

# TUSTIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WORSHIP



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July 20, 2025

10:00 a.m.

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## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The livestream for this service can be accessed from our main YouTube page: <http://bit.ly/TPC-YouTube-Page> The livestream will begin several minutes before the service begins. Feel free to tune in whenever you are ready. If you prefer to view the service later, the video will be available soon after the service has concluded.

## WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

*No matter where you come from or where you're going, no matter what you believe or what you doubt, no matter what you feel or just don't feel today, no matter whom you love, you are welcome into this space to be met by a God who knows you by name, who knows your heart, who knows your mind, and...who wants to have a relationship with you*

*When the prelude begins, please silence your cell phones and prepare your hearts and minds for worship.*

## PRELUDE

*arr. by Piet Post (1919–1979)*

### Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word

Makena James, Organ

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## IN THE LIFE

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Steve

We will sing of the Lord's great love forever;  
***With our mouths we will make Your faithfulness known  
through all generations.***

We will declare that Your love stands firm forever,  
***And we will worship You with our whole hearts.***

*Adapted from Psalm 89:1-2*

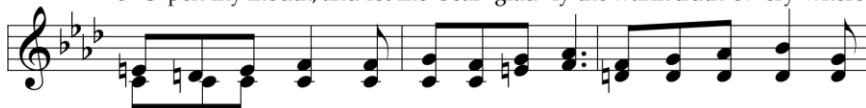
### \* OPENING HYMN

Hymn No. 451

#### Open My Eyes, That I May See



- 1 O-pen my eyes, that I may see glimps-es of truth thou hast for me.
- 2 O-pen my ears, that I may hear voic-es of truth thou send-est clear.
- 3 O-pen my mouth, and let me bear glad-ly the warm truth ev-ery-where.



Place in my hands the won-der-ful key that shall un-clasp and  
And while the wave notes fall on my ear, ev-ery-thing false will  
O - pen my heart, and let me pre-pare love with thy chil-dren



set me free. Si-lent-ly now I wait for thee, read-y, my God, thy  
dis-ap-pear. Si-lent-ly now I wait for thee, read-y, my God, thy  
thus to share. Si-lent-ly now I wait for thee, read-y, my God, thy



will to see. O-pen my eyes; il-lu-mine me, Spir-it di-vine!  
will to see. O-pen my ears; il-lu-mine me, Spir-it di-vine!  
will to see. O-pen my heart; il-lu-mine me, Spir-it di-vine!

TEXT and MUSIC: Clara H. Scott, 1895

## \* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Martha Connely, Liturgist

*Lord, You are the source of all we need.  
As we live our lives connected to You,  
we find the gentle strength  
to flourish in a world that is often hostile to You  
and to Your followers.  
It is that connection that lets Your love flow into us  
and gives us the ability to love and care for each other,  
and beyond that, to those who are hurting  
and oppressed in our world.  
Forgive us for the times  
we have failed to allow Your love to shine forth.  
Help us to see ourselves as You see us,  
and allow Your gentle strength to grow in us,  
so that we may be able to care for those who need us  
to offer Your love and forgiveness in their time of need.  
Amen.*

## \* A MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR PERSONAL CONFESSION

## \* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, forgiveness comes from God,  
who does not count our sin against us.  
For God has reconciled us through Christ,  
and entrusts to us the message of reconciliation.  
Believe the gospel!  
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.  
*Thanks be to God.*

## \* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.  
***And also with you.***

*We invite you to share the peace of Christ in whatever way feels comfortable to you—whether with a handshake, a friendly wave, or a simple "Peace be with you."*

## \* GLORIA

Hymn No. 583

### Glory to God

Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glo - ry in the high - est!  
Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

TEXT: Trad. liturgical text MUSIC: Jacques Berthier, 1979 Music © 1979, 1981 Les Presses de Taizé (admin. GIA Publications, Inc.)

## WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

### CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Lori Ruff-Schmalenberger

*The children will remain seated. Following the Children's Moment, the children are invited to be escorted to Sunday School.*

### BLESSING OUR CHILDREN

Hymn No. 47, Verse 1

#### Bless All Who Trust in God

1 Bless all who trust in God and walk with - in God's ways;  
bless ev - ery soul whose hap - pi - ness springs from the Lord's own praise!

TEXT: David Mowbray, 1989, alt. MUSIC: Johann B. König, 1738; arr. William Henry Havergal, 1847  
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### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

***Speak to us, O Lord our God,  
and let the fire of Your Spirit  
burn brightly in our hearts.  
Open our minds to receive  
the wisdom of the law,  
the hope of the prophets,  
and the life of the gospel:  
Jesus Christ, Your living Word.  
Amen.***

## FIRST LESSON

Old Testament, Page 495

### Psalm 15

O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill?

<sup>2</sup>Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart; <sup>3</sup>who do not slander with their tongue, and do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors; <sup>4</sup>in whose eyes the wicked are despised, but who honor those who fear the Lord; who stand by their oath even to their hurt; <sup>5</sup>who do not lend money at interest, and do not take a bribe against the innocent.

Those who do these things shall never be moved.

## ANTHEM

*Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)*

### Esurientes from Magnificat

Bekka Knauer, Alto

He has filled the hungry with good [things], and the rich he has sent away empty.

## SECOND LESSON

New Testament, Pages 198-199

### Philippians 4:8-9

<sup>8</sup>Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. <sup>9</sup>Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

The Word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

## SERMON

Pastor Steve

### A Perfect Failure

# GIVE THANKS TO GOD

## Choral Call to Prayer

### Prayers of the People

We ask that You make us a beacon of Your love  
to our community...

We acknowledge our need for Your wisdom...

We ask for strength to trust You with our future...

We pray for wisdom as we find our way in this new world...

We thank You for walking with us through the story  
of our lives...

We pray for healing of every kind for all...

We pray for those who are struggling to find hope...

We offer You our hearts for You to change...

We offer ourselves to be Your hands, feet, and voices...

### Lord's Prayer (Traditional)

*Glory to God, Page 35*

***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, forever.***

***Amen.***

## PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741)

#### Qui sedes ad dexteram patri from Gloria

Bekka Knauer, Alto

You who sit at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

### \* OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Hymn No. 708, Verse 1

#### We Give Thee but Thine Own



1 We give thee but thine own, what - e'er the gift may be;  
all that we have is thine a - lone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

TEXT: William Walsham How, c. 1858 MUSIC: Mason and Webb's *Cantica Laudis*, 1850

### \* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***Blessed are You, God of all creation;  
through Your goodness  
we have these gifts to share.  
Accept and use our offerings for Your glory  
and for the service of Your kingdom.  
Amen.***

## GO IN GOD'S NAME

**\* CLOSING HYMN**

Hymn No. 634

**To God Be the Glory**



1 To God be the glo - ry; great things he has done!  
2 Great things he has taught us; great things he has done,  
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
and great our re - joic - ing through Je - sus the Son;  
who yield - ed his life an a - tone - ment for sin,  
but pur - er and high - er and great - er will be  
and o - pened the life - gate that all may go in.  
our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.  
*Refrain*  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the peo - ple re - joice!  
O come to the Fa - ther through Je - sus the Son,  
and give him the glo - ry: great things he has done!

TEXT: Fanny Jane Crosby, 1875 MUSIC: William Howard Doane, 1875

**\* BENEDICTION AND BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

**POSTLUDE**

*arr. by Makena James*

**Une Jeune Fillette**  
Makena James, Organ