



Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 29, 2025

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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

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.

-Proverbs 15:1

Wrath turns our love of justice into a thirst for vengeance.

-Rebecca DeYoung

The underlying message of highly angry people is "things oughta go my way."

-The American Psychological Association

Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret—it leads only to evil.

-Psalm 37:8

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME OF PRAISE

CALL TO WORSHIP*

Psalm 116

Leader: We love the LORD, for he heard our voice;
he heard our cry for mercy.

**People: Because he turned his ear to us,
We will call on him as long as we live.**

Leader: The LORD is gracious and righteous;
our God is full of compassion.

**People: The LORD protects the simple;
when we were brought low, he saved us.**

Leader: For you, LORD, have delivered us from death,
our eyes from tears, our feet from stumbling.

**People: What shall we return to the LORD
for all his goodness to us?**

**All: We will lift up the cup of salvation
and call on the name of the LORD. Hallelujah!**

**Please stand if you are able.*

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

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HYMN OF ADORATION*

Trinity Hymnal #301 (1,2,3,5)

Join All the Glorious Names

PRAYER OF ADORATION & INVOCATION

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Larger Catechism No. 144

Leader: What are the duties required in the ninth commandment?

All: The duties required in the ninth commandment are, the preserving and promoting of truth between each other, and the good name of our neighbor, as well as our own; appearing and standing for the truth; and from the heart, sincerely, freely, clearly, and fully, speaking the truth, and only the truth, in matters of judgment and justice, and in all other things whatsoever; a charitable respect of our neighbors; loving, desiring, and rejoicing in their good name.

SONGS OF PRAISE*

*Oh How Good It Is
Christus Victor (Amen)*

CONFESSION OF SIN

God our Father,

We confess to you and to one another that we have been quick to anger, and slow to mercy.

We have paid back abuse with abuse, hatred with hatred, and violence with violence.

For this, the world does not always see you in us.

Make us people of mercy and love.

Pour out your Spirit of grace upon us, so that we would overflow with love not just for one another, but for those who call us their enemies.

In Jesus name,

Amen

PRIVATE CONFESSION & REFLECTION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Ephesians 2:4-7

But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus.

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

Trinity Hymnal #252 (1,2,3,4)

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *(concluding with the 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,
forever and ever. Amen.

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

Osler, Paul

Hallelujah! Praise the Lord!

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.*

SCRIPTURE

Mark 3:1-6

³ Another time Jesus went into the synagogue, and a man with a shriveled hand was there. ² Some of them were looking for a reason to accuse Jesus, so they watched him closely to see if he would heal him on the Sabbath. ³ Jesus said to the man with the shriveled hand, “Stand up in front of everyone.” ⁴ Then Jesus asked them, “Which is lawful on the Sabbath: to do good or to do evil, to save life or to kill?” But they remained silent. ⁵ He looked around at them in anger and, deeply distressed at their stubborn hearts, said to the man, “Stretch out your hand.” He stretched it out, and his hand was completely restored. ⁶ Then the Pharisees went out and began to plot with the Herodians how they might kill Jesus.

MESSAGE

Pastor Chris Yates

The Death of the Seven Deadly Sins
The Anger That Kills, the Grace That Heals

SONG OF RESPONSE*

You've Already Won

BENEDICTION*

PREPARATION FOR THE LORD’S SUPPER

Westminster Larger Catechism No. 97

Leader: What is required to be worthy of receiving the Lord’s Supper?

All: **It is required of those who would receive the Lord’s Supper worthily that they examine themselves, as to their knowledge to discern the Lord’s body, as to their faith to feed on Him, and as to their repentance, love, and new obedience; lest, coming unworthily, they eat and drink judgment on themselves.**

SERMON OUTLINE

- I. The Vice: Wrath — The Anger That Protects Self-Interest
(Mark 3:2, 6)

- II. The Virtue: Mercy — Love That Sees Injustice and Seeks Justice
(Mark 3:4-5a)

- III. The Victory: Grace That Heals — Mercy That Acts to Make Things Right (Mark 3:5b)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

**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**

Today	Senior High Girls' Book Study (Briggs Home)	4pm
7/1	The Orchard: College & Career Small Group	7pm
7/2	Choir Rehearsal	7pm
7/6	Communion	10:30am
7/6	Grace of God (Reunion Court)	1:30pm
7/6	Senior High Girls' Book Study (Briggs Home)	4pm
7/6	July Sunday Supper	5:30pm



Lord's Supper

Next Sunday, July 6th

We will celebrate communion together next Sunday during worship. As we approach the table, we invite you to take time this week to prepare your heart through prayer, confession, and reflection on Christ's sacrifice and grace.



