



Bay Area

PRESBYTERIAN

ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 21, 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

The Evangelist says that this was done, while Judas already resolved to betray Christ, not only to show the wonderful patience of Christ, who could endure to wash the feet of such a wicked and detestable traitor; but also that he purposely selected the time when he was near death, for performing what may be regarded as the last act of his life.

-John Calvin

Judas Iscariot was not a greatly wicked person, just a common money-lover.

-AW Tozer

Judas Iscariot had the best small-group experience anybody has ever had. Judas Iscariot had the best preacher anybody has ever had. Judas Iscariot had the most incredible moral example anybody ever had. He had the most incredible training anybody ever had.

-Tim Keller

The Christ who is betrayed by Judas will not betray you. He will not only wipe away every tear from your eye, he will right every wrong.

-Kevin DeYoung

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME OF PRAISE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 118

Leader: Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

**People: Let those who fear the LORD say:
"His love endures forever."**

Leader: I will give you thanks, for you answered me;
you have become my salvation.

**People: The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;**

Leader: the LORD has done this,
and it is marvelous in our eyes.

**All: This is the day that the LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

**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 #100 (1,2,3,4)

Holy, Holy, Holy!

PRAYER OF ADORATION & INVOCATION

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg No. 27

Leader: What do you understand by the providence of God?

All: **Providence is**
the almighty and ever present power of God
by which he upholds, as with his hand,
heaven
and earth
and all creatures,
and so rules them that
leaf and blade,
rain and drought,
fruitful and lean years,
food and drink,
health and sickness,
prosperity and poverty—
all things, in fact, come to us
not by chance
but from his fatherly hand.

SONGS OF PRAISE*

Behold Our God
10,000 Reasons

CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord of Hosts, we come before you today in great reverence. We recognize that while it was Judas who betrayed you for 30 pieces of silver, that we often betray you as well. You know what is right, what is good for us. We know that we belong to you. Called to serve, we often serve ourselves. Called to humility, we exalt ourselves. Called to love, we choose to love only those who love us back. But in your Word you give us a different path to walk. A humble path where all are worthy of our love and respect. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, we ask for your forgiveness. Amen.

PRIVATE CONFESSION & REFLECTION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Daniel 9:8-9

We and our kings, our princes and our ancestors are covered with shame, LORD, because we have sinned against you. The Lord our God is merciful and forgiving, even though we have rebelled against him.

SONG OF ASSURANCE*

Arise, My Soul, Arise

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

Martin

For Everything A Time

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 *(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.

SCRIPTURE

John 13:18-38

¹⁸ “I am not referring to all of you; I know those I have chosen. But this is to fulfill this passage of Scripture: ‘He who shared my bread has turned against me.’

¹⁹ “I am telling you now before it happens, so that when it does happen you will believe that I am who I am. ²⁰ Very truly I tell you, whoever accepts anyone I send accepts me; and whoever accepts me accepts the one who sent me.”

²¹ After he had said this, Jesus was troubled in spirit and testified, “Very truly I tell you, one of you is going to betray me.”

²² His disciples stared at one another, at a loss to know which of them he meant. ²³ One of them, the disciple whom Jesus loved, was reclining next to him. ²⁴ Simon Peter motioned to this disciple and said, “Ask him which one he means.”

²⁵ Leaning back against Jesus, he asked him, “Lord, who is it?”

²⁶ Jesus answered, “It is the one to whom I will give this piece of bread when I have dipped it in the dish.” Then, dipping the piece of bread, he gave it to Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot. ²⁷ As soon as Judas took the bread, Satan entered into him.

So Jesus told him, “What you are about to do, do quickly.” ²⁸ But no one at the meal understood why Jesus said this to him. ²⁹ Since Judas had charge of the money, some thought Jesus was telling him to buy what was needed for the festival, or to give something to the poor. ³⁰ As soon as Judas had taken the bread, he went out. And it was night.

³¹ When he was gone, Jesus said, “Now the Son of Man is glorified and God is glorified in him. ³² If God is glorified in him, God will glorify the Son in himself, and will glorify him at once.

³³ “My children, I will be with you only a little longer. You will look for me, and just as I told the Jews, so I tell you now: Where I am going, you cannot come.

³⁴ “A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. ³⁵ By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.”

³⁶ Simon Peter asked him, “Lord, where are you going?”

Jesus replied, “Where I am going, you cannot follow now, but you will follow later.”

³⁷ Peter asked, “Lord, why can’t I follow you now? I will lay down my life for you.”

³⁸ Then Jesus answered, “Will you really lay down your life for me? Very truly I tell you, before the rooster crows, you will disown me three times!

MESSAGE

Pastor Chris Yates

The Farewell Discourse: Life Together in the Spirit
Betraying Jesus

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

Trinity Hymnal #172 (1,2,4,5)

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

BENEDICTION*

NOTES

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	Women's Bible Study: Mark	9am
Today	Grace of God Ministry (Morada)	1:30pm
Today	High School Girls' Book Study	4pm
Today	Monthly Prayer Group	6pm
9/22	Women's Bible Study: Mark (Zoom)	7:30pm
9/23	The Orchard: College & Career Small Group	7pm
9/24	Women's Bible Study: Mark	10am & 7pm
9/24	Youth Group	7pm
9/27	Men's Breakfast	8am

Please note that there will be no choir rehearsal on September 24, 2025.



