



ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 12, 2015

**indicates a time to stand if you are able*

PRELUDE

Dr. Christopher Davis

GREETING

Rev. Suzanne Malloy

PASTOR: This is the day that the Lord has made!

PEOPLE: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

* PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you.

OTHER: And also with you.

* SONG OF GATHERING "Let Us Build a House" vs. 1,2 *on screens*

* CALL TO WORSHIP *responsive* Paraphrase of Psalm 23 *Chris Hoeckley*

ONE: We rejoice in the One who leads us along the waters of glassy calm and frenzied sprays.

MANY: We rest in meadowlands of vibrant green, where our souls find renewal and refreshment.

ONE: The Shepherd walks alongside us in places of darkness, and comforts and protects us with rod and staff.

MANY: Even when we are surrounded by evildoing, God blesses us and sustains us with an unending reservoir of living water.

ONE: Certainly the love and mercy of the Lord shall never depart,

ALL: So long as we live as one family in the house of God.

* SONG OF PRAISE "I Sing Praises" *Renew!, #79*

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION *unison*

Gentle Shepherd, you guide us in right paths, and instruct us in right ways. Yet, we have allowed our anger, our greed and our self-righteousness to direct our paths. We overreact, overspend and overindulge. We underwhelm, underachieve and underestimate your power. Forgive us, Lord, for not following your ways. Forgive us for not remembering that we are your sheep, and you are our shepherd. Forgive us when we have closed our ears to your voice of reassurance. Guide us back to your path, that we may grasp your outstretched hand of forgiveness and confidently stride forward in neighborly love. In the name of Christ our Shepherd, we pray. Amen

SILENT AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

SUNG PRAYER OF INTROSPECTION "Search Me, O God" *on screens*

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS *responsive*

ONE: Who is in a position to condemn?

MANY: Only Jesus Christ. Yet this gentle shepherd died for us.

ONE: Christ rose for us.

MANY: Christ still leads us.

ONE: Christ prays for us. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel!

MANY: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

ONE: Give praise to God!

ALL: Hallelujah!

SONG OF RESPONSE "Seek Ye First" Hymnal, #333

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Numbers 17:1-13

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Psalm 23" *Annie Thompson and Christopher Davis*

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN *Caroline Willsie*

SENDING SONG "Jesus Loves Me!" vs. 1 Hymnal, #304

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Luke 6:39-49

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

AN INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD We Love to Tell the Story *Rev. Suzanne Malloy*
"A Story of Sticks"

* **HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Let Us Build a House" vs. 4,5 *on screens*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

This is an intentional time of expressing our gratitude to God. Whether you have an offering this Sunday or not, take the plate, feel its touch in your hands, give thanks to God and bless all that is given this day.

* **DOXOLOGY** Hymnal, #592

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING**

* **SONG OF CONVICTION** "O, for a World" Hymnal, #386

* **BENEDICTION**

* **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "God Be with You Till We Meet Again" *on screens*

* **POSTLUDE** *Dr. Christopher Davis*

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE: Greeter: Cree Mann; Liturgist: Chris Hoeckley; Children's Sermon: Caroline Willsie



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

This week I will pray for:

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

<p>12 9:30a Worship 9:45a Church School 10:30a Coffee Fellowship 11a Religion Scholars</p> <p>2-4p Interfaith Pride Celebration- Sunken Gardens</p> <p>2p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p>13</p> <p>3p Cerebral Palsy</p> <p>7p AA Grateful Group</p>	<p>14 6:45a Men's Fellowship Group</p> <p>11:30a Naomi Circle</p>	<p>15</p> <p>1p Parkinsons</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p> <p>7p AA Success</p>	<p>16</p> <p>1p Parkinson's</p>	<p>17</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p>18</p> <p>9a Church Work Day</p> <p>1p Watercolor Painting</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GUESTS Please stop by our Welcome Table this morning for information about St. Andrew's mission and programs. *Please fill out the blue Welcome Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate as it comes by today.*

RELIGION SCHOLARS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE TODAY AT 11AM in Morgan Hall. Welcome visiting scholars from UCSB's Religious Pluralism Institute to worship followed by a conversation about faith, American religion, and the many faiths and cultures represented by these scholars. This program's visit has been fascinating in the past, and this year should be every bit as interesting.

NO PYF TONIGHT. PYF SUNDAY, JULY 19, 5-7p.m. Prayer Partners Shop & Bingo. Meet at the church at 5:00p.m.. We'll be going on an outing to the mall with our Prayer Partners for shopping for Foster Teen birthday gifts. Then back to the church for Bingo and dinner.

SUMMER WEEKEND OF CARING THIS AFTERNOON 2 - 4PM: Interfaith Pride Celebration at the Sunken Gardens, SB County Courthouse. Speakers, presentations, refreshments. Places are still available to join the St. Andrew's team at this event.

THE WIDOWS GROUP will meet on Sunday, July 19, 4p.m. at the home of Cree Mann. We will carpool to the Wilcox property for a walk followed by a picnic in Cree's back yard. Please bring a brown bag dinner and drink, dessert will be provided. For questions or directions call Cree at 682-8550.

MEMORIAL EXHIBITION. The exhibit "**We Remember Them: Acts of Love and Compassion in Isla Vista,**" has been extended through August 13, Monday - Thursday 11a.m.-4p.m. This student-run exhibit spans over 6,000 square feet in eight exhibit rooms is open to the public and free of charge. Location: Building 479 (The Red Barn/Old Gym), next to the bus loop by South Hall on the UCSB campus. More information available at www.library.ucsb.edu/we-remember-them

OFFERINGS OF PRAYER

Joys and Concerns from last Sunday's Worship Service

Please note – On Sundays, joys and concerns may be written down on the forms provided in the sanctuary lobby. They will be displayed on the screens during the prayer time. Prayers may also be submitted by email to standrewsprayers@gmail.com by 7:00p.m. each Saturday. Please indicate in your email whether we can share your joys and concerns with the congregation by email and on the church website.

Concerns

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Concern</u>
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Joys

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Joy</u>
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Ongoing Prayer Requests

Those who have been ill or injured:

David Benson, Miller Breese, Ernie & Betty Brooks, Patricia Collins, Nettie Graham, Brad Naegle, Carole Wallace

Please let us know of changes we should make in the Prayer List.

Those in convalescent care:

Mission Terrace: Lisa Moore

St. John's Hospital, Camarillo: Liz McNeil

Valle Verde Health Center: Bob McWilliams

Vista Del Monte Health Center: Joan Cyr and Barbara Hagen