

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Woodland

Bulletin, August 21, 2022

(9:00 AM Zoom Worship Service)



“Witness Where???”

(We welcome you. Whoever you are, wherever you are from, wherever you are in your faith journey, whomever you love, whatever your ethnicity or first language, whatever your past, regardless of your abilities, and whether you are rich or poor or in between...you are welcome here.)

Musical Prelude—Jay Surdell

Our shared life together, aka, announcements

Here are some things our church is doing this week which just might help us look a bit more like that Spirit filled church in the book of Acts.

Call to Worship—Larry Love

Opening Song—“*Spirit*” *Chalice Hymnal* #249

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,
blow through the wilderness calling and free,
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness,
stir me from placidness,
wind, wind on the sea.

1. You moved on the waters,
you called to the deep,
then you coaxed up the mountains
from the valleys of sleep;

and over the eons you called to each thing,
"Awake from your slumbers
and rise on your wings."

2. You swept through the desert,
you stung with the sand,
and you gifted your people with a law and a land,
when they were confounded
with idols and lies,
then you spoke through your prophets
to open their eyes.
3. You sang in a stable,
you cried from a hill,
then you whispered in silence
when the whole world was still,
and down in the city
you called once again
when you blew through your people
on the rush of the wind.
4. You call from tomorrow,
you break ancient schemes,
from the bondage of sorrow
the captives dream dreams;
our women see visions,
our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions
your people arise.

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Opening Prayer—Unison—Larry Love

Living God, your powerful Spirit
made the apostles bold on the day of Pentecost,
and set them free from self-consciousness and fear
to proclaim the good news of God's reign present in Jesus Christ.
As we are together here for praise and prayer,
fill us with the same Spirit,
so that we may be bold to proclaim the good news again,
to the ends of the earth that all people may be blessed;
to the honor of your great name
and to the praise of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Response—“*Spirit of the Living God*” *Chalice Hymnal* #259

Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me,
fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.

Words and Music: Daniel Iverson

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Scripture Text—*Acts 8:4-8; Acts 10:25-36, 44-48*—Larry Love

Special Music—Jay Surdell

Sermon Text—*Acts 1:6-8*—Larry Love

Reader: *The message of God for the people of God.*

All: Thanks be to God.

Message—“*Witness Where???*”—Pastor Larry Love

Song of Commitment—“*Fill the World with Love*” *Chalice Hymnal* #467

(*Verses #1 & 4*)

1. With the vision in our minds of how the world could be,
and the fullness of our hearts from the suffering we see;
when we make all that we are and have part of God’s destiny,
we can fill the world with love, we can fill the world with love.
4. Let us hesitate no longer in our doubt and our dismay;
there’s a pow’r at work within us that has promised a new day.
And the time will surely come, it will not be long delayed
when God fills the world with love, when God fills the world with love.

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Pastoral Prayer and 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 the evil:
for thine is the kingdom, and the power
and the glory, forever, and ever.
Amen. Amen.

Responsive Song—“*O Lord, Hear My Prayer*” *Chalice Praise* #104

O Lord, hear my prayer; O Lord, hear my prayer. When I call, answer me.
O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer. Come and listen to me.

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Communion Call and Prayer—Larry Love

Words of Institution—Communion—Peace—Prayer—Larry Love

Closing Song—“*One Spirit of Love*” #151 in *Chalice Praise*
(Verses #1 & 3)

1. Many are the wonders of God, many doors open wide,
many roads that are still untraveled.
Many are the gifts that we share; many burdens we bear,
many mysteries still unraveled.

Refrain:

Many gifts, one spirit of love, one spirit of love.
Many gifts, one spirit of love, one spirit of love.

3. Living as the body of Christ and the heart of the earth
and the hands that will break new ground.
Celebrate the gifts from within; now it's time to begin.
God's people can turn the world around now.

Refrain:

Many gifts, one spirit of love, one spirit of love.
Many gifts, one spirit of love, one spirit of love.
One spirit of love, one spirit of love.