Discover BAPC
Wednesdays at 7pm, beginning 10/1

Want to learn more about who we are, what we believe, and how to become a member?
Join us for a 5-week class led by Pastor Chris! Sign up at bapc.org/discover.



Chili Cook Off
Sunday, October 5, 5:30pm

Join us for fellowship and a tasty contest of skill as we crown our next Chili Champion! To attend Sunday Supper, or to sign up as a cook off competitor, please visit bapc.org/announcements.
Not a chili chef? Bring your favorite side dish or dessert instead!



Casserole Sale Fundraiser
Sunday October 5, 12pm

The Missions Committee will be hosting a casserole sale to raise funds for our 2026 mission trip. Swing by the conference room after worship on October 5th to pick up a homemade dinner for just \$25!



Spread the Gospel through Children's Church!

Shadow a current volunteer and see if Children's Church is a good fit for you! Children's Church includes a Bible story, simple craft, and playground time. All materials and supplies provided! Interested or have questions? Visit bapc.org/cc or see Hannah Stahl.

VOLUNTEER ROTATION

Elder of the Day

Today: C. Briggs
Next Week: B. Calhoun

Deacon of the Day

Today: A. Kroese
Next Week: J. Cover

Nursery (9am)

Today: C. Mahlstedt + J. Farland
Next Week: M. Kang + G. Briggs

Communion Preparation

October: L. Hendrickson
November: C. McCarty

Greeters

Today: Shaw Family
Next Week: Gilbert Family

Infant Nursery (10:30am)

Today: J. Dill
Next Week: TBD

Coffee & Donuts

Today: C. McCarty
Next Week: E. Stahl

Children's Church

Today: Kroese Family
Next Week: Simpson Family

Toddler Nursery (10:30am)

Today: W. Kelley + B. Ohmes
+ T. Bouck
Next Week: Porter Family + L. Hilmers

SMALL GROUPS



Fall Small Groups
Sign Up Open in the Lobby

We were created for community! Small Groups are a great way to grow in your love for God and deepen your relationships with others. Check out the groups in the lobby today!

WOMEN'S MINISTRY



Women's Bible Study
Sundays, Mondays, and Wednesdays

Journey through the Gospel of Mark with us as we see Jesus in action and learn to follow Him more closely. This study meets in person and via Zoom. Find out more at bapc.org/women!

MEN'S MINISTRY



Men's Breakfast
Friday, September 27, 8am

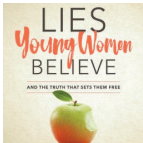
Join the men of BAPC for breakfast, a devotional, and discussion on Hebrews 1:5-2:18!

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY



Youth Service Night
October 1, 7pm

Middle and high school students are invited to a night of service, friendly competition, treats, and fun as we fold and prepare Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes! Wear your most festive Christmas attire and meet us at 7pm.



Senior High Girls' Book Study
Sundays at 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.

MISSIONS UPDATE



Missionary of the Month
Jody Collinge

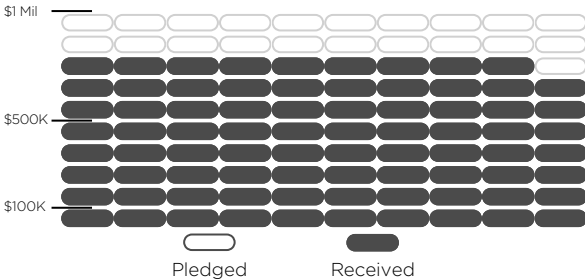
Jody Collinge works with community health evangelism ministries around the world through the Global CHE Network.

She primarily develops training materials and works with Children's CHE, or community health evangelism with children. CHE is an integral or wholistic ministry, bringing health and wholeness in Christ through Christian community development. While not traveling, Jody works with children in Zihuatanejo, Mexico. Jody requests prayer for the Global CHE Network service team and the many teams doing CHE and Children's CHE in Africa and around the world.

NEHEMIAH PROJECT

Second Year Goal Period
November 2024-2025

Amount Pledged: \$1,500
Amount Received: \$156,679



Principal Paid (Nov 2023-Present): \$799,275
Current Mortgage Balance: \$232,286

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

Adults

Colossians, Room 88

9th - 12th Grade

Ecclesiastes, Youth Room

5th - 8th Grade

Philippians/John, Room 91

3rd - 4th Grade

God’s Design for Worship, Room 104

1st - 2nd Grade

Knowing Jesus, Room 102

PreK - Kindergarten

Jesus Storybook Bible, Room 107

Nursery

Toddler Nursery, Room 108

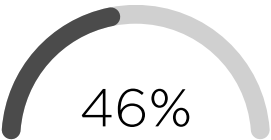
Infant Nursery, Room 109

**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

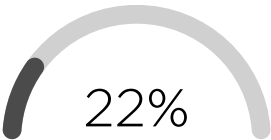
Monthly Giving

September Giving Goal: \$53,846
September Actual Giving: \$24,743
Amount Under: (\$29,103)



Annual Giving

July 2025-June 2026 Annual Budget Goal: \$700,000
Received as of 9/14/25: \$152,059
Amount Needed to Reach Annual Goal: \$547,941
Year To Date Budget Shortfall: (\$0)



STAFF & LEADERSHIP

Chris Yates, Pastor
Kaitlin Fenner, Director of Business Operations
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