



# Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

July 28, 2024

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# Order of Worship

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To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to all who will come,  
this church opens wide her doors  
and offers welcome  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## REFLECTIONS

God always uses imperfect people in imperfect situations to accomplish his perfect will. No one is unusable by God.

-Rick Warren

God can draw a straight line with a crooked stick.

-Martin Luther

Sanctification will be marked by penitence more than perfection.

-Kevin DeYoung

## WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

————— TIME OF PRAISE —————

## CALL TO WORSHIP\*

Psalms 96

Leader: Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise;  
he is to be feared above all gods.  
For all the gods of the nations are idols,  
but the LORD made the heavens.

**People: Splendor and majesty are before him;  
strength and glory are in his sanctuary.**

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name.

**All: Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness.  
Hallelujah!**

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

*As a courtesy, please set all communication devices to silent. Thank you.*

**HYMN OF ADORATION\***

Trinity Hymnal #296 (1,3,5)

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!*

**PRAYER OF ADORATION & INVOCATION**

**SONGS OF PRAISE\***

*Jesus Messiah  
The Lord Is My Salvation*

\_\_\_\_\_ TIME OF RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_

**CALL TO RENEWAL**

1 John 3:23-24

And this is his command: to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us. The one who keeps God’s commands lives in him, and he in them. And this is how we know that he lives in us: We know it by the Spirit he gave us.

**CONFESSION OF SIN**

Almighty God, we confess how much we struggle to be your people, living in a manner worthy of our calling. You have called us to be the church, to continue the mission of Jesus Christ to our lost and confused world. Yet we acknowledge that we are more apathetic than active, isolated than involved, callous than compassionate, obstinate than obedient, legalistic than loving. Gracious Lord, have mercy on us and forgive our sins because of the saving work of your Son, Jesus Christ. Remove the obstacles preventing us from being Your representatives to a broken world. Awaken our hearts to the promised gift of Your indwelling Spirit who gives us power to be your witnesses. Amen.

**PRIVATE CONFESSION & REFLECTION**

**WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT**

Psalm 86:4-5

Bring joy to your servant, Lord, for I put my trust in you. You, Lord, are forgiving and good, abounding in love to all who call to you.

**HYMN OF RESPONSE\***

Trinity Hymnal #261 (1,2,3)

*What Wondrous Love Is This*

TIME OF COMMITMENT

**TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

*Giving an offering is one way for members and friends of BAPC to support the church’s mission and ministry. If you are our guest today, please do not feel under any obligation to give.*

Online  
*Please visit  
bapc.org/give*

Cash or Check  
*Lobby box or mailed  
to the church office*

Text Message  
*Text "Give" to  
833-921-6502*

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

Courtney

*There Will I Be*

**DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN FOR CHILDREN’S CHURCH**

*Children ages 4 years through 2nd grade are invited to attend Children’s Church in Room 103. If you and your child have not yet received matching security tags, please accompany them to the table in the lobby for check-in.*

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

## SCRIPTURE

Numbers 20:1-13

**20** In the first month the whole Israelite community arrived at the Desert of Zin, and they stayed at Kadesh. There Miriam died and was buried.

<sup>2</sup> Now there was no water for the community, and the people gathered in opposition to Moses and Aaron. <sup>3</sup> They quarreled with Moses and said, “If only we had died when our brothers fell dead before the Lord! <sup>4</sup> Why did you bring the Lord’s community into this wilderness, that we and our livestock should die here? <sup>5</sup> Why did you bring us up out of Egypt to this terrible place? It has no grain or figs, grapevines or pomegranates. And there is no water to drink!”

<sup>6</sup> Moses and Aaron went from the assembly to the entrance to the tent of meeting and fell facedown, and the glory of the Lord appeared to them. <sup>7</sup> The Lord said to Moses, <sup>8</sup> “Take the staff, and you and your brother Aaron gather the assembly together. Speak to that rock before their eyes and it will pour out its water. You will bring water out of the rock for the community so they and their livestock can drink.”

<sup>9</sup> So Moses took the staff from the Lord’s presence, just as he commanded him. <sup>10</sup> He and Aaron gathered the assembly together in front of the rock and Moses said to them, “Listen, you rebels, must we bring you water out of this rock?” <sup>11</sup> Then Moses raised his arm and struck the rock twice with his staff. Water gushed out, and the community and their livestock drank.

<sup>12</sup> But the Lord said to Moses and Aaron, “Because you did not trust in me enough to honor me as holy in the sight of the Israelites, you will not bring this community into the land I give them.”

<sup>13</sup> These were the waters of Meribah, where the Israelites quarreled with the Lord and where he was proved holy among them.

## MESSAGE

*Pastor Chris Yates*

Saints and Sinners of the Old Testament  
*Moses: A First Repenter*

## SONG OF RESPONSE\*

*O Church Arise*

## BENEDICTION\*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Welcome! We're glad you are here with us today.**  
**To find out more about our upcoming events, studies, and more**  
**please visit [bapc.org/announcements](http://bapc.org/announcements)**

Today	High School Girls' Book Study	4pm
7/31	Women's Book Study	10am
8/3	4BDRN Work Day	8am
8/4	Communion Sunday	10:30am
8/4	High School Girls' Book Study	4pm
8/4	Sunday Supper	5:30pm

*\*\*Please note that the Middle and High School Youth Groups will not meet on Wednesdays during the month of July.*



### **Saturday Serve with 4B Disaster Response Network** **August 3, 8am-12pm**

We're joining forces with the 4B Disaster Response Network to repair and care for local homes damaged by natural disasters like Hurricane Beryl. No experience or tools necessary; open to teens and adults ages 12+. Free childcare provided at BAPC- sign up at [bapc.org/missions!](http://bapc.org/missions!)