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Benediction

Announcements

- *Childcare for infants to 5 years old is available each Sunday on the second floor of the Education Building.*
- Today—Zoom worship, 9 a.m.
- Today—In Person worship, 10:30 a.m. There will also be a Zoom link for this service.
- Today—Fellowship time in Parker Hall after worship.
- Monday—Fellowship time in the library, 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Bible study via Zoom, 10:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Prayer time via Zoom, 11:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Board meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- Wednesday Bible Study will resume in September
- Next Sunday—Welcome Table Worship, 8 a.m. Contact Beja Springer for Zoom link.
- Next Sunday—Zoom worship, 9:00 a.m.
- Next Sunday—In person worship, 10:30 a.m. There will also be a Zoom link sent out for this service.
- Larry's hours in the church office are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Thursday.
- Pastor Larry's days off are Friday and Saturday.

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Prayer Requests:

Thanks for:

- God's gift of Jesus of Nazareth...and the inspiration of the early church's life and ministry.
- Word that **Alice Manus** (friend to many in this church) is doing better after being hospitalized for over a year.

Prayers of concern for:

- The people of **Ukraine, Russia, and the whole world** in face of the Russian invasion of Ukraine. Prayers for peace.
- Afghan women suffering as a result of Taliban rule.
- **Julie Felix, Diana Fallbeck's daughter...and A. J.'s mother**, recovering after a hospital stay with COVID related pneumonia.
- **Beth Kyburz, friend of JoAnn Jasper and Maria Jenkins**, dealing with health issues.
- **Marj Hansen** as she has moved to Florence, Oregon.
- **Cathie Wicks, Katie and Abby Wilmot** in the wake of a tragic family death in Oregon.
- **Ben Bohren**, former CCNC-N regional minister recovering from surgery.
- **Jim Stockton, Linda Henigan's brother** who is now dealing with cancer.
- Our church as we seek to be led by God into the life-giving future God has for us.
- **Diane Frank's friend, Wendy**, whose husband's lymphoma has returned after 12 years.
- **Red and Curtis Shockley** as life is a little unsettled for them in Georgia.
- **Gary Gordon, Becky Gordon's brother-in-law**, undergoing cancer treatment.
- **Jeffrey Murphy, son of Bill and Jan Powell's neighbors**. Jeff has stage 4 colon cancer.
- **Laura Daggett's mother** dealing with Lupis, **brother** dealing with mental health issues...and **the brother of Laura's neighbor** who is dying of cancer.
- **Leigh Dieckmann** diagnosed with an eye disorder called solar retinopathy, extreme light sensitivity, and severe chronic pain.
- **Patty Short-Lyster-Overfield** - loss of Winnie Pearl, Buddy Boy and life changes.
- **James McKinney, Michelle McKinney's husband and Patty Short-Lyster-Overfield's son-in-law**, fell from a tree and is in pain and sore
- **Mike Lyster, Michelle McKinney father**, homelessness and dealing with mental illness
- **Janese Jenkins**, who is hospitalized for treatment in Berkeley.
- Prayers for the healing of our country in this deeply divided time.

Ongoing prayers for:

Joyce Henning, Jim Craig (Heather Craig's uncle), Ricardo Rico, Katharine (Patty Overfield's mother), Alberta and Phil Bradley

CAN YOU HELP?

We are in need of volunteers for Worship Leaders, Children's Moment story tellers and folks to provide flowers for Sunday worship. Can you help?

Please contact Sue Tarleton at 916-709-8556 of mmmanor@aol.com

THANKS SO MUCH

Need Help for our Special Music

Summer is here and we are in need of people to help out with our Special Music during our Worship Service. We are looking for individuals or group, singers or instrumentalist to help out. We only need to cover 1 more Sunday (9/4/) for the summer. (We'll have more opportunities during the rest of the year ... about once a month.)

If you are interested, please contact Greg in the office at (530) 662-9356 or email gmhayakawa@yahoo.com. Thank you!

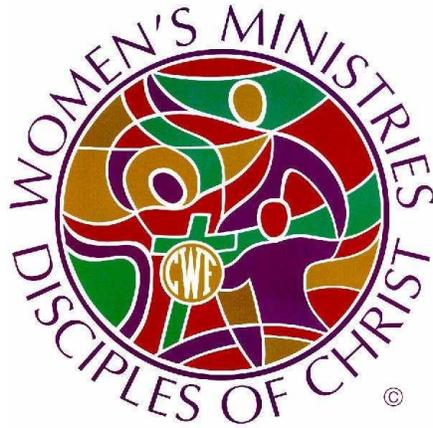
LOCKS ON DOORS

Our ADA crew is hard at work—and we have been reminded that **no one** can place locks on any doors in the church or education building without checking with PJ or Richard and Nancy West. Most doors are possible fire exits and locks cannot be put on them.