Sunday Supper

Next Sunday, 5:30pm

Save the date for our next Sunday Supper as we celebrate Independence Day with hot dogs, hamburgers, popsicles, a waterslide, and more as we eat and fellowship together!

Please RSVP at bapc.org/announcements



Grace of God Ministry

First & Third Sundays, 1:30-3pm

We're looking for volunteers to join us next Sunday or July 20th as we lead local seniors in hymns, a brief devotional, and fellowship over refreshments. Interested in joining us as we connect these residents to Christ's community? Please see the lobby table, Cathy Mahlstedt, or Clay McCarty for details.



The Gathering Table

A BAPC Cookbook

We're creating a church cookbook and would love for you to be part of it. Whether it's a go-to entrée, a cherished dessert, or your best grilled masterpiece, we want to include it! Submit your recipes at bapc.org/cookbook by July 31.

VOLUNTEER ROTATION

Elder of the Day

Today: B. Calhoun
Next Week: C. Briggs

Deacon of the Day

Today: S. Ramsey
Next Week: S. Ramsey

Nursery (9am)

Today: TBD
Next Week: C. Mahlstedt + R. Farland

Communion Preparation

July: C. McCarty
August: Lindblom Family

Greeters

Today: S. Tuck + G. Briggs
Next Week: C. Benavides + N. Penley

Infant Nursery (10:30am)

Today: J. Dill
Next Week: K. Felts

Coffee & Donuts

Today: E. Stahl
Next Week: C. McCarty

Children's Church

Today: Kroese Family
Next Week: TBD

Toddler Nursery (10:30am)

Today: Sidor Family
Next Week: R. Sidor + J. Kroese

MEN'S MINISTRY



Men's Bible Study
July 18, 7pm

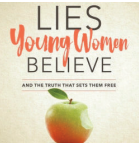
Join us for a monthly study through Job, taught by BAPC men's ministry leaders. Together we'll explore what this book teaches about suffering, faith, and God's sovereignty.

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY



Youth Group July Break

All youth groups will be taking the month of July off from our weekly Wednesday night gatherings but we'll be back in August with a month of social events. Have a rising 5th or 9th grader? They're invited to join us on Wednesday, September 3rd as we begin our fall Youth Groups!



Senior High Girls' Book Study
Sundays, 4pm

Girls entering 9th-12th grades are invited to look at the lies we commonly believe about ourselves, God, guys, media, and more- and find out how to be set free by the truth of the Gospel. This study meets weekly at the Briggs home. Books can be purchased at amazon.com or bapc.org/youth.

MISSIONS UPDATE

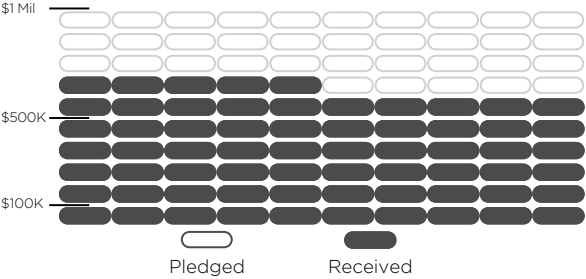
July Missionary of the Month
Kurt & Jill

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

Second Year Goal Period
November 2024-2025

Amount Pledged: \$1,500
Amount Received: \$35,700



Principal Paid (Nov 2023-Present): \$658,259
Current Mortgage Balance: \$374,953

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

Adults

The Hard Sayings of the Bible, Room 88

9th - 12th Grade

Pastoral Epistles, Youth Room

5th - 8th Grade

Bible Survey: Exodus-Ruth, Room 91

3rd - 4th Grade

Trusting God, Room 104

1st - 2nd Grade

Growing in God, Room 102

PreK - Kindergarten

God Created All Things, Room 107

Nursery

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

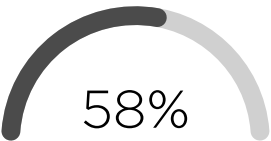
Infant Nursery, Room 106

**Children in PreK-2nd grade begin the Sunday School hour in Room 105 with a time of singing and musical instruction from our Choir Director, Kathy Wright.*

GIVING UPDATE

Monthly Giving

June Giving Goal: \$70,902
June Actual Giving: \$40,922
Amount Under: (\$29,980)



Annual Giving

July 2024-June 2025 Annual Budget Goal: \$737,381
Received as of 6/22/25: \$659,373
Amount Needed to Reach Annual Goal: \$78,008
Year To Da Budget Shortfall: (\$63,828)



STAFF & LEADERSHIP

Chris Yates, Pastor
Kaitlin Fenner, Director of Business Operations
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Marcy Ramsey, Assistant to the Pastor
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