a recurrent and growing brain tumor. Will be getting stem cell replacement therapy and aggressive chemo and radiation.
- **Ron Kroese**, the late Naomi Lebsock's brother dealing with Alzheimer's.
- **Dwight Holmon**, prayers for God's healing of congestive heart failure.
- **Trinity Lamb**, 4-year-old friend of the Robys continues rehab at Ranken Jordan.
- **Chris Lanier**, Son-in-law of the Salzman's. Colon cancer spread to kidney. Had surgery which was more extensive than expected. For complete healing.
- **Cathy Miller**, Susan Harrod's sister with cancer and heart issues. Healing.
- **Vicki Moore**, Mary Smith's friend, very weak after quadruple bypass. Now home, for full recovery so she can resume her active life.
- **Greg Paquette**, having right shoulder replacement June 2; success and healing.
- **Martha Rochat**, Sieglinde Schnellbacher's friend with two broken bones in her lower left leg. For complete healing and restored mobility.
- **Janet Rolle**, had A-fib ablation 5/16. For success and return to regular heartbeat.
- **Matthew Rose**, Joyce Sabine's friend battling cancer.
- **Edward Samuels**, Carolyn MacLean's son who had triple bypass, good healing.
- **Kathy Schafer**, Janet Rolle's friend who fell at Costco and hurt her leg. For successful rehab in time to be at her granddaughter's wedding.
- **Doris Smith**, Lynn and Jan's mother, doing well but on hospice. Strength and peace for the family.
- **Carole Stahlhut**, for doctors to adjust medications correctly and find answers.
- **Tracy Steo**, Mother, Margy, in Mercy South Rehab, for healing. Father, Fred, for healing and cooperation. Strength, wisdom and peace for their care givers.
- **Fred Triebe**, prayers for successful chemotherapy cancer treatments.
- **Brian Thomas**, for success in seeking employment.
- **Kathy Schultz**, with lymphoma, seeing the oncologist late May for treatment plan. For patience and pain management. Praise, her cancer is very treatable.
- **Warren Stulac**, the Thomas's friend on outpatient maintenance treatment for leukemia. Protection from infections, strength, and ability to take college courses.
- **Missions: Derrill and Becky Martin**, Cross-Country Partnerships for Asia: Praise for an encouraging CCPA Virtual Gathering with the exciting news on the growth of gospel leaders and house churches in the Southern Philippines. God is at work! Pray for additional western churches to support those ministering to unreached people groups. Pray for the Martin's financial support which has unexpectedly been reduced in recent months.