VACATION

Greg Hayakawa will be out of the office from Wednesday, August 17th through Friday, August 26th. He'll be back in the office on Monday, August 29th. Greg and his wife will be helping their daughter, Jordan, move back in to her campus apartment at Ithaca College in New York. Then they will travel to Aurora, IL (just outside of Chicago) to see their other daughter in her performance as Joan in Paramount Theatre's production of *Fun Home*.





WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT

SAVE THE DATE

September 16th, 6 – 8 pm

and

September 17th, 10 am-3pm

Theme: Reignite Your Light: Dare to Dream

Join us as we dare to dream about the future of Women's Ministry. Come share your hopes, wishes, and prayers for this dynamic ministry with other women around the region.



Speaker: Rev. Teresa "Terri" Hord Owens

*General Minister and President of the Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ) in the United States and Canada.*

American Muslim Voice

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Woodland Mosque & Islamic Center

**Saturday
9-24-2022**



**11 AM
to
3:30 PM**

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All fellow Americans regardless of their
Race , Religion , Color or sex
are cordially invited with family to join us.

**A complimentary catered Pakistani Cuisine
Buffet Lunch will be served to all.**

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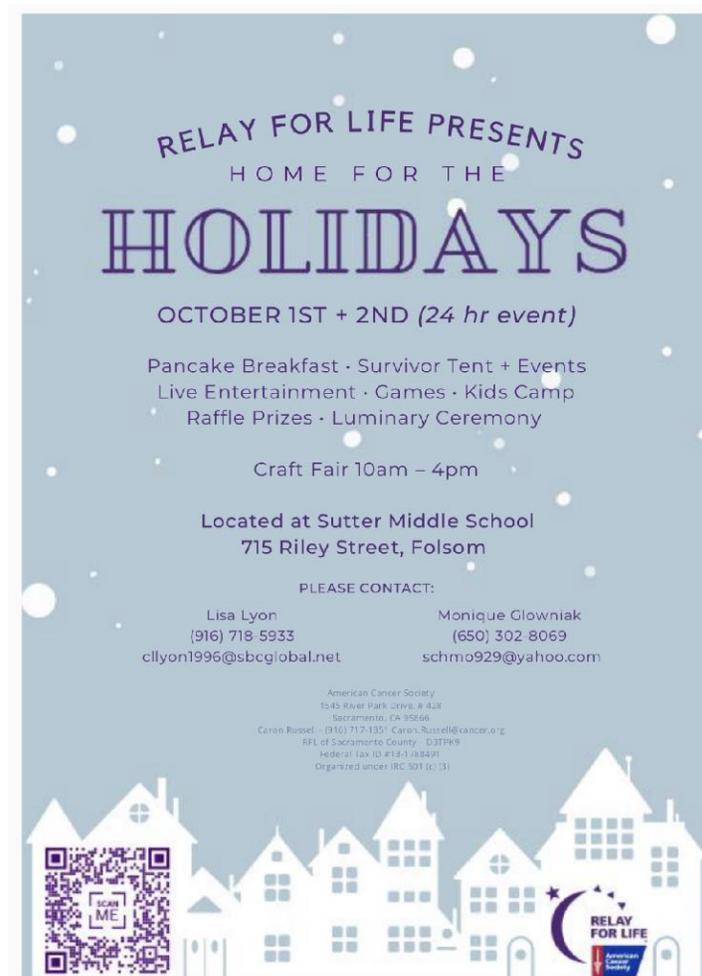
These flamingos will nest in your yard for @ 2 days.
For a \$20 donation, a trained technician will flock the yard of your choice.
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Contact **Michelle** at (530) 554-6568 or **Sarah** at (530) 402-3972

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Live Entertainment • Games • Kids Camp
Raffle Prizes • Luminary Ceremony

Craft Fair 10am – 4pm

Located at Sutter Middle School
715 Riley Street, Folsom

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