### **Sunday Supper** **August 4, 5:30pm**

Eat, fellowship, and grow in community with us! This month, the main dish will be pork loin sandwiches. RSVP and sign up to bring a side dish or dessert at [bapc.org/announcements](http://bapc.org/announcements). We plan to have waterslides and wading pools for the kids, so don't forget swimsuits and towels!

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## VOLUNTEER ROTATION

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### **Elder of the Day**

Today: Curtis Briggs  
Next Week: Mike Smith

### **Deacon of the Day**

Today: Dennis Radford  
Next Week: Steve Ramsey

### **Coffee & Donuts**

Today: Ethan Bouck  
Next Week: Clay McCarty

### **Communion Preparation**

August: Linda Hendrickson  
September: Kathryn Felts

### **Greeters**

Today: Marilyn Smith + Eric Simpson  
Next Week: Cathy Mahlstedt + Amy Antill

### **Infant Nursery**

Today: Sonia Benitez  
Next Week: Kathryn Felts

### **Toddler Nursery**

Today: Sidor Family  
Next Week: Jessica Dill  
+ Rachael Beth Henry

### **Children's Church**

Today: Andrew Boone  
Next Week: Whitney Kelley

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## CHURCH MINISTRIES

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### **MEN'S MINISTRY**



### **Men's Friday Fellowship** **Friday, August 9 at 7pm**

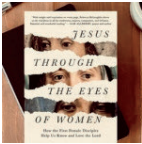
Meet a few new faces and grow your relationship with familiar ones at our upcoming Friday Fellowship! Bring your favorite snack and beverage to share and meet us at the Radford home.



### **Men's Bible Study** **A Father's Invitation to Wisdom**

What is wisdom and how can we get it? Join us on the third Friday of each month at 7pm as we dive into Proverbs together.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

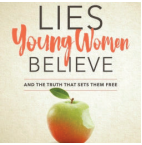


Summer Book Study  
Wednesdays at 10am

Grow in your love for Christ as we see him through the eyes of the women in the Gospels!

We meet on Wednesdays at 10am in the conference room. To sign up, please contact the church office.

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



High School Girls' Book Study  
Sundays at 4pm

Calling all high school girls! Dive into 'Lies Young Women Believe and the Truth That Sets Them Free' with us. Together, we'll

read about and discuss 25 lies we commonly believe- on topics like our identity, guys, and God- and learn how we can be set free by the truth. For more details, contact Annie Briggs.



High School Back to School Bash  
Friday, August 23, 6-9pm

High school students are invited to a night out at Main Event Entertainment, as we kick off the new school year! Cost is \$10/student, RSVP to Curtis Briggs.

MISSIONS UPDATE

July Missionary of the Month  
Kurt & Jill

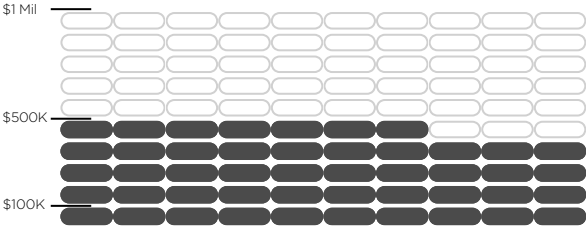
Kurt and Jill serve with Mission to the World (MTW) in Europe on a church-planting team reaching South Asians. Through the years Kurt has worked with national pastors and church leaders to facilitate church planting in a European city. In 2009 he took over the leadership for the team on the east side of the city. Kurt and Jill currently work alongside nationals to develop local leaders and plant churches. Their ministry includes evangelism, discipleship, teaching, and equipping leaders. Please pray for them as they seek to impact others with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

NEHEMIAH PROJECT

Initial Goal Period  
November 2023-2024

Amount Pledged: \$311,070  
Amount Received: \$477,849  
Current Mortgage Balance: \$521,285

*Additional principal payments will be made on the last day of each month.*



Pledged Received

Pledge Cards Collected: 17

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL AT BAY AREA PRESBYTERIAN

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### **Adults**

Sermon on the Mount, Room 88

### **9th - 12th Grade**

Sermon on the Mount, Room 88

### **5th - 8th Grade**

Implementing God's Word, Room 91

### **2nd - 4th Grade**

The Lord's Prayer, Room 104

### **PreK - 1st Grade**

The Lord's Prayer, Room 107

### **Nursery**

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

Infant Nursery, Room 106

*\*Children in PreK-2nd grade begin the Sunday School with a time of singing and musical instruction from our Choir Director, Kathy Wright.*

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## GIVING UPDATE

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### **Monthly Giving**

July Giving Goal: TBD

July Actual Giving: \$38,967

*Final budget and giving goal to be approved by the Session by July 31, 2024*

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## STAFF & LEADERSHIP

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Chris Yates, Pastor

Kaitlin Fenner, Director of Business Operations

Whitney Kelley, Director of Communications & Media

Traci Lewis, Director of Accounting

Hannah Stahl, Director of Youth & Children's Ministries

Kathy Wright, Director of Choirs

### **Elders**

Curtis Briggs

Chris D'Souza

Mike Smith

### **Deacons**

John Cover

Dennis Radford

Steve Ramsey