

# Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Woodland

Bulletin, August 14, 2022  
(9:00 AM Zoom Worship Service)



*The Empty Tomb*

## *“God’s Stamp of Approval”*

(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**—“*Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!*” *Chalice Hymnal #222*

1. Christ is risen! Shout hosanna! Celebrate this day of days.  
Christ is risen! Hush in wonder; all creation is amazed.  
In the desert all-surrounding, see, a spreading tree has grown.  
Healing leaves of grace abounding bring a taste of love unknown.
2. Christ is risen! Raise your spirits from the caverns of despair.  
Walk with gladness in the morning. See what love can do and dare.  
Drink the wine of resurrection, not a servant, but a friend;

Jesus is our strong companion. Joy and peace shall never end.

3. Christ is risen! Earth and heaven nevermore shall be the same.  
Break the bread of new creation where the world is still in pain.  
Tell its grim, demonic chorus: "Christ is risen! Get you gone!"  
God the first and last is with us. Sing Hosanna everyone!

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**Opening Prayer**—Unison—Larry Love

God of life, we rejoice in your love  
which has filled creation from the beginning  
and which calls all life into being.

We praise you for Jesus Christ  
who reveals most fully your loving purpose for all people.

We bless you for your Spirit  
who draws all humanity into the circle of your tender love.

Gracious God, bless us with your presence  
so that our worship and our lives  
may be a true celebration of your love in Jesus Christ,  
in whose name we pray. Amen.

**Response**—*"Open Our Eyes, Lord"*--Chalice Praise #44

Open our eyes, Lord,  
we want to see Jesus,  
to reach out and touch him,  
and say that we love him.

Open our ears, Lord,  
and help us to listen.

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Words and Music: Bob Cull

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**Scripture Text**— *Luke 23:33-38, 44-49*—Larry Love

**Special Music**—Jay Surdell

**Sermon Text**— *Luke 24:1-12*—Larry Love

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

**All:** Thanks be to God.

**Message**—“*God’s Stamp of Approval*”—Pastor Larry Love

**Song of Commitment**—“*Sing of One Who Walks Besides Us*” *Chalice Hymnal #231*  
(Verses #1 & 3)

1. Sing of one who walks beside us  
and this day is living still,  
one who now is closer to us  
than the thoughts our hearts distill,  
Christ who once upon a hilltop,  
raised against the power of sin,  
died in love as his own creatures  
crucified their God and Friend!
3. Risen one, stay with us, raise us,  
once again the night is near.  
Dine with us and share your wisdom,  
free our hearts from ev’ry fear.  
In the calm of each new evening,  
in the freshness of each dawn,  
if you hold us fast in friendship  
we will never be alone.

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Music: Attr. William Moore

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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**—“*Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*” *Chalice Hymnal #422*

1. Let us talents and tongues employ.  
Reaching out with a shout of joy;  
bread is broken, the wine is poured,  
Christ is spoken and seen and heard.

**Refrain**

- Jesus lives again,  
earth can breathe again,  
pass the Word around:  
loaves abound!
2. Christ is able to make us one.  
At the table he sets the tone,  
teaching people to live to bless,  
love in word and in deed express. (*to Refrain*)
3. Jesus calls us in, sends us out  
bearing fruit in a world of doubt,  
gives us love to tell, bread to share:  
God (Immanuel) everywhere! (*to Refrain*)

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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—Welcome Table Worship, 8 a.m. Contact **Beja Springer** for Zoom link.
- 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—Larry out of the office.
- 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.
- Wednesday—No Wednesday Bible Study until September
- Thursday—Third Thursday Humanitarian Day at LDS building on Gum & Pioneer, 1-9 p.m. Come for however long you can to work on various projects for non-profits in our community.
- 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.
- A new job as a Kaiser Hospice chaplain for Jeanelyse Doran...and prayers as she begins this new job.

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.
- Those suffering from recent gun violence across the U. S.
- **Julie Felix, Diana Fallbeck's** daughter...and **A. J.'s** mother, in the hospital 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.
- 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](mailto: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](mailto:gmhayakawa@yahoo.com). Thank you!

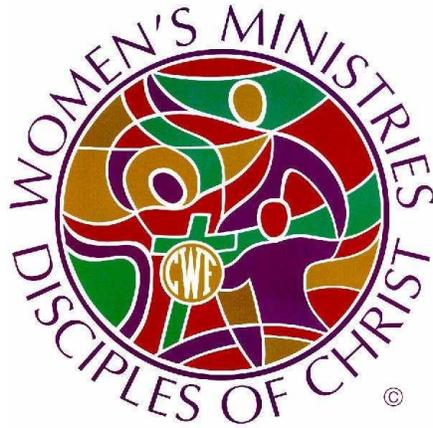
## LOCKS ON DOORS

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 17<sup>th</sup> through Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. He'll be back in the office on Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup>. 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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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.**

**Family Fun Food Games Music**

**@**

**Fern Park**

**750-West Southwood Drive, Woodland California 95695**

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For a \$20 donation, a trained technician will flock the yard of your choice.  
We can add balloons & signs for all occasions!

**Cash or Venmo is accepted**

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A poster for the "Relay for Life Presents Home for the Holidays" event. The background is light blue with white stars and snowflakes. The text is in purple and white. At the bottom, there are white silhouettes of houses, a QR code, and the Relay for Life logo.

RELAY FOR LIFE PRESENTS  
HOME FOR THE  
**HOLIDAYS**  
OCTOBER 1ST + 2ND (24 hr event)  
Pancake Breakfast • Survivor Tent + Events  
Live Entertainment • Games • Kids Camp  
Raffle Prizes • Luminary Ceremony  
Craft Fair 10am – 4pm  
Located at Sutter Middle School  
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