

This Week at PDCPC

Today, March 14

9:30 am Worship in the Courtyard Garrard Courtyard
Sprouts Kid's Ministry PDCPC Playground/online Vimeo
6:00 pm Roots for High School Students Schmall's Home

Monday, March 15

1:00 pm Lectio Divina via Zoom
3:30 pm Roots for Middle School via Zoom

Tuesday, March 16

6:30 pm Lectio Divina via Zoom

Wednesday, March 17

6:00 pm Journey to the Cross Lenten Bible Study via Zoom

Thursday, March 18

1:00 pm Grief Share via Zoom

Friday, March 19

9:00 am Scripture Reflection and Guided Prayer online Vimeo

Saturday, March 20

No Scheduled Activities

Sunday, March 21

9:30 am Worship in the Courtyard Garrard Courtyard
Sprouts Kid's Ministry PDCPC Playground/online Vimeo
10:45 am Congregational Meeting Garrard Courtyard
6:00 pm Roots for High School Students Schmall's Home

Please take note...

A congregational meeting will take place on Sunday, March 21, following the morning worship service to approve changes to PDCPC's by-laws regarding the Nominating Committee's responsibilities. If you are a covenant partner of PDCPC, you are eligible to vote.

Our Staff

David Ludwig, Pastor
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Please remember in prayer...

Myra Cargo
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Diane Heffler
Joyce Hall
Judy Howard
Lesley Hu
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Zac Kissinger
John & Joan Larsen
Don Loux
Larry Magerkurth
Peter Mark
Katherine Meek
Lee Merryman

Katherine Remmers
Judi Rogers
Connie Roller
Michael Romanelli
Hope Alejos
Charley Sanchez
Lenore & Rachael Santmyer
Paul Schipper
Jim & Kim Sheehy
Casey & Michelle Stewart
John Temple
Rev. Orchid Van Beek
Michael Vanderdussen
Diane Weiser
Jennie & Harry Wilson
Elizabeth Witte

Also, our mission partners and missionaries...

Aim Air—Bev & Jim Streit
AMOR Ministries—Jon and Kirstie Wilson
Coachella Valley Rescue Mission
Good News Jail—Dan & Shirley Matsche
Hands of Luke—Carmen Sameniego
Hands of Mercy
Horizons International—Georges Houssney
Kairos Prison Ministry
Mama's House
Micah Project—Rebecca & John Bell
MMS Aviation—Chuck & Kathy Egbert
Our Call Missions—Keith and Lisa Coggins
Pioneers (EMAF)—Marcio & Damaris Garcia
Project Med Send—Morgan Boardman
Read with Me
Seeds of Joy



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Palm Desert Community Presbyterian Church

Sunday, March 14, 2021

Organ Prelude—Pange Lingua
—Nathan Sobers (*Recorded*)

Welcome —David Ludwig

Announcements—Kathy Aposhian

Moment for Ministry—Nathan Sobers

Moment of Reflection—Kathy Aposhian

Call to Worship—Scott Anderson

Read Responsively:

Leader: O Christ, out of your fullness
we have all received grace upon grace.

**Everyone: You are our eternal hope;
you are patient and full of mercy;
you are generous to all who call upon you.**

Men: Save us, Lord.

Leader: O Christ, fountain of life and holiness,

**Everyone: You have taken away our sins. On the cross
you were wounded for our transgressions
and were bruised for our iniquities.**

Women: Save us, Lord.

Leader: O Christ, obedient unto death,

**Everyone: You are the source of all comfort,
our life and our resurrection,
our peace and reconciliation:**

Men: Save us, Lord.

Leader: O Christ, Savior of all who trust you,

**Everyone: You are the hope of all who die in you,
and joy of all the saints:**

Women: Save us, Lord.

Leader: Jesus, Lamb of God,

Everyone: Have mercy on us.

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord,
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt,
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured,
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

[Refrain]

Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within!
Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that is greater than all our sin!

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold,
Threaten the soul with infinite loss;
Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold,
Points to the refuge, the mighty cross.

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide—
What can avail to wash it away?
Look! There is flowing a crimson tide;
Whiter than snow you may be today.

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

—Kathy Aposhian

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Beneath the cross of Jesus I fain would take my stand;
The shadow of a mighty rock within a weary land,
A home within the wilderness, a rest upon the way
From the burning of the noontide heat
and the burden of the day.

Upon the cross of Jesus mine eye at times can see
The very dying form of One who suffered there for me.
And from my smitten heart, with tears, these wonders I confess:
The wonder of His glorious love, and my unworthiness.

I take, O cross, thy shadow for my abiding place;
I ask no other sunshine than the sunshine of His face;
Content to let the world go by, to know no gain nor loss,
My sinful self- my only shame, my glory- all the cross.

O How He Loves You and Me

O How He loves you and me!
O how He loves you and me!
He gave His life;
What more could He give?
O how He loves you;
O how He loves me;
O how He loves you and me!

Jesus to Calv'ry did go;
His love for sinners to show.
What He did there
bro't hope from despair.
O how He loves you;
O how He loves me;
O how He loves you and me!

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

— Diana Schlabach

Everyone:

Our Father, which 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, for ever. Amen.

The Giving of God's People—Scott Anderson

Mighty Is the Power of the Cross

—Julie Anderson, Ruthanna Metzgar
Scott Anderson, Andrew Sanderson;
Carla Paul, piano; Elaine Greenwood, violin

Doxology *(Congregation stands)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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Today's Message—David Ludwig

"The Way of Grace"
Ephesians 2:1-10

There Is a Redeemer

There is a Redeemer-Jesus, God's own Son;
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

(Refrain)

Thank you, O my Father, for giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

Jesus, my Redeemer, Name above all names;
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Hope for sinners slain.

Blessing and Benediction—David Ludwig

We Love You, Praise You

We love You, praise You, give You the glory;
Love You, praise You, give You the glory.
We love You, praise You, give You the glory.
Honor Your holy name.
(Repeat)

Organ Postlude—Lift High the Cross

—Nathan Sobers, Organist *(Recorded)